

Webinar on 'Salient Features and Amendments of CGWA Notification on Groundwater Regulation and Benefits of Water Audit Study to the Industries'



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Speakers:

- **Shri. Thakur Brahma Nand Singh, Member (Secretary), Central Ground Water Authority:** He has more than 27 years of experience in policy formulation and groundwater management. He has done master's in applied Geology from IIT, Roorkee in 1992. He joined CGWA in the year 1997 as Scientist-B at Guwahati and presently working as Member (Secretary) in CGWA, New Delhi. He has served as Faculty in National Ground Water Training & Research Institute, at Raipur from 2019-2022. He has the vast knowledge of hydrogeology and exploratory drilling in different parts of India. He has number of publications in ground water quality and artificial recharge to ground water.
- **M A Patil, ASG, FICCI:** Over 30 years of experience in consultancy and Capacity Building in Energy and Water Auditing, Cleaner production, Waste Minimization, Industrial Pollution Control etc. in various industrial sector including like oil & refinery, petrochemical, cement, textile, pulp & paper, distillery, power plant, tannery, electroplating, fertilizers etc. in India and International.
- **Karishma Bist, Addl. Director, FICCI:** Over 20 years of experience in policy advocacy; project development; Capacity Building in Water and Environmental Sustainability. She is M.Sc. (Environment Management) from GGSIP University, has been instrumental in conducting water audits as per CGWA guidelines in more than 100 industries covering sectors like textile, pulp & paper, distillery, power plant, tannery, electroplating, fertilizers etc.

Objective:

Promoting awareness within industries and relevant stakeholders regarding the compliance obligations outlined in the Central Ground Water Authority (CGWA) notification and its subsequent amendments. Additionally, highlighting the advantages of undertaking Water Audits as a strategic measure for cost reduction and productivity enhancement within industrial operations.

Topics to be covered:

- Applicability of CGWA Guidelines to Industries and general compliance conditions in No Objection Certificate (NOC)
- Online Application process for NOC
- Ground water charges, Environmental Compensation and Provision of Penalty
- Water Auditing: Scope, data collection, Benefits & Case Studies with focus on water conservation in process areas
- Q/A session

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