Subject: Emergency response action plan

This refers to the meeting held on 22/2/2015 under the chairmanship of Member Secretary – GPCB, which was also attended by RO-GPCB & GPCB officials, GIDC & NAA officials, NCT officials, President-AIA, President-PIA and Industrialists.

It was unanimously desired that there should be an action plan for emergency response at FETP and it should be effectively and collectively implemented by all stakeholders i.e. member industries, all three associations, Notified Area Authorities, GIDC, NCT and GPCB.

Objective:

1. To improve communication system

Communication plan is required for proper communication with all directly connected member industries to FETP, Presidents of Associations & their respective committee's conveners, GIDC & NAA officials & their pump house operators and Regional office-GPCB particularly in the event of onshore pipeline breakdown / FETP shutdown to avoid effluent overflow into the creeks and Amlakhadi and thereby complying the directives given by the Hon'ble High Court of Gujarat.

2. To minimize response time

Implementation of communication plan will facilitate dissimilation of information to all concerned through the communication network and thereby to minimize the response time for stopping / curtailing the effluent flow coming to FETP in the case of onshore pipeline breakdown / FETP shutdown.

3. To avoid discharge of effluent into the Amlakhadi and thereby complying the order issued by the Hon'ble High Court of Gujarat.

The Hon'ble High Court of Gujarat in its order dated 21/10/1999 directed not to discharge trade effluent in the Amlakhadi.

4. To have better command and control over O & M including emergency.

This required to have complete stoppage of inlet effluent in the event of onshore pipeline breakdown / FETP shutdown for better command and control over O&M. Communication gap may create a situation in which there are probability for violating the directives given by Hon'ble High Court. This is to be avoided by proper implementation of communication plan.

5. Better operational and maintenance (O&M) control of collection, treatment, conveyance and disposal system.

GPCB has given direction to all industries for having guard pond of 48 hrs storage capacity and 24 hrs storage capacity to FETP-NCT. It is required to ensure by all stakeholders to comply this direction. It is required to

explore the possibility to add lagoon at FETP-Inlet having 24 hrs storage capacity additionally. It is also required to install alarm system for advance intimation.

6. Gap analysis for O&M and emergency.

Gap analysis is required to generate and implement action plan to develop foolproof system.

7. Modification and up-gradation of collection, treatment, conveyance and disposal system.

Communication Plan:

Sr.	Action	Responsible	Type of information and Intimation	Mode of
No.		persons		communication
1	Incident reporting	Field personnel	Damage occurrence	SMS and Phone
	from field / FETP	of NCT		
			GM/Sr. Mgr./Asst. Manager – NCT	
2	Immediate	CEO – NCT	Estimation of damage and down time	SMS and Phone
	assessment and	GM - NCT	and to decide maintenance strategy.	
	intimation			
			RO-GPCB	
			SE(CG)-GIDC	
			CO-NAA	
			XEN-GIDC	
			Presidents – AIA, JIA, PIA	
3	Intimation for	GM – NCT	All directly connected member	Group SMS and
	curtailing or		industries.	Group email

	stopping effluent		Operators – All pumping stations	SMS & Phone
	discharge		In-charge – ETL	SMS & Phone
	uischarge		In-charge – PETL	SMS & Phone
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4	Further message	RO-GPCB	Field Staff for monitoring and	SMS and Phone
	transmission		evolution of situation	
		CO-NAA	Ensure regulation of discharge of	SMS and Phone
			effluent from all pumping stations and	
		XEN-GIDC	to ensure no overflow from any	
			system.	
		All Three	Intimation to all member industries	SMS and Phone
		Presidents	and ensuring that there shall be	
		through	regulation of discharge from member	
		respective	industries.	
		committee.	madstres.	
		committee.		
		Chairman of	Activation of Environment Committee	SMS and Phone
		Environment	for message transmission and	
		Committee	monitoring & to oversee for	
		Committee	implementation of direction /	
			message received from concerned	
		ETI la cheuse	authority including NCT.	CNAC and Dhare
		ETL In-charge	Intimation to all members to ensure	SMS and Phone
			there shall be regulation of discharge	
			to ETL.	
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		PETL In-charge	Intimation to all members to ensure there shall be regulation of discharge to PETL.	SMS and Phone
5	Damage control	GM-NCT	To deploy damage control agency in the field and to ensure regular update to CEO till completion of the work .	SMS and Phone
		CEO-NCT	Communication with other agencies like CO-NAA, XEN-GIDC, Presidents of Associations, DPMC, Police and Dist. Collectorate.	SMS and Phone
		CO-NAA XEN-GIDC	To extent all possible help to CEO-NCT for need based damage control.	SMS and Phone
6	Reporting of damage control	CEO-NCT	Updating of progress till completion and probable time to start discharge. RO-GPCB SE(CG)-GIDC	SMS and Phone
			CO-NAA XEN-GIDC Presidents – AIA, JIA, PIA	
7	Restart of pumping of effluent			
	FETP to seaFinal pumping Station to FETP	GM-NCT CEO-NCT GM-NCT	Field personnel – NCT CO-NAA & XEN-GIDC Operators – All pumping stations	SMS and Phone SMS and Phone SMS and Phone

•	pumping station to final pumping	CO-NAA XEN-GIDC	Field personnel-NAA/GIDC	SMS & Phone
•	station Member industries	CEO-NCT GM-NCT	Member Industries	Group SMS and Group Email
		Presidents	Chairman – Environment Committee	SMS and Phone
		Chairman – Environment Committee	Member Industries	SMS and Phone