



HEAD OFFICE
Uttarakhand Environment Protection and Pollution Control Board
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UEPPCB/HO/Gen-183-344 (II)/Kichha/2019/149

Date: 27.12.2019

'NGT Matter'

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| 1. Chief Conservator of Forest,
(Kumaon) Nainital,
Distt- Nainital. | 2. District Magistrate,
Rudrapur,
Udhamsingh Nagar. |
| 3. Engineer In Chief,
Irrigation Department,
Madho Singh Bhandari Bhawan,
Yamuna Colony, Dehradun. | 4. Managing Director,
Uttarakhand Peyjal Nigam,
11 Mohini Road, Dalanwala,
Dehradun. |
| 5. Executive Officer,
Nagar Palika Parisad,
Kichha,
Distt- Udham Singh Nagar. | |

Direction under section 33(A) of the water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 regarding Execution of Action Plans for rejuvenation of river Kichha as per hon'ble N.G.T. order dated 20.09.2018, 19.12.2018 & 08.04.2019- reg.

Whereas, under section 18(1) (b) of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, mandates to perform function as may be prescribed or as may from time to time, be entrusted to it by Central Pollution Control Board or the State Government;

Whereas, under section 17 of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, one of the function of the State Pollution Control Board (SPCB), constituted under the water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, is to plan a comprehensive programme for prevention, control or abatement of pollution of streams and wells located in the State and to secure the execution therefore and;

Whereas, under section 25 of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, no person shall, without the permission consent of State Board establish or take step to establish any industry, operation or process or treatment or disposal system or an extension or addition, there to which is likely to discharge sewage or trade effluent in to a stream or well or sewer or on land; and

Whereas, the Central Government has notified standards for discharge of environment pollution from industries & common effluent treatment plants (CETP's) under the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 and rules framed there under and;

Whereas, the hon'ble National Green Tribunal (NGT), passed the order, on dated 20.09.2018, 19.12.2018 & 08.04.2019 in the matter of O.A no. 673/2018, New item published in "The Hindu" authors by Shri Jacob Koshy titled

"more river stretches are now critically pollutant, to prepared Action Plan for restoration of polluted river Stretches in category of priority I, II, III, IV & V within two month for bringing all the polluted river stretches to be fit at least for bathing purpose (i.e. BOD <3 mg/l and TSS <3500 mpn/100 ml) within six month from date of finalisation the action plan."

Whereas, the hon'ble NGT order on dated 20.09.2018, Uttarakhand State have total nine polluted river stretches, four river respectively Suswa, Dhela, Kichha & Bhela are categorised in priority I&II, other five river respectively Kalyani, Ganga, Kosi, Nandour & Pilakhar are in priority III & IV as per BOD load.

Whereas, State Government of Uttarakhand has constituted the River Rejuvenation committee headed by Principal Secretary, Environment and Forest Government of Uttarakhand and the Action Plan for priority I & II for river Bhela, Dhela, Kichha of distt- Udham Singh Nagar and River Suswa of Distt- Dehradun were approved by the River Rejuvenation Committee and same was submitted to CPCB on dated 27.05.2019.

Whereas, The Action plan for river Bhela, Dhela, Kichha & Suswa has been approved by Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB) in its meeting held on dated 16.07.2019.

Whereas, The Action points elaborated in the Action Plan for various concerned department for rejuvenation of Bhela, Dhela, Kichha & Suswa are to be executed within the time frame.

Whereas, following approved Action Plan has been formulated for executing of Action Points for River Rejuvenation of river Kichha.

1. Action Plan for rejuvenation of River Kichha, Kichha, Udham Singh Nagar.

S.N	Action Plan for rejuvenation of river Kichha	Organisation/ Agency Responsible for Execution of the Action Plan	Time Target	Budgetary Requirement (Rs. In Lakhs)	Remarks
1. Industrial Effluent Management:					
a)	Routine / Surprise inspection GPIs and Red category of industries for ensuring compliance of effluent discharge standards as prescribed under E (P) Rules, 1986, as amended.	Special Environmental Surveillance Task Forces/UEPPCB	One month	Nil	Continuous activity
b)	Strengthening of Environment Surveillance Squad (ESS) of UEPPCB.	UEPPCB	Two month	Nil	Continuous activity
2. Sewage Management:					
a)	Interception and diversion of 6-drains namely- Maharana Pratap Chowk se Khatima Ki aur janey wala Nala-I; Maharana Pratap Chowk se Khatima ki aur janey wala Nala-II; Purani Mandi wala Nala-I; Purani Mandi wala Nala-II; and Shiv Nagar Mandi	Uttarakhand Peyjal Nigam	Two years From sanction of funds.	1620.00	Proposed activities will be completed in two years from sanction and release of funds. Project proposal has been submitted to NMCG for

