KENDRIYA VIHAR APARTMENT OWNERS WELFARE ASSOCIATION (KVAOWA) KENDRIYA VIHAR, SECTOR-56, GURUGRAM (HARYANA) – 122011

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No. KVAOWA/GGN/2025/33/17

Dated: 10th January, 2025

NOTICE

Subject: Implementation of Actions under Stage-III ('Severe' Air Quality) of Revised Graded Response Action Plan (GRAP) in NCR – Steps to be Taken

Dear Residents.

As per the order of the Commission for Air Quality Management (CAQM) No. 120017/27/GRAP/2001/CAQM/1205 dated 09th January, 2025 Stage-III of the latest Graded Response Action Plan (GRAP) has been implemented with immediate effect in NCR due to the prevailing 'Severe' air quality. In accordance with this, all residents are requested to comply with the above orders.

We urge all residents to take necessary precautions seriously in order to improving the air quality.

This order will remain in effect until further notice.

Your cooperation is appreciated.

(Raj Kanwar) Secretary, (Ad hoc)

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No.120017/27/GRAP/2021/CAQM 1205 DT

9th January, 2025

ORDER

Sub.: Invocation of actions under Stage III ('Severe' Air Quality) of revised GRAP (December, 2024) - steps to be taken

The Commission for Air Quality Management in NCR and adjoining areas, in pursuance of the Hon'ble Supreme Court directions, issued a comprehensively revised the schedule of GRAP vide its order dated 13.12.2024 for implementation with immediate effect by all concerned (available on CAQM website i.e., cagm.nic.in).

- The Hon'ble Supreme Court in its directions in WP(C) No. 13029 of 1985 in the matter of M.C. Mehta Vs. Union of India & Ors. dated 05.12.2024, inter alia, directed the Commission as under:
 - "...we must record here that if the Commission finds that the AQI goes above 350, as a precautionary measure, Stage-III measures will have to be immediately implemented. If the AQI crosses 400 on a given day, Stage-IV measures will have to be reintroduced..."
- This was further reiterated by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in its Order dated 12.12.2024 and 19.12.2024 in the above said matter.
- As of now, Stage- I & II of revised schedule of GRAP are in force vide order dated 14.10.2024 & 21.10.2024.
- Noting an increasing trend in AQI levels of Delhi, the Sub-Committee on GRAP in its meeting held today, reviewed the air quality scenario in the region as well as the IMD/IITM forecasts and observed as under:

The AOI of Delhi which was recorded as 297 on 08.01.2025, exhibited a sharp increasing trend and has been recorded 357 at 4:00 PM on 09.01.2025 owing to calm winds and foggy conditions.

Accordingly, in an effort to prevent further deterioration of the air quality and in pursuance of the Hon'ble Supreme Court's directives, the Sub Committee on GRAP hereby decide to invoke ALL actions under Stage-III ('Severe' Air Quality of Delhi) of revised Schedule of GRAP, with immediate effect in right earnest by all the agencies concerned in Delhi-NCR, in addition to the Stage-I and II actions already in force.

- 7. Actions under Stage LIL & III of the revised GRAP shall be implemented, monitored and reviewed by all the agencies concerned in the entire NCR to ensure that the AQI levels do not slip further. All implementing agencies shall keep strict vigil and intensify measures of the revised GRAP schedule. Citizens are requested to strictly adhere to the citizen charter under GRAP Stage-III.
- 8. The Sub-Committee, shall be keeping a close watch on the air quality scenario and review the situation from time to time for further appropriate decision depending upon the Air Quality in Delhi and forecast made by IMD/ITM.

(R.K. Agrawal) Director (Technical)

(Member Convenor of Sub-Committee on GRAP)

To:

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