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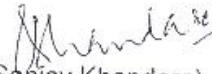
## OFFICE ORDER NO.-१-११ OF 2008

Sub: Delegation of financial powers for release of Operation and Maintenance payment for National and State Ambient Air Monitoring Programs.

MPC Board has augmented the ambient air monitoring activities in the state through National and State Air Monitoring Programs. Considering man power constraints and also with the aim to involve educational institutes in the air monitoring activities, Board has outsourced the operation and maintenance of NAMP and SAMP stations to educational / research institutes. Board has already streamlined the entire outsourcing activities through formulation of Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) and standardized the cost of operation and maintenance, to be released on half yearly basis.

It is now decided that the recurring payments of operation and maintenance of NAMP/SAMP stations in the state will be released by concerned Regional Officer after verifying the data receipt and also proper and scientific operation of these stations. Committee under the Chairmanship of the Regional Officer with the senior-most Sub Regional Officer of that region and I/c. Regional Laboratory as the member, will process the claims and release the payments. Board has already issued guidelines of the Regional Officers and Sub Regional Officers to regularly supervise the operation and maintenance of these air monitoring activities for collection of the scientifically validated data. The Regional Officer shall seek necessary grants for Accounts Wing for these payments. I/c.PAMS Divn.shall take a review on six monthly basis of the air monitoring activities in the state including the payments and submit a report to Member Secretary.

These orders shall be effective for all the payments due after 1<sup>st</sup> of October, 2008.

  
(Sanjay Khandare)  
Member Secretary

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