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CIRCULAR

Sub.- Circular regarding categorization of IT & ITES industries under 'Red/ Orange/ Green' category.

Ref.- 1) Board's Circular vide letter No. BO/P&L Div. II/B-1681 dtd. 13/03/2008.
2) Minutes of Board's Categorization Committee meeting dtd. 05/11/2015.
3) Minutes of CAC meeting dtd. 27/04/2016.

This has reference with the above referred Board's Circular dtd. 13/03/2008 regarding processing of applications for Consent to Establish / Operate received from IT & ITES Parks. Board has covered IT & ITES parks in the regime of Consent Management and categorized IT & ITES Parks under 'Orange' category.

Central Pollution Control Board has issued modified directions dtd. 07/03/2016 regarding classification of industries into Red/ Orange/ Green/ White depending on pollution potential of the industry in which IT / ITES Park is not included in any category. But, industry which have installed D.G. Set of capacity greater than 5 MVA with average running 12 Hrs/day is categorized as 'Red' category; industry which have installed D.G. Set of capacity greater than 1 MVA and less than 5 MVA is categorized as 'Orange' category.


Board's Categorization Committee's decision dtd. 05/11/2015 to consider IT / ITES in Green category was reviewed in the Consent Appraisal Committee's meeting held on 27/04/2016 and policy decision was taken to categorize the IT & ITES industries/ park depending on pollution potentials based upon CPCB's modified directions dtd. 07/03/2016 regarding classification of industries.

Therefore, it has been decided to classify IT & ITES industries/ park depending on pollution potentials based upon CPCB's modified directions dtd. 07/03/2016 as follows:

IT & ITES Industry having D.G. Set of capacity	Category
Upto 1000 KVA	Green
>1000 KVA and \leq 5000 KVA	Orange
>5000 KVA	Red

This Circular comes in force with the immediate effect by superseating all the earlier Circulars and Categorization Committee's decisions in this regard.

This Circular is issued with the approval of the Member Secretary of the Board.


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