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**Office Order**

Whereas, the Board, vide Head Office order Endst. No. HSPCB/2020/PLG/1767-1795 dated 04.12.2020, had amended its erstwhile consent procedure issued vide Head Office order Endst. No. HSPCB/2018/517-546 dated 26.02.2018, for grant of consent to establish and consent to operate under the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, along with consolidated list of industrial /non-industrial sectors/projects covered under Red, Orange, Green and White Categories and this procedure was issued based upon the directions issued by the CPCB u/s 18(1)(b) of Water Act, 1974 and Air Act, 1981 vide letter no. B29012/ESS (CPA)/2015-16/8526 dated 07.03.2016 and subsequent directions thereon; and

Whereas, the procedure for grant of consent to establish (CTE) for new units available at Sr. No. 2 in order issued vide endst. dated 04.12.2020 and under clause at 2.1.7(i), it is provided that the CTE for the projects requiring Environmental Clearance, shall be granted for a period up to 07 years subject to the validity of Environmental Clearance or the date of commissioning of the project, whichever is earlier;

Whereas, Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change vide notification No. S.O. No. 1807(E) dated 12.04.2022, amended the provisions of EIA notification regarding extension in validity of environment clearance for different type of projects including Townships and Area Development Projects [item 8(b)]and Nuclear power projects or activities and processing of nuclear fuel [item 1(e) of the Schedule] to 10 years and 15 years respectively.

In view of the above, it is hereby ordered that the following be substituted in place of existing clause 2.1.7(i) in the consent procedure already issued vide Head Office order Endst. No. HSPCB/2020/PLG/1767-1795 dated 04.12.2020 for the purpose of obtaining consent to establish and consent to operate under the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 and authorizations under EP rules:-

The CTE for the projects requiring Environmental Clearance, shall be granted for a period up to 07 years subject to the validity of Environmental Clearance or the date of commissioning of the project, whichever is earlier.

In case of Townships and Area Development projects (covering an area  $\geq 50$  ha and or built up area  $\geq 1,50,000$  sq. mtrs) CTE shall be granted for a period up to 10 years, with further provision of extension for 01 year subject to the validity of Environmental Clearance or the date of commissioning of the project, whichever is earlier. The validity period of 10 years shall be limited only to such activities as may be the responsibility of the applicant as a developer.

In case of Nuclear power projects or activities and processing of nuclear fuel [item 1(e) of the Schedule], CTE shall be granted for a period up to 15

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years, with further provision of extension for 05 years subject to the validity of Environmental Clearance or the date of commissioning of the project, whichever is earlier.

Further, the validity of consent to establish of existing infrastructure project and Nuclear power projects is required to be revised to 10 years and 15 years respectively, this revision is only coterminous with the validity of environment clearance.

The project proponents who wish to obtain extension in consent to establish in view of the preceding para as well as in view of the provision of notification No. S.O. No. 1807(E) dated 12.04.2022 of MoEF&CC shall need to apply for extension of consent to establish with applicable fee, as per provisions of consent procedure”.

These orders come into force with immediate effect.

**Dated Panchkula, the  
Raghavendra Rao  
19th April, 2023  
HSPCB**

**P.****Chairman,****Endst.No. HSPCB/PLG/2023/****Date:-**

A copy of the above is forwarded to the following for information and further necessary action:-

1. All Branch Incharges dealing with consent management in Head Office of the Board.
2. All Regional Officers of the Board in the field.
3. Sr. Environmental Engineer -cum- Nodal Officer of the HSPCB, Haryana Enterprises Promotion Centre (HEPC) Bay No. 63-64-65-66, Sector 2, Panchkula.
4. Branch incharge (IT) for uploading the orders on the website of the Board and making necessary changes in the OCMMS and online inspection module

**Sr. EE (PLG)  
For Chairman****Endst. No. HSPCB/PLG/2023/****Dated:**

A copy of the above is forwarded to the following for information of the officers:-

1. PS to Chairman
2. PA to Member Secretary

**Sr. EE (PLG)**

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**For Chairman**