

GOVERNMENT OF NATIONAL CAPITAL TERRITORY OF DELHI  
DIRECTORATE OF EDUCATION: SCHOOL BRANCH  
OLD SECRETARIAT: DELHI-110054

No. F. DE.23 (399)/Sch.Br./2017/ 2387

Dated: 21/11/17

**CIRCULAR**

**Sub: - Air pollution situation in Delhi – regarding.**

Please find enclosed herewith the order vide No.F.10(32)/Env./2016/653-690 dated 08.11.2017 received from Special Secretary (Environment)-cum-Member Secretary, Delhi Pollution Control Committee (DPCC), Department of Environment, Govt. of NCT of Delhi, in compliance of the directions issued by Hon'ble Lt. Governor of Delhi in the high level meeting held on 08.11.2017 with all the stakeholder Departments/Agencies, directions of EPCA, recommendations of task force constituted under CPCB and provisions of Graded Response Plan for Delhi & NCR.

All the Heads of Govt., Govt. Aided & Unaided Recognized Schools under Directorate of Education are hereby directed to appeal to the parents of the students of the respective schools about the worrisome air pollution situation prevailing in and across Delhi and further to restrain their children from undertaking outdoor activities till severe pollution condition persists. Outdoor activities and exposure in polluted conditions could have long term detrimental effects on health of children. Therefore, parents may be requested to adopt preventive approach to safeguard their Child's health.

This issues with prior approval of the Competent Authority.

Encl: as above

  
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Copy to:-

1. PS to Secretary (Education).
2. PS to Special Secretary(Environment)-cum-Member Secretary (DPCC), Department of Environment , Govt. of NCT of Delhi, 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Floor, ISBT Building, Kashmere Gate, Delhi -110006.
3. PS to Director (Education).
4. Directors (Education) of MCDs, NDMC and CEO of DCB.
5. All RDEs/DDEs (District/Zone/Sports)/DEOs to ensure compliance.
6. OS (IT) to please paste it on the website.
7. Guard file.

  
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	<b>DELHI POLLUTION CONTROL COMMITTEE</b> <b>DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT, GOVT. OF NCT OF DELHI,</b> <b>4<sup>TH</sup>, 5<sup>TH</sup> &amp; 6<sup>TH</sup> FLOOR, ISBT BUILDING, KASHMERE GATE, DELHI-06</b> <b>visit us at : <a href="http://dpcc.delhigovt.nic.in">http://dpcc.delhigovt.nic.in</a></b>
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F. No. F10(32)/Env/2016/653-690

Dated: 08-11-2017

**ORDER**

In view of severe air pollution situation in Delhi, directions issued by Hon'ble Lt. Governor in the high level meeting on 8-11-2017 with all the stakeholder Departments/Agencies, directions of EPCA, recommendations of task force constituted under CPCB and provisions of Graded Response Plan for Delhi & NCR, all concerned Departments/Agencies are directed to ensure compliance of following decisions in additions to the provisions of Graded Response Plan already enforced;

1. Entry of truck traffic into Delhi (except essential commodities) is banned in Delhi till further orders and Traffic Police, Transport Department, GNCTD, Municipal Corporations are directed to enforce it. Transport Department is to issue the notifications in this effect.
2. Civil Engineering construction activities are banned in Delhi till further order and Municipal Corporations, DPCC and all construction agencies are directed to enforce it. DPCC is to issue the notifications in this effect.
3. Education Department is directed to issue an appeal to all parents for restrain children from indulging into outdoor activities till severe pollution condition persists.
4. Transport Department is directed to start preparing for odd-even scheme.
5. DTC and Transport Department are directed to intensify public transport services.
6. DMRC is directed to increase frequency of service of Delhi Metro.
7. Municipal Corporations and PWD are directed to intensify mechanical road sweepings, sprinkling of water and stop brooming activity on main roads.
8. Municipal Corporations, DDA and DMRC are directed to enhance parking fees by four times immediately till further orders.
9. Municipal Corporations are directed to enforce ban on use of fire wood and coal in hotels and eateries.
10. Municipal Corporations, DPCC and Industries Department are directed to enforce ban on use of pet coke and furnace oil through intensified inspection drives.
11. DPCC, SDMs, Municipal Corporations and Industries Department are directed to strictly enforce ban on use of electricity generator sets with exceptions as defined by DPCC for essential services.
12. Traffic Police is directed to intensify traffic management in all hot spots and increase deployment of traffic police to avoid congestion.
13. Municipal Corporations, DDA and SDMs are directed to strictly enforce prohibition on open burning of garbage, plastics and leaves etc..
14. Municipal Corporations, DPCC and PWD are directed to impose fine/penalties on all road construction agencies/contractors, where there are inadequate dust control measures.

All Departments/Agencies are directed to issue necessary notifications/orders for implementation of above directions. All notifications/orders will be issued with immediate effect.

  
(S.M. Ali)

Special Secretary (Environment)-cum-  
Member Secretary, DPCC

To,

1. Pr. Secretary, Home, Govt. of NCT of Delhi.
2. Commissioner of Police, Delhi.
3. Vice Chairman, DDA.
4. Pr. Secretary, Urban Development, Govt. of NCT of Delhi.
5. Pr. Secretary, PWD, Govt. of NCT of Delhi.

6. Commissioner, Transport, Govt. of NCT of Delhi.
7. Chief Executive Officer, Delhi Jal Board, Govt. of NCT of Delhi.
8. Secretary (Revenue)-Cum-Divisional Commissioner, Govt. of NCT of Delhi.
9. Chairman, New Delhi Municipal Council.
10. Commissioner, North Delhi Municipal Corporation.
11. Commissioner, South Delhi Municipal Corporation.
12. Commissioner, East Delhi Municipal Corporation.
13. Secretary, Education, Govt of NCT of Delhi.
14. Secretary, Health & Family Welfare, Govt of NCT of Delhi.
15. Secretary, Power, Govt. of NCT of Delhi.
16. Commissioner, Industries, Govt. of NCT of Delhi.
17. Chairman, National Highway Authority of India (NHAI).
18. Director General, Indian Meteorological Department. (IMD).
19. Managing Director, NBCC.
20. Managing Director, DMRC.
21. Director General, CPWD.
22. Chief Executive Officer, DUSIB.
23. CEO, Delhi Cantonment Board.
24. Spl. Commissioner, Traffic, Delhi Police.

**Copy for kind information to:-**

1. PS to Secretary to LG, Raj Niwas, Delhi.
2. Special Secretary to LG (RN), Raj Niwas, Delhi.
3. Advisor to Chief Minister, Delhi.
4. Secretary to Minister (Environment & Forest), Delhi
5. Secretary, MOEF & CC, Government of India.
6. Chief Secretary, Govt. of NCT of Delhi.
7. Chairman, CPCB.
8. Pr. Secretary, Finance, Govt. of NCT of Delhi.
9. Secretary, Environment & Forests, Govt. of NCT of Delhi.
10. Smt. Sunita Narain, Director, General, Centre for Science and Environment, 41, Tughlakabad Institutional Area, New Delhi-110062.
11. Smt. Anumita Roychowdhury (Executive Director), General, Centre for Science and Environment, 41, Tughlakabad Institutional Area, New Delhi.
12. Prof. Manju Mohan, Centre for Atmospheric Sciences, (Block VI Room No. 330), Indian Institute of Technology, Hauz Khas, New Delhi-110016.
13. Sh Tarunvir Singh Khehar, Standing Counsel in National Green Tribunal for GNCTD.

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Special Secretary (Environment)-cum-  
Member Secretary, DPCC