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29/20, नेमी रोड, डालनवाला, देहरादून (उत्तराखण्ड)

Ref: UEPPCB/HO/Gen-183(41)/2017/ **655-167** Dehradun, Date: **2-5-2017**
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MOST IMPORTANT/COURT MATTER

To,

1. Nagar Aayukt, All Nagar Nigam, Uttarakhand.
2. Executive Officer, All Nagar Palika Parisad/Nagar Panchayat, Uttarakhand.
3. Chief Executive Officer, All Cantt. Boards, Uttarakhand.
(List Enclosed).

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**DIRECTIONS UNDER SECTION-5 OF THE ENVIRONMENT (PROTECTION) ACT, 1986
FOR IMPLEMENTATION OF THE SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT RULES, 2016 – REG.**

WHEREAS, the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Government of India has promulgated the **Solid Waste Management Rules, 2016** under the **Environment (Protection) Act, 1986** aiming to scientific management of solid waste including – solid or semi solid domestic waste, sanitary waste, commercial waste, institutional waste, catering and market waste and other non-residential wastes, street sweeping, silt removal or collected from surface drains, horticulture waste, agriculture waste, dairy waste and treated biomedical wastes, generated in the area under the Urban Local Bodies, Village Panchayat and other responsible authorities as mentioned in the Rules; and the **Solid Waste Management Rules, 2016** are available in the website of the UEPPCB at: <http://ueppcb.uk.gov.in/pages/display/59-environment-rules>

WHEREAS, based on the information provided by the Directorate of Urban Development, Uttarakhand, the estimated solid waste generation from 81 Urban Local Bodies in the year 2014 was about 1400 MT per day; and so far no solid waste processing/ treatment facility is in operation; and

WHEREAS, by-and-large, solid waste so generated is being disposed / dumped of unscientifically which has been one of the major public nuisance due to foul odour, generation of leachate and other environmental aspects like - slow and continuous ignition/burning of garbage is a major cause of air pollution, and

WHEREAS, most of the existing solid waste dumping sites have been exhausted and still in operation as land for sanitary landfills for processing and disposal of waste has not been identified or available;

WHEREAS, despite of ban on sale, use and storage of plastic/thermacol carry bags and cutleries items by the State Government vide letter ref. no. 88/X-3-17-13(11)/2001 dated 25.01.2017, plastic carry bags, thermacol plates and containers used for eating purpose in marriage, parties and other functions along with polystyrene cups etc. remains littered / scattered and their disposal poses difficulties and burning of such wastes release obnoxious emissions. Copy of the order of the State Government is available in the website of the Board at: <http://ueppcb.uk.gov.in/contents/listing/6%20Important%20Office%20Orders/Letters>

WHEREAS, the **Uttarakhand Environment Protection and Pollution Control Board** issued necessary directions under section-5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 to all Municipal Authorities/Cantt. Board of the State in order to timely implementation of provisions of the **Solid Waste Management Rules, 2016** vide letter ref. no. UEPPCB/HO/Gen-50(III)/2017/9988-2044 dated 22.02.2017;

WHEREAS, the **Hon'ble High Court Nainital** in the matter of Writ Petition (PIL) No. 80 of 2012 Sai Nath Seva Mandal Vs State of Uttarakhand & others pronounced the judgment on

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dated 16.03.2017 and issued directions *inter alia* with implementation of provisions of the **Solid Waste management Rules, 2016**. Copy of the judgment of the **Hon'ble High Court Nainital** is available in the Board's web site at: <http://ueppcb.uk.gov.in/contents/listing/8%20NGT%20orders>

WHEREAS, Hon'ble High Court Nainital on dated 16.03.2017, further directed that:

DD. All the municipal authorities, throughout the State of Uttarakhand, are directed to ensure that the bio medical waste is disposed of strictly as per the provisions of Bio Medical Waste Management Rules, 2016. The authorities mentioned in these rules shall be personally responsible for following the mandate of Rules in letter and spirit, failing which contempt proceedings may be initiated against them.

