

MINUTES OF THE EIGHTH MEETING OF THE GOA
STATE POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD HELD ON 3rd
JULY, 1990 AT 10.30 A.M. IN THE CHAMBER
OF CHIEF SECRETARY, SECRETARIAT, PANAJI

I. Following members were present :-

1.	Shri P.V. Jayakrishnan	...	Chairman
2.	Chief Engineer, P.W.D.	...	Member
3.	Chief Engineer, Irrigation Deptt.	...	Member
4.	Director of Industries & Mines	...	Member
5.	Director of Health Services	...	Member
6.	Shri Gopal Parab, Sarpanch, Pernem	...	Member
7.	Shri Anthony Gomes, Dy. Sarpanch, Salcete		Member
8.	Shri Vincente Estibeiro	...	Member
9.	Managing Director, E.D.C.	...	Member
10.	Managing Director, K.T.C.	...	Member
11.	Shri A. A. Parulekar	Member-Secretary

Following members did not attend the meeting:-

1.	Conservator of Forests	...	Member
2.	Shri David Menezes	...	Member
3.	Shri Shivanand Salgaonkar	...	Member

Shri Shivanand Salgaonkar had intimated in advance that he will not be in a position to attend the meeting.

Shri N.P. Gaunekar, Joint Secretary (S.T.E.) and Dr. R. Sen Gupta, Chairman of the Technical Committee were special invitees for this meeting.

II. Item No. 1:-

Confirmation of the minutes of the Seventh Meeting of the Board:-

- (1) While discussing para no. 2 of minutes of previous meeting the Chairman informed the members that Goa Small Industries

Association has requested to issue clarification to the advertisement published, as decided in the previous meeting, clarifying as to whether small scale industries with no pollution potential need to apply for N.O.C./ Consent of the Board. It was decided that an amendment to the advertisement published earlier shall be issued as follows:-

" In continuation to the advertisement published by the Goa State Pollution Control Board this is to clarify that only those existing industries which are governed by the provisions of Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 are required to submit their application for consent/renewal of consent to the Board Office. The last date for submission of such applications has been extended upto 31-7-90.

In case of doubt application of these Acts inquiries in writing may be made with Board Office".

- (2) Managing Director, E.D.C. informed the members that they will be preparing a list of non-polluting industries based on which the Board may finalised its policy about exempting some industries from obtaining clearance from the Board.
- (3) ~~The Board~~ desired that the Director of Industries & Mines with their set up at Taluka level ^{may} prepare a list of existing polluting industries in each taluka and make it available for the reference of the Technical Committee.
- (4) The minutes of the VII th meeting were considered and confirmed.

III. Item No. 2:-

Follow-up action taken on the decision of the
Previous Meeting:-

The Board took notice of the follow up action on the decision in Seventh Meeting of the Board.

In case of M/s. G.K.B. Ophthalmics Ltd. the Board was informed that the Company has taken appropriate steps to bring down their C.O.D. values within the prescribed limit. The recent analytical report of their final effluent have confirmed this fact.

IV. Item No. 3:-

Minutes of XIV th Meeting of the Technical Committee:-

The Board noted recommendations of the Technical Committee recorded in the minutes of its XXIV th meeting.

While discussing the minutes, Chairman suggested that the Committee may take a fresh look at the proposal of storage of Isobutylene in tank at Mormugao Harbour after obtaining all the relevant papers about the proposal from the applicant party.

The Chairman informed the Board that the proposal of thermal generating station is at very preliminary stage at the Government level. As such the Committee at this stage need not go into further details.

In case of M/s. Arya Lime Industries, it was decided that the views of the Technical Committee observing that the said industry is a non-polluting industry may be communicated to the applicant party.

V. Item No. 4:-

Minutes of XXV th Meeting of the Technical Committee:-

The Board noted recommendations of the Technical Committee recorded in the minutes of its XXV th meeting.

VI. Item No. 5:-

Violation of consent condition by M/s. Hindustan Ciba Geigy Ltd:-

After detail discussion on agenda note and documents placed before the Board it was decided that the Board Members shall visit the factory of M/s. Hindustan Ciba Geigy Ltd. on 6-7-90 and inspect the installation for effluent treatment and environmental protection. The Board shall take decision on request of the Company to grant some time limit to bring down C O D values of their effluent, after apprehension of the situation by the site visit.

The Board further decided that the Company shall not be allowed to undertake any new production at this stage.

VII. Item No. 6:-

Minutes of XXVI th meeting of the Technical Committee:-

The Board noted recommendations of the Technical Committee recorded in the minutes of its XXVI the meeting.

VIII. Table Item No. 1:-

Minutes of XXVII th Meeting of the Technical Committee:-

Minutes of the XXVII th meeting of the Technical Committee were tabled before the Board. The Board noted recommendations made therein.

IX. The meeting ended with thanks to the Chair.
