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## **ORDER**

Subject: Order for resuming construction activities considering air quality standards

Reference: 1. High Court order regarding Suo Motu Public Interest Litigation

No. 3 of 2023 dated 10/11/2023

2.Order published by PCMC on 13/11/2023

3.Letter by MPCB for implementation of Graded Response Action Plan (GRAP)

PCMC has diligently undertaken measures to alleviate the Air Quality Index (AQI) by implementing restrictions on construction activities till 19/11/2023, and intensifying water sprinkling and fogging initiatives at key hotspots and junctions as per the order published on 13/11/2023. There has been an improvement, with AQI levels over the past three days, a substantial decline from the previous "Severe" levels.

Considering this and in adherence to the Graded Response Action Plan (GRAP), the ban on construction activities is hereby revoked, and work may resume in the civic limits. However, PCMC emphasizes the importance of exercising caution. Construction companies are directed to remain vigilant regarding air quality levels and must continue implementing appropriate mitigation measures to prevent any deterioration in AQI levels. The Environment Department of PCMC shall continue the sprinkling and fogging measures in the designated areas.

To ensure compliance, PCMC squads will be continuously monitoring their respective wards for any violations.

(Shekhar Singh) Commissioner

Pimpri Chinchwad Municipal Corporation
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To,

 City Engineer, Building Permission and Unauthorised Construction Control Department

2. Joint City Engineer, Environment, PCMC