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## STATE POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD, ODISHA

[DEPARTMENT OF FOREST, ENVIRONMENT & CLIMATE CHANGE, GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA]  
Paribesh Bhawan, A/118, Nilakantha Nagar, Unit - VIII  
Bhubaneswar - 751012

No. 2245/ IND/IV/PCP (PWM)168/2023

Date: 15.2.2023

### PUBLIC NOTICE

Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Govt. of India has issued Plastic Waste Management (Second Amendment) Rules, 2022 vide notification no. G.S.R. 522(E) dated 06.07.2022.


As per Rules 4 (2) of Plastic Waste Management Rules, 2016 (as amended), carry bags made of virgin or recycled plastic shall not be less than one hundred and twenty (120) microns w.e.f. 31.12.2022. There shall not be any manufacture/ import/ stock/ distribution/ sale/ use of single use plastic (SUP) products including polystyrene and expanded polystyrene commodity w.e.f. 01.07.2022 as per the Rules. There shall also be no sale of banned SUP biodegradable (without CPCB Certificate) and biodegradable plastic in violation of the Rules.

Action as deemed fit under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 including seizure of goods, levying of Environmental Compensation and closure of operation of Industries/Commercial Establishments shall be taken against the violation of the above said Rules/notification.

  
Member Secretary

Memo No. 2246 / Date 15.2.2023

Copy forward to the Chairman/Member Secretary, Central Pollution Control Board, New Delhi for kind information.

  
Member Secretary

Memo No. 2247 / Date 15.2.2023

Copy forwarded to the Principal Secretary, H & UD Deptt., Govt., of Odisha/ Principal Secretary, MSME Department/Special Secretary, Home Department/Secretary, State Transport Authority, Govt, of Odisha for favour of information and necessary action.

  
Member Secretary  
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**Memo No.** 2248 / Date 15.2.2023

Copy forwarded to the All Collectors and District Magistrates / All ULBs, Odisha for information and necessary action.

  
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**Member Secretary**

**Memo No.** 2249 / Date 15.2.2023

Copy forwarded to all Superintendent of Police, Odisha for information and necessary action.

  
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**Member Secretary**

**Memo No.** 2250 / Date 15.2.2023

Copy forwarded to the Director, Environment-cum-Special Secretary Forest & Environment Department/ Director, Municipal Administration, H & UD Department / Director, Panchayatiraj Department/Director, Tourism Department, Govt. of Odisha, Bhubaneswar for favour of information and necessary action with a request to sensitize respective stakeholders under their jurisdiction to comply with the provisions of the Rules.

  
15/2/23  
**Member Secretary**

**Memo No.** 2251 / Date 15.2.2023

Copy forwarded to the Administrative Officer, SPC Board, Odisha Bhubaneswar for information and necessary action. He is requested to publish the Notice in two local dailies (one Odia and one English). He is also requested to advertise the same through electronics media like leading Odia TV Channels and F.M radios for public awareness. Sufficient numbers of letters may be distributed in shopping malls, hotels, marriage mandaps etc.

  
15/2/23  
**Member Secretary**

**Memo No.** 2252 / Date 15.2.2023

Copy forwarded to the all Branch Heads/all Regional Officers/State Pollution Control Board, Odisha. They are requested to stipulate an additional condition in consent/ authorization order for the units under Consent/Authorization administration on prohibiting the use banned Single Used Plastics products in their respective premises / Sr. Law Officer (L-II) for information and necessary action.

  
15/2/23  
**Member Secretary**