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PUBLIC NOTICE

Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Govt. of India has notified the Plastic Waste Management (Second Amendment) Rules, 2022 vide G.S.R. 522 (E) 6th July, 2022.

As per rule 10 sub-rule (3) & (5) of the Plastic Waste Management (Second Amendment) Rules, 2022, it is hereby informed to the *industries, commercial* establishments, distributors, stockists, sellers, users, etc. that banned Single Use Plastic (SUP) products claiming to be biodegradable (without Central Pollution Control Board certificate)/oxo-biodegradable are not manufactured, imported, stocked, distributed, sold or used.

It is also informed to the general public that;

- i) sale of banned SUP biodegradable (without CPCB certificate) and oxobiodegradable plastics is in violation of Plastic Waste Management Rules.
- ii) Carry bags made with thickness of less than 120 microns are not manufactured, imported, stocked, distributed, sold, or used with effect from December 31, 2022.

As per rule 18 of the Plastic Waste Management (Second Amendment) Rules, 2022, the Environmental Compensation shall be levied based upon polluter pays principle, on persons who are not complying with the provisions of these rules, as per guidelines notified by the Central Pollution Control Board.

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