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## REPLY OF THE CPIO IN THE ONLINE RTI APPLICATION DATED 01/04/2024 FILED BY MR SURESH REDDY REGD. NO. RINLT/R/T/24/00010

## **Query:**

Please provide details of any legal mandates or regulations enforced by the Ministry of Steel to prevent water pollution caused by steel manufacturing processes.

## **Reply:**

The legal mandates or regulations wrt prevention of Water Pollution in Steel manufacturing are being enforced by the Ministry of Environment Forest & Climate Change with the help of Central and State Pollution Control Boards. The legal mandates and regulations for prevention of Water Pollution applicable to RINL are furnished below:

- 1. The water (prevention and control of pollution) Act 1974, amendment 1988.
- 2. The water (prevention and control of pollution) cess Act 1977, amendment 2003.
- 3. The Environment (protection) Act, 1986 and amendment 1991.
- 4. The Environment (protection) rules, 1986 as amended upto 2015.
- 5. Costal Regulation Zone (CRZ)-Coastal Management Zone notification, 2009 and CRZ notification 2019.
- 6. Consent to Operation as accorded by Andhra Pradesh Pollution Control Board.

The above information is furnished as received from the concerned DPIO /Department.

In case you desire to prefer an appeal against the information furnished, in pursuance with Clause no. 7(8) of RTI Act-2005, you may do so to the Appellate Authority designated by VSP as per details furnished below within a period of thirty days

## **Appellate Authority**

Sri Pravin Kumar

CGM (Services) & First Appellate Authority,

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