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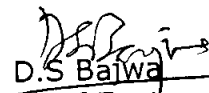
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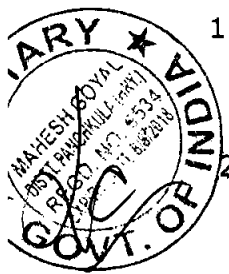
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I, the above named deponent do hereby solemnly affirm and declare as

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under:



1. That this Hon'ble Tribunal on 28.01.2016 has given an opportunity to the State to comment on the Prayer no. 2 and 3 in this Application.
2. That the Prayer No. 2 relates to status regarding open dumping of waste and prayer no. 3 related to the Development activity around the landfill sites should be stopped and there should be a proper buffer zone in the Zonal/ master plan itself.
3. That in compliance with the directions passed by the Hon'ble Tribunal, the reply is as under:

**Reply to prayer no. 2**

The State is following a cluster approach whereby common treatment and disposal facilities would be constructed for a group of ULBs. 15 common treatment and disposal facilities have been proposed for 79 ULBs. The clusters have obtained in-principle approval from the Government. Cluster-wise projects would be setup on integrated approach and the treatment facilities are envisaged employ most suitable technology for scientific processing of Municipal Solid Waste (MSW). This may include waste to energy, composting and refused derived fuel. Such a structure would prevent open dump in the entire state of Haryana. These facilities would be

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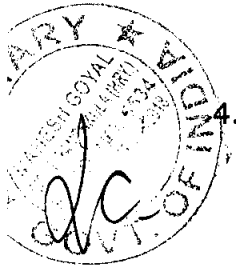
set up on Public Private Partnership basis. Model Request for Proposal (RfP) has been prepared for inviting the proposals from the private agencies. The same was approved by the Committee of Secretaries on Infrastructure (CoSI) in its meeting held on 27.01.2016. The matter is being placed before the Cabinet Committee on Infrastructure (CCI). The Technical and Financial feasibility study for all clusters is being carried out by the Transaction Advisor. After getting the approval from the CCI, RfP would be issued and cluster wise projects will be implemented accordingly.

**Reply to prayer no. 3**


The location of common treatment and disposal facilities under the cluster approach would be in compliance with the applicable rules/ laws including MSW Rules 2000. The facilities would be setup as per the terms and conditions of the Environmental Clearance.

The buffer zone outside the boundary of the sites will be notified in the Master Plan.

The State of Haryana is committed to the directions passed by the Hon'ble Tribunal in this application.

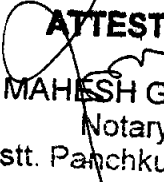


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