

**Minutes of the 83rd Meeting of State Level Task Force on Solid Waste
Management for discussion on several issues of solid waste management**

In the Chair: Director, SUDA

Meeting Date: 13th April, 2026

Meeting Venue: SUDA Conference Hall (2nd Floor)

Meeting Time: 12.00 Noon

Meeting Attendees:

➤ List of Members and participants : Annexed

Director, State Urban Development Agency (SUDA) chaired the meeting.

At the outset, he welcomed all the members present and explained the discussion points of the meeting. After threadbare discussion the following decisions were arrived at:

1. The Committee perused that Dr. Amit Love, Scientist 'E' / Additional Director, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Government of India informed that there was a Civil Appeal No. 6174 of 2023 in Hon'ble Supreme Court regarding SWM Rules, 2026 and requested to share the compliance report on following points given below:

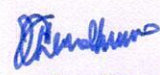
- (i) Compliance of directions passed by Hon'ble Supreme Court dated 19.02.2026 and to provide compliance report shortly.

- (ii) Status report on setting up of multi-tier monitoring task forces at State, District and ULB-levels respectively for micro level monitoring.

- (iii) To provide action plan for operationalization of centralized portal from 1st April 2026 inter alia covering the following:

- a. Onboarding of Urban Local Bodies and District
 - b. Registration of Bulk Waste Generators (BWGs) and Waste Processing and disposal facilities
 - c. Reporting Module

- (iv) Ensure implementation of Solid Waste Management Rules, 2026.


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In this connection, a file has been proposed to be moved to UD & MA Department for constitution of a Committee under the kind chairmanship of the Chief Secretary to Government of West Bengal.

The Committee further recommended that -

- i. A sensitization workshop for ULBs on SWM Rules, 2026 may be organized in the 2nd or 3rd week of May, 2026 where WBPCB may sensitize ULBs on Do's and Don'ts of Solid Waste Management as per SWM Rules, 2026.
 - ii. Immediately after Model Code of Conduct ceases to be in force in connection with WBLA, 2026, District Administration may be sensitized on their role in terms of SWM Rules, 2026.
 - iii. All the ULBs may be informed to sensitize the Bulk Waste Generator in accordance with the SWM Rules, 2026.
 - iv. UD&MA Department may be requested to engage WBPCB and H&FW Department for preparation of a detailed action plan and implementation strategy on comprehensive Bio-Medical Waste Management Facilities as per SWM Rules, 2026, for collection, transportation, processing and disposal of Sanitary and Special Care Waste.
2. The Committee perused that M/S Avyakrit Extractions Pvt. Ltd. vide no. AEPL/L/S/26-27/001 dated 07.04.2026 (**copy enclosed**) informed that they have already set up a Torrefied Charcoal Manufacturing Plant at Kharagpur to produce torrefied charcoal from RDF out of Fresh and Legacy Waste. They have obtained Consent to Operate from WBPCB and have the present capacity of receiving 300-500 MT per day and after a month may consume 750 MT per day. For this, they have approached SUDA to make necessary arrangement for supply of dry RDF (in all forms) from different ULBs. Copy of the proposal has been made a part of the MoM.

The Committee recommended that

- i. SUDA and KMDA may prepare a plan for site-wise transportation of daily processed RDF to the Torrefied Charcoal Manufacturing Plant with initial calendar for one month.
- ii. SUDA and KMDA will coordinate the matter and monitor.
- iii. From 20.04.2026 the concerned agencies will send at least one truck containing RDF to the plant and the Plant Manager may be requested to provide necessary feedback regarding the quality of RDF received from the concerned agencies.
- iv. The Committee further recommended that the members will visit the plant within 3rd / 4th week of April, 2026 and provide their further valuable suggestions.

3. The Committee noted that the present dump site of Ghatal Municipality is located well below the High Flood Level (HFL) and is completely inundated during the entire monsoon and render the site non-feasible for even dumping of the daily waste collected by the ULB.

A team of Experts from the State led by Prof. Arunabha Majumder visited the site on 19.02.2026 and opined the site to be completely non-feasible to set up an Integrated Solid Waste Management processing plant.

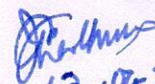
The Committee further took note that several correspondences made with District Magistrate, Paschim Midnapore to identify a suitable Government land either within Ghatal Municipality or adjacent to Panchayat area. But no feasible site as of now could be identified by the District Administration.

With the SWM Rules, 2026 coming into force from 1st April, 2026, it is not advisable to wait any further to start processing of the fresh waste at a land either within Ghatal Municipality or at the adjacent Panchayat areas and instead it may be proportionately transported for processing to the Integrated SWM processing plant of Khirpai Municipality and Panskura Municipality.

