

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE DISTRICT LEVEL SPECIAL ENVIRONMENT
SURVEILLANCE TASK FORCE UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER, HAVERI DISTRICT, HAVERI**

Date: 25/07/2019

Time: 11:00 AM

Chairman of the Committee	Deputy Commissioner, Haveri District and Chairman, District Level Special Environment Surveillance Task Force
Members of the Committee present	Additional Superintendent of Police, Haveri, representing Superintendent of Police, Haveri District
Member Convener	Environmental Officer, Karnataka State Pollution Control Board, Haveri
Special Invitees present	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Project Director, ZP, Haveri representing the CEO, ZP, Haveri2. Project Director, DUDC, Haveri Dist. Haveri.3. Assistant Conservator of Forest, Haveri representing the Deputy Conservator of Forest, Haveri.4. Senior Geologist (Minerals), Mines and Geology Department, Haveri.5. Assistant Director, Agriculture Dept. representing the Joint Director, Department Of Agriculture, Haveri6. Assistant Executive Engineer, DUDC, Haveri7. Assistant Executive Engineer (I/c), Karnataka Neeravari Nigam Niyamita, Harihar Sub Division.8. The Environmental Engineer, CMC, Ranebennur representing the Commissioner, CMC- Ranebennur9. Junior Engineer, Karnataka Neeravari Nigam Niyamita, Harihar10. Senior Health Inspector, CMC Ranebennur11. D.G.M.-Environment, representing President, M/s. Grasim Industries Limited, Kumarapattanam, Ranebennur- Tq.12. General Manager-Liaison, M/s. Grasim Industries Limited, Kumarapattanam, Ranebennur-Tq.13. Deputy General Manager-Legal, M/s. Grasim Industries Limited, Kumarapattanam, Ranebennur- Tq.14. Manager-Legal, M/s. Grasim Industries Limited, Kumarapattanam, Ranebennur- Tq.

At the outset Environmental Officer, Karnataka State Pollution Control Board, Regional Office, Haveri welcomed the members and the special invitees and explained in brief about the background behind Govt. order constituting the District Level Special Environment Surveillance Task Force and requested the Deputy Commissioner to conduct the meeting.

The Deputy Commissioner has directed the member convener to explain point wise details of action taken before the committee. Accordingly, the pointwise action taken was discussed as follows:

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2.	Prohibition of burning of any kind of waste including agro residues:	State Govt./District Administration and local bodies (Ranebennur) and Agricultural Departments.	Deputy Commissioner has directed the Agriculture Dept. and CMC Ranebennur to consider open burning a serious issue and to deal with such incidents strictly in their jurisdiction. (Action: CMC, Ranebennur & Agriculture Dept.)
3.	Directions to all the Industries which are observed to be not in operation or closed or temporarily closed to remain close till further orders from CPCB.	KSPCB	Environmental Officer, KSPCB has informed that, there is no temporarily or permanently closed industry in the polluted river stretch. However, the Deputy Commissioner has directed KSPCB to act on the above issue and bring notice to the committee if any such industries in the polluted river stretch. (Action: KSPCB)
II Sewage Treatment and Disposal Plan			
1.	District wise estimation of total sewage generation, existing treatment capacities, quantum of disposal of sewage presently through drains and the gaps in sewage treatment capacity :	State Government, KUWS & DB, District Administration and local bodies	Environmental Officer, KSPCB has informed that, CMC, Ranebennur has provided STP of capacity 15 MLD for treatment of domestic waste generated from the town and they have obtained consent for establishment & need to apply for consent for operation. The Chairman of the Committee has directed the Environmental Engineer, CMC, Ranebennur to act on the issues and submit the compliance immediately and also directed the Project Director, ZP to submit detailed action plan on management of sewage and discharges from
2.	To undertake measurement of flow of all the drains presently contributing pollution load in river Tungabhadra and to formulate detailed project report (DPR) for each drain and corresponding town and submission of DPR :	State Government, KUWS & DB, District Administration and local bodies (Ranebennur)	
3.	Proper design, execution of STP's with full utilisation	State Government, KUWS & DB,	

			<p>obtain NOC from GWA while issuing consents.</p> <p>Deputy Commissioner asked for a status report on these points in the next meeting.</p> <p>(Action: Senior Geologist (Ground Water), KSPCB)</p>
IV	Flood Plain Zone (FPZ)		
1.	Plantation in Flood Plain Zone (FPZ)	Karnataka State Forest Department.	<p>The Assistant Conservator for Forest has informed that, there is no Forest area in flood plain zone and tree planting activity has not been done. However, street plays and programmes have been conducted to motivate the farmers to take up Agroforestry activities all along the river buffer zone he added.</p> <p>The Deputy Commissioner has directed the ACF to submit the details of the programmes conducted to the committee in next meeting.</p> <p>(Action: Forest Department)</p>
2.	Checking encroachments in the FPZ of river Tungabhadra	District and Local administration/DMA	<p>Encroachments in the FPZ are to be identified and action to be taken.</p> <p>(Action: Tahasildar, Haveri & Ranebennur)</p>
3.	Prohibition of disposal of municipal plastic and bio-medical waste particularly in drains :	Local administration/DMA	<p>Deputy Commissioner has directed CMC, Ranebennur to address the issue of illegal disposal of plastic waste and bio-medical waste particularly in drains.</p> <p>(Action: CMC, Ranebennur)</p>