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To

1. All SESTF/ DSTF Members
2. All Regional Officer, HSPCB

Sub: Proceedings of review meeting by RRC through VC held on 07.05.2025 at 02:30 PM with SESTFs/ DSTFs in conference room of HSPCB, C-11, Sector-6, Panchkula.

Please refer to the subject noted above.

In this connection, the Proceedings of review meeting by RRC through VC held on 07.05.2025 at 02:30 PM with SESTFs/ DSTFs in conference room of HSPCB, C-11, Sector-6, Panchkula is enclosed herewith for kind information please.

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Sr. Env. Engineer (HQ)
For Member Secretary

Endst No. HSPCB/WC/2025

Dated: 15.05.2025

A copy of the above is forwarded to the following for information please:-

1. Director, Environment, Haryana, Panchkula
2. Director, Urban Local Bodies Department, Haryana, Panchkula
3. Director, Industries Department, Haryana, Chandigarh

Sr. Env. Engineer (HQ)
For Member Secretary

Endst No. HSPCB/WC/2025

Dated: 15.05.2025

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1. CEE - I and II, HSPCB
2. SEE (SWM), SEE (Coordination Cell), SEE (HWM) & SEE (Misc. Cell)

Sr. Env. Engineer (HQ)
For Member Secretary

Proceedings of review meeting for action taken for river action plan by RRC through VC held on 07.05.2025 with SESTFs/ DSTFs in conference room of HSPCB, C-11, Sector-6, Panchkula.

The meeting was held by RRC through VC held on 07.05.2025 with SESTFs/ DSTFs in HSPCB, C-11, Sector-6, Panchkula. The list of participants is enclosed as **Annexure.**

Right at the outset, Sh. Pardeep Kumar, IAS, Member Secretary, HSPCB welcomed all the participants and asked Sh. JP Singh, SEE to discuss the agenda. Thereafter, the action taken was reviewed one by one for all the SESTFs and the proceedings / action taken are given as under:-

Sr. No.	Action taken/Completed in District
1.	Panipat
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The officers of the SESTF failed to co-relate the action plan and results of sampling taken from Drain No. 2. and corrective step has been taken only when HSPCB HO team took samples. It has been found that latest value of BOD is around 50 mg/l instead of 118 mg/l. The samples were not taken correctly by SESTF. The working of SESTF Panipat is not upto desired level. Many issues have been left unattended. 2. 04 cases have been vetted but prosecution not filed and further exemption from appearance not obtained for 1 already filed cases. 3. No incidents found for leakage/ choking / blockage of sewers in industrial areas or elsewhere. 4. 1 No. complaint pending for disposal on NMCG Portal.
2.	Jhajjar
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The BOD value of Mungeshpur drain has been found upto 180 mg/l but it was being reported around 20 mg/l. It is being mis-reported which establish SESTF have not performed well and a very serious lapse. The explanation of concerned officer be called. 2. 9 cases have been vetted but prosecution not filed. 3. Exemption for 20 cases not obtained for already filed prosecution cases. 4. 1 No. complaint pending for disposal on NMCG Portal.
3.	Sonipat
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The ATR is not acceptable. 2. 4 cases have been vetted but prosecution not filed and further exemption from appearance not obtained for 6 already filed cases. 3. Sample of CETP Barhi, 16 MLD was collected on 31.03.2025, as per A/R No. 2719 dt. 07.04.2025 the said CETP found non-complying. But it was reminded that there is illegal discharge into storm water drain and its happening due to in action on part of officers of HSIIDC who allow such discharge in storm water drain. SESTF to take cognizance of this violation and get the illegal discharge stopped along with recommendation of action against defaulting officers/ officials who failed to address the issue but no

