

**HP STATE POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD**

Him Parivesh, Phase-III, New Shimla (H.P.)

No. PCB/OA No. 397/2022/- I/289439/2023

Dated: 04.12.2023

To

The Registrar General  
Hon'ble National Green Tribunal  
Faridkot House, Copernicus Marg, New Delhi-110001

**Subject: Compliance Report in O.A. No. 397/2022 titled Ankit Yaduvanshi V/s State of H.P. pending before Hon'ble NGT.**

Sir,

In the above cited matter, it is submitted that a report dated 14.10.2022 has been filed by the Joint Committee in compliance to order dated 07/07/2022 of Hon'ble NGT. Further in compliance to NGT's order dated 15/11/2022, the HPPCB (Respondent No. 2) has filed response/reply vide email dated 04.03.2023, the State of H.P. & DC Kullu (Respondent No. 1& 3) filed reply vide email dated 06.03.2023 and M/s. Krich Cleaning Pvt. Ltd. (Respondent No. 4) has filed reply by way of counter affidavit vide email dated 04.05.2023.

Thereafter, the matter came up for hearing on 10.05.2023 and the matter was further listed on 23.08.2023 for personal appearance of the Member Secretary, HPPCB and District Magistrate, Kullu through VC for assisting the Hon'ble NGT in just and proper adjudication of the questions involved in the case, however the matter was adjourned to 18.09.2023 and thereafter to 06.12.2023 with remarks on the Causelist "*For consideration of Report but report not received*", however, in the order dated 10.05.2023 there was no such direction to HPPCB to file further report.

In this connection, it is submitted that vide this office letter dated 18.05.2023, the Regional Office, Kullu, HPPCB was directed to conduct inspection/monitoring of the unit on fortnightly basis and since then the officials of Regional Office Kullu, HPPCB have been conducting fortnightly inspections of the Material Recovery Facility operated by Krich Cleaning Company. The undersigned has also conducted inspection of the site personally on 16.06.2023 alongwith officials of Regional Office, Kullu, HPSPCB (in presence of complainant and Director of Krich Cleaning Company).

It is submitted that such facilities are essential for rural/semi urban areas (falling outside M.C. limits), so that the waste can be

managed effectively at the local level and currently, there is no other agency/company in the area providing such services. As, per the fortnightly inspection reports being received from the Regional Office Kullu, HPPCB, the facility has been found to be running as per norms & in accordance with the recommendations of the Joint Committee constituted by Hon'ble NGT. Only dry solid waste is processed at the Facility with the help of Bailing machine which is used for compaction of dry solid waste. The compacted dry waste is then stacked inside the facility. No wet waste or foul odour has been observed during any of the fortnightly inspections. Also, no littering in and around the site has been observed. Photographs of the MRF site of Krich Cleaning Company are enclosed as **Annexure-A**  
(Enclosed: As above)

Sincerely,  
Signed by  
Anil Joshi  
Date: 04-12-2023 08:26:23  
Member Secretary  
HPSPCB, Shimla.

