

Meghalaya State Pollution Control Board

Forests & Environment Department, Government of Meghalaya

'ARDEN' Lumpyngngad, Shillong - 793014

Website : <http://megspcb.gov.in>



No. MPCB/TB-4/(A) Pt-IV/2024-25/160

Dated: Shillong, the 25th July, 2024

PUBLIC NOTICE

ATTENTION: OCCUPIERS OF INDUSTRIES IN MEGHALAYA

Whereas the Section 25 and 26 of the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, restricts the establishment of any industry and/or operation or process, or any treatment and disposal system whether new or existing which is likely to discharge sewage / trade effluent into a stream or well or sewer or on land without the prior Consent of the State Pollution Control Board;

Whereas the Section 21 of the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, restricts the establishment of any industry and/or operation or process of any industrial plant in an air pollution control area without the prior Consent of the State Pollution Control Board;

Therefore, no persons shall establish any industries without obtaining Consent to Establish (CTE) issued from the Board and no person shall operate any industries without obtaining Consent to Operate (CTO) issued from the Board. Action under provisions of Section 33A of the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and Section 31A of the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, will be initiated against persons who have established and/or operated any industrial without CTE/CTO.

Detailed list of industries falling under the Consent mechanism in accordance with the schedule of categorization of industrial sectors is available in the office website www.megspcb.gov.in under the *Citizen's Corner – Public Notice – Revised Classification of Industrial Sectors under Red, Orange, Green and White Categories by Central Pollution Control Board, Delhi* or visit the link https://megspcb.gov.in/documents/Latest_118_Final_Directions.pdf.

Application for Consent can be made online at www.megocmms.nic.in. Standard Operating Procedure for online application is also available in the office website www.megspcb.gov.in under *Public Notice – Annexure 1 Standard Operating Procedure for Consent under Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981* or visit the link https://megspcb.gov.in/documents/Annexure_1_SOP_for_consent_under_water_prevention_control_of_pollution_act.pdf.

All applications are to be submitted to this office, failing which, stern action as empowered under Section 33A of the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and Section 31A of the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, will be initiated against defaulting units besides imposing Environmental Compensation as applicable.


(Dr. G.H. CHYRMANG, MFS)
MEMBER SECRETARY

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Copy to:-

1. The Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya, Forest & Environment Department, Shillong for kind information.
2. The Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya, Tourism Department, Shillong for kind information.
3. The Deputy Commissioner, East Khasi Hills/West Khasi Hills/South West Khasi Hills/Eastern West Khasi Hills/Ri Bhoi /East Garo Hills/West Garo Hills/North Garo Hills/South Garo Hills/South West Garo Hills/ East Jaintia Hills/West Jaintia Hills Districts for information and necessary action.
4. The Director of Industries, Meghalaya, Shillong for information and necessary action.
5. The Director of Health Services (MI), Government of Meghalaya, Shillong for information and necessary action.
6. The Director of Urban Affairs, Meghalaya, Shillong for information.
7. The Director of Animal Husbandry & Veterinary, Meghalaya, Shillong for information and necessary action.
8. The Director of Information & Public Relations, Govt. of Meghalaya, Shillong with a request to publish this Notice in one issue of the Shillong Times, Mawphor, U Jaintia and Salantini Janera. Bill in duplicate may be sent to the Member Secretary, MSPCB for payment.
9. The Secretary to the Executive Committee, KHADC/JHADC/GHADC for information and necessary action.
10. The Divisional Forest Officer, East Khasi Hills & RiBhoi (T) Division, Shillong/ Jaintia Hills (T) Division, Jowai/ East & North Garo Hills (T) Division, Williamnagar/ West & South-West Garo Hills (T) Division, Tura/ South Garo Hills SF & T Division, Baghmara/ West & South West Khasi Hills SF & T Division, Nongstoin for information and necessary action.
11. The Chief Executive Officer, Shillong/Jowai/Tura/Resubelpara/Baghmara/Williamnagar Municipal Boards/ Shillong Cantonment Board for information and necessary action.
12. The Chief Executive Officer, Meghalaya Khadi & Village Industries Board, Shillong, for information and necessary action.
13. The Chief Engineer (Distribution), Meghalaya Power Distribution Corporation Limited, Shillong for information.
14. The General Manager, *District* Commerce & Industries, East Khasi Hills/West Khasi Hills/South West Khasi Hills/Eastern West Khasi Hills/Ri Bhoi /East Garo Hills/West Garo Hills/North Garo Hills/South Garo Hills/ South West Garo Hills/ East Jaintia Hills/West Jaintia Hills Districts for information and necessary action.
15. Website of the Board.


MEMBER SECRETARY