

⇒ In India generates 2.4 lakh tonnes of SUPs per annum according to C.P.C.B & per capita SUP production is of 0.18 Kg/Year.

The central government has enforced ban on SUPs effectively from 1st of July this year, just banning of SUPs will not be effective until proper monitorings and institutions ~~are~~ should be formed to ~~bring~~ this channelise this measure,

⇒ According to guidelines ~~order~~ from central govern-ments there must be set up of central & state level control rooms to work on this

Any use of SUPs such as manufacturing, production, consumption, interstate movement of SUPs ~~is subject of~~ is illegal and state can take punitive action.

There ~~is also~~ must be set up of border checkpoints to stop interstate movement of SUPs banned SUPs

⇒ The banned SUPs includes, polystyrene icecream sticks, earbud sticks, plastic cups, bottles, cutlery items, wrappings, polythene bags,

- Plastic used for packaging in the ~~fast~~ fast moving consumer goods sector are not banned will be covered under Extended Producer responsibility guidelines.

EPR is producers responsibility to ensure environmental sound management of the product until the end of its life.

⇒ The states must ensure along with following guidelines they have to proactively involve municipal corporations at base level to check on the ban of SUPs & fine or take punitive action on the society.

⇒ Involvement of private institutions, NGOs & societal responsibility is equally important.

⇒ Awareness programs should be setup @ at district level & Taluq level boards. from respective municipalities.