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OFFICE ORDER NO. E-11 OF 2011

Sub : Constitution of Research Advisory Committee

Ref : Item No. 3 of 151st Board Meeting held on 1st October, 2010.

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The Board in exercise of the powers conferred upon under Section 9(1) of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and under Section 11 of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 has decided to constitute a '**Research Advisory Committee**' under the Chairmanship of Chairman of the Board. A decision to this effect is taken in the Board's 151st meeting held on 1st October, 2010; the composition of 'Research Advisory Committee' and the Terms of References of said Committee shall be as under :

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| 1. Hon. Chairperson, MPCB | - | Chairperson |
| 2. Member Secretary, MPCB | - | Member |
| 3. Representative of MIDC
(CEO or his representative / Jt. CEO(Env.), MIDC) | - | Member |
| 4. Representative of CPCB
(Member Secretary or Addl. Director(Lab), CPCB) | - | Member |
| 5. Dr. Sengupta, Ex. Member Secretary, CPCB | - | Member (Expert) |
| 6. Prof. R.K. Kale, Ex. HOD, Env. Deptt., JNU, Delhi | - | Member (Expert) |
| 7. Director, NEERI, Nagpur | - | Member (Expert) |
| 8. Dr. Sandhya Mainkar-Nirgude, Aurangabad | - | Member (Expert) |
| 9. Prof. A.D. Sawant, Ex. Pro Vice Chancellor,
Mumbai University | - | Member (Expert) |
| 10. Chief Accounts Officer, MPCB | - | Special Invitee |
| 11. Principal Scientific Officer, MPCB | - | Member Convener |

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TERMS OF REFERENCES

1. To recommend specific priority Research and Development (R&D) areas for Board to be undertaken internally by Laboratories and Field Offices and through outsourcing out of Cess funds of the Board.
2. To examine and recommend the R & D Project proposals covering the scope as specified under Section 17 of Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and Section 9 of the Environment (Protection) Rules, 1986 or Section 12 of Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, including budget, manpower, scope, etc. and implementation strategy.
3. To suggest and/or recommend specific Research Projects with external financial aid (e.g. CPCB, MoEF, etc.).
4. To examine & recommend the sampling and analysis procedures, charges related to laboratory working, administration & management, etc.
5. To recommend estimated budget provisions for R & D activities.
6. To propose specific areas for training of the Board employees.
7. The Committee shall remain in force for two years and Chairman / Member Secretary is authorized to reconstitute / extend the period suitably.
8. The Members of Committee shall be entitled to allowance as per Clause 12 of Govt. Notification of Finance Department vide No.Travel-1010/C.No.2/Service-5, dated 3rd March, 2010.


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