EE. There shall also be a direction to all the municipal authorities to ensure that there is no mixing of bio-medical waste with other municipal solid waste.

WHEREAS, the Bio-Medical Waste Management Rules, 2016 deals with the safe treatment and disposal of bio-medical waste generated from hospitals/healthcare facilities, diagnostic centres etc. and restrict the mixing of bio-medical waste with other municipal solid waste. Copy of the **Bio-Medical Waste Management Rules, 2016** is available in the website of the Board at: <http://ueppcb.uk.gov.in/pages/display/59-environment-rules>

NOW THEREFORE, in compliance of the directions of the **Hon'ble High Court Nainital** on dated 16.03.2017 and in exercise of powers conferred under **Section-5** of the **Environment (Protection) Act, 1986**, the concerned Municipal Authority/Cantt. Board is hereby directed to ensure timely compliance of the following directions:

1. The bio-medical waste generated from the hospitals/healthcare facilities shall not be mixed with the other municipal solid waste. Bio-medical waste shall be disposed in accordance with the provisions of the Bio-Medical Waste Management Rules, 2016. In case of non-compliance, the Municipal authority may initiate action against the hospitals/healthcare facilities, diagnostic centers etc. under the relevant Act/Rules.
2. The Municipal Authority/Cantt. Board shall ensure implementation of provisions of the **Solid Waste Management Rules, 2016** and shall strictly adhere to the time limit for various activities given thereunder.

The action taken report shall be submitted to this **Board** within **30 days** from the date of receipt of above directions.

This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority of the Board.

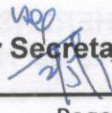

Member Secretary

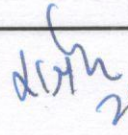
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Copy to:-

1. **Chairman**, Central Pollution Control Board, Parivesh Bhawan, East Arjun Nagar, Sahadara, Delhi for kind information please.
2. **Chairman**, UEPPCB, Dehradun for kind information please.
3. **Secretary**, Urban Development, Govt. of Uttarakhand, Secretariat, Subhash Road, Dehradun for kind information please.
4. **Director**, Urban Development, 43/6, Mata Mandir Road, Dharampur, Dehradun for kind information and with request to issue necessary instructions to all Municipal Authorities for timely compliance of directions of the **Hon'ble High Court Nainital** dated 16.03.2016 and provisions of the **Solid Waste Management Rules, 2016** and please.
5. **Regional Officer**, UEPPCB, Regional Office, Haldwani/Kashipur/Roorkee/Dehradun for timely compliance of above directions. Review meeting with concerned municipal authorities be organized at RO level and forward progress report to this office regularly.
6. MSW file. Gen-50(III).

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Member Secretary


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List of Municipal Authorities/Cantt.

1.	Nagar Aayukt, Nagar Nigam, Dehradun Distt. Dehradun
2.	Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, Mussoorie, Distt. - Dehradun
3.	Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, Vikasnagar, Distt. Dehradun
4.	Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, Rishikesh, Distt. Dehradun
5.	Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, Herbertpur, Distt. Dehradun
6.	Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, Doiwala, Distt. Dehradun
7.	Chief Executive Officer, Cantt. Board, Garhi Cantt, Distt. Dehradun
8.	Chief Executive Officer, Cantonment Board, Clement Town, Distt. Dehradun
9.	Chief Executive Officer, Cantt. Board, Chakrata, Distt. Dehradun
10.	Chief Executive Officer, Cantt. Board, Landour, Mussoorie, Distt. Dehradun
11.	Nagar Aayukt, Nagar Nigam, Haridwar, Distt. Haridwar
12.	Nagar Aayukt, Nagar Nigam, Roorkee, Distt. Haridwar
13.	Chief Executive Officer, Cantt. Board, Roorkee, Distt. Haridwar
14.	Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, Manglore, Distt. Haridwar
15.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Shivalik Nagar- BHEL, Ranipur, Distt. Haridwar
16.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Jhabra, Distt. Haridwar
17.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Laksar, Distt. Haridwar
18.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Landhoura, Distt. Haridwar
19.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Bhagwanpur, Distt. Haridwar
20.	Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, New Tehri, Distt. Tehri
21.	Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, Narendra Nagar, Distt. Tehri
22.	Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, Muni Ki Reti-Dhalwala, Distt. Tehri
23.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Chamba, Distt. Tehri
24.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Kirtinagar, Distt. Tehri
25.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Devprayag, Distt. Tehri
26.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Ghansali, Distt. Tehri
27.	Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, Duggada, Distt. Pauri
28.	Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, Kotdwar, Distt. Pauri
29.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Swargaashram Jonk, Distt. Pauri
30.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Satpuli, Distt. Pauri

