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Karnataka State Pollution Control Board

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**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

Sub: Auto-renewal of Consent to Operate under the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981) based on self-certification-reg.,

Ref: (1) This office OM No.PCB/167/CC/2012/4984, dated: 21-11-2012  
(2) Proceedings of the 213rd Board meeting.

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With reference to the above, in the O.M. cited at reference (1) the Board has simplified the procedure for renewal of Consent to Operate under the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981). Further, the issue was discussed in the 213rd Board meeting held on 03-08-2017 and the Board approved the Auto renewal of Consent to operate under Water & Air Acts.

The auto renewal of Consent to Operate under the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 has been now automated in the XGN software. The eligible organisations can file applications in XGN software under "Auto renewal" procedure for renewing Consent to Operate under the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981.

The Criteria for Auto renewal of CFO is as follows;

1. The industrial/ unit authorities should have obtained prior CFO through XGN and it should be valid at the time of applying for auto renewal (the applicant has to apply within 45 days before expiry of the valid consent order).
2. In case the Organization is not eligible for obtaining "Auto renewal of CFO", then the applicant has to apply for CFO through XGN Software and follow the normal procedure.
3. CFO Auto Renewal application is to be processed through XGN only.
4. If in case, the unit has given wrong information, then auto renewal CFO shall be cancelled immediately.

The Procedure for auto renewal is as follows;

1. The applicant has to upload the necessary documents and to apply for "auto renewal of CFO" through XGN Software.
2. Filling up the online "Self Certification Questionnaire" by the applicant
3. The applicant has to make e-sign and the inward number will get generated.
4. The auto renewal application is displayed in "Legal CCA orders-> Form1/forwarding letter" section.
5. The Regional Officer (through XGN software) will verify the documents and approve for online payment of Consent fee (through Net Banking/ Credit card/Debit card).
6. On payment of online Consent fee by the applicant, the application will be displayed in "Grant/reject/amend" stage in ROs login.
7. There will be No inspection for auto renewal of CFO
8. On display of application in "Grant/reject/amend" screen, the Regional Officer will have to issue "Auto renewal of CFO" (within 7 working days) to green category applications.
9. On display of application (Orange) in "Grant/reject/Amend" screen, the Regional Officer will forward the auto renewal CFO application (within 3 days time) to concerned RSEO for issuing "Auto renewal of CFO" (The RSEO has to issue within 7 working days)

The auto renewal of CFO is **not applicable** if ;

- a. Matters relating to earlier consent is pending before the Appellate Authority or any other Court;
- b. Whose immediate preceding application has been refused;
- c. Where directions under Section 33(A) & 31(A) are in force or prohibitory orders under Water Act is in force or where issuance is recommended for such orders;
- d. Any mining activity; or to any Stone Crushers.
- e. There is change in the quantity of raw material / product / production capacity/ change in production process /change in pollution load against the earlier obtained CTO.
- f. If any Expansion/Diversification is issued/obtained in the current consent period.
- g. There is change in Water Consumption, Waste water generation, Effluent Treatment Process and Treated waste water discharge system:
- h. There is change in Quantity and capacity of Boiler/ Furnace/ heater and change in Type and Quantity of fuel used.
- i. There is change in Air Pollutants and their type, which are released from process. There is change in Air Pollution Control Measures.
- j. The capital investment is decreased
- k. Capital investment is increased by over 10% of previous year
- l. Organization falls under Red category.
- m. change in status of Green/ Orange/ Red Category

  
Member Secretary

To,

1. CEO-1 & CEO-2, KSPCB, Bangalore
2. SEO (Waste Management Cell), SEO (Infrastructure), SEO (Non-EIA, Enforcement, Awareness, Inspection & Monitoring), SEO (Mines, Steel & Stone Crusher), SEO (17 category)

3. SEO (Bangalore City), SEO (Bangalore East), SEO (Bangalore South), SEO (Bangalore North), SEO (Mysore), SEO (Mangalore), SEO (Dharwad), SEO (Bellary) and SEO (Chitradurga), SEO (Gulbarga).
4. All Regional Officers, Regional Office: (1) Bangalore City-East, (2) Bangalore City-Peenya, (3) Bangalore City-South, (4) Bangalore City-West, (5) Dasarahalli, (6) Doddaballapura, (7) Nelamangala, (8) Yelahanka, (9) Anekal, (10) Bommanahalli, (11) Ramnagar, (12) Rajarajeshwarinagara, (13) Sarjapura, (14) Chikkaballapur, (15) Hosakote (16) Mahadevpura, (17) Mysore-1, (18) Mysore-2, (19) Mandya, (20) Chamarajnagar, (21) Tumkur, (22) Chitradurga, (23) Davangere, (24) Kolar, (25) Shimoga, (26) Dharwad, (27) Gadag, (28) Belgaum-1 (29) Belgaum-2 (Chikkodi Centre), (30) Bagalkot, (31) Bijapur, (32) Bellary, (33) Raichur, (34) Koppal, (35) Bidar, (36) Gulbarga, (37) Udupi, (38) Mangalore (39) Hassan, (40) Chikmagalur, (41) Karwar, (42) Kodagu, (43) Haveri, (44) Yadgiri.
5. Website of the Board.