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Directions regarding

Sub: Online Ambient quality monitoring

Dear

You are aware that CPCB has prepared a national road map for strengthening of ambient air and water quality monitoring network in the country to represent the regional ambient environment quality and making data related to PAN India available at one single window.

For strengthening the monitoring network, automatic air and water quality stations need to be installed and operated by the developers and the industries on 'polluter pays principle'.

You are requested to direct all large and medium industries, which are either located in the identified 43 critically polluted areas or falling in the 17 categories of highly polluting industries or covered under grossly polluted categories and the developers of Industrial Development Corporation, SEZs, Growth Centers, PCPIRs, Auto Clusters and other Industrial Clusters/Corridors to install automatic air and water quality stations to monitor the ambient quality.

The CAAQMS have to be linked with the monitoring network of CPCB as well as that to be developed at your Board.

The supporting infrastructure including the software and hardware towards data acquisition, collation, analysis, validation, and corrective action be put in place well in time so that the data is made available at SPCBs/PCCs and CPCB from April, 2011.

With regards & Happy New Year,

Yours sincerely,

S.P. Gautam
(S.P. Gautam)

महोदय, सभी राज्य प्रदूषण नियंत्रण बोर्डों को
आज्ञा है कि केंद्र सरकार द्वारा तैयार की गई
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To
The Chairman
All SPCBs, PCCs

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Dated: 06.12.2010

To
The Chairman
Central Pollution Control Board
Parivesh Bhavan, East Arjun Nagar
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Sub Online Emission & Effluent Monitoring: New initiative - regarding

Sir,

This refers to a meeting held on 08.10.2010 on the aforesaid subject at Paryavaran Bhawan which was chaired by the Secretary, Environment and Forests. Minutes of the meeting have been circulated. It is to inform the outcome of the meeting which is as follows:

- (i) Installation of Continuous Stack Emission Monitoring Systems (CSEMS) should be made an integral part of the consent conditions by the State Pollution Control Boards (SPCBs)/ Pollution Control Committees (PCCs) with prospective effect.
- (ii) The Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB) may ask the SPCBs/PCCs to issue suitable directions under the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1986 to all large and medium sector emission generating units which are either located in the identified 43 critically polluted areas or falling in the identified 17 categories of highly polluting industries, to install such CSEMS within a given time frame, i.e. within six months. 'Polluter pays principle' has to be applied in such cases.
- (iii) Simultaneously, all the SPCBs/PCCs should install the necessary software and hardware in their headquarters alongwith arrangement of trained personnel for centralized data collection, analysis and corrective action.
- (iv) Ambient air monitoring should also be taken up by the Developers in all industrial estates, Special Economic Zones and investment regions, as per roadmap drawn by CPCB.
- (v) In Phase-II, CSEMS would be installed in other emission generating industrial units.

You are requested to communicate the same to the SPCBs/PCCs and also draw a time bound action plan for its monitoring. The Ministry may be apprised of the Action Taken Report by March, 2011

Yours Faithfully,

(Rajneesh Dube)
Joint Secretary
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