	wala Nala and construction of 18-MLD capacity STP.				
b)	Sewer line from 6-drains to Sewage Pumping station. Construction of Sewage Pumping Stations.				funding.
c)	Rising Main from SPS to proposed STPs; Construction of Sewage Treatment Plant (2MLD Capacity) & other miscellaneous works, Land acquisition, O & M works, E&M works, Cent age etc.				
d)	Monitoring of STPs outlet effluent quality w.r.t. STPs effluent discharge norms prescribed under E (P) Rules, 1986 as amended.	UEPPCB	After commissioning of STP.	--	--
e)	Utilization of treated sewage for flushing, construction activity, irrigation by irrigation drainage channel of treated sewage, industrial activity.	Peyjal Nigam/Irrigation Deptt.	One year	--	--

3. Solid Waste Management:

a)	Door to Door collection of Solid waste in all 40 wards of town.	Nagar Palika Parisad, Kichha.	October, 2019	--	Facility for solid waste processing and disposal is proposed through Haldwani cluster
b)	Source segregation of wastes in all 40 wards of town.	Nagar Palika Parisad, Kichha.	April, 2020		
c)	Setting up Solid Waste processing facilities.	Nagar Palika Parisad, Kichha.	March, 2020		

4. Ground water Quality

a)	Groundwater quality monitoring at during summer (May-June) and winter (December-January).	UEPPCB	Continuous activity	--	Ground water monitoring will be done in summer and winter month.
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5. Flood Plain Zone:

a)	Flood plain zoning of Kichha River.	State Irrigation Department	18 months from sanction of funds.	72.89	Proposal has been submitted to the State Government.
b)	Prohibition on illegal disposal of waste and removal of encroachment from river banks.	District Administration/ Nagar Palika Parisad, Kichha	Continuous Activity		Direction in this regard has already been issued by Urban Development

					Directorate. It will be monitored regularly.
6. Environmental Flow (E-Flow) and Groundwater recharge measures:					
a)	Provisions of roof top rain water harvesting in Govt. building and construction of artificial lakes/ponds, wherever feasible.	District Administration /Irrigation Deptt.	Continuous activity	--	Directions have already been issued by the government.
7. Green Development:					
a)	Development of green coverage along the Kichha river and its catchment	Forest Deptt.	Two year	--	--

Now therefore, in exercise of powers confined under section 33(A) of the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, concerned authorities/organisation are directed to execute the action points related to their organisation for rejuvenation of river **Kichha** within time frame mentioned in the action plan and submit the progress report of the same to this office on quarterly basis. You are also directed to nominate the nodal officer for your organisation for review of compliance of action plan within a week. Kindly acknowledge the receipt of same within a week from receipt of this direction.


Member Secretary

Copy to: - Following for information and necessary action:-

1. Principal Secretary, Forest & Environment, Govt. of Uttarakhand for kind information pleases.
2. Secretary, Urban Development Department, Govt. of Uttarakhand, Dehradun for issuing necessary direction to Executive Officer, Nagar Palika Parishad, Kichha, Distt- Udham Singh Nagar.
3. Secretary, Peyjal Department, Govt. of Uttarakhand, Dehradun for issuing necessary direction to Managing Director, Uttarakhand Peyjal Nigam, 11 Mohini Road, Dalanwala, Dehradun.
4. Secretary, Irrigation Department, Govt. of Uttarakhand, Dehradun for issuing necessary direction to Engineer in chief, Irrigation Department, Madho Singh Bhandari Bhawan, Yamuna Colony, Dehradun.
5. Nodal Officer, (River Rejuvenation), UEPPCB, Head Office, Dehradun for necessary action and compliance.
6. Regional Officer (I/C), UEPPCB, Kashipur, Udham Singh Nagar for necessary action and compliance.


Member Secretary

