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1. Pricipal Secretary, Urban Development Department  
Govt. of Rajsthan
2. Pricipal Secretary, Urban Development Department  
Govt. of Chhattisgarh
3. Member Secretary, Madhya Pradesh State Pollution Control Board
4. Member Secretary, Rajsthan State Pollution Control Board
5. Member Secretary, Chhattisgarh State Pollution Control Board
6. Representatives from Central Pollution Control Board

Subject: Mintues of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Meeting of Regional Monitoring Committee  
(Central Zone) (RMC) constituted vide O.A. No. 606/2018 - (Revised  
Order Dated on: 31.08.2018) in matter of: Compliance of Municipal  
Solid Waste Management Rules, 2016.

The 2<sup>nd</sup> meeting of the Regional Monitoring Committee (Central Zone)  
(RMC) was held on 18<sup>th</sup> January 2019 under the chairmanship of Hon'ble Mr. Justice  
Former Judge of MP High Court K. K. Trivedi. Copy of Minutes enclosed herewith.

Encl. As above.

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1. Chairman - Hon'ble Mr. Justice Former Judge of MP High Court K. K. Trivedi
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# Minutes of Meeting

## Regional Monitoring Committee (Central Zone) Review Meeting

Constituted under O.A. No. 606/2018 - (Revised Order Dated on: 31.08.2018)  
In matter of: Compliance of Municipal Solid Waste Management Rules, 2016

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Date : 18.01.2019  
Time : 11:00 AM  
Venue : Conference Hall, Directorate of Urban Administration & Development, Bhopal  
Annexures : State Presentations, List of Participants.

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### Meeting Agenda

1. Discuss State Action Plans followed by working plan (Implementation methodology as per SWM Rules 2016)
  - 1.1. Update on Short-Term Plan
  - 1.2. Update on Action Plan for Solid Waste Management
2. Discuss handing-over of the responsibility of implementing the 'Action Plan' to Urban Local Bodies
  - 2.1. Discussion on the process for monitoring and supervision
  - 2.2. Discussion on how to fix responsibility in case of non-compliance
3. Review waste collection scheme(s)
4. Discuss how to adopt "Segregation at Source" as the model for future
5. Discuss how to educate the society and bring behavioural change in the citizens of the State(s)

### Background:

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Hon. National Green Tribunal in its order dated 31.08.2018 constituted a Regional Monitoring Committee (Central Zone) under the Chairmanship of Hon'ble Mr. Justice K.K.



Trivedi (Former Judge of MP High Court). The Committee has representatives from the States as under:

- Principal Secretary, Urban Development, Government of Madhya Pradesh
- Principal Secretary, Urban Development, Government of Chhattisgarh
- Principal Secretary, Urban Development, Government of Rajasthan.
- Member Secretary, Chhattisgarh Pollution Control Board
- Member Secretary, Madhya Pradesh Pollution Control Board
- Member Secretary, Rajasthan Pollution Control Board
- Representatives, Central Pollution Control Board

The representatives from the States presents the status update for management of Municipal Solid Waste as per Municipal Solid Waste Management Rules, 2016. The Regional Committee also discusses the timelines to completely comply with the provisions of the Municipal Solid Waste Management Rules, 2016.

### Minutes of Meeting:

The Mission Director, Swachh Bharat Mission (Urban) from Urban Administration and Development Department, GoMP, welcomed all the members of the Committee and reiterated the agenda of the meeting to the members.

The meeting began with Hon'ble Chairperson explaining the action points / guidelines issued by the Apex Monitoring Committee (AMC) during the 4<sup>th</sup> meeting that was held on 19<sup>th</sup> December 2018. The Hon'ble Chairman reiterated the directions issued by the RMC to the States and the process of setting up a monitoring mechanism to track the progress.

Hon'ble Chairperson, based upon discussions and the feedback from the previous meeting, mentioned the following:

- Collection, segregation, transportation, processing and disposal of the waste are the preliminary activities that need to be constantly monitored.
- States need to make efforts to educate citizens in order to support the ULBs in their initiatives w.r.t. Municipal Solid Waste Management.

