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HOUSING & URBAN DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

The 12th January, 2018

S.R.O. No.34/2018— In exercise of the power conferred under rule-12(2) of the Plastic Waste Management (PWM) Rules, 2016, notified on 18th March 2016 by the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Government of India, Government of Odisha have been pleased to notify the Municipal Commissioner/Executive Officer of the Urban Local Body (ULB) as Authority to exercise all powers conferred with the Secretary-in-Charge of Housing & Urban Development Department, Govt. of Odisha for enforcement of the provisions of the above said rules relating to waste management by waste generator, use of plastic carry bags, plastic sheets or like, covers made of plastic sheets and multilayered packaging.

That, as per rule-12(4) of the PWM Rules, 2016, the District Magistrate or the Deputy Commissioner shall provide all assistance to the Authority in implementation of provisions of PWM Rules, 2016.

That, as per Rule-15 of the PWM Rules, 2016, the shop keepers and street vendors willing to provide plastic carry bags for dispensing any commodity shall register with local body concerned. The local body with immediate effect shall make provisions for such registration on payment of plastic waste management fee of minimum Rs. 48,000/- (rupees forty-eight thousand) @ Rs. 4,000/- (rupees four thousand) per month. The concerned ULB may prescribe higher plastic waste management fee, depending upon the sale capacity. The registered shopkeepers shall display at prominent place that plastic carry bags are given on payment. Only such registered shop keepers or street vendors, with ULBs shall be eligible for dispensing the commodities. The local bodies shall utilize the amount paid by the customers for the carry bags exclusively for the sustainability of the waste management system within their jurisdictions.

That, as per rule-14(2) of the PWM Rules, 2016, every retailers or street vendors selling or providing commodities in plastic carry bags or multilayered packaging or plastic sheets or like or covers made of plastic sheets which are not manufactured of labeled or

marked in accordance with these rules shall be liable to pay such fines as specified under the bye-laws of the local bodies.

That, as per rule-8 of the PWM Rules, 2016, every waste generator shall minimize generation of plastic waste, ensure storage of segregated waste at source & hand over segregated waste to ULB or agencies appointed by the ULB or registered waste pickers or registered recyclers or waste collection agencies. All institutional plastic waste generators shall segregate & store waste in accordance with Municipal Solid Waste (Management and Handling) Rules, 2000 as amended from time to time and handover segregated waste to authorized waste processing facilities or deposition centers through authorized waste collection agency or by themselves. Every waste generator shall pay such user fee as may be specified in the bye-laws of concerned ULB for plastic waste management. Every person responsible for organizing an event in open space involving service of food stuff in plastic or multilayered packaging shall segregate and manage the waste generated during such events in accordance with the Municipal Solid Waste (Management and Handling) Rules, 2000.

That, as per rule-6(1) of the PWM Rules, 2016, every local body shall be responsible for development and setting up of infrastructure for segregation, collection, storage, transportation, processing and disposal of plastic waste either on its own or by engaging agencies or producers. Under rule-6(3) of PWM Rules, 2016, the local body shall set up of the system for plastic waste management seeking assistance of the producers.

That, as per rule-5(1)(a) of the PWM Rules, 2016, ULB shall to channelize the recyclable plastic waste to registered plastic waste recycler and recycling of plastic shall conform to Indian Standard IS 14534:1998 as amended from time to time.

That, in exercise of power conferred under rule-6(4) of the PWM Rules, 2016, all urban local bodies have to frame bye-laws incorporating the provisions of the said rules.

This notification shall come into force with effect from date of publication in the *Official Gazette*.

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By Order of the Governor

G. MATHI VATHANAN
Commissioner-*cum*-Secretary to Government