



GOA STATE POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

Nr. Pilerne Industrial Estate,
Opp. Saligao Seminary, Saligao, Bardez Goa.

No. 1/116/24-PCB/Admn./15612

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PUBLIC NOTICE

1. It is brought to the notice of all, that some individuals claiming to be officials/staff/officers/employees of Goa State Pollution Control Board (GSPCB) are contacting Industries /Establishments in the State, fraudulently informing them that action for closure of their establishments is being proposed at the Board's office.
2. These individuals also falsely state that they can ensure action by the Board is avoided, provided the industries pay them an amount as a bribe.
3. Some of these individuals also falsely represent that they can ensure that the Board grants its Consent to such industries and are also fraudulently cheating industries to deposit Consent fees into their Bank Accounts by falsely claiming these accounts to be GSPCB's Bank Accounts.
4. These individuals are also provide the industries with forged Consent Orders and other documents on the GSPCBs letterheads.
5. It may please be noted that the staff and officials of the GSPCB do not do any of the above activity for obtaining Consent and/or provision of official documents/Consent orders.
6. The Board has filed criminal complaints with the Police authorities in the above cases that have come to its notice. Information of such people may also please be shared with GSPCB.
7. The Board has a dedicated Help Desk to assist industries in submitting applications for Consent. The industries in the State are advised to contact this Helpdesk only (Mob. No. 9356709461) for all queries and assistance.
8. It is hereby informed to Industries/Agencies and General Public not to entertain any such requests/ phone calls/ directions from these fake persons as above.
9. Further, Industries/Agencies and General Public are advised to report such incidents to the Vigilance Officer / Senior Environmental Engineer/Office of Member Secretary, GSPCB.

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Member Secretary
Goa State Pollution Control Board