4. The Committee perused that before engagement of operators in the CAPEX mode fresh waste processing plants in different ULBs, SUDA had published an Expression of Interest to assess the players in the market and understanding of their technical know-how. Several agencies have come up and presented their views. The machineries to be procured, installed and commissioned for different capacity SWM processing plant has been minuted at the 80th meeting of SLTF dated 17.02.2026 alongwith the specifications. As the sites are at the different stages of execution, the Committee after due deliberation advised to publish site-wise & ULB-wise e-tenders for procurement of the machineries.
5. The Committee noted that the DPR to set up and commissioning of integrated fresh waste processing plant at 7 ULBs - Burdwan, Berhampore, Tarakeswar, Jiaganj-Azimganj, Krishnanagar, Kanchrapara and Raghunathpur have been prepared, vetted by Chief Engineer, MED and duly verified by Chief Engineer, AMRUT. The Committee recommended to take further action immediately.
6. The Committee noted that the Chief Engineer, MED has submitted the following vetted estimates for the works to be implemented at Panskura Municipality:

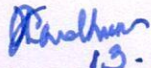
Sl. No.	Name of the Work	Estimated Amount (In Rs.)
1.	Construction of approach road with culvert at Kanakpur within Panskura Municipality under SWM Scheme.	24,43,212.00
2.	Construction of boundary wall with retaining wall at Kanakpur within Panskura Municipality under SWM Scheme.	4,05,42,137.00
	Total	4,29,85,349.00

The Committee recommended to accept the proposal.


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7. The Committee noted that due to non availability of land at Ghatal, Haringhata, Dainhat, Dhupguri, Katwa, Kandi and Arambag Municipalities, further action could not be taken for setting up of fresh waste processing plant. Considering this, the Committee recommended to take up the issue with UD & MA Department for necessary action.
8. The Committee noted that a land has been identified at Tamralipta Municipality for setting up of fresh waste processing plant. Now, the Committee recommended to request Municipal Engineering Directorate to submit a feasibility report. On the basis of the report, further actions could be taken.

With no other issue for discussion the meeting ended with vote of thanks to and from the chair.


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Director, SUDA



AAVYAKRIT EXTRACTIONS PVT. LTD.

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Endorsed to Dr. J. N. Chatterjee C.M.M.
10.04.2024

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Date: 07/04/2026

To
The Additional Chief Secretary
Urban Development and Municipal Affairs Department
"Nagarayan", DF-8, Sector-I, Salt Lake,
Kolkata West Bengal – 700064

Sub: Supply of Dry RDF (In all forms) From different agencies approved by State Urban Development Agency.

Respected Sir,
We M/s. Aavyakrit Extractions Pvt. Ltd. having Torrefied Charcoal manufacturing plant located at Kharagpur, West Bengal.

We have obtained the CTO from PCB to start the operation of the plant; our main raw material is RDF for that your permission is needed. Our daily consumption per day will be 300-500 MT, after a months' time we will be consuming 750 MT per day.

This will be processed and converted into Torrefied Charcoal which will be supplied and used by thermal power plants.

We request you to kindly sanction us the desired quantity through your designated agencies. We also request you to kindly help us in setting up a designated channel where our request of material is processed through your office. Hence ensuring timely and desired delivery, ensuring your control over material flow at all times.

Thanking You
For Aavyakrit Extractions Pvt. Ltd.

AAVYAKRIT EXTRACTIONS PVT. LTD.

(Director)

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2. Director, State Urban Development Agency.
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STATE URBAN DEVELOPMENT AGENCY
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No. SUDA-759/2020/ 3422(17)

Date. 10.04.2026

To

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2. Sri Arup Ratan Mukhopadhyay, Special Secretary (Budget), UD & MA Deptt.
3. Sri Amitava Das, Deputy Director, SUDA
4. Sri Debanjan Chakraborty, Finance Officer, SUDA
5. Sri Debashis Mondal, OSD, UD & MA Deptt.
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7. Dr Anirban Gupta, Professor of Civil Engineering, IEST Shibpur
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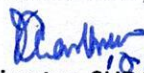
Sub: 83rd Meeting of State Level Task Force on Solid Waste Management regarding several issues of solid waste management scheduled on 13.04.2026 at 12.00 Noon in the 2nd Floor Conference Hall of SUDA, Salt Lake

Madam/ Sir,

This is to inform you that a meeting of State Level Task Force on Solid Waste Management has been scheduled on 13.04.2026 at 12.00 Noon in the 2nd Floor Conference Hall of SUDA, Salt Lake, for discussion on several issues of solid waste management.

You are requested kindly to remain present in the meeting as a member of the committee on the above mentioned date, time and venue.

Yours faithfully


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Director, SUDA

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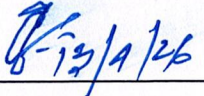
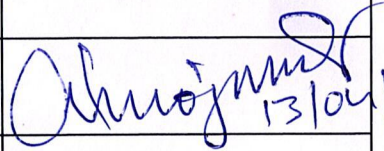
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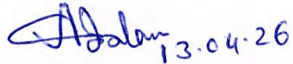
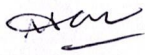
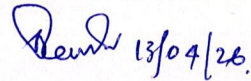
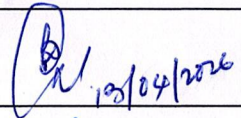
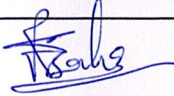
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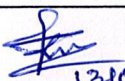

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ATTENDANCE SHEET

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