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CIRCULAR

Sub : Restructure of Bank Guarantees of Urban Local bodies & Corporation (CIDCO) (Municipal Corporations, Municipal Councils (Councils of A, B & C), Nagar Palika, Cantonment Boards & CIDCO Corporation) in concern with Consent issued to Urban Local bodies for STP's.

Ref : 1) Decision of 184th Board meeting dated 10.03.2025.

The Board is granting Consent to Establish/Consent to Operate/Renewal of Consent to Operate Under Section 25 & under Section 26 respectively of the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 & under Section 21 of the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 and Authorization under Rule 5 of the Hazardous and Other Wastes (M & TM) Rules, 2016. Consent is issued to STP's of Urban Local bodies with Bank Guarantee Regime.

It is noted that most of the Urban Local bodies & Corporations (CIDCO) do not submitting the Bank Guarantees as per consent condition imposed in issued consent. Earlier Bank Guarantees were imposed in form of various segments with separate amount of Bank Guarantees like Providing Closed sewer pipeline network, Criteria - To achieve full capacity of sewage treatment, Providing arrangement for treated sewage recycle and reuse, Providing adequate system for treatment / disposal, To provide online flow meter with data logger at the inlet and at outlet of STP, Disposal of all solid waste, Towards Operation & Maintenance, Obtaining approval from National Institute of Oceanography for fixing the treated sewage disposal point, Maintaining Records.

The overall amount of above-mentioned Bank Guarantees was minimum 75 Lakhs and most of Urban local bodies and corporation unable to comply the condition of Bank Guarantee.

To make simple & single Bank Guarantee to be imposed in the Consent to be issued to ULB's, CIDCO Corporation & Cantonment Boards the agenda was kept the in the 184th Board meeting dated 10.03.2025 and after discussion it was decided to

restructure the Bank Guarantee schedule with new form of Bank Guarantee to be imposed as follows.

1] Municipal Corporation- "A" Class-	15.0 Lakhs Bank Guarantee.
2] Municipal Corporation- "B" Class-	10.00 Lakhs Bank Guarantee.
3] Municipal Corporation- "C" Class-	07.0 Lakhs Bank Guarantee.
4] Municipal Corporation- "D" Class-	05.0 Lakhs Bank Guarantee.
5] CIDCO Corporation	05.0 Lakhs Bank Guarantee
5] Municipal Council- "A" Class-	03.0 Lakhs Bank Guarantee.
6] Municipal Council- "B" Class-	02.0 Lakhs Bank Guarantee.
7] Municipal Council- "C" Class-	01.0 Lakhs Bank Guarantee.
8] Cantonment Board	01.0 Lakhs Bank Guarantee.

The above Circular will be in force with retrospective effect including pending consent applications.


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