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PART III

Laws, Regulations and Rules passed thereunder.

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JAMMU AND KASHMIR GOVERNMENT,
MUNICIPAL COMMITTEE, HIRANAGAR,
PLASTIC WASTE MANAGEMENT BYE-LAWS, 2020

Notification

Hiranagar, the 28th of July, 2020.

In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (4) of rule 6 of Plastic Waste Management Rules, 2016, the Authority hereby makes the following bye-laws ; namely :ô

CHAPTER I

1. Short Title and Commencement.ô These bye-laws shall be called the Municipal Committee, Hiranagar, Plastic Waste Management Bye-laws-2020.

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or Operate or Renewal. The Brand Owners, whose consent has been renewed before the notification of these rules, shall submit such plan within one year from the date of notification of these Bye-laws.

(2) The producers shall work out modalities for waste collection system based on Extended Producers Responsibility and inform Municipal Corporations, Urban Local Bodies and Village Panchyats accordingly within 6 months from the notification of Plastic Waste Management Bye-Laws, 2020.

(3) Multilayered plastic which is non-recyclable or non-energy recoverable or with no alternate use of plastic shall not be used in Municipal Corporation/Urban Local Bodies/Village Panchyats limits.

(4) All producers shall submit an application to the Jammu and Kashmir Pollution Control Board for grant of registration, for production of plastics.

(5) No producer shall use any plastic or multilayered packaging for packaging of commodities without registration from the Jammu and Kashmir Pollution Control Board.

(6) All marketing companies, manufacturers, brand owners shall educate masses for disposal of plastic waste.

9. Protocols for compostable plastic materials. Determination of the degree of degradability and degree of disintegration of plastic material shall be as per the protocols of the Indian Standards listed in Schedule-II of these Bye-laws.

10. Marking and/or labelling. (1) Each carry bag made from compostable plastics should be as per Plastic Management Rules, and multilayered packaging shall have the following information printed in **English mandatorily** and any number of other languages as optional, namely :

(a) Name and registration number of the manufacturer in case of multilayered packaging ; and

(b) Name of the manufacturer and certificate number [4(g) of

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these Bye-laws] in case of carry bags made from compostable
plastics.

(2) Each carry bag made from compostable plastics shall bear a label "compostable" and shall conform to the Indian Standard : IS or ISO 17088 : 2008 titled as Specifications for "Compostable Plastics" and also the Central Pollution Control Board License Number shall be mentioned.

11. Registration of producer, recyclers and manufacturers.

No person shall manufacture carry bags made from compostable plastics/multilayered packaging without obtaining registration with Jammu and Kashmir Pollution Control Board with Jammu and Srinagar Municipal Corporation/Urban Bodies/village Panchyat limits.

12. Responsibilities of retailers and street vendors.

(1) Retailers or street vendors shall not sell or provide commodities to consumer in carry bags made with compostable plastics or multilayered packaging, which are not manufactured and labelled or marked, as prescribed under the Plastic Waste Management Rules, 2016, and Plastic Waste Management Bye-laws, 2020.

(2) Every retailer or street vendor selling or providing commodities in carry bags made with compostable plastics or multilayered packaging which are not manufactured or labelled or marked in accordance with these Bye-laws shall be liable to pay such fines as specified under the Bye-laws listed in Schedule-I.

13. Penalties for contravention of these Bye-laws.

(1) On and after the date of Notification of these Bye-laws, there will be a familiarization/awareness period of 30 days, after which, any contravention of these Bye-laws shall be punishable with fines as per the Schedule of Fines (Schedule-I) for every instance of breach of these Bye-laws. Subsequent contravention apart from first time will attract fine amount of minimum two times to maximum ten times for each and every act of offence.

In case of an offender not able to pay the fine as mentioned in Schedule-I, prosecution under the provisions made in City Police Act and District Police Act/Indian Penal Code/and other applicable Acts/Laws will be applicable on the offender.