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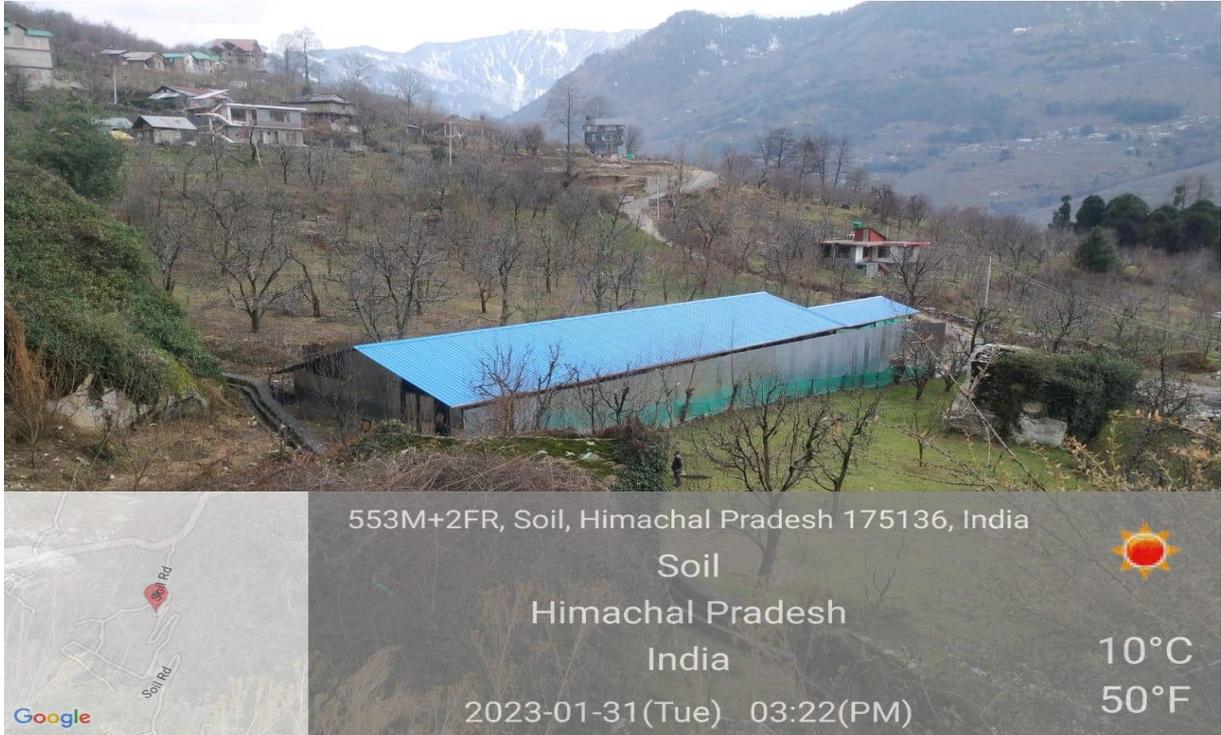
The Deputy Commissioner, Kullu, H.P:- for information please.

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Member Secretary  
HPSPCB, Shimla.

**Photographs of the ‘Material Recovery Facility’ of Krich Cleaning Company taken during the inspections conducted on various dates.**

**Pictures 01-05:** View of surrounding area & plantation around the site of Material Recovery Facility of Krich Cleaning Pvt. Ltd, on different dates & seasons.

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**Pictures 06-09:** Segregated/compacted solid waste stacked properly inside the shed. (Inside view of MRF site on different dates).

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**Pictures 10-13 :** Inspections conducted in presence of petitioner/applicant and other parties/stakeholders on different dates.

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Pictures 14-17: Solid Dry Waste transportation in covered vehicle brought to the MRF site.

