

Rajasthan State Pollution Control Board

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Date: 29/05/2023

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Office Order

Shri Mahendra Chaudhary was engaged as consultant (IT Officer/ GIS Expert) on contractual basis in the ENVIS centre (erstwhile), vide office order dated 05.08.2020 for a period of 01 year. The period of contract with Sh. Mahendra Choudhary was extended by the State Board vide office order dated 26.08.2021 for a further period of 01 year, which was further extended vide office order dated 31.10.2022 upto 31.01.2023.

The State Board entered into new Memorandum of Cooperation (MoC) with MOEFCC on dated 13.10.2022 with new terms and conditions mentioned therein. Further, vide MoC dated 13.10.2022, the EIACP centre, RSPCB has been authorized to engage consultants as per the new scheme.

Shri Mahendra Chaudhary instead of applying under the new scheme, approached the Hon'ble High Court (SBCW No. 703/2023) against the advertisement issued by RSPCB to engage consultants for EIACP Centre. The Hon'ble High Court in the matter of SBCW No. 703/2023 vide order dated 13.01.2023 passed ex-parte interim stay, permitting the petitioner to continue to work on the post of IT Officer.

The State Board filed stay vacation application against the ex-parte stay order which was dismissed by the Hon'ble High Court vide order dated 05.05.2023 as follows: -

"15. As a result, the application filed by respondent under Article226(3) of the Constitution, to vacate the stay order dated13.1.2023 is here by dismissed and the stay order dated13.1.2023 is made absolute with modification that instead of replacing the petitioner, by appointing another consultant on contractual basis in terms of new MOC dated 13.10.2022, the respondent-Board would be at liberty to revise terms and conditions of appointment of petitioners as per terms of new MOC dated 13.10.2022.

16. Accordingly, the stay application and application for vacation of the stay order dated 13.01.2023 stand disposed of.

17. Let the writ petition be listed for hearing at admission stage on 18.7.2023.

18. In the meanwhile, the petitioner may file rejoinder, if so desire and parties may complete their pleadings so that matter may be heard finally."

In compliance of Hon'ble High Court order dated 05.05.2023, Shri Mahendra Chaudhary is hereby engaged as IT / GIS Officer for monthly remuneration of Rs 34000/- as per guidelines issued by the MoEF&CC for EIACP and *subject to final outcome of the SBCW No.* 703/2023.

This engagement is strictly on contractual basis with the following terms and conditions:

i. This engagement is for a period 2 years from the date of reporting.

ii. This engagement is subject to terms and conditions mentioned in Memorandum of Cooperation dated 13.10.2022 and amendment time to time between RSPCB and MOEFCC.

iii. No accommodation will be provided to the consultant, and they have to make their own arrangement during their period of engagement.



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iv. The consultant would be entitled to avail the declared holidays by State Government of Rajasthan and no additional leaves would be allowed.

v. The engagement can be terminated at any time without any notice.

vi. This order is subject to final outcome of the SBCW No. 703/2023.

Shri. Mahendra Chaudhary will report in the EIACP center, RSPCB, Jhalana Doongari, Jaipur, within one week of issuance of this order, failing which this engagement may be cancelled.

This bears approval of the competent authority.

(Niraj Mathur) Member Secretary, EIACP Center (Hub), Host Organisation

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- 1. P.S. to Chairperson, RSPCB, Jaipur
- 2. Sr PA to Member Secretary, RSPCB, Jaipur.
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- 6. Shri Mahendra Chaudhary, through email.
- 7. Guard file.

Member Secretary