EPA/2019/No. 238-39
Dated: 22/03/2019

1. The Managing Director, 
Punjab Health System Corporation 
Phase-6, SAS Nagar

2. The Director, 
Department of Research & Medical Education, Punjab 
SAS Nagar

3. The Director, 
Department of Animal Husbandry, Punjab 
SAS Nagar

4. The Director, 
Department of Health & Family Welfare, Punjab 
SAS Nagar

5. The State President, 
Indian Medical Association, Punjab.

6. The State Secretary, 
Indian Dental Association, Punjab.

7. The President, 
Joint Association of Independent Medical Laboratory 
& Allied Professionals (JAI MLAP), 
Shop No. 1677/401, Near Chanam Ram Petrol Pump, 
GT Road, Mandi Gobindgarh, Distt. Fatehgarh Sahib

8. M/s Amritsar Enviro-care System Pvt. Ltd., 
Vill. Ibban Kalan, Distt. Amritsar.

#1139, Sector 69, SAS Nagar.

Vill. Pangoli, Distt. Pathankot.

H.NO- 1783, Sector 32-A, Chandigarh Road, 
Ludhiana -141010.

Village Bidowali, Teh. Gidderbaha, Sri Muktsar sahib.


Reference: - This office letter no. EPA/2019/473-84 dated 01.03.2019.
In reference to above, it is intimated that Principal Secretary, Department of Science, Technology & Environment, Punjab cum Appellate Authority constituted under Rule 16 of the Bio-Medical Waste Management Rules, 2016, while hearing the matter on 12.03.2019 has vacated the stay and directed PPCB to re-consider the area distribution.

Now, PPCB in compliance of the directions of the Principal Secretary, Department of Science, Technology & Environment, Punjab cum Appellate Authority has re-considered the area distribution order and amended area of operation of the 5 CBWTFs are as under:

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<th>Sr. No</th>
<th>Name of CBWTF operator</th>
<th>Primary Area of operation</th>
<th>Secondary Area of operation (to be followed only incase of inadequate services provided by primary area facility)</th>
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Note: The Health Care Facility (HCF) can opt the services of secondary area CBWTF operator only in case of failure of primary area CBWTF operator for providing adequate services but the HCF have to inform the Board before signing fresh agreement with secondary area facility alongwith concrete reasons.

All the CBWTF operators are directed to ensure regular and timely collection of bio-medical waste using bar-code software from all the member healthcare facilities in accordance with the provisions of the Bio-Medical Waste Management Rules, 2016. The respective facility of the primary area will sign necessary change in the agreement wherever necessary and without any additional cost on HCFs by 31.03.2019.

This order will come into effect from the date of issue of this letter and will supersede all previous orders issued in the subject cited matter. The Board reserve the right to change the area of operation of any / all CBWTF operator at any time for proper Management of Bio-Medical Waste.
A Copy of the above is forwarded to the Chief Environmental Engineer, Punjab Pollution Control Board, Patiala, Bathinda, Jalandhar and Ludhiana for information please.

Environmental Engineer (EPA)

A copy of the above is forwarded to the Senior Environmental Engineer, Punjab Pollution Control Board, Zonal Office-Patiala-1/2, Ludhiana-1/2, Jalandhar, Amritsar, Bathinda for information.

Environmental Engineer (EPA)

A copy of the above is forwarded to the Environmental Engineer, Punjab Pollution Control Board, Regional Office- Ludhiana-1/2/3/4, Patiala, Jalandhar, Amritsar, Bathinda, Sangrur, Faridkot, Fatehgarh Sahib, Hoshiarpur, Batala, Mohali. Further, EE(Computer) is requested to replace the earlier area distribution letter uploaded on the Board's website with this letter.

Environmental Engineer (EPA)