



Karnataka State Pollution Control Board

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No: PCB/AQMC/CEO/2017-18/ 540

Date : 25 JAN 2018

DIRECTIONS UNDER SECTION 31(A) OF THE AIR (PREVENTION AND CONTROL OF POLLUTION) ACT, 1981 READ WITH RULE (20) (A) THE KARNATAKA AIR (PREVENTION AND CONTROL OF POLLUTION) RULES, 1983.

Sub: Prevention and Control of Air and Noise Pollution in Karnataka State -reg.

Ref: 1. Notification dated:19th May 1993 under 25 of Part E of Schedule VI of E (P) Act 1986

2. Notification dated: 30th December 2002 under section 6 & 25 of E (P) Act 1986 in addition to earlier Part E Schedule.

3. Directions issued by the Board Vide No.PCB/NEC/1/2013-14/7908, dated 28.3.2014, No.164, dated: 25.8.2014, No.4849, dated: 1.1.2015 and No.477, dated: 10.2.2017

4. CPCB Notification No.B-13011/UPCD/1/NGT (YN)/2014-15/318-354, dated: 16/4/2015

WHEREAS, the Karnataka State Pollution Control Board (hereinafter referred to as the State Board), is entrusted with the implementation of the provisions of the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, and the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, for the purpose of protection of Environment and for the Prevention and Control of pollution in the State of Karnataka ; and

WHEREAS, the Ministry of Environment & Forest notified the Noise Pollution (Regulation and Control) Rules, 2000 vide Notification No. S.O.123 (E) dated 14.02.2000 which is in force in the State of Karnataka ; and

WHEREAS, the noise comes under the purview of the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981;

WHEREAS, the Government of Karnataka has declared the whole State of Karnataka as Air Pollution Control Area vide Notification dated: 1.6.1988

WHEREAS, the CPCB vide ref (4), directed the Board in exercise of the powers conferred to issue direction under section 31(A) of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, hereby directed to implement and comply the following direction,

DIRECTIONS

AND NOW, THEREFORE in exercise of the powers conferred to issue direction under section 31(A) of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 and keeping in view of directions issued by the Board to the Commissioner Transport and Road Safety Department under ref (3), the following further directions are issued with effect from the date of issuance which is applicable for entire Karnataka State

- i) The State Transport Department should implement and comply with the vehicle emission and noise standards as notified by Ministry of Environment & Forest in the Type Approval (TA) / Conformity of Production (COP) certificates issued to vehicles in manufacturing stage.
- ii) The State Road Transport Officers (RTOs) to ensure that emission & noise standards are incorporated in the modified format of Type approval(TA) / Conformity of Production certificate and the same is complied
- iii) To ban/prohibit manufacture and usage of pressure horns/ multi-toned horns in vehicles (Copy enclosed)
- iv) To take necessary action to dismantle already available pressure horns/ multi-toned horns in vehicles (Copy enclosed).
- v) To direct all manufacturing companies to get the test done for stationary vehicle (all types manufacture ISI10399) and submit data within 30 days from date of issue of directions.

This order is issued with the approval of the competent authority viz the Chairman, Karnataka State Pollution Control Board

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CHAIRMAN

Karnataka State Pollution Control Board

To
The Commissioner
Department of Transport and Road Safety,
Bangalore

Copy to:

- a. The Principal Secretary, Transport Secretariat, Govt. of Karnataka for Kind information.
- b. The Secretary to Government Department Ecology and Environment Bengaluru for kind information
- c. The Member Secretary, CPCB for kind information.
- d. The Regional Director, CPCB Bangalore for kind information.
- e. Office copy.


MEMBER SECRETARY