F. No 13/10/2020-HSM –Part (1)
Government of India
Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change
(HSM Division)

Indira Paryavaran Bhawan
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Dated: 06.11.2026

Subject: Prior Informed Consent (PIC) for import of 24150 kg (700 flasks) mercury from Japan to India by M/s Purple Products Pvt. Ltd.-reg.

The undersigned is directed to refer your application dated 30.10.2026 (in Form X) for seeking Prior Informed Consent (PIC) from the National Focal Point of Minamata Convention, India for importing 24150 kg (700 flasks) of mercury from Japan to India to be supplied to M/s Industrial Electronics & Allied Products 15525 Kg (450 flasks), M/s Anita Industries 4312.5 Kg (125 flasks) & M/s Disha Instruments and Surgical Industries 4312.5 Kg (125 flasks) for the manufacture of Blood Pressure (B.P.) Apparatus.

2. The Ministry is in receipt of the Form A vide email dated 12.08.2026 and confirmation of sale agreement dated 22.04.2026 sent by the National Focal Point (NFP) to Minamata Convention, Japan for seeking consent for export of 24150 kg (700 flasks) of mercury from Japan to India. No PIC has been issued yet against the said Form-A.

3. It has been noted that an application dated 15.06.2026 has been submitted by M/s Industrial Electronics & Allied Products to M/s Purple Products Pvt. Ltd requesting to import 15525 kg (450 flasks) of mercury from Japan on their behalf for manufacture of B.P. Apparatus.

4. M/s Industrial Electronics & Allied Products has obtained Consent to Operate (CTO) from the Maharashtra Pollution Control Board (MPCB) for manufacture of Blood Pressure (BP) Apparatus. The details of the CTOs obtained for its 4 plants are as under:

i. Consent to Operate (Consent No. 0000143925/CR/2208000159) dated 03.08.2022, which is valid till 31.07.2028, for manufacturing of 96,000 BP measuring instruments per annum.
ii. Consent to Operate (Consent No. 0000168235/CR/2305001047) dated 15.05.2023, which is valid till 31.05.2029, for manufacturing of 1,44,000 BP measuring instruments per annum.
iii. Consent to Operate (Consent No. 0000174099/CR/2306001883) dated 23.06.2023, which is valid till 31.07.2029, for manufacturing of 96,000 BP measuring instruments per annum.
iv. Consent to Operate (Consent No. 0000174084/CR/2306001881) dated 23.06.2023, which is valid till 30.09.2029 for manufacturing of 96,000 BP measuring instruments per annum.

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a. The four CTOs collectively permit manufacture of 4,32,000 BP Measuring Instruments per annum.
b. M/s Industrial Electronics & Allied Products has also submitted that the maximum annual consumption of mercury during the last three years is 14248 kg (413 flasks), in FY 2023–24, for manufacture of 2,12,400 units of BP Apparatus.
c. Further, the Ministry has previously issued 8 PICs to the importers for import of total 60375 kg (1750 flasks) of mercury to be supplied to M/s Industrial Electronics & Allied Products vide letters dated 25.06.2018 (M/s Purple Products Pvt. Ltd), 29.10.2018 (M/s Purple Products Pvt. Ltd), 09.11.2021 (M/s Purple Products Pvt. Ltd), 25.10.2022 (M/s Purple Products Pvt. Ltd), 15.02.2023 (M/s Purple Products Pvt. Ltd), 18.10.2023 (M/s Purple Products Pvt. Ltd), 31.07.2024 (M/s Purple Products Pvt. Ltd), and 06.03.2025 (M/s Purple Products Pvt. Ltd).

5. An application dated 12.06.2026 has been submitted by M/s Disha Instruments and Surgical Industries to M/s Purple Products Pvt. Ltd requesting to import 4312.5 kg (125 flasks) of mercury from Japan on their behalf for manufacture of B.P. Apparatus.

a. M/s Disha Instruments and Surgical Industries has obtained Consent to Operate from Maharashtra Pollution Control Board vide letter dated 17.01.2025, which is valid up to 31.10.2027. The consent permits manufacture of B.P. Instrument Assembly at a maximum quantity of 8500/month i.e. 102,000/annum.
b. M/s Disha Instruments and Surgical Industries has also submitted that the maximum annual consumption of mercury during the last three years is 5692.5 kg (165 flasks) , in FY 2023-24, for manufacturing of 69846 units of B.P Apparatus.
c. Further, the Ministry has issued 3 PICs to the importer for import of total 12075 kg (350 flasks) mercury to be supplied to M/s Disha Instruments and Surgical Industries vide letters dated 26.04.2022 (M/s Purple Products Pvt. Ltd), 31.07.2024 (M/s Purple Products Pvt. Ltd) and 06.03.2025 (M/s Purple Products Pvt. Ltd).