Boards

31.	Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, Pauri, Distt. Pauri
32.	Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, Srinagar, Distt. Pauri
33.	Chief Executive Officer, Cantt. Board, Lansdown, Distt. Pauri
34.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Pokhri, Distt. Chamoli
35.	Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, Chamoli- Gopeshwar, Distt. Chamoli
36.	Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, Joshimath, Distt. Chamoli
37.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Badrinath, Distt. Chamoli
38.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Nandprayag, Distt. Chamoli
39.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Gaucher, Distt. Chamoli
40.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Karanprayag, Distt. Chamoli
41.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Gairsain, Distt. Chamoli
42.	Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, Rudraprayag, Distt. Rudraprayag
43.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Kedamath, Distt. Rudraprayag
44.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Agastmuni, Distt. Rudraprayag
45.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Ukhimath, Distt. Rudraprayag
46.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Purola, Distt. Uttarkashi
47.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Chinyalisaur, Distt. Uttarkashi
48.	Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, Uttarkashi, Distt. Uttarkashi
49.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Barkot, Distt. Uttarkashi
50.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Gangotri, Distt. Uttarkashi
51.	Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, Champawat, Distt. Champawat
52.	Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, Tanakpur, Distt. Champawat
53.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Lohaghat, Distt. Champawat
54.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Banbasa, Distt. Champawat
55.	Nagar Aayukt, Nagar Nigam, Haldwani, Distt. Nainital
56.	Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, Nainital, Distt. Nainital
57.	Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, Ramnagar, Distt. Nainital
58.	Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, Bhowali, Distt. Nainital
59.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Kaladungi, Distt. Nainital
60.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Lakuan, Distt. Nainital

61.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Bheemtal, Distt. Nainital
62.	Chief Executive Officer, Cantt. Board, Bhowali Road, Nainital, Distt. Nainital
63.	Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, Bageshwar, Distt. Bageshwar
64.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Kapkot, Distt. Bageshwar
65.	Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, Pithoragarh, Distt. Pithoragarh
66.	Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, Dharchula, Distt. Pithoragarh
67.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Didihat, Distt. Pithoragarh
68.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Gangolihat, Distt. Pithoragarh
69.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Berinag, Distt. Pithoragarh
70.	Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, Almora, Distt. Almora
71.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Dwarahat, Distt. Almora
72.	Chief Executive Officer, Cantt. Board, Ranikhet Cantt, Distt. Almora
73.	Chief Executive Officer, Cantt. Board Almora, Distt. Almora
74.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Shaktigarh, Distt. US Nagar
75.	Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, Gadarpur, Distt. US Nagar
76.	Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, Jaspur, Distt. US Nagar
77.	Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, Bazpur, Distt. US Nagar
78.	Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, Kichha, Distt. US Nagar
79.	Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, Sitarganj, Distt. US Nagar
80.	Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, Khatima, Distt. US Nagar
81.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Mahua Dabra, Distt. US Nagar
82.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Mahuakheraganj, Distt. US Nagar
83.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Sultanpur Patti, Distt. US Nagar
84.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Kelakhera, Distt. US Nagar
85.	Executive Officer, Nagar Panchayat, Dineshpur, Distt. US Nagar
86.	Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, Rudrapur, Distt. US Nagar
87.	Nagar Aayukt, Nagar Nigam, Kashipur, Distt. US Nagar