



GOVERNMENT OF SIKKIM
HOME DEPARTMENT
GANGTOK, SIKKIM

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No. 25/ Home/2016

Dated 19/05/2016

NOTIFICATION

There has been rampant use of packaged drinking water during departmental meetings and functions, which is creating a huge quantity of garbage which adds to the burden of the landfill.

Therefore, in order to reduce creation of garbage in the form of used drinking water plastic bottles, it is notified that the packaged drinking water bottles may not be used during any government meetings or functions. As an alternative, it is suggested and encouraged to all the departments to use filtered water or water from large reusable water dispensers or to use reusable water bottles in government functions, thereby, avoiding the use of packaged/ bottled drinking water.

By order and in the name of the Governor.

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(Alok K. Shrivastava, IAS)
Chief Secretary
Government of Sikkim

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No 26/ Home/2016

Dated 19/05/2016

NOTIFICATION

Whereas the Government has been initiating various measures to manage the waste and maintain a clean environment, it has been found that a lot of disposable styrofoam items are being rampantly used not only in the bazaar areas but also in the rural areas. The result is that a huge quantity of municipal waste is created in the form of used Styrofoam and other disposable products. These products are environmentally hazardous and occupy a huge space in our landfill. It is also not healthy to eat especially hot items in the styrofoam containers.

Therefore, the government is pleased to ban the sale and use of disposable items, such as cups, plates, spoons, containers etc made from Styrofoam throughout the State with immediate effect.

By order and in the name of the Governor.

(Alok K. Shrivastava, IAS)
Chief Secretary

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RURAL MANAGEMENT & DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT
GOVERNMENT OF SIKKIM
GANGTOK

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No. 42 / RM&DD.

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CIRCULAR

It has come to the notice of the authorities that whenever lunch and snacks are being provided in the department/ Head Office, disposable items made from Styrofoam is being used which is harmful to the environment.

Henceforth, no items made from Styrofoam should be used for serving food in the meetings conducted in the department.

For strict compliance of the above Circular, please

Sd/-
(D.R. NEPAL)
Secretary
Rural Management & Dev. Department
Government of Sikkim

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Deputy Secretary (Adm)
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