

No.IPH-PH- Chlorination /2011- 54-72 Himachal Pradesh Irrigation & P.H. Department

To

All the Chief Engineers, Under I&PH Department in H.P.

Dated Shimla-1, the April, 2011.

Subject:-

Chlorination campaign.

The summer season has set in early and many sources of water supply may be affected during this period. The people residing in certain areas /tail ends of schemes resort to drinking untreated water resulting in water borne disease. In order to prevent/curb such incidents, it is necessary to remind all concerned in the field to take precautions like ensuring proper chlorination and spreading message to consumers to drink only chlorinated treated water.

The following timely steps therefore should be taken at once to chlorinate the Water Supply Schemes:-

i)

You may ensure Chlorination of all water supply schemes by adding required dose of bleaching powder and information regarding Chlorination of water supply schemes may be sent to this office fortnightly by the 15th of every month for the first fortnight & 30th for the second fortnight on the prescribed proforma already supplied. This information should be submitted to the Superintending Engineer, P&I-I, Jal Bhawan Kasumpti Shimla-9 duly consolidated and compiled.

ii)

You may work out the demand of bleaching powder immediately so that required quantity is made available to the field offices in time.

iii)

Arrangement may also be made for availability of bleaching powder to be issued to District Administration for other schemes/ local sources.

iv)

At least two samples be taken from each scheme every month and the quantity of chlorine in the water be got tested through chloroscope regularly everyday by the attendant/ Supervisors. The result of such tests may also be sent to the Superintending Engineer, P&I-I, Jal Bhawan Kasumpti Shimla-9 duly consolidated and compiled.

acknowledged.

During the Chlorination campaign, concerned Deputy Commissioner/Medical Officers may also be consulted, if required.

Necessary instructions in this regard issued previously may also be followed meticulously.

The Executive Engineer (Design) of each Circle office will act as Nodal Officer in respect of Circle offices and Executive Engineer/Liaison Officer, P&I-I Jal Bhawan Kasumpti Shimla-9 will be the Nodal Officer at Head office, Shimla. The Superintending Engineer (Design), Dharamshala Zone/Mandi Zone ,Shimla Zone and Hamirpur Zone will be the Nodal Officers for the operation of this campaign at zonal level. The Nodal Officers will monitor the programme and ensure submission of requisite information by due dates as mentioned in point-i) above.

The receipt of this communication may be

Engineer-in-Chief, I&PH Deptt., Shimla-1.

Copy to the Special Private Secretary to Hon'ble IPH Minister, H.P. Shimla-2 for information please.

Copy to the Principal Secretary (IPH) to the Govt. of H.P. Shimla-2 for information please.

Copy to the Superintending Engineer, P&I-I, I&PH H.Q. Jal Bhawan Kasumpti Shimla-9 for information and necessary action.

Copy to all the Superintending Engineers, under I&PH Department in H.P. for information and strict compliance.

Engineer-in-Chief, I&PH Deptt., Shimla-1