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Date: /6/2014.

OFFICE ORDER

Sub : Constitution of Committee to formulate the guidelines and methodology in cases of remediation/reinstitution of the contaminated site.

Ref: Order passed by Hon'ble National Green Tribunal, WZ, Pune dtd.16/5/2014 in the Application No.7(THS)/2014(WZ), filed by Janardan P. Pharande & 8 Ors. vs Ministry of Environment & Forests, Govt.of India & 8 Ors

The Hon'ble National green Tribunal via order dated 16/5/2014 in the above reffered matter has directed MPCB i.e. to issue necessary directions to Respondent industries for securing the time bound remedial measures as recommended by NEERI and also the MPCB alongwith further recommendations of the Central Ground Water Board, Pune as per the report of CGWB dtd.19/3/2014, which comprehensively shall be treated as part of the directions of this Tribunal for the purpose of remedial measures that should be adopted. It was also directed that the cost of remediation/restitution shall be estimated by the MPCB. If the measures are not complied with by the industrial units in the prescribed time limit, the same shall be recovered by MPCB from the industry and the compliances shall be ensured through the independent machinery at the costs of the industry.

In view of the above, in order to prepare general guidelines and working methodology in remediation/reinstitution measures of the contaminated site, a committee consisting of following member is constituted.

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| 1. Shri P.K.Mirashe,
Asst Secretary (Technical) | Chairman |
| 2. Shri. A. R. Supate
Principal Scientific Officer | Member |
| 3. Shri B.R. Naidu
Zonal Officer, CPCB | Member |
| 4. Shri D. Subbarao, Regional Director
CGWB, Nagpur | Member |

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| 5. Shri Khandale, Director
GSDA, Pune | Member |
| 6. Dr Rakesh Kumar, Head & Chief Scientist
NEERI, Mumbai | Member |
| 7. Shri. D. T. Devle
Sr. Law Officer | Member |
| 8. Shri J. S. Salunkhe, SRO
MPCB, Pune | Member Convener |

The terms of reference for the Committee are as under:-

- The Committee will nominate the names of the Technical Expert, as may deem fit.
- The Committee shall study activities to be carried out for remediation process
- The Committee shall examine the prevailing practices followed in India and abroad towards remediation process.
- The committee shall recommend the methodology to be adopted in case of estimation of cost of remediation.
- The Committee shall prepare in general guidelines in respect of estimation of cost of remediation/reinstitution of the contaminated site.
- The Committee shall cause visit to the sites, if required
- Any Other Recommendations.

The Committee shall give its report within a 6 weeks i.e. on or before 15th July, 2014

(Rajeev Kumar Mital)
Member Secretary

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- Shri P.K.Mirashe, Asst Secretary (Technical), MPCB, Mumbai
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- The non-official members will be entitled for TA/DA, Local Hospitality and Remuneration as per MPCB Rules.