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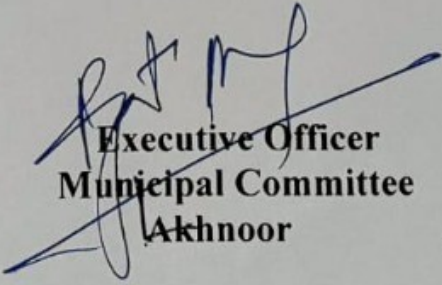
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PUBLIC NOTICE

Sub: Strict enforcement of ban on use of polythene carry bags and other forms of polythene within the jurisdiction of Municipal Committee Akhnoor.

1. There is a ban on manufacturing, stocking, distribution, sale and use of polythene carry bags, plastic sheets or like cover made of plastic sheet, plastic packing and multilayered packaging of less than 50 microns in thickness within the Jurisdiction of Municipal Committee Akhnoor.
2. The polythene is hazardous to human life and it deteriorates the soil quality.
3. Under J&K Non- Biodegradable Material (management, handling and disposal Act 2007 any violation of the ban shall be punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend to one month or with fine which may extend to Rs. 5000/- with both.
4. The repeat offence is punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend up to Rs. 10000/-.
5. Whoever in any manner aids, abets or assists in the commission of an offence under the Act shall on conviction be punished with imprisonment prescribed for the offence.
6. Vehicle owner/traders/dealers/shopkeepers are accordingly hereby informed not to carry any such business of banned polythene within the Jurisdiction of Municipal Committee Akhnoor.
7. Any violation by any person will invite heavy penalty under law as stipulated herein above.
8. Cooperation in enforcing ban on use polythene is in the interest of every one.

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