

No. 13/3/2024-CPSU-PCD Government of India Ministry of Power

Shram Shakti Bhawan, Rafi Marg, New Delhi-110001, Dated: 03 June, 2024

To.

The CMDs of all CPSEs under Ministry of Power The Chairperson, CEA/DVC/BBMB
The DGs NPTI/BEE/CPRI
The Secretary, CERC
The Registrar, APTEL
The MD, EESL
The DG, BEE

Subject: RTI regarding "Compliance of clause 5.2.1 of the Guidelines issued by CPCB as per Rule 5(c) of PWM Rules 2016 and implementation of mission "Life" by Ministry of Power".

Sir/Ma'am,

In continuation to Letter NO. 28/02/2020-coord. Dated 12.03.2020(copy enclosed) please find enclosed RTI No. POWER/R/T/24/00061 dated 26.04.2024 seeking information on the above subject under RTI Act, 2005 received from Sh. Arun Dhir, C-77 Surya Nagar Ghaziabad, Uttar Pradesh through RTI Cell, MoP to. The information may please be sent directly to the Applicant under intimation to this Ministry.

Yours sincerely,

Encl: As above

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Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

Tel: 2371-9637

Copy to,

Arun Dhir, C-77, Surya Nagar, Ghaziabad-201011, (U.P.)

For information: Section Officer(RTI) Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi. F. No. 28/02/2020-Coord. Government of India Ministry of Power

> Shram Shakti Bhawan, Rafi Marg, New Delhi-110001, Dated: 12th March, 2020

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Sub.: Plastic Wasta Management Rules, 2016 (PWMR 2016) to ensure effective management of plastic waste.

Sir.

I am directed to forward herewith a copy of D.O. 17/1/2017-HSMD dated 13.02.2020 received from Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change on the subject mentioned above for information and compliance.

Encl. as above.

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Yours faithfully

Under Secretary to the Government of India

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पर्यावरण, वन एवं जलवायु परिवर्तन मंत्रालय SECRETARY

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

सल्पमैव जयते MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE

D.O. No. 17/1/2017-HSMD

Dated: 13th February, 2020

Dear Secretary,

At the outset, I would like to appreciate the efforts made by you and your team towards achieving a cleaner, greener and safe environment. As you are aware, the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change has notified the Plastic Waste Management Rules, 2016 (PWMR, 2016) to manage plastic waste in an environmentally sound manner throughout their life cycle. Several States and UTs have implemented regulations supplementing PWMR,2016 to ensure effective management of plastic waste.

In continuance of the Hon'ble Prime Minister's call to curb single use plastic and phase out its use by 2022, I would like to draw your attention to Single use or short life PVC flex boards or posters being indiscriminately used in governmental institutions and offices for short term advertisement and other purposes. Poly Vinyl Chloride (PVC), a plastic polymer, is a nonbiodegradable material and if burned, releases toxic fumes such as dioxins, furans etc. The harmful toxins may get bio-accumulated in the food chain of ecosystems causing a serious hazard to human health and environment.

In order to combat plastic pollution, reduction in use of avoidable plastics is necessary. Therefore, use of single use or short life PVC flex for banners and posters in government offices or its functions should be strictly avoided. Alternatives such as cloth banners, light weight textile fabrics, wrinkle resistant wrap knit, natural-fibre based sandwich boards, resin infused paper, particle boards etc. can be used. Such a step will help strengthen our national resolve to combat plastic pollution on the country.

I take this opportunity to reiterate the need for eliminating the use of Single use or short life PVC flex, banners and posters in all Government institutions and offices.

With regards,
Yours sincerely,

Secretaries to the Government of India [All Departments / Ministries]