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FOREST AND ENVIRONMENT DEPARTMENT  
NOTIFICATION

The 20th August 2003

No. 13778—Env.-I-34/2003-F.& E.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 54 of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 (14 of 1981), the State Government after consultation with the State Board for the Prevention and Control of Air Pollution, hereby make the following rules to amend the Orissa Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Rules, 1983, namely:—

1. (1) These rules may be called the Orissa Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Amendment Rules, 2003.

(2) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the *Orissa Gazette*.

2. In the Orissa Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Rules, 1983 in Chapter II, after rule 3, the following rule shall be inserted, namely:—

“3A (1) Every notification under sub-section (1) of Section 19, declaring any area within the State as air pollution control area, shall specify:—

(i) The boundaries of the area, if the area is not a whole district or the whole State;

(ii) The date on which such declaration shall come into force :

Provided that no such notification may be made without prior consultation with the Board who may assess/evaluate the pollution potential/levels of different air polluting activities and on identification, recommend to Government for the purpose.

(2) A notification referred to in sub-rule (1) shall be published in the official gazette and at least in one English and one vernacular daily newspaper having a circulation of not less than five thousand in the State including the local area.”

By order of the Governor

G. B. MUKHERJI

Principal Secretary to Government