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OFFICE ORDER

Sub : Constitution of Committee to propose suitable guidelines
For ready mix concrete plants (RMCs) in MMR Area.

Due to increasing urbanization lot of construction activity is going in MMR area and as a necessary support infrastructure for construction project, number of RMCs plants have been established in MMR area. It has been observed that these RMC plants are often very close to residential buildings. Of late MPCB has been receiving lot of complaints in regards to these plants.

In order to examine the issues related to RMCs and proposed suitable guidelines and environmental standards for these plants, a committee consisting of the following members is established.

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| 1. | Shri P.K. Mirashe,
Asstt.Secretary(Tech.), MPCB | Chairman |
| 2. | Shri V.M. Motghare,
Joint Director(APC), MPCB | Member |
| 3. | Representative of RMC plants | Member |
| 4. | Representative from MCGM | Member |
| 5. | Representative of NEERI/IIT etc | Technical Expert |
| 6. | Shri. Raju Vasave
RO(Mumbai), MPCB, | Member-convener |

The terms of reference for the Committee are as under :-

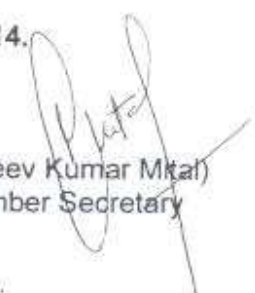
- (i) The Committee will nominate the names of the representative(s) of the RMC Plants, MCGM and Technical expert as may deem fit.
- (ii) The Committee will examine the present status of emissions and pollution control devices/measures in the RMC Plants in the MMR areas.
- (iii) The Committee will cause visit to RMC Plants if required.
- (iv) The Committee will identify the best practices adopted by RMC plants if any.

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- (v) The Committee shall examine whether any siting restrictions needs to be imposed on RMC Plants.
- (vi) The Committee shall give recommendations on following issues.
- Siting criteria for RMCs
 - Environmental Standards to be imposed on RMCs
 - Additional control measures to be imposed, to abate/mitigate pollution
 - Any other recommendations.

The Committee will give its report on or before 05th May, 2014.


(Rajeev Kumar Mital)
Member Secretary

Copy for information and necessary action to:

- Shri V.M. Motghare, Joint Director(APC), MPCB, Mumbai .
- Shri P.K. Mirashe, Asstt.Secretary(Tech.), MPCB, Mumbai.
- Shri Raju Vasave RO Mumbai, MPCB, Mumbai.

-The non-official members will be entitled for TA/DA, Local Hospitality and Remuneration as per MPCB Rules.

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