	<p>report received in this matter so far.</p> <p>4. It was asked to take layout of the sewerage and storm water drain of the industrial area. But no such report received.</p> <p>5. 7 Cases not updated in LMS</p> <p>6. 11 No. complaints pending for disposal on NMCG Portal.</p>
4.	Kurukshetra
	RO was advised to meet the Session Judge for his representative and look for pollution of drains. The ATR is not acceptable.
5.	Panchkula
	<p>1. 7 cases have been vetted but prosecution not filed and further exemption from appearance not obtained for 23 already filed cases.</p> <p>2. 1 Cases not updated in LMS.</p> <p>3. No action taken for illegal discharge by screening plants. SESTF was adversed to close down such units.</p> <p>4. There is encroachment in river bed but no action taken.</p> <p>5. No ATR for solid waste in drains are given in proceeding of meeting dt. 05.02.2025.</p>
6.	Karnal
	<p>1. No ATR for solid waste and other aspects.</p> <p>2. Case has been vetted but prosecution not filed.</p>
7.	Yamuna Nagar
	<p>1. No ATR for solid waste and other aspects.</p> <p>2. 6 cases have been vetted but prosecution not filed and further exemption from appearance not obtained for 55 already filed cases.</p> <p>3. 2 Cases not updated in LMS.</p> <p>4. 1 No. complaint pending for disposal on NMCG Portal.</p> <p>5. The representative of Session Judge is not only absent but he has done nothing which was required from him.</p>
8.	Rohtak
	<p>1. No ATR for solid waste and other aspects.</p> <p>2. 2 Cases not updated in LMS.</p>
9.	Sirsa
	<p>1. No ATR for solid waste and other aspects.</p> <p>2. 2 Nos. complaints are pending for disposal on NMCG Portal.</p> <p>3. Cases not updated in LMS</p>
10.	Jind
	<p>1. No ATR for solid waste and other aspects.</p> <p>2. 4 cases have been vetted but prosecution not filed.</p>
11.	Nuh
	<p>1. No ATR for solid waste and other aspects.</p> <p>2. Exemption from appearance not obtained for 7 already filed cases.</p> <p>3. 2 No. complaints are pending for disposal on NMCG Portal.</p>

12.	Kaithal
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. No ATR for solid waste and other aspects. 2. 4 cases have been vetted but prosecution not filed.
13.	Fatehabad
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. No ATR for solid waste and other aspects. 2. Exemption from appearance not obtained for 2 already filed cases.
14.	Palwal
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. No ATR for solid waste and other aspects. 2. The pollution sources are to be identified and it was clarified that its not responsibility of Irrigation Department only. 3. 2 cases have been vetted but prosecution not filed. 4. 5 Cases not updated in LMS. 5. 2 No. complaints are pending for disposal on NMCG Portal.
15.	Ambala
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 7 cases have been vetted but prosecution not filed. 2. 2 Cases not updated in LMS. 3. RO was advised to revoke CTO of the private solid waste facility and call them for personal hearing before Member Secretary, HSPCB.
16.	Gurugram
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. No one from SESTF attended. It was decided to write a DO letter to DC Gurugram and explanation of ROs be called. The issues have been left unattended. 2. 22 (GRN) and 14 (GRS) cases have been vetted but prosecution not filed and further exemption from appearance not obtained for 119 (GRN) and 38 (GRS) already filed cases. 3. 18 (GRN) and 2 (GRS) Cases not updated in LMS. 4. 16 No. complaints are pending for disposal on NMCG Portal.
17.	Faridabad/ Ballabhgarh
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The ATR is not acceptable as many issue left unattended. 2. 1 (Ballabgarh) and 2 (Faridabad) cases have been vetted but prosecution not filed and further exemption from appearance not obtained for 8 (Ballabgarh) and 26 (Faridabad) already filed cases. 3. 12 (Ballabgarh) and 4 (Faridabad) No. complaint pending for disposal on NMCG Portal. 4. RO was advised to ensure the proper survey and take action against the defaulting officers.

It has been observed that representative of DC who is the chairman of committee have been performing passively. Rather, they should lead from the front and seek report from representative of RO being Member Secretary. It is further advised that representative of DC should be at least SDM/CTM. ROs should ensure that sufficient

inputs are given to SESTF for ensuring pollution free rivers. Otherwise it may be concealing of facts/policy/guidelines.

