MAHARASHTRA POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

The Minutes of the meeting held on 17.10.2023 at 1.30 PM, MPCB, HQ, Sion-Mumbai under Chairmanship of Member Secretary, MPCB for Review implementation of Hon'ble NGT order in O.A.1038/2019 with regard to Comprehensive Environmental Pollution Index of Satpur Ambad MIDC Nashik, Maharashtra.

Meeting of the stakeholders of CEPI area for Satpur Ambad MIDC conducted under the Chairmanship Hon'ble Member Secretary of the MPC Board at Conference Hall, 4th Floor, MPC Board, Sion, Mumbai-22. List of participants who attended the meeting is attached herewith.

At the outset Dr. V. M. Motghare, Joint Director (APC), welcome all the stakeholders of CEPI area for Satpur Ambad MIDC and introduced the purpose of said review meeting. He informed that, in the Application No. 1038/2018, directions are given by Hon'ble NGT regarding CEPI score for Satpur Ambad MIDC is severe polluted and marginal less compared to the critically polluted area (CPA). Thereafter he requested Sub Regional Officer, Nashik to give presentation regarding directions of Hon'ble NGT & responsibility of stakeholders to comply with the same so as to bring down the CEPI of Satpur Ambad MIDC industries Association, Nashik Municipal Corporation, MIDC Nashik and Police Department with co-ordination with MPCB by way of abatement of pollution.

Member Secretary discussed the various aspects contributing to CEPI index and pointed out that all the stake holders shall take collective efforts to come out from CEPI area and to reduce the CEPI score, to comply with the directions of Hon'ble NGT.

Accordingly, Sub Regional Officer, Nashik has made Presentation with the short-term, long-term measures.

The major points of discussion in the said meeting are as under stated:

- 1. Regular Vigilances and timely actions.
 - MPCB shall strictly monitor the compliance of consent conditions and take action against the defaulting industries if fail to comply.
- 2. Up gradation in existing ETPs of Industries
 - Effluent generating industries shall not discharge any type of effluent outside and install ZLD till the commission of the CETP within 3 months.
- 3. Provision of CETP for the small-scale effluent generating and effluent generating from Metal finishing industries.
 - The industry association and MIDC shall speedup the work of provision CETP into Satpur and Ambad MIDC area within 6 months.
- 4. Issue about disposal of treated effluent from Proposed CETP.

- The MIDC and NMC shall take decision without any further delay for disposal of treated effluent as per the report submitted from NEERI within 3 months.
- Industries/NMC and MPCB
- 5. To Promote used of cleaner fuel/ Multi fuel Boilers (Use of PNG / Biofuels etc.)
 - The industries should not use coal or FO as fuel and switch over to clean fuel.
- 6. MIDC Underground Drainage System for Industrial area
 - NMC / MIDC shall provide drainage network for the sewage generated from industrial as well as residential zone in MIDC area within 6 months.
- 7. Pollution control measures in MIDC Area and city area.
 - Repairing & Maintenance of approach & internal roads of industrial area.
 NMC shall regularly cleaning of Roads and use of treated sewage for to avoid dust resuspension.
- 8. Traffic management in the area
 - NMC and police Department shall implement Proper signals, diversion and use of green fuel or electric vehicles for local transport within 6 months.
- 9. Installation of treatment facility wastewater generated from major Hotels, Laundries, Vehicle Service centre, major residential complex.
 - All the Major HCE and Hotels are provided STP for the treatment of sewage.
 NMC should conduct the comprehensive survey of all major Hotels,
 Laundries, Vehicle Service centre, major residential complex and to make a performance audit and implement the same within 3 months.

The meeting was ended with vote of thanks to the Chair.

(Dr. V. M. Motghare) Joint Director (Air Pollution Control)

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