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It has been observed that the hotel/ restaurant owners/banquet halls/apartments use disposable items made up of thermocol, Styrofoam, styrene, plastics, acrylics etc. which are non-biodegradable and cause irreversible damage to the environment. It is therefore enjoined upon all concerned including hotel/restaurant owners/banquet halls/apartments and general public,

- To refrain from using non-disposable items containing thermocol,
 Styrofoam, styrene, plastics, acrylics etc.
- To promote to usage of natural bio degradable material like Areca leaf made plates as disposable.
- To ensure source segregation by the use of red and green dustbins for proper disposal of waste.
- To ensure mandatory composting of food/other organic waste generated in their institutions.

Failure to comply with the above directions shall attract penal action under the Municipal Solid Waste Rules 2000, besides sealing of the premises and closing down of the business.

For any live demonstrations regarding composting or any other assistance, the services of technical expert may be sought, free of cost from the State Pollution

Control Board or JMC.

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