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## Minutes of the Bio Waste Committee meeting of Pasteur Institute of India, Coonoor held on 31, 01.2023

Meeting of the Bio Medical Waste Management Committee of Pasteur Institute of India, Coonoor held on 31/01/2023 at 2.30 PM in the Conference hall of Institute under the Chairmanship of Dr. S.Sivakumar, Director. The following members were present:

- 1. Dr. S.Sivakumar, Director- Chairman
- 2. Dr.A. Premkumar, Assistant Director Member
- 3. Shri R.Mohan, Senior Research Officer- Member
- 4. Shri A. Vairamoorthy, Administrative Officer- Member
- 5. Dr. K.C. Sivanandappa, Senior Research Officer- Member
- 6. Shri Jayson Jaycross, Assistant Research Officer- Member
- 7. Dr.N.Sivanada, Assistant Research Officer- Member
- 8. Dr.S. Jagannathan, Assistant Research Officer- Member
- 9. Shri P.Sasikumar, Officer In charge- Purchase/stores- Member
- 10. Shri J.Kamaludeen, Skilled Engineer (OS)-Member

The following member was on leave:

1. Shri Venakatcahalam, Pharmacist- Member

The Chairman, Bio Medical Waste Management committee welcomed all the members. OIC-ENG, appraised the ongoing biomedical waste activities at PIIC and discussed about the following key functions of the committee for further monitoring and execution as per norms.

- 1. The committee noted and was satisfied with the relevant actions for the renewal of BMWA consent as per TNPCB norms. The committee was informed that Bio Medical Waste Authorization (Authorization No: 23BAC48123072) was granted to PIIC on 18/01/2023.
- 2. The committee noted the procedure of getting acknowledgement for waste disposal through CBMWTF.
- 3. The committee perused and noted that the monthly reports of BMW are displayed in PII website as well as submission to MoHFW.
- 4. The committee noted that all the segregated BMW are transported and disposed through bar coded bags to the CBWTF as per the schedule I of Bio medical waste management rules, 2016 and BMW authorization.
- 5. The committee noted that the bio-medical waste is handled without any adverse affects to human health and environment.
- 6. The committee noted that there is no major/minor accident and expressed the satisfaction with the process followed.
- 7. The committee was satisfied with the control measures followed in breeding of animals.

- 8. The committee suggested to collect list of hazardous chemicals available in various Departments and identify the approved vendor to dispose the chemicals
- 9. The committed suggested the disposal of petriplates shall be continued in the existing procedure through CBMWTF.

There being no other items for discussion, the Chairman thanked all the members. The meeting concluded with a vote of thanks to the Chairman.

Members Attended:

Shri J.Kamaludeen,Skilled Engineer(OS)	2/01/2023
Shri P.Sasikumar, Officer In charge- Purchase/stores	Sum pur 3:101 2023
Dr.S. Jagannathan, Assistant Research Officer	Angnatha 1/01/202
Dr.N.Sivananda, Assistant Research Officer	Qu3/10/1/2022
Shri Jayson Jaycross, Assistant Research Officer	Jan 194 21/2023
Dr. K.C. Sivanandappa, Senior Research Officer	13/10/1203
Shri A.Vairamoorthy, Administrative Officer	J. 3701203
Shri R.Mohan, Senior Research Officer	3/0/1023
Dr.A. Premkumar, Assistant Director	14-13110112023
Dr. S.Sivakumar, Director & Chairman(BMW Management committee)	1 200
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Enclosure: Attendance Sheet of the meeting.