- Hon'ble Chairman emphasized the need of developing a forum or a mechanism for establishing regular dialogue among the States in the RMC region.
- Hon'ble Chairman further suggested that the Knowledge sharing among the RMC States and with the Apex Body need to be promoted. Illustrations / stories regarding the best practices in waste processing should be shared.

Thereafter, the Member States have provided status to the Hon'ble Chairperson of progress made since the last meeting that was held on 12<sup>th</sup> of November 2018.

Below is a summary of progress update shared by the respective Member States.

1. Update from Chhattisgarh:

The members from the Chhattisgarh State updated the Committee that they have drafted a detailed action plan incorporating all the major components; such as Door-to-Door Collection, Monitoring, Rag-Picker Identification and Registering SHGs as per Area Level Federation (ALF) & City Level Federation (CLF).

The State has received all clearances regarding establishment of Landfills in two of their major towns i.e. Raipur and Bilaspur. The remaining towns in the State should also work towards the concept of "Zero" Landfill towns.

The other major progress-related highlights are:

- Training Centre is being established at Ambikapur.
- The State is exploring avenues for incorporating the use of modern "ICT" based technological solutions for ensuring effective monitoring of waste management at the community level
- The State has also initiated a sample monitoring of the waste collection activities based upon the data received through the City profiles submitted by the ULBs during SwachhSurvekshan 2019.
- The State has converged and established linkage with the cement factories in the state for effective waste processing with support from CPCB.
- For ensuring the wider use of their City Compost, the State has branded it as SONAH-KHAATU i.e. "Sone jaisikhaad."
- The State is working upon strengthening their existing PIUs for the purpose for strategic management and usage of the field level information/ Data.



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- Home Composting, Barta Bank, Plastic Ban and effective use of IEC are the ways that the State has adopted for bringing reduction in generation of waste.

Hon'ble Chairperson appreciated the initiatives undertaken by Government of Chhattisgarh. He, however, emphasized on setting up the monitoring and evaluation of the progress at the ground level. He also stressed on the importance of connecting the citizens of the State with these initiatives to bring behavioural change among them for long term success and viability.

## 2. Update from Rajasthan:

The member representatives from Rajasthan State updated the Committee that the State has achieved 100% status in Door-to-Door Collection of Waste. However, they are still struggling in ensuring 100% Source Segregation in all the ULBs. The other major highlights shared by the members are as follows:

- With regards to the processing of the waste, the Centralized models adopted by the State earlier didn't succeed. Therefore, the State is now making efforts to establish decentralized models for the purpose.
- Except Jaipur and Jodhpur, the State does not need Transfer Stations in any other town in Rajasthan because the dump site / processing site are in proximity.
- The representatives from Rajasthan have appreciated the Indore Transfer Station model and have shown their interest in replicating the same at two of their major Municipal Corporations.
- Two 'Waste to Energy' plants are expected to be functional by mid of this year.

Hon'ble Chairperson has directed the Government of Rajasthan to prepare and submit the action plan towards processing and disposal of municipal solid waste along with milestones and timelines.

Hon'ble Chairman also suggested to assess the need of inter-departmental cooperation and reach out to the RMC if any support is required. Rajasthan has been asked to study and take inspiration from Chhattisgarh Model and Madhya Pradesh Model towards Solid Waste Management.

Hon'ble Chairperson has directed the Government of Rajasthan to ensure 100% Door to Door Collection and Source Segregation in next 3 months.

### 3. Update from Madhya Pradesh:

Mr. Neelesh Dubey, Deputy Mission Director – SBM (U), UADD, Government of Madhya Pradesh, presented the State's efforts and shared an update over the progress made to the Committee.

