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Sub: CEPI Calculation

Respected Sir,

Greetings from the Gujarat Chamber of Commerce & Industry (GCCCI).

In connection with above subject, we would like to have some suggestion for calculation of CEPI score as follows.

- Fresh sampling may be carried out in Nov / Dec 2022 in all the CEPI areas for calculation of new CEPI score.
- Joint meeting of CPCB, GPCB and concerned stake holders i.e., GCCCI/Industries Associations/ CETP operators may be held for fixing sampling locations and parameters. After fixing the sampling locations and parameters, GPCB/CPCB may initiate sampling in CEPI areas through third party.
- Stake holder may remain present during sampling. Stake holder may be permitted to collect counter sample of each sampling and analysed at NABL accredited Laboratory.
- CEPI score may be calculated jointly by CPCB, GPCB and concerned stake holder. Suggestions from stake holder may be consider at the time of calculation/ finalization of CEPI score. It shall be published only after mutually agreed by all three agencies i.e. CPCB, GPCB and stake holder.
- CEPI Score calculated based on sampling carried out by GPCB in post monsoon of 2019 may also considered till new score derived after fresh sampling.
- Till new CEPI score derives, permission may be given to new industry/expansion of existing industry in area where CETP is complying and meeting with prescribed outlet norms.

We kindly request you to consider our presentation for calculation of CEPI score.

We look forward to your positive response.

With regards,

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