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To,

Sr. Environmental Engineer

IT Cell, HSPCB.

Subject: State level Essay competition on 15th May,2023 on the theme"Beat Plastic Pollution"of World Environment day 2023.

The World Environment Day is celebrated annually on 5 June and encourages awareness and action for the protection of the environment. World Environment Day was established in 1972 by the United Nations at the Stockholm Conference on the Human Environment (5–16 June 1972). One year later, in 1973 the first WED was held with the theme "Only One Earth".

The year 2023 is the 50th anniversary of World Environment Day. This year the host is Côte d'Ivoire in partnership with the Netherlands. The theme for the World Environment Day Celebration for this year is "Beat Plastic Pollution". Haryana State Pollution Control Board is annually celebrating the World Environment Day 5th June by organizing various activities at State Level and also a state level function is also being organized on the Day of World Environment Day i.e. 5th June.

It is intimated that this year, Haryana state Pollution Control Board has planned to organize a State level Essay competition on the theme "Beat Plastic Pollution" of World Environment Day 2023 in coordination with District Administration and Education Department Haryana.

The brief of the essay competition is as under:

Date of competition :- 15th May 2023

Categories of competition :- 02 Nos

1. Category for 9th & 10th Student
2. Category for 11th & 12th Student

Theme/Subject of the essay competition :- "Beat Plastic Pollution" (1 hrs duration and max word limit of 700).

The detailed proposal of the essay competition is enclosed , which is to be

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displayed on the website of the board.

So submitted for necessary action.

Signed by Nirmal Kumar
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Reason: Approved

ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEER

For Member Secretary, HSPCB

Public Notice

Subject: **State level Essay competition on the theme "Beat Plastic Pollution" of World Environment Day 2023**

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Haryana state Pollution Control Board is organizing a State level Essay competition on the theme of World Environment Day 2023 i.e. "**Beat Plastic Pollution**" in coordination with Education Department Haryana & District Administration.

The details of Essay Competition are as under:-

Date of competition :- **15th May 2023**

Categories of competition :- 02 Nos

1. Category for 9th & 10th Student

2. Category for 11th & 12th Student

Theme/Subject of the competition :- "**Beat Plastic Pollution**"

Medium of the competition :- Hindi or English

The maximum word limit for the essay:- 700 words.

The time limit for the essay competition :- 01 hour.

Venue of the competition : to be decided by district administration considering the no of participants and will be conveyed directly to schools.

Prizes : 1st, 2nd & 3rd positions (winning essays in each of both categories) at District Level will be awarded with the prizes (prize money) as under

1st prize Rs. 10000/-

2nd prize Rs. 7500/-

3rd prize Rs. 5000/-

The 1st, 2nd & 3rd winning essays in each of both categories from all districts will be further evaluated and 1st, 2nd & 3rd winner for the State will be selected out of these.

The Prizes (prize money) for the State level winners in each category will be as under :

1st prize Rs. 51000/-

2nd prize Rs. 31000/-

3rd prize Rs. 21000/-

The district level winners will be awarded with the prize money on 5th June at District level function to be organized for celebration of World Environment Day.

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All entries for competition will be accepted through concerned DEO only and there also interested school to submit their list in one go with details of participants category wise including the name ,

father name, class, city and contact no. of all the participants.(last date for submission of entries with DEO is **10th May, 2023**)

For all the procedures/process and the selection of winners(winning essays) , the decision of the HSPCB will be final and no requests of evaluation will be entertained .

For details the website of HSPCB (www.hspcb.gov.in) may be referred.

Chairman,HSPCB

State level Essay competition on the theme "Beat Plastic Pollution" of World Environment Day 2023.

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1. Category for 9th & 10th Student
2. Category for 11th & 12th Student

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Medium of the competition :- Hindi or English

The maximum word limit for the essay:- 700 words.

The time limit for the essay competition :- 01 hour.

Administrative aspects :

- The essay competition will be organized with the joint efforts of District Administration, Education Department and HSPCB
- DEOs will forward the details of the essay competition to all the Government and Private School for participation.
- A committee of RO HSPCB, DEO and 2 numbers or more lecturers/teachers of environment/science background (as recommended by DEO), will evaluate the competition essays sheets.
- The Essay competition will be organized at the common venue as finalized by District Administration, Education Department and HSPCB.
- The time of competition may be finalized between 9 AM and 11 AM as per local needs.
- All the participating schools have to submit the list of participants category wise, with the DEO office by 10th May, 2023 positively.
- The RO will convey the number of participants alongwith details of student including name, class and school to the Head Office positively on 11th May, 2023. (in a excel sheet)
- Considering the number of participants, the appropriate funds will be released to the ROs by the Head Office.
- Considering the number of participants, with coordination District Administration and DEO, appropriate venue shall be finalize by 12th May, 2023.
- The District Administration or DEO will appoint the necessary examiners for the essay competition.
- The essay competition will held on 15th May, 2023. The maximum word limit for

the essay will be 700 words. The time for the essay competition will be 01 hour. The attendance of the participants should be ensured and secured.

- All the essay competition sheets will be evaluated by the committee as referred above.
- The evaluation of competition sheet shall be done by 25th May, 2023 by finalizing the best 1st, 2nd and 3rd position in both categories.
- The RO shall supply the attendance sheet, result for the 1st, 2nd and 3rd position (in both categories separately) alongwith their original competition sheets (only for 1st, 2nd and 3rd position), fund utilization certificate to the HO by 29th May, 2023 positively.
- A committee of a committee of branch incharges of Publicity cell, Misc. cell and Coordination Cell at the Head Office will evaluate such essay competition sheets received from ROs and finalizing the 1st, 2nd and 3rd position in both categories for the state.
- The 1st, 2nd and 3rd students(at district level) to be awarded at the District Level function to be organized on 5th June, 2023 with the prize cheques or online transfer of prize money.
- 1st, 2nd and 3rd participants (each in both categories) for the state will be awarded at the State Level function on 5th June, 2023

Financial aspects

- The refreshment (to the extent of Rs. 30/- max. per student/staff/teacher) and stationary including essay sheet and a pen (Rs. 10/- max. per student) to be provided by HSPCB.
- RO need to record all the entries received and attendance on the day of competition. The photographs of the competition to be procured.
- 1st, 2nd and 3rd participants (each in both categories) for the District will be awarded with prize money as under:-

1st prize Rs. 10000/-

2nd prize Rs. 7500/-

3rd prize Rs. 5000/-

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