

Office Order

Third Party Certifications for Boilers under Section 34(3) of Boilers Act, 1923 were enabled vide order no. 225/C/shra.shri/stha/2016 dated 7 April 2016 and amended vide notification no. 1085/shra.shri/stha/2019 dated 27/03/2019.

In spite of holding widespread awareness campaign for industry to promote the usage of the Third Party Certification provisions, till now the department has not received a single application taking advantage of the said provisions.

The same was discussed during the EoDB review meeting held on 13th June 2019 under the chairmanship of Chief Secretary. The higher cost of doing Third party Certifications Vis-à-vis government inspections was cited as one of the primary reasons for the non usage. During the discussions, the lack of enough number of Boiler inspectors to undertake inspections for renewal was also highlighted.

As a remedial measure, the review committee suggested that the provisions should be made compulsory for the top 30% industries.

In view of the above discussions, the Department has decided to make it compulsory for organizations with Boiler(s) exceeding 1000M² heating surface area (rating) to opt for third party certification.

Henceforth, Department officials are to ensure that inspection of Boilers for renewal exceeding 1000M² heating surface area should only be done through third party. The Department officials shall also ensure that Boiler Operating Engineers (BOE) undertaking inspection shall have qualifications as mentioned in Order no. 1085/shra.shri/stha/2019 dated 27/03/2019.

This order is to be enforced with immediate effect.

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Copy to:

1. PS to Principal Secretary, Micro, Small & Medium Enterprise (MSME), Government of Uttarakhand to bring the same in her knowledge.
2. PS to Secretary, Labour, Government of Uttarakhand to bring the same in his knowledge.
3. Labour Commissioner, Government of Uttarakhand.
4. All the industries that have installed Boilers having capacity of more than 1000M²
5. President, Kumaun Garhwal Chamber of Commerce & Industry, Uttarakhand.
6. President, Sidcul Entrepreneur Welfare Society, Pantnagar.
7. President, Sidcul Industries Association, Haridwar
8. President, Sidcul Manufacturers Association, Haridwar.
9. Website (labour.uk.gov.in) for updation.

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