

GOA STATE POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

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Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB) has emphasized that continuous monitoring is essential to regulate and minimize the inspection on routine basis and also to ensure compliance of prescribed standards and transmit data to CPCB/SPCB on continuous basis. Inorder to strengthen the monitoring mechanism for effective compliance through self regulatory mechanism, to all industries/ establishments/ hotels etc.


The Goa State Pollution Control Board in its 156th Board meeting held on 12th September, 2023 has decided that the following directions to be issued.

1. Installation of Online Continuous Stack Emission Monitoring System (OCEMS) and Continuous Ambient Air Monitoring station in steel plants in Red & Orange Category industry /sector specific parameters mentioned in Consent by 31st August 2024.
2. The Industries /establishments/ hotels/ common STPs/ Commercial Establishments/ Residential complexes, Educational Institutions having ETP's of 50 KLD and above capacity, STPs of 100 KLD and above capacity to install online water quality monitoring system by 31st August 2024.
3. The online monitoring system shall monitor the consented parameters.
4. To connect and upload the online emission and effluent monitoring data at SPCBs/PCCs and CPCB server in a time bound manner but not later than 31st August 2024 in consultation with the Board.

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5. To ensure regular maintenance and operation of the online system with temper proof mechanism having facilities for online calibration.

To install the OCEMS-AIR/WATER by the procedure and OCEMS guidelines as per July & August 2018 as recommended by CPCB.

In view of the above all concerned industries are hereby directed to ensure the installation of OCEMS within timelines of the GSPCB.


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