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Directorate of School Education
Himachal Pradesh.

Dated: - the Shimla 171001

Through e-mail
Directorate of School Education
27 OCT. 2026
Himachal Pradesh, Shimla - 171001
October, 2026

To

✓ All the Deputy Directors of School Education
Himachal Pradesh.

Deputy Director of
School Education (Sec)
28 OCT 2026
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Dharamshala

Hon'ble Supreme Court directions regarding bursting of crackers on Diwali, Compliance of Noise limits for firecrackers and Air Quality standards.

Please find enclosed herewith photocopy of letter No.HPSPCB/Diwali Special Monitoring /Vol.-IX/2026-10323-24, dated 16-10-2026, received from the Chief Scientific Officer, Himachal Pradesh State Pollution Control Board, Him Parivesh, Phase-III, New Shimla-9, on subject cited above.

In this context, you are directed to take further necessary action in the matter and issue necessary directions to all the heads of the School/Institution under your control accordingly.

Encls: As above

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Director School Education
Himachal Pradesh.

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Copy forwarded to:-

01. All the Principals/Headmasters of Govt. Sr. Sec. Schools/Govt. High Schools of District Kangra for strict compliance.
02. The Director of School Education H.P. Shimla-1 for information please.
03. I.T. incharge (internal) to upload this on website.
04. Guard File.

Dy. Director of School Education (Sec.)
Kangra at Dharamshala



Himachal Pradesh State Pollution Control Board
Him Parivesh, Phase-III, New Shimla-9
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No. HPSPCB/Diwali Special Monitoring/Vol-IX/2026

Dated: 16/10/2026

From: The Member Secretary

To

The Director
Department of Higher Education
Shimla-171001.

The Director
Department of School Education
Shimla-171001.

Subject: Hon'ble Supreme Court directions regarding bursting of crackers on Diwali
Compliance of Noise limits for firecrackers and Air Quality standards.

Madam/Sir,

It is evident that there is an increasing trend of air and noise pollution in the State during the festival season especially during Diwali, due to bursting and indiscriminate use of firecrackers, thereby contributing towards rising levels of air and noise pollution. In this regard, I have been directed to request you to issue directions to all the Principals/Head Masters of Schools/Colleges to educate students about the harmful effects of air pollution and noise pollution and not to burst firecrackers between 10 P.M. to 6 A.M. and at all time in the Silence Zone.

Yours sincerely

MLY 15/10/26
Dr. Manoj Chauhan
Chief Scientific Officer

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