



KERALA STATE POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

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KSPCB/406/2023-SEE-3

Dated:29/12/2023

CIRCULAR

Sub: Revision of boundary setback norms for pig farms

Ref: 1. Circular no. PCB/T4/115/97 dated 20-7-2011
2. Revised Standard Operating Procedure for Pig Farms no. PCB/HO/SEE-3
/TECH/99/2020 dated 04-11-2022

The minimum distance to residences and other establishments for establishing pig farms was stipulated in the Circular dated 20-07-2011, referred (1). These distance norms were revised by Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) for Pig Farms, the final revision of which was given vide SOP dated 04-11-2022, referred (2). Considering the non uniformity of distance criteria specified by different departments, the Government have instructed the Board to revise the boundary setback norms in uniformity with the Building Rules, as revised, and also to revise the SOP to conform with the Building Rules and The Kerala Panchayath Raj (Licensing of Livestock Farms) Rules, as revised. Hence the boundary setbacks, as per reference (2), are revised keeping the minimum distances to residences and other establishments without any change. The revised distance norms for establishing pig farms shall be as follows:

No of Pigs	Min Distance to Residence (in m)	Setback (in m)
1-5	Exempted from Consent Purview	
6-15	50	According to the prevalent Building Rules
16-50	75	
>50	100	

Adequate pollution control measures shall be ensured to control pollution due to waste water, solid wastes and to contain bad odour.

**Sd/-
CHAIRMAN**

Encl: As above

To

1. The Chief Environmental Engineer,
Head Office Thiruvananthapuram
Regional Office Thiruvananthapuram /Ernakulam/Kozhikode.
2. The Senior Environmental Engineer,
District Office. Kottayam
3. The Environmental Engineer, District Office,
Thiruvananthapuram, Kollam, Pathanamthitta, Alapuzha, Idukki,
Ernakulam-1, Ernakulam-2, Environmental Surveillance Centre Eloor. Thrissur,
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- 2) IT Cell (for uploading in the website and adding in phoenix)
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