



No. 515/PA/DG/EPA/2026
GOVERNMENT OF THE PUNJAB
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
GREEN BUILDING, LAHORE
Dated: 10/07/2026



EXECUTIVE ORDER

Subject: **STANDARD OPERATING PROCEDURE FOR GENERATION OF UNIQUE IDs THROUGH STRATEGY AND ANALYSIS WING (SAW)**

WHEREAS, the Environmental Protection Agency, Punjab has implemented the Eco-Watch App as a centralized digital platform for conducting field inspections, maintaining a comprehensive inventory of regulated establishments, and ensuring standardized data collection, real-time reporting, and effective monitoring of enforcement activities across the Province;

2. **AND WHEREAS**, vide this office Executive Order No. 226/PA/DG/EPA/2025 dated 14.03.2025, it was made mandatory that all field inspections be recorded through the Eco-Watch App along with the Unique Identification (ID) Number of the concerned unit to ensure standardized data collection, real-time reporting, and effective monitoring; and

3. **AND WHEREAS**, vide this office Order No. 421/PA/DG/EPA/2025 dated 15.12.2025, Field Officers were directed to discontinue the practice of allocating Unique ID numbers to the Industrial Units and report to the Strategy and Analysis Wing where needed;

4. **AND WHEREAS**, after the exercise of almost One and Half year in which Unique ID numbers have been allocated to almost all Industrial units across Punjab, it is expedient that the generated of unique ID number may be discontinued from any quarter except Strategy and Analysis Wing;

5. **NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Dr. Imran Hamid Sheikh (PAS), Director General, Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), Punjab, do hereby order that:

- i. Field Officers shall **not create any new** visit entry on the Eco-Watch Application, rather they will only use the “Revisit” category for inspection activities.
- ii. Where needed, the Field Officers will contact the focal person of SAW for generation of Unique ID
- iii. The Director/ Deputy Director (Field)/ Assistant Director (Field) supervising the Environmental Approvals shall contact the focal person SAW for generation of unique ID at the time of issuance of Confirmation of Compliance (Environmental Approval for Operation Phase)

This order shall come into force with immediate effect.


10/7/26

DR. IMRAN HAMID SHEIKH (PAS)
DIRECTOR GENERAL
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
PUNJAB

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1. The Secretary, Environment Protection and Climate Change Department Punjab
2. The Additional