



Pollution Control Board, Assam
Bamunimaidam : Guwahati-21

No. WB/G-1248/15-16/103

Dated Guwahati, the 16th Jan, 2018

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Notification

Sub : Exemption of Green Category of industries from Inspection – clarification to the Notification under reference.

Ref: (i) Board's Office Order No. WB/G-1248/15-16/36/2033 dtd. 03-11-2016.

(ii) Board's Office Order No. WB/G-1248/15-16/37/2034 dtd. 03-11-2016.

The Board vide references cited above, issued executive instructions exempting Green Industries with a history of satisfactory compliance from environmental compliance inspection. The clarification with regard to physical inspection to be carried out by the Pollution Control Board, Assam as and when necessary is issued as per following:

Green category (Low Risk)	Exempted from Inspection.
	However, Green category industries to be inspected only in case of Public Complaints, Legal Cases and other mandatory requirements.

The words 'other mandatory requirement' may be clarified as follows:

- (i) Requirement as per Supreme Court order pertaining to installation of Primary ETP irrespective of category of industry and similar orders issued by judiciary including NGT time to time.
- (ii) Compliance of standards (ETP/Emission) especially in case of Amendments by CPCB/MoEF&CC time to time.
- (iii) If the industry falls in the vicinity of notified area like Eco-Sensitive Zone / Wetland area under the purview of Wetland Rules and No Development Zone.

This will come into force with immediate effect and all the Board officials shall follow the above instructions seriously.

Member-Secretary

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1. PA to the Chairman, PCBA for kind appraisal of the Hon'ble Chairman.
2. Chief Env. Engineer/ Chief Env. Scientist, PCBA for information & necessary action.
3. SEE/SES/EE/EES/AEE/AE at PCBA Head Office for information & necessary action.
4. Regional Officer, RO/RLO, PCBA at Guwahati/ Dibrugarh/ Golaghat/ Sivasagar/ Tezpur/ Bongaigaon/ Nagaon/ Silchar for information & necessary action.
5. Notice Board/ Website of PCBA.
6. All concerned for information & necessary action.

Member-Secretary