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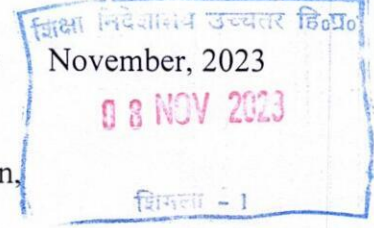
Directorate of Higher Education
Himachal Pradesh

Dated: Shimla-171001 the

November, 2023

To

All the Deputy Directors of Higher Education,
In Himachal Pradesh



Subject: -

Hon'ble Supreme Court directions regarding bursting of crackers on Diwali-Compliance of Noise limits for firecrackers and Air Quality standards.

Sir,

Please find enclosed herewith a copy of letter No.HPSPCB /Diwali Special Monitoring/Vol-V/2020 10590-91 dated 25-10-2023 received from Dr. Manoj Chauhan, Chief Scientific officer, Himachal Pradesh State Pollution Control Board "HIM PARIVESH" PHASE-III, BELOW BCS, NEW SHIMLA-9 on the subject cited above.

In this connection, you are directed to issue necessary directions to all the head of institutions under your control to take appropriate steps to educate the students about the harmful effects of air pollution and noise pollution and direct them not to burst fire crackers between 10:00P.M. to 6.A.M. and at all time in the silence Zone.

Kindly treat it as most urgent.

Addl. Director of Higher Education (A)
Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-1

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Copy for information :

- 1 Dr. Manoj Chauhan, Chief Scientific Officer Himachal Pradesh State Pollution Control Board "HIM PARIVESH" PHASE-III, BELOW BCS, NEW SHIMLA-9 w.r.t. his/her letter no. referred above.
- 2 The Incharge (Computer/IT/Cell), Directorate of Higher Education Shimla -1 to upload the letter on department website.
- 3 Guard File.

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H.P. STATE POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

"HIM PARIVESH" PHASE-III, BELOW BCS, NEW SHIMLA-9

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No. HPSPCB/Diwali Special Monitoring/Vol-V/2020 (0590-9) Dated: 25-10-2023

From: The Member Secretary

To

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The Director
Department of Higher Education
Shimla-171001.

The Director
Department of Elementary Education
Shimla-171001.

Sub: Hon'ble Supreme Court directions regarding bursting of crackers on Diwali Compliance of Noise limits for firecrackers and Air Quality standards.

Sir,

It is evident that there is an increasing trend of air and noise pollution in the State during the festival season especially during Diwali, due to bursting and indiscriminate use of firecrackers, thereby contributing towards rising levels of air and noise pollution. In this regard, I have been directed to request you to issue directions to all the Principals/Head Masters of Schools/Collages to educate students about the harmful effects of air pollution and noise pollution and not to burst firecrackers between 10 P.M. to 6 A.M. and at all time in the Silence Zone.

Yours sincerely

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25/10/23

Dr. Manoj Chauhan
Chief Scientific Officer

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