

## **DUTIES OF CENTRAL POLLUTION BOARD: -**

The Central Pollution Control board shall: -

- a) Co-ordinate with the State Pollution Control Boards and the Pollution Control Committees for implementation of these rules and adherence to the prescribed standards by local authorities;
- b) Formulate the standards for ground water, ambient air, noise pollution, leachate in respect of all solid waste processing and disposal facilities;
- c) Review environmental standards and norms prescribed for solid waste processing facilities or treatment technologies and update them as and when required;
- d) Review through State Pollution Control Boards or Pollution Control Committees, at least once in a year, the implementation of prescribed environmental standards for solid waste processing facilities or treatment technologies and compile the data monitored by them;
- e) Review the proposals of State Pollution control Boards or Pollution Control Committees on use of any new technologies for processing, recycling and treatment of solid waste and prescribe performance standards, emission norms for the same within 6 months;
- f) Monitor through State Pollution Control Boards or Pollution Control Committees the implementation of these rules by local bodies;
- g) Prepare an annual report on implementation of these rules on the basis of reports received from State Pollution Control Boards and Committees and submit to the Ministry of Environment, Forest and climate Change and the report shall also be put in public domain;
- h) Publish guidelines, from maintaining buffer zone restricting any residential, commercial or any other construction activity from the outer boundary of the waste processing and disposal facilities for different sizes of facilities handling more than five tons per day of solid waste;
- i) Publish guidelines, from time to time, on environmental aspects of processing and disposal of solid waste to enable local bodies to comply with the provisions of these rules; and
- j) Provide guideline to States or Union territories on inter-state movement of waste.