

Procedures Followed In Decision Making Process Including Channels of Supervision and Accountability

[Section-4 (1) (b) (iii)]

Power Delegation / Whom to Apply

A. Authority/Officer Power Delegated for grant of Consent to Establish

Member Secretary: (on recommendation of Consent Committee1)

- 17 Categories of high polluting industries (Red-A)*having investing of Rs. 50 Crores or more
- All Coal, Bauxite, Iron ore, Manganese, Limestone, Dolomite & Chromite Mines
- All Sponge iron plants

Sr. Env. Engineer/Sr. Env. Scientist:

- 17 Categories of high polluting industries (Red-A)*having investing of less than Rs. 50 Crores (on recommendation of Consent Committee2)
- Other than 17 Category of polluting industries (Red -A) i.e. Red-B, Orange and Green having investment of Rs. 50 Crore or more (on recommendation of Internal Consent Committee2)

Regional Officers

- Others than 17 category of polluting industries (Red -A) i.e. Red-B, Orange and Green having investment upto Rs. 50 Crore
- Mines other than Coal, Bauxite, Iron ore, Manganese, Limestone, Dolomite & Chromite.

All Projects with investment of Rs. 1000 crores or more and mines with lease hold area of 1000 Ha or more will be evaluated by Consent Committee after appraisal by Technical Committee.

***17 Categories of high polluting industries:**

Distillery(including Fermentation), Sugar (excluding Khandasari), Fertiliser (Basic), Pulp &Paper, Chloralkali, Pharmaceuticals, Dyes and Dye-intermediates, Pesticides(Technical), Oil Refinery, Tanneries, Petrochemicals,

Cement, Thermal Power, Iron & Steel, Zinc smelter, Aluminium smelter & Copper smelter.

1 Subject to approval of Chairman

2 Subject to approval of Member Secretary

B. Authority/Officer Power Delegated for grant of Consent to Operate

Member Secretary:

- 17 Categories of high polluting industries (Red-A)*having investing of Rs. 50 Crores or more
- All Coal, Bauxite, Iron ore, Manganese, Limestone, Dolomite & Chromite Mines
- All Sponge iron plants

Sr. Env. Engineer/Sr. Env. Scientist:

- 17 Categories of high polluting industries (Red-A)*having investing of less than Rs. 50 Crores
- Other than 17 Category of polluting industries (Red -A) i.e. Red-B, Orange and Green having investment of Rs. 50 Crore or more

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C. Authority/Officer Power Delegated for Authorization for Bio-Medical Waste Management

Member Secretary:

Health Care Units – more than 50 beds

Sr. Env. Engineer/Sr. Env. Scientist:

Health Care Units upto 50 beds

Regional Officers :

- All Provisional Authorization
- All Clinic, Diagnostic Centre and Patho Labs