



## TAMIL NADU POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

**Circular Memo No. T2/TNPCB/HWM/Preprocessing/2022 dated: 30.06.2022**

**Sub:** TNPCB – HW Management – Utilisation of hazardous wastes as resource materials as per Rule (9) of HOWM Rules, 2016 – To comply with Guidelines issued by CPCB for hazardous waste pre-processing – Instructions – Issued - Regarding.

**Ref:** 1. Hazardous and Other Wastes (Management & Transboundary Movement) Rules, 2016 as amended. (referred as HOWM Rules, 2016)  
2. Guidelines issued by CPCB during July, 2017 for Pre-processing and Co-processing of Hazardous and Other Wastes in cement plant as per HOWM Rules, 2016.  
[available @ [tnpcb.gov.in/HWM/GuidePreprocessingCoproprocessing.pdf](http://tnpcb.gov.in/HWM/GuidePreprocessingCoproprocessing.pdf)]

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The attention of the District Environmental Engineers & Joint Chief Environmental Engineers is invited to the references cited. The Rule (9) of Hazardous and Other Wastes (Management & Transboundary Movement) Rules, 2016 lay down provisions for the utilization of hazardous and other wastes as resource materials **direct/after pre-processing** either for co-processing or for any other beneficial use, only after obtaining authorization from SPCBs in respect of waste on the basis of SOPs/Guidelines provided by CPCB.

CPCB has issued Guidelines during July, 2017 for *Pre-processing and Co-processing of Hazardous and Other Wastes in cement plant as per HOWM Rules, 2016*. In the said Guidelines, the minimal requisite infrastructure facilities & operational controls to be provided by every standalone pre-processing facility or TSDF or Cement plants who are engaged in pre-processing of hazardous wastes for co-processing have been provided at S.Nos (i)–(xxi). Further, Format for verifying adequacy of the infrastructure for pre-processing/co-processing of hazardous waste materials has been provided as CHECK-LIST. It is mentioned that SPCB/PCC shall undertake physical inspection and verify the required equipment adequate for pre-processing and co-processing of hazardous wastes.

New standalone Pre-processing facilities are applying for Authorization + Pass Book under HOWM Rules, 2016 after obtaining CTO from District Offices for procurement & pre-processing of various hazardous wastes. It is noted during the scrutiny of such HW-Applications that minimal requisite infrastructure facilities & operational controls are not fully provided and check-list as per the format on verifying adequacy has not been furnished by inspecting officer.

Standalone Pre-processing Facility should have adequate storage & handling requirements as per the Annexure-3 at Guidelines, provide required processing facility as per Check-list with adequacy with respect to consented quantity permitted and follow SOP as per the procedures @ SI.No (5) of Guidelines.

Hence, all DEEs & JCEEs (M) of TNPCB are informed to follow the CPCB Guidelines issued during July, 2017 for Pre-processing and Co-processing of Hazardous and Other Wastes in cement plant as per HOWM Rules, 2016 while considering consent applications filed by new standalone/TSDF Pre-processing facilities. DEEs of TNPCB are also informed to inspect existing standalone HW pre-processing facilities in their jurisdictions and verify the compliance of CPCB Guidelines issued in this regard and furnish report to Board Office in case of any non-compliance for enforcement action under provision of Rule (23) of HOWM Rules, 2016.

The receipt of the circular memo shall be acknowledged.

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**For Member Secretary**  
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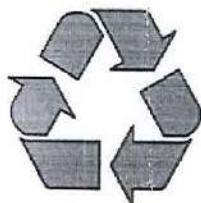
All District Environmental Engineers & Joint Chief Environmental Engineers  
Tamil Nadu Pollution Control Board

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- (ii) All Additional Chief Environmental Engineers,
- (iii) All Joint Chief Environmental Engineers in Head office



**Guidelines for Pre-Processing and Co-Processing of  
Hazardous and Other Wastes in Cement Plant as per  
H&OW(M & TBM) Rules, 2016**



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