Quarterly Report (January to March-2019)

Action taken report of the State level Task Force constituted by the Hon'ble NGT in the matter of OA No. 138 of 2016 titled Stench Grips Mansa's Sacred Ghaggar River (Suo Moto) for the quarter of January-March-2019.

- 1. The State Level STFs has submitted quarterly report on the action taken during September-December-2018 to Central Pollution Control Board.
- 2. The quarterly ATRs are also being uploaded periodically on the Website of Haryana State Pollution Control Board and Environment Department i.e. http://hspcb.gov.in and http://harenvironment.gov.in/
- 3. The Action Plan for River Ghaggar has been prepared with fixed timelines and the same has already been submitted to Hon'ble NGT on 31.01.2019.
- 4. The Action Plan is being reviewed periodically at the level of Chief Secretary vide meetings held under chairmanship of Chief Secretary on 03.01.2019
- A Video Conferencing was held by Chief Secretary, Haryana with the Deputy Commissioners, Sirsa, Fatehabad, Panchkula, Kaithal and Ambala on 17.01.2019 to review the progress regarding Ghaggar Action Plan.
- 6. The District Level Task Force have not submitted monthly action taken reports timely and also the facts regarding action taken have not been mentioned as per the Action Plan. The DO letter dated 17.01.2019 were written by the ACS, Environment to all the Deputy Commissioner for submission of proper reports (Annexure-A).
- 7. The monthly action taken reports are being submitted by the District Level Task Forces and the monthly status is given as under:-

Name of STF	Jan'19	Feb'19	Mar'19
Panchkula	S	S	S
Ambala	N	S	S
Kurukshetra	N	S	S
Jind	S	S	S
Kaithal	S	S	S
Fatehabad	S	S	S
Hisar	N	S	N
Sirsa	S	S	S

^{*}S- Submitted N- Not Submitted

There were short comings in reporting by STFs. The observations were conveyed to DCs for their personal attention so as to ensure submitting proper ATRs.

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Smt. Sharandeep Kaur Brar, IAS, Deputy Commissioner, Ambala.

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Sh. Ashok Kumar Meena, IAS, Deputy Commissioner, Hisar.

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