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MAHARASHTRA POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

NOTICE FOR REGISTRATION OF PRODUCERS, IMPORTERS & BRAND-OWNERS
UNDER PROVISION OF PLASTIC WASTE MANAGEMENT(PWM) RULES
(As per provisions 9 (1&2) & 13(2) of PWM Rules, 2016, as amended)

Producers, Importers & Brand-owners (PIBOs) are required to fulfill Extended Producers Responsibility (EPR) for the plastic waste generated due to the products introduced by them in the market. EPR is responsibility of a producer/ importer/ brand-owner for environmentally sound management of the product till the end of its life.

PIBOs are required to obtain registration from CPCB, if operating in more than two States/ UTs and from concerned SPCB/PCC, if operating in one or two States/UTs only.

This notice is being issued to inform all the PIBOs in the state of Maharashtra to obtain Registration from CPCB/SPCB/PCC (as applicable). Those PIBOs who have not yet applied for registration are informed that they shall submit application for registration complete in all respects, to MPCB (for those operating in one or two States/ UTs) latest by June 30, 2021. Action, as deemed fit under the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, including levying of Environmental Compensation and closure of PIBO's operations, shall be taken against defaulters.

MPCB reserves the right to take such action as deemed fit under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 for violation by the concerned PIBO for the period prior to grant of registration.

(Member Secretary)