It was also clarified that discharge of effluent / sewage should be at inlet of STP/ CETP only and other discharge points/ leakage at any place is a violation of Water Act. This requires that concerned agency / Deptt. should ensure that there should not be any discharge from the area of their jurisdiction. They should have robust mechanism to clear the choking/ damage of the sewers so that incidences of such leakage/ overflow do not occur.

It has come out the ATR is not adequate and a lot of issues remain to be addressed by SESTFs. Hence, SESTF were advised to look into and report on following issues on daily basis:-

- i. The Chairman should be CTM/ SDM and the representative of Session Judge should be JMJC at least.
- ii. SESTFs have not been taking action on illegal industries as per mandate and these continue to operate at many places in NCR.
- iii. The timelines have been extended for project but SESTF have never checked this aspect. They do not visit project sites.
- iv. The issue of discharge/ violations of consented industries not checked.
- v. RO to approach Session Judge through his representative and ensure exemption from personal appearance for prosecution cases.
- vi. Check for solid waste dumping at various places and issue notice to authority who owns land. Also lots of drains have solid waste. The solid waste dumped at any place is carried to rivers through drains/ sewers during rains or otherwise. The concerned agency needs to clean drain. Further, the fencing at all bridges within town/ outside town be done to prevent throwing waste into drains.
- vii. Also check for offline OMDs.
- viii. SCN for 3 days should be given for illegal units otherwise, these keep on polluting environment.
- ix. Every sewer is connected to some STPs/ CETPs to carry the effluent for treatment. If due to blockage the effluent leaks, then it's an illegal discharge and need to be addressed under provisions of Water Act. The concerned authority responsible to manage the same is liable for action. So any leakage of any sector/ colony/ Industrial area etc. should be addressed with punitive action. It is worth to mention that there are frequent such violations in industrial areas.
- x. All STPs/ CETPs to be checked from scratch. The Senior Officers at HO of concerned departments should own the responsibility.
- xi. The Senior Officers of HSPCB to own the responsibility.
- xii. The industries will have to be made to operate their ETPs.

- xiii. The disposal through illegal tankers needs to be stopped immediately as per policy already issued by ULBD in urban areas.
- xiv. The D&P to issue/ mechanism for disposal through tankers immediately for rural areas.
- xv. The Forest Department had given action plan for tree plantation for rivers. The same need to be verified by SESTF. The action plan can be seen for the same and present status of the plantation done be reported. The District level officers can be involved for the verification of the locations so that same can be cross verified by GIS Cell of HSPCB.
- xvi. **Hon'ble CM has announced in budget speech to designate Ghats for disposal of religious offerings. Some such Ghats already exist. List of such ghats and proposed be given immediately.**

Meeting ended with thanks to all the participants.

Annexure

List of participants of review meeting for action taken for river action plan by RRC through VC held on 07.05.2025 at 02:30 PM with SESTFs/ DSTFs in conference room of HSPCB, C-11, Sector-6, Panchkula.