The major progress highlights shared by the State are:

- I. Outlined Short-Term Goals and the progress that the State has made in strengthening the waste collection system. This includes the support provided by the State to the ULBs in making their waste collection system more mechanized.
- II. As part of Long-Term Plan, the State elaborated on the initiatives under the ISWM Cluster-based projects for scientific processing and disposal of waste. The update was as follows:
  - a) 03 ISWM Projects fully operational (*Katni, Jabalpur City & Ujjain Town*)
  - b) 05 ISWM Projects are in various stages of implementation (*Bhopal, Rewa, Gwalior, Sagar & Indore*)
  - c) PPP Partners appointed in 05 Clusters.
- III. The innovative campaigns the State has implemented in educating and mobilizing the community were also discussed in detail. This includes:
  - a. *Satrang Life*
  - b. *100 / 100 campaign.*

Hon'ble Chairperson has appreciated the efforts made by the Government of Madhya Pradesh especially towards changing the behaviour of people in MP through extensive IEC activities. Hon'ble Chairperson has directed Government of Madhya Pradesh to assess the ground realities of door to door collection of waste and ensure that the State achieves 100% source segregation.



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## Actionable Points suggested by Hon'ble Chairman Mr Justice K.K. Trivedi

1. Solid Waste Management is a subject that requires interdepartmental coordination. Therefore, Hon'ble Chairperson has suggested the States to conduct meetings headed by the Chief Secretary and Principle Secretary of various departments such as Environment, School Education, Higher Education, PHE, Water Resource, Industries, Rural Development, and others as applicable to address issues around solid waste management.

2. Set up Monitoring and Evaluation System and Processes for:

- a) Door-to-door collection and transportation
- b) Sweeping of public areas
- c) Waste processing activities

Monitoring and evaluation needs to be emphasised at the ULB-level as well as at the State level and must be done at the ground level to ensure better coverage and actual reporting.

3. Bring behavioural changes in the society. Hon'ble Chairman suggested the following:

- a) Setup various Committees in the State to create public awareness. He directed to setup Divisional level committees headed by Divisional Commissioners, District level committees headed by District Collectors to spread awareness among people and bring behavioural change among them towards management of waste.
- b) Citizens, especially young population of the State, along with other stakeholders to be involved in conducting various IEC activities in order to bring behavioural changes among the people. The volunteers should also be incentivized in a form of certificates, etc. at major community based activities and events.

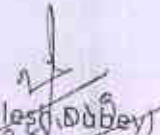
- c) Ensure wider circulation and usage of IEC materials and other major publications among the front line officials, functionaries and general masses
  - d) The development of IEC materials needs to be done in the local languages.
  - e) Cultivate decentralized models in the RMC States by establishing coordination Committees at State / Division / District / Tehsil levels. This may involves officials from the relevant departments. The key role of such Committees would be to advocate, educate and spread awareness among the stakeholders and citizens.
  - f) Encourage more meaningful involvement of the local civil society organizations into various activities (for e.g. "Fame & Shame").
  - g) Ensure more involvement of community leaders and other influential citizens (other than political) in various community level activities and events to bring positive behavioural change in the society.
  - h) IEC plan should be revised at State level as per the broad indicators and outcome for the sustainable sanitation.
4. Solid Waste Management Manual 2016 & other significant manuals / rule books is to be made available to all RMC Members.
  5. All RMC States are advised to take appropriate measures regarding complete ban on production / sale / purchase / storage of plastic and compliance of Extended Producer Responsibility (EPR) protocols.
  6. The States need to explore options that can be 'alternative' to the use of plastic bags. The Hon'ble Chairman suggested that the production and the use of paper bags should be promoted by involving the Self Help Groups (SHGs) under National Urban Livelihood Mission (NULM).
  7. Best and innovative practices of select ULBs can be replicated in other ULBs.
  8. The State needs to re-categorize towns into various population categories (such as <1 Lakh, 1-10 Lakhs, >10 Lakhs, etc.). A detailed and bespoke action-plan (pertaining to Solid Waste Management) should be developed for each population category
  9. Hon'ble Chairman has advised all RMC States to submit a detailed feedback / report to the Committee by 28<sup>th</sup> of January 2019.



10. Rajasthan State is advised to:
- Share a city wise status of the efforts / progress made on all major components with the Committee.
  - Share a detailed status document on bio-medical waste management.
11. The Hon'ble Chairperson has strongly recommended all RMC States to ensure that no treatment facilities are connected with natural water streams / bodies.

The meeting was concluded by thanking everyone for their presence and participation towards managing municipal solid waste.

(Approved by Chairman & Member Secretary)

  
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