

ANNEXURE-II

Environmental Legislations

India has a broad network of Environmental legislations. Some of these Acts, rules and regulations are mentioned below;

- The Water (P & CP) Act, 1974
- The Water (P & CP) Rules, 1983
- The Water (P & CP) Cess, Act, 1977
- The Water (P & CP) Cess Rules, 1978
- The Air (P & CP) Act, 1981
- The Air (P & CP) Rules, 1983
- The Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 (2001)
- The Environment (Protection) Rules, 1986 (2000)
- The Hazardous Waste (M & H) Rules, 1989 (2000)
- Public Hearing Notification
- The CRZ Rules (2000)
- Environmental Impact Assessment Notification (2000)
- Rules on Emergency Planning, Preparedness and Response for Chemical Accidents, 1996.
- The Manufacturing, Storage and Import of Hazardous Chemicals Rules, 1989 (2000)
- The Bio-Medical (M & H) Rules, 1998 (2000)
- Recycled Plastics Manufacture and uses Rules, 1999.
- Notification on Use of fly ash, bottom ash or pond ash in the manufacture of bricks & other construction activities, 2000.
- MUIE & S of Hazardous Organism, Genetically Engineered Micro-Organisms or cells, Rules, 1989
- The Noise pollution (Regulation and Control) Rules, 2000.
- Ozone Depleting Substances (R & C) Rules, 2000.
- The Municipal Solid Wastes (M & H) Rules, 2000.
- The Batteries (M & H) Rules, 2001.
- Criteria for FINISHED LEATHER as Environment Friendly Product.
- The Public Liability Insurance Act, 1991
- The Public Liability Insurance Rules, 1991
- The National Environment Tribunal Act, 1995
- The National Environment Appellate Authority Act, 1997.
- The details of the latest development regarding the Environmental legislations can be obtained by visiting the site of Ministry of environment and Forest, Government of India's website <http://envfor.nic.in/>