



NOTICE

April 30, 2024

Sub: Timelines for Compliance with EPR Targets and Submission of Annual Returns for FY 2022-23 and FY 2023-24 under Battery Waste Management Rules, 2022

Ministry of Environment Forest & Climate Change issued an Office Memorandum (OM) dated 14.11.2023 which stipulates the following:

(i) The Compliance for EPR targets for batteries for the FY 2022-23 as part of Battery Waste Management Rules, 2022 in respect of batteries covered under 21 Products under Schedule I of the erstwhile E-Waste (Management) Rules, 2016, shall be reflected and accounted as part of the obligations prescribed under erstwhile E-Waste (Management) Rules, 2016.

(ii) In respect of batteries other than as mentioned at S. No. (i) above, the compliance for EPR targets for FY 2022-23 shall be met in the FY 2023-24.

In view of above, this notice issued to inform that the deadline for compliance of EPR targets and submission of annual returns by the Producers for FY 2022-23 (only for batteries other than as mentioned at S. No. (i) above) and for the year 2023-24 (for all types of battery) under the Battery Waste Management Rules, 2022 is 30th June, 2024.

In the view of above, all the Producers are required to ensure that the Annual Returns for FY 2022-23 and 2023-24 is filed on the EPR portal within the stipulated timelines, as above.

This issues with approval from competent authority.

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