6. An application dated 11.06.2026 has been submitted by M/s Anita Industries to M/s Purple Products Pvt. Ltd requesting to import 4312.5 kg (125 flasks) of mercury from Japan on their behalf for manufacture of B.P. Apparatus.

a. M/s Anita Industries vide letter no. DPCC/CMC/WHITE/2018/4073555, dated 16/05/2020 has submitted that they are under the white category for assembly of medical and surgical instruments from the Delhi Pollution Control Board.
b. M/s Anita Industries has also submitted that the maximum annual consumption of mercury during the last three years is 2898 kg (84 flasks) in, FY 2025-26, for manufacturing of 29,857 units of B.P. Apparatus.
c. Further, the Ministry has issued 7 PICs to the importer for import of 16180.5 kg (469 flasks) mercury to be supplied to M/s Anita Industries vide letters dated 25.06.2018 (M/s Purple Products Pvt. Ltd.), 29.10.2018 (M/s Purple Products Pvt. Ltd.), 26.04.2022 (M/s Purple Products Pvt. Ltd.), 24.03.2023 (M/s Purple Products Pvt. Ltd.), 18.10.2023 (M/s Purple Products Pvt. Ltd.), 31.07.2024 (M/s Purple Products Pvt. Ltd.), and 06.03.2025 (M/s Purple Products Pvt. Ltd.

7. Upon examination of the application, it has been proposed to issue PIC for import of 24150 kg (700 flasks) of mercury from Japan to be supplied to M/s Industrial Electronics & Allied Products 15525 Kg (450 flasks), M/s Anita Industries 4312.5 Kg (125 flasks) & M/s

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Disha Instruments and Surgical Industries 4312.5 Kg (125 flasks) for the manufacture of B.P. Apparatus.

8. Further, it has been noted that the port of entry of the mercury shipment into India is Chennai Port(refer email dated 02.11.2026) , and the imported mercury has been proposed to be stored at the interim storage facility of M/s Baya Logisolutions Pvt. Ltd. at Uran, Raigad Dist., Maharashtra.

9. M/s Baya Logisolutions Pvt. Ltd. has the valid consent from Maharashtra Pollution Control Board for storage of mercury vide CTO letter dated 31.10.2025 and valid till 31.08.2029. Letter of Intent is available from M/s Baya Logisolutions Pvt. Ltd. to store mercury from the present importer vide dated 21.12.2019.

10. The Ministry has examined the application. **Approval of the National Focal Point of the Minamata Convention for India, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change is hereby conveyed for grant of Prior Informed Consent (PIC) for import of mercury i.e., 24150 kg (700 flasks) by M/s Purple Products Pvt. Ltd. to be supplied to M/s Industrial Electronics & Allied Products 15525 Kg (450 flasks), M/s Anita Industries 4312.5 Kg (125 flasks) & M/s Disha Instruments and Surgical Industries 4312.5 Kg (125 flasks) for the manufacture of B.P. Apparatus as per CTO (refer para 4, para 5 and para 6 above).**

11. The following conditions are stipulated for compliance by the importer:

i. The consignment for import of mercury should not be contaminated with any other material or waste.

ii. The import shall be only for the intended use as allowed under the Minamata Convention on Mercury.

iii. In case of any illegal imports, the consignment will have to be sent back to the exporting country and the importer shall bear the cost for the same.

iv. The import shall be regularly monitored by the concerned SPCBs/PCCs and the Ministry shall be kept informed.

v. In case, the importer supplies it to other end user(s), if the end user in the present application does not take the full quantity, the importer shall provide the details of the end user(s) as prescribed in the Form 'X' before the mercury is supplied to the end user(s) who meet(s) all the conditions as laid out in Form 'X'.

vi. Importer shall file returns to the Ministry and concerned SPCB/PCC for the quantity of mercury supplied to end user(s) within 6 months from the date of import or within 3 months from the date of supply to the end user. In case of non-supply of mercury to end user, the status of storage shall be submitted within 6 months from the date of import.

vii. Importer shall be allowed for future imports only upon submission of statement regarding the supply/consumption/utilisation of imported mercury.

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viii. This permission is valid for a period of 18 months for import and supply.

ix. If any information or document furnished by the importer to this Ministry is found to be false, forged or misleading, at any stage, the PIC granted shall be liable for revocation by the Ministry.

12. The consent is valid only for the above-mentioned consignment/quantities and can be used once only. The approval is subject to the provision of information by Exporting Party as contained in Section C of Form A.

This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

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1. The National Focal Point to Minamata Convention, Japan
2. The Director General of Foreign Trade, Udyog Bhawan, New Delhi.
3. The Central Board of Indirect Taxes & Customs, Dept. of Revenue.
4. The Member Secretary, Tamil Nadu Pollution Control Board- with a request to monitor the transport of mercury.
5. The Member Secretary, Madhya Pradesh Pollution Control Board-with a request to monitor the transport and consumption of mercury.
6. The Member Secretary, Maharashtra Pollution Control Board – with a request to monitor the transport, consumption and storage of mercury.
7. The Member Secretary, Delhi Pollution Control Board -with a request to monitor the transport and consumption of mercury.
8. M/s Industrial Electronics & Allied Products
9. M/s Anita Industries
10. M/s Disha Instruments and Surgical Industries
11. Office copy/ Guard file.

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