

Proceedings of the second meeting of State Level Committee to review progress of Implementation of Waste Management Plans held under the Chairmanship of Principal Secretary, Science, Technology & Environment, Punjab on 10.09.2019 at 04:00 PM in CR/PSCST, Chandigarh

The list of participants is attached at Annexure-A.

Item No. 1 Review of progress of implementation of Action Plan for Solid Waste Management

(i) Review of Plan Activities

The progress of the key activities was reviewed during the meeting and it was decided that bottom ten worst performing ULBs be issued notices which shall be a deterrent for others for ensuring compliance. It was also decided that the best waste management practices adopted by model cities/towns shall be replicated in other ULBs.

(ii) Follow-up Actions in pursuance of the decisions of NGT Committee

Er. Pritpal Singh, PSCST gave a presentation on RFP covering the following:

- (a) Brief description of bidding process
- (b) Evaluation criteria
- (c) Scope of work
- (d) Manpower for complete scope of work
- (e) Detailed criteria

It was discussed that there is an urgent need for such expert/technical team to advise and support the implementation of action plan, and compliance with various measures of Solid Waste Management and extend necessary technical support to stake holder departments such as Department of Local Government and Committees constituted by NGT at various levels.

Item no. 2 & 3 Review of Implementation of Action Plan for C&D Waste Management, Plastic Waste Management, Biomedical Waste Management, Hazardous Waste Management and E-Waste Management.

(i) **Review of Plan Activities.**

The progress of the key activities was reviewed and it was decided that the activity that are extremely slow or non-starter be underlined and

communication be made to the concerned stakeholder department for expediting the progress of respective activity.

(ii) **Follow-up Actions in pursuance of the decisions of NGT Committee**

It was decided to expedite action taken for the following activities:

- (a) Development of online system for filing Annual Returns
- (b) Integration of authorization with the agreements made by CBWTFs
- (c) Compensation regime to be implemented for non-compliant HCFs /CBWTFs.
- (d) District Environment Plans

Other Item: Presentation on the best waste management practices adopted by Nawanshahr.

Sh. Lalit Mohan, President, Nawanshahr presented the best practices employed for effective management of the waste in Nawanshahr. The main features with best practices adopted by the Council with respect to door to door collection and source segregation, aerobic compost pits, material recovery facility, construction and demolition facility, decentralized compost pits, awareness through IEC activity, mass community mobilization were discussed and appreciated. It was noted that he can act as state ambassador for solid waste management campaign in the State.

List of Participants

- (i). Er. Pardeep Gupta, Chief Environmental Engineer, PPCB
- (ii). Sh. Prem Chand, OSD/FCRDP, DRDP
- (iii). Sh. Pritapal Singh, Senior Engineer, PSCST, Chandigarh
- (iv). Sh. Devinder Kumar, Superintending Engineer
- (v). Dr. Naresh Kumar, Assistant Director (SWM), PMIDC
- (vi). Sh. Jagjit Singh Judge, EO, MC Nawanshahr
- (vii). Sh. Lalit Mohan, President MC Nawanshahr
- (viii). Sh. Krishan Kant Singla, Process Engineer, PSCST
- (ix). Sh Ashish S Kumar, SWM Trainer, PMIDC
- (x). Er. Anuradha Sharma, Environmental Engineer, DECC
- (xi). Dr. Rupali, Scientist-C, PSCST
- (xii). Er. Jitin Joshi, AEE, DECC