



Minutes of meeting held by Additional Chief Secretary (Environment) on 28.04.2023 to discuss the progress of action taken in the matter of NGT Order in OA 147 of 2022, 606/2018 and other related cases.

Meeting chaired by ACS Environment started at 12 noon. Member Secretary, Kerala State Pollution Control Board and other officers concerned were present. Note submitted by KSPCB regarding status of NGT cases was discussed and following decisions were taken:

Sl no.	OA No.	Decision
1	606/2018 (Compliance of Solid waste management Rules, 2016)	Regarding progress of utilization of the ring-fenced amount, as per the order dated 1.12.2022, for liquid and solid waste management projects, it was decided that a meeting with all stakeholder departments LSGD, AMRUTH, Finance, KSPCB, KWA , WRD etc. is to be conducted, so that report can be filed in last week of May2023. (Action- Environment (B) Department)
2	178/2023 Fire incident at Brahmapuram in Kochi Corporation	As per the order of NGT, regarding remediation measures to be taken, the remediation plan is to be prepared by LSGD. Emt. Dept should esquire with LSGD the progress in this matter. Note to be submitted by PCB regarding Hon'ble High Court Order in the suo-moto case on Brahmapuram fire break out issue. (Action- Environment (A) Department, KSPCB).
3	147/2022 Remedial action plan for the conservation of	Discussion to be arranged by Emt. Dept with LSG; Law; Finance Departments, KSPCB etc. to work out the mechanism by which the penalty of Rs. 10 Crore is to be collected. Note to be submitted by the Board

- Ashtamudi and Vembanad wetlands regarding action taken in issuing notices to local bodies.
(Action- Environment(A) Department, KSPCB)
- 4 OA 360/2018 The existing District Environment Plans that have been uploaded in the District Administration website should be updated and uploaded. Instruction regarding this is to be issued to all District Collectors from Environment Dept. Updation of State Environment Plan to be followed up by KSPCB.
Progress of district- state Environment plan
(Action- Environment (B) Department)
- 5 OA 673/2018 Monthly Progress report for the month of March 2023 will be submitted to the Ministry by today evening.
Critically polluted river stretches in the State
(Action- KSPCB)
- 6 OA 244/2017 Detailed note to be submitted by KSPCB. Circular can be issued by the Board only after discussion at Govt. level.
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- 7 OA 75/2021 Further action on the EC amount of Rs. 1.58 crores remitted by M/s. RDS Project Private Limited in the Environment Protection fund account of KSPCB can be taken up on request on Mining and Geology Department to the Environment Department. **(Action- Environment (A) Department)**
RDS Project Private Limited

Follow up action is to be taken in all other cases and regular meetings are to be conducted to monitor the progress.

Meeting came to a close at 1 pm.

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