Activity Report

Of

"Online Quiz on National Pollution Control Day – 2022"



Organized by,

Ministry of Education (MoE) Institution's Innovation Council (IIC),

Women Grievance Committee (WGC),

Women In Engineering (WIE)

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Aim: To celebrate National Pollution Control Day - 2022

Objective:

To create awarness in youth and educate the people to make them aware of pollution control acts and industrial disasters.

Venue: Online

Conducted By: Ministry of Education (MoE) Institution's Innovation Council (IIC), Women Grievance Committee (WGC), Women In Engineering (WIE).

Name of the resource Person: Nil

Audience: Students, Faculty etc.

Outcomes:

History: On 2nd and 3rd December 1984, Bhopal Gas tragedy in which a poisonous chemical MIC (Methyl Isocyanate) and some other chemicals were released from a pesticide plant UCIL (Union Carbide India Limited) in Bhopal, MP. More than 500,000 people were exposed to MIC poisonous gas. Around 2259 died immediately and later MP government declared that around 25,000 died. In the history world wide it was identified as the biggest industrial disaster.

The day is observed as a national pollution control day to commemorate the lives of the people who died in the Bhopal gas tragedy in 1984. The main objective of this day is to educate the people and to make them aware of pollution control acts and industrial disasters.

Preventive measures taken by the Indian Government

Indian government has launched various acts and rules for controlling and preventing pollution in India.

- Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act of 1974
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- Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act of 1981
- Environment (Protection) Rules of 1986
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- Manufacture, Storage and Import of Hazardous Chemical Rules of 1989
- Hazardous Waste (Management & Handling) Rules of 1989
- Manufacture, Storage, Import, Export & Storage of Hazardous Micro- Organisms Genetically

Engineered Organisms or Cells Rules of 1989

- The National Environment Tribunal Act 1995
- Chemical Accidents (Emergency, Planning, Preparedness, and Response) Rules of 1996
- Bio-Medical Waste (Management & Handling) Rules of 1998
- Recycled Plastics Manufacture & Usage Rules of 1999
- Ozone Depleting Substances (Regulation) Rules of 2000
- Noise Pollution (Regulation & Control) Rules of 2000
- Municipal Solid Waste (Management & Handling) Rules of 2000
- Batteries (Management & Handling) Rules of 2001.
- Maharashtra Bio-Degradable Garbage (Control) Ordinance of 2006
- Environment Impact Assessment Notification of 2006

Various ways to reduce Pollution

- Pollution can be reduced by treating and managing solid waste.
- By the facility of Biochemical waste, the reuse of waste pollution can be reduced.
- By the treatment of electronic waste, pollution can be reduced.
- Pollution in Urban areas can be reduced by the Clean Development Mechanism Project.

Therefore, it is necessary to control pollution and it is not the Government duty we should also participate and make the environment clean and live disease-free. Clean Environment helps people to do their task in a better way and live life happily.

Objectives of National Pollution Control Day

The main objective is to make people aware, spread awareness in the industries that cause various pollution like water, air, soil, noise and affect the environment and obviously health. We can't forget, Bhopal gas tragedy in which leakage of poisonous gas 'Methyl Isocyanate (MIC)' is the worst tragedy happened in the world so far.

It is also important to give knowledge to the people regarding pollution so that a better or clean environment can be formed. The Government in India had made various laws to combat pollution like in Delhi decreases vehicles running on the road, implemented odd and even. National Pollution Control Board (NPCB) is the main governing body, that regularly conducts checks on industries to know whether they are following environmental regulations or not.

Ministry of Education (MoE) Institution's Innovation Council (IIC), Women Grievance Committe (WGC), Women In Engineering (WIE) in association with the Department of Electronics and Telecommunication Engineering has organized a Quiz competition for students. More than 60 students and staff participated this online activity.

National Pollution Control Day - 2022

As per the National Health Portal of India, around 7 million people across the world die due to air pollution every year. The day is celebrated every year on 2 December to bring awareness about the dangers caused due to polluted water, land, and air. Also, to highlight how to avert industrial disasters like the Bhopal Gas Tragedy. Environmental pollution affects the quality of life and health. Also, the role that we are playing in the growing rate of pollution.

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