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NOTICE

In order to ensure expeditious disposal of applications for grant of authorization/CTE/CTO, the Nagaland Pollution Control Board (NPCB) has adopted the "Standard Operating Procedure for expeditious disposal of applications for grant of Consent & Authorization by SPCBs/PCCs, and adoption of proactive approach for ensuring compliance with environmental laws/norms/regulations by SPCBs/PCCs", prepared by Central Pollution Control Board (February 2026)

The maximum period for disposal of the Application for grant of Consent & Authorization will be as below:

Disposal of Applications

| S. No. | Application | Specified Period (in days) | | |
|--------|--|----------------------------|--------|-------|
| | | Red | Orange | Green |
| 1 | Grant or refusal of Consent to establish | 60 | 45 | 30 |
| 2 | Grant or refusal of Consent to operate, first time | 90 | 60 | 30 |
| 3 | Grant or refusal of renewal of Consent or expansion or amendment | 90 | 60 | 30 |

As per CPCB directions for environmental surveillance, industries are required to be inspected preferably at the frequency as mentioned below:

| Sl. No. | Industrial Category/Facility | Frequency of Mandatory inspection for Environmental Surveillance |
|---------|--|--|
| 1 | Highly Polluting 17 Category Industries | 3 months |
| 2 | Red Category (Other than 17 category industries) | 6 months |
| 3 | Orange Category Industries | 1 year |
| 4 | Green Category Industries | 2 years |
| 5 | CBWTF/CHSRDF/CMSWTF/CETP/STP | 3 months |


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