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### CIRCULAR

**Sub.:** Applicability of E-Waste (Management and Handling) Rules, 2011 to Bulk Consumers - Reg.

**Ref.:** Ministry of Environment and Forests Notification no. S. O. 1125 (E), Dated: 14 May 2010.

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The Government of India, Ministry of Environment and Forests has framed "E-Waste (Management and Handling) Rules, 2011". These rules shall apply to every Producer, Consumer/Bulk Consumer involved in the manufacture/sale/purchase and processing of Electrical and Electronic Equipments or components as specified in Schedule-I, Collection Centre, Dismantler and Recycler of E-Waste.

The notification also defines the Bulk consumer and its responsibilities.

**Rule 3(c) 'bulk consumer'** means bulk users of Electrical and Electronic Equipment such as Central Government or State Government Departments, Public Sector undertakings, Banks, Educational Institutions, Multinational Organizations, International Agencies and Private Companies that are registered under the Factories Act, 1948 and Companies Act, 1956;

**Rule 6, Responsibilities of Consumer or Bulk Consumer;**

- (1) Consumers or Bulk consumers of electrical and electronic equipment listed in Schedule I shall ensure that E-Waste generated by them is **channeled to authorized collection centre(s) or registered dismantler(s) or recycler(s)** or is returned to the pick-up or take back services provided by the producers; and
- (2) Bulk consumers shall maintain records of E-Waste generated by them in Form-2 and make such records available for scrutiny by the State Pollution Control or the Pollution Control Committee concerned.

Therefore, all the Government/Private Departments as defined in the Bulk Consumer needs to maintain only Form-2 and make such records available for scrutiny by the State Pollution Control or the Pollution Control Committee concerned when they visit/inspect the unit.

It is also clarified that, Authorization is not prescribed or to obtain from Karnataka State Pollution Control Board for Bulk Consumers.

*Draft Approved by  
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