Sr. No.	List of representative	List of participants and designation
1.		Sh. Pardeep Kumar, IAS, Member Secretary, HSPCB
2.		Dr. Babu Ram, Technical Expert, HSPCB
3.		Sh. JP Singh, SEE, HSPCB
		Panipat
4.	Representative of DC	Mrs. Tinu Poswal, IAS, CTM, Panipat
5.	Representative of SP	Sh. Satish Kumar, DSP, HQ
6.	Representative of Session judge	Absent
	Representative of RO	Sh. Kuldeep, AEE, HSPCB, Panipat
		Jhajjar
7.	Representative of DC	Ms. Saloni Sharma, IAS, ADC
8.	Representative of SP	Sh. Pardeep Nain, ACP
9.	Representative of Session judge	Sh. Karambir, Coordination DLSA
	Representative of RO	Sh. Shailender Arora, RO
		Sonipat
10.	Representative of DC	Absent
11.	Representative of SP	Sh. Abhay Singh, HCS, ADC
12.	Representative of Session judge	Sh. Parcheta Singh, CJM, DLSA
	Representative of RO	Sh. Nirmal Kumar, RO, HSPCB
		Kurukshetra
13.	Representative of DC	Absent
14.	Representative of SP	Absent
15.	Representative of Session judge	Absent
16.	Representative of RO	Sh. Nitin Mehta, RO, HSPCB
		Panchkula
17.	Representative of DC	Sh. Sanyam Garg, IAS, SDM
18.	Representative of SP	Sh. Vikram Nehra, ACP
19.	Representative of Session judge	Sh. Manbir Radhi, Advocate
20.	Representative of RO	Sh. Ravinder Singh, Sc. B, HSPCB
		Karnal

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21.	Representative of DC	Sh. Abhishek Sher, XEN, PHED
22.	Representative of SP	Absent
23.	Representative of Session judge	Absent
24.	Representative of RO	Sh. Kamaljit Singh, RO, HSPCB
		Yamuna Nagar
25.	Representative of DC	Absent
26.	Representative of SP	Absent
27.	Representative of Session judge	Absent
28.	Representative of RO	Dr. Diksha Pandey, Scientist-B, HSPCB
		Rohtak
29.	Representative of DC	Absent
30.	Representative of SP	Sh. Ravi Khundia, DSP (HQ)
31.	Representative of Session judge	Absent
32.	Representative of RO	Sh. Ashish, AEE, HSPCB
		Sirsa
33.	Representative of DC	Sh. Vicky Kumar, EE
34.	Representative of SP	Sh. Vikas Krishan, DSP
35.	Representative of Session judge	Sh. Kanshi Ram Pilani
36.	Representative of RO	Dr. Sunil Sheoran, RO, HSPCB
		Jind
37.	Representative of DC	Absent
38.	Representative of SP	Absent
39.	Representative of Session judge	Sh. Rituraj, representative of Session Judge
40.	Representative of RO	Sh. Anil Kumar, Scientist-B
		Nuh
41.	Representative of DC	Sh. Manish Malik, DDPO
42.	Representative of SP	Absent
43.	Representative of Session judge	Absent
44.	Representative of RO	Sh. Manish Yadav, AEE
		Kaithal
45.	Representative of DC	Sh. Deepak Babulal, IAS, ADC
46.	Representative of SP	Absent
47.	Representative of Session judge	Sh. Kuldeep Beniwal, DSP
48.	Representative of RO	Dr. Satish Kumar, Scientist-B
		Fatehabad

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49.	Representative of DC	Sh. Prateek Hooda, SDM
50.	Representative of SP	Sh. Umed Singh, DSP
51.	Representative of Session judge	Sh. Kaushal Mehta, Advocate
52.	Representative of RO	Dr. Sunil Sheoran, RO, HSPCB
		Palwal
53.	Representative of DC	Absent
54.	Representative of SP	Sh. Naresh Kumar, DSP
	Representative of Session judge	Absent
	Representative of RO	Smt. Neha Saharan, RO, HSPCB
		Ballabhgarh/ Faridabad
55.	Representative of DC	Absent
56.	Representative of SP	Sh. Raj Kumar, DCP
57.	Representative of Session judge	Sh. RC Gola, Advocate
58.	Representative of RO	Sh. Harish Sharma, RO, Ballabhgarh/ Sh. Sandeep Singh, RO, Faridabad
		Ambala
59.	Representative of DC	Karanbeer Singh, XEN, PHED
60.	Representative of SP	Sh Vijay Kumar, HPS, DSP
61.	Representative of Session judge	Absent
	Representative of RO	Sh. Ajay Singh RO, HSPCB
		Gurugram
62.	Representative of DC	Absent
63.	Representative of SP	Absent
64.	Representative of Session judge	Absent
65.	Representative of RO	Absent