Government of Himachal Pradesh
Department of Science & Technology.


NOTIFICATION

In continuation of this department Notification No. STE-E (4)-1/2003 dated 29.4.2003 and even number dated 10th September 2004, the Governor Himachal Pradesh in exercise of the powers conferred by section 5 of the Environment (Projection) Act 1986 as delegated to the State Government by the Government of India, Ministry of Environment and Forests and wildlife side notification No. S.O. 152(E) dated 10th January, 1988 read with section 21 of the General Clauses Act, 1897, is pleased to order that after the Note “2” but before Note “3” under the heading “1.1 Norms” the following shall be inserted, namely:

2-A. The height of the artificial barrier shall be at least 7 feet higher than the highest point of the crusher.

2-B. The base of the wall will be sufficient to make it structurally stable from civil engineering view point subject to a further stipulation that the minimum thickness of the wall will be such as would ensure adherence to noise pollution norms laid down in the Environmental Protection Rules.

2-C. The wall should normally be all around the crusher unless site-specific directional considerations permit a smaller perimeter.

2-D. Each of these crushers which are facing closure due to these two distance parameters will be visited jointly by a team of officers from the H.P. State Environment Protection & Pollution Control Board, Environment Planning Unit and State Geologist Wing. The Committee will inspect the site and also take readings to decide whether pollution (noise and other particle/emission related) is within prescribed limit just outside the barrier.

The Rest of the provisions/norms shall continue to remain same as contained in the notification.

By Order,

(SANJEEV GUPTA)
Secretary (Science & Technology) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh

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5. The P.S. to the Chief Secretary (Industry) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-2.
6. All Administrative Secretaries, to the Government of H.P.
7. All Heads of the Department, H.P.
8. All Deputy Commissioners in H.P.
10. The Member Secretary, H.P. State Environment, Pollution and Protection Control Board, Paryavaran Bhawan, IV Annexe, Block C, New Shimla-9.

Additional Secretary (S & T) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh.