

Jammu and Kashmir Pollution Control Committee

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Transport Nagar, Jammu, 180 006 || Rajbagh, Srinagar, 190 008

Subject: Operation of plastic manufacturing/ recycling units in non-conforming/ residential areas.

Reference: Resolution 3.5 passed in third meeting of J&K PCC held on 20 December 2023.

JKPCC Order: 05 of 2024

Date: 05.01.2024

Whereas Hon'ble NGT vide its order dated 06-12-2019 in OA No 247/2017 has, *inter alia*, issued directions for setting up of institutional mechanism to ensure that no unregistered plastic manufacturing /recycling unit is in operation and no unit is running in non-conforming / residential areas.

Whereas in pursuance of the directions of the Hon'ble NGT, the JK PCC issued Order No. 33 JKPCB of 2020 dated 28-10-2020 for regulation of plastic manufacturing /recycling unit accordingly.

Whereas it was felt that clarity is required regarding what constitutes 'non-conforming area' for processing fresh 'consent to establish cases' and the matter was considered by the Committee in its third meeting.

Now therefore in pursuance of the resolution adopted in the third meeting of the Committee, it is further clarified that "*any area where industrial activity has been restricted by any authority competent to do so shall constitute non-conforming area and it shall not include such areas where Change of Land Use for Industrial purpose has been approved by the competent authority.*"

By order of the Jammu and Kashmir Pollution Control Committee.


(K Ramesh Kumar) 05/01/24
Member Secretary

No. JKPCC/PS/MS/3rd BM/2516-2525

Date: 05.01.2024

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