



उत्तर प्रदेश प्रदूषण नियंत्रण बोर्ड
UTTAR PRADESH POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD



पत्रांक : H-39146/सी-1/सा0-625/सी0ए0क्यू0एम0/2026,

दिनांक 19/3/26
ई-मेल द्वारा

सेवा में,

क्षेत्रीय अधिकारी,
उ0प्र0 प्रदूषण नियंत्रण बोर्ड,
गाजियाबाद, नोएडा, ग्रेटर नोएडा,
मेरठ, मुजफ्फरनगर एवं बुलन्दशहर।

विषय: Relaxation in Standard List of Approved Fuels stipulated under Direction No. 65 dated 23-06-2022, as amended - reg.

महोदय,

कृपया उपरोक्त विषयक मा0 राष्ट्रीय राजधानी क्षेत्र एवं निकटवर्ती क्षेत्रों में वायु गुणवत्ता प्रबंधन आयोग (सी0ए0क्यू0एम0) द्वारा निर्गत आदेश संख्या-A-11013/09/2020/CAQM-IP/1570/1579 दिनांक 13.03.2026 का संदर्भ ग्रहण करें (प्रति संलग्न)। उक्त पत्र के माध्यम से मा0 सी0ए0क्यू0एम0 द्वारा राष्ट्रीय राजधानी क्षेत्र में नेचुरल गैस की आपूर्ति बाधित होने के दृष्टिगत अपने पूर्व निर्गत निर्देश सं0-65, दिनांक 23.06.2022 में शिथिलता प्रदान करते हुए अन्य ईंधनों यथा-हाई स्पीड डीजल (एच0एस0डी0), बायोमास एवं रीफ्यूज्ड डैराइब्ड फ्यूल (आर0डी0एफ0) को प्राकृतिक गैस के स्थान पर उद्योगों, होटल, रेस्टोरेन्ट एवं अन्य प्रतिष्ठानों द्वारा एक माह अथवा अग्रिम आदेशों तक, जो भी पहले हो, उपयोग किये जाने हेतु अनुमन्य किया गया है। उक्त वैकल्पिक ईंधनों की उपलब्धता सीमित होने के दृष्टिगत कोयला/केरोसिन का उपयोग भी अस्थायी समयावधि हेतु अनुमन्य किया गया है। मा0 सी0ए0क्यू0एम0 द्वारा दिये गये आदेश के सुसंगत अंश निम्नवत् है:-

"....3. Accordingly, in exercise of the powers conferred under the Commission for Air Quality Management in National Capital Region and Adjoining Areas Act, 2021, the Commission hereby permits the temporary use of alternate fuels such as High Speed Diesel (HSD), Biomass and RDF (Refuse-Derived Fuel) pellets in place of natural gas by the industries/ holes/ restaurants/ other enterprises in the National Capital Region (including NCT of Delhi) as an interim arrangement for a period of one month from the date of this Order or until further orders, whichever is earlier. However, in case of limitation in availability of such alternative fuels, the use of coal/ kerosene would also be permitted for the said temporary period....."

अतः मा0 सी0ए0क्यू0एम0 द्वारा जारी उक्त निर्देशों के अनुक्रम में आपको निर्देशित किया जाता है कि अपने क्षेत्रान्तर्गत स्थापित इकाईयों में मा0 सी0ए0क्यू0एम0 द्वारा दिये गये उक्त निर्देशों का अनुपालन कराया जाना सुनिश्चित करें।

सक्षम अधिकारी के अनुमोदनोपरान्त निर्गत।

भवदीय

(इ0 सधेश्यस) 3/3/2026

मुख्य पर्यावरण अधिकारी(प्र0), वृत्त-1

प्रतिलिपि: निम्नलिखित को सूचनार्थ एवं आवश्यक कार्यवाही हेतु प्रेषित-

1. मुख्य कार्यपालक अधिकारी, नोएडा एवं ग्रेटर नोएडा।
2. जिलाधिकारी, गाजियाबाद/गौतमबुद्धनगर/मेरठ/मुजफ्फरनगर/बुलन्दशहर/बागपत/शामली एवं हापुड़।
3. नगर आयुक्त, नगर निगम, गाजियाबाद एवं मेरठ।
4. अधिशासी अधिकारी, नगर पालिका परिषद, मुजफ्फरनगर/बुलन्दशहर/बागपत/शामली एवं हापुड़।
5. मुख्य पर्यावरण अधिकारी/प्रभारी, (वृत्त-3 एवं 4), बोर्ड मुख्यालय, लखनऊ।

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AND ADJOINING AREAS

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F. No. A-110013/09/2020/CAQM-IP/1570-1579

Date: 13.03.2026

ORDER

Subject: Relaxation in Standard List of Approved Fuels stipulated under Direction No. 65 dated 23.06.2022, as amended – reg.

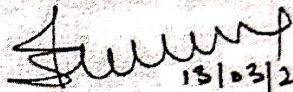
In view of the prevailing extraordinary situation arising due to disruptions in global energy supply, issuance of Natural Gas (Supply Regulation) Order, 2026 by the Central Government for maintaining supplies and securing equitable distribution and availability of natural gas for priority sectors, the Advisory dated 12.03.2026 issued by the Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB) to the State Pollution Control Boards (SPCBs) / Pollution Control Committees (PCCs) to permit use of alternative fuels and representations received from various stakeholders highlighting operational challenges in the present circumstances, the Commission undertook a review of the matter in consultation with the Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas and the City Gas Distribution agencies operating in the National Capital Region.

2. Based on the review and considering the prevailing circumstances, the Commission is of the view that temporary limited relaxation in the standard list of approved fuels stipulated under Direction No. 65 dated 23.06.2022, as amended, needs to be granted.

3. Accordingly, in exercise of the powers conferred under the Commission for Air Quality Management in National Capital Region and Adjoining Areas Act, 2021, the Commission hereby permits the temporary use of alternate fuels such as High Speed Diesel (HSD), Biomass and RDF (Refuse-Derived Fuel) pellets in place of natural gas by

the industries/ hotels/ restaurants/ other enterprises in the National Capital Region (including NCT of Delhi) as an interim arrangement for a period of one month from the date of this Order or until further orders, whichever is earlier. However, in case of limitation in availability of such alternative fuels, the use of coal/ kerosene would also be permitted for the said temporary period.

4. All other provisions of Direction No. 65 dated 23.06.2022, as amended, shall remain unchanged and continue to remain in force.


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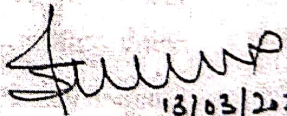
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To:

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2. Member Secretary, Haryana State Pollution Control Board
3. Member Secretary, UP State Pollution Control Board
4. Member Secretary, Rajasthan State Pollution Control Board

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2. Chief Secretary, Government of NCT of Delhi, New Delhi
3. Chief Secretary, Government of Haryana, Haryana
4. Chief Secretary, Government of Uttar Pradesh, Uttar Pradesh
5. Chief Secretary, Government of Rajasthan, Rajasthan
6. Chairman, Central Pollution Control Board, New Delhi


13/03/2026

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