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CENTRAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD
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(MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT & FORESTS, GOVT. OF INDIA)

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To

Chief Executive Officer
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Sub: Renewal of recognition of Laboratory of Punjab Biotechnology Incubator Sas Nagar Mohali Punjab under the Environment (Protection) Act,1986 and notification in Govt. of India Gazette-reg.

Ref: Your letter No.: i) PBTI/405 Dated 18.06.2015
ii) PBTI/502 Dated 9.7.2015

Sir,

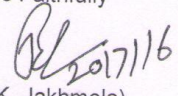
Apropos above, it is to inform that the Renewal of recognition of Laboratory of Punjab Biotechnology Incubator Sas Nagar Mohali Punjab has been approved under Section 12 & 13 of Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 and notified in Govt. of India Gazette no 272 Dated July 4, 2016 vide notification number Legal 42(3)/87 dated 7th March, 2016. The laboratory and the Government Analysts so notified shall remain valid for five years from the date of Gazette Notification. After this period the laboratory has to apply afresh for renewal of recognition. The copies of Gazette Notification (2 Copies) are enclosed for your ready reference and record. Further you are requested to ensure that:

- i) The laboratory is required to discharge the functions as specified under rule 9 of Environment (Protection) Act. 1986,
- ii) The recognized laboratory shall compulsorily participate in Analytical Quality Control Exercise organized by Central Pollution Control Board to ascertain the capabilities of recognized laboratory and Analysts from time to time.
- iii) The EPA recognized laboratory has to submit quarterly reports to the Central Pollution Control Board, Delhi in the enclosed format regarding its activities and the number of samples analyzed during the reporting period.

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- iv) Periodic surveillance of recognized laboratory under the Environment (Protection) Act. 1986 will be under taken to assess its proper functioning, systematic operation and reliability of data generated at the laboratory.
- v) It is also mandatory for the laboratory to renew ISO 9001:2008 Certification or ISO 17025 (NABL accreditation) and OHSAS 18001 Certification from time to time.

Yours Faithfully



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Encl :

- (i) Gazette notification (2 copies)
- (ii) Quarterly report format