



Rajasthan State Pollution Control Board

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Office Order

The Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change has issued notifications vide G.S.R.703(E) dated 12.11.2024 and G.S.R.702(E) dated 12.11.2024 regarding exemption of certain categories of industrial plants from the application of the proviso to sub-section (1) of section 25 of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and proviso to sub-section (1) of section 21 of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act 1981. As per the above referred notifications, the project/activities requiring prior EC as per the EIA Notification 2006 (as amended from time to time) under EP. Act, 1986 are exempted from obtaining previous Consent to Establish (CTE) separately.

In compliance to aforementioned notifications, it is thus informed that all industrial plants which have obtained prior environmental clearance under the notifications dated 12.11.2024 has now been exempted from obtaining Consent To Establish (CTE) separately and the conditions of CTE as may be required, will be integrated in the conditions of Environmental Clearance itself.

The GIC (Pre-Screening Cell) shall be the nodal officer, and the Pre-Screening Cell shall serve as the nodal section for processing proposals received on the Parivesh Portal 2.0, in accordance with the SOPs issued on 14.11.2024, 14.01.2025 and 08.10.2025 by the MoEF&CC. Upon receipt of a proposal, the Pre-Screening Cell will raise a demand for the applicable CTE fee as per the Rajasthan Air and Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) (Amendment) Rules, 2016, verify the fee deposited by the project proponent on portal after getting verified from account section of Head Office, and upload CTE conditions applicable after consent from MS on the proposal, in consultation with the concerned section, on a case-to-case basis within the timeframe specified in the SOP.

Furthermore, it has been decided that CTE fee deposited by an industrial plant at the time of obtaining Environmental Clearance will be reviewed by the State Board when the plant applies for Consent to Operate (CTO). If, upon examination, it is found that fee deposited for CTE while processing of Environmental Clearance application was not adequate, the State Board will raise a demand for the balance fee as part of the CTO application process.

Concerned officials are directed to comply with Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) released by MoEF&CC dated 14th November 2024, and partial modification vide Office Memorandum 14th January, 2025 and Office Memorandum dated 8th October, 2025 (copy enclosed).

This bears approval of competent authority.

(Kapil Chandrawal)
Member Secretary

Date: 11/12/25

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Copy to the following for information & necessary action:-

1. P.S. to Chairperson, RSPCB, Jaipur.
2. Sr. P.A. to Member Secretary, RSPCB, Jaipur.



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3. Joint Secretary, RSPCB, Jaipur.
4. CEE-I, CEE-II, CSO, RSPCB, Jaipur.
5. FA, RSPCB, Jaipur.
6. All GICs, RSPCB, Jaipur to enforce the same.
7. All Regional Officers, RSPCB to enforce the same.
8. ACP-IT, RSPCB with a direction to upload prominently on Board's Website.
9. Master File.

Member Secretary

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