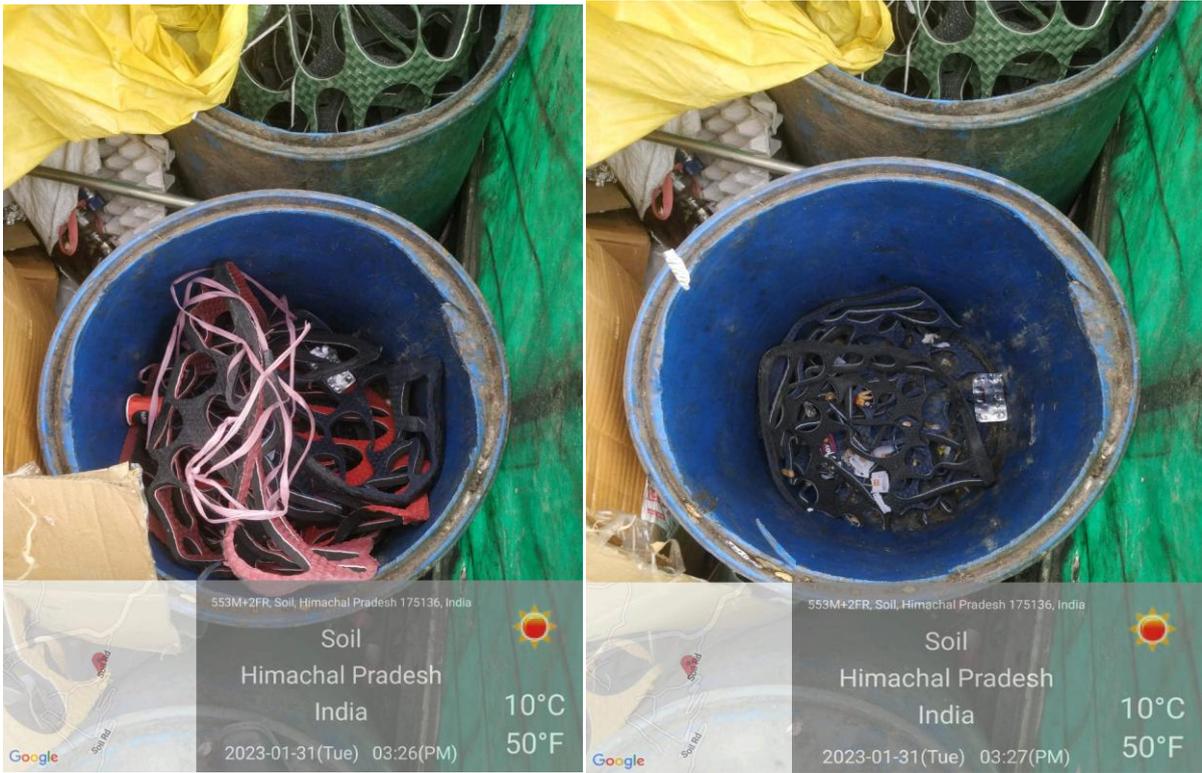
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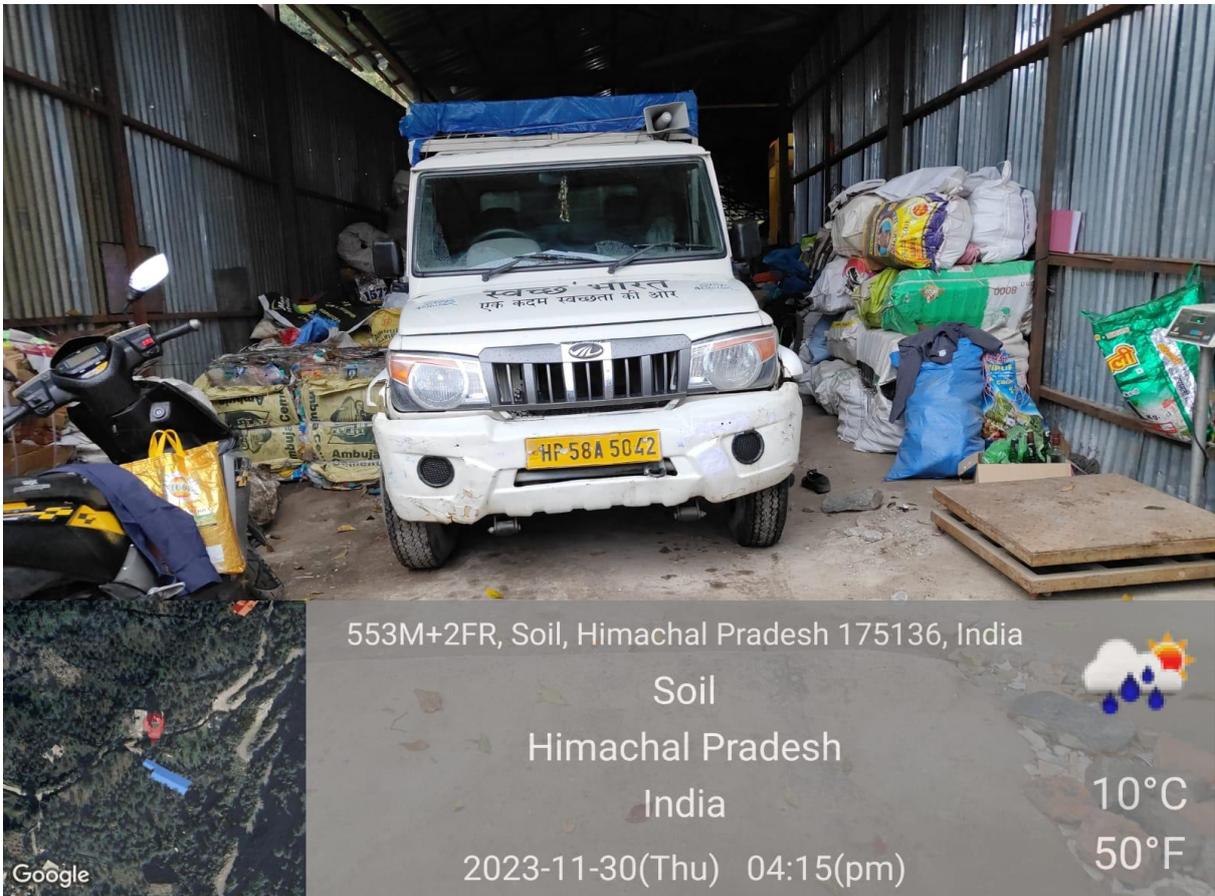
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Pictures 18-19: Workers segregating solid dry waste inside the facility.

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Pictures 20-24-: Machinery installed at the facility.

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