



## ANDHRA PRADESH POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

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**Circular Memo No: APPCB/UH-IV/CFO/Auto Renewal/ 2017-**

**Date: 09.05.2017**

**Sub** APPCB-Implementation of Scheme of Green Channel (Auto Renewal System) for Renewal of Consents – Deletion of condition pertaining to increase in capital investment – Reg.

**Ref** 1. Board resolution No.38/2015  
2. APPCB Lr. No.APPCB/Legal/Auto Renewal/2015 dt.05.02.2016.  
3. Board resolution No.96/2017

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The Board vide resolution no. 38/2015 accorded approval for renewal of consents through auto renewal system (Green Channel) subject to fulfillment of the following conditions:

1. Apply for renewal within stipulated time.
2. There are no fresh directions under 33(A) of water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act and 31(A) of Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act since last three months and industry not under closure order issued by Board / Government under Environment law or issuance of such directions are recommended.
3. There are no pending prohibitory directions from Courts/Appellate Authority/National Green Tribunal / any Judicial Authority and there are no pending fresh cases from last three months.
4. There is no increase in production and / or in pollution load.
5. There is no increase in capital investment except marginal increase (Maximum 10%) due to investment on Pollution Control Systems, Cleaner Production Technologies, Good Manufacturing Practices, and Safety System. In the case of marginal increase in the capital investment the industry shall pay additional CFE and CFO fee on increased investment

Accordingly the Board has issued office memorandum dt.05.02.2016 for implementation of Auto Renewal through Green Channel subject to fulfillment of the above conditions

During the review meeting held on 13.04.2017, the Zonal officers informed that the condition pertaining to investment i.e., "there is no increase in capital investment except marginal increase (Maximum 10%) due to investment on Pollution Control Systems, Cleaner Production Technologies, Good Manufacturing Practices, and Safety System" is acting as hindrance for the industry to apply through auto renewal system as the industries normally invest substantial amount on different fronts on every year without increase production and pollution load. The Zonal Officers requested to delete the condition to cover more industries under auto renewal system.

The Board in its 5<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 20.04.2017 has discussed the issue and by resolution No.96/2017 approved to delete the condition pertaining to investment i.e., "**there is no increase in capital investment except marginal increase (Maximum 10%) due to investment on Pollution Control Systems, Cleaner Production Technologies, Good Manufacturing Practices, and Safety System**" as **there will be no increase in production and pollution load.** However, in case of increase in the capital investment the industry shall pay additional CFE and CFO fee on increased investment.

In view of the above, all the ROs, ZOs and JCEE-UH-IV are directed to process the CFO renewal applications under green channel (Auto Renewal System) in accordance with above Board resolution.



MEMBER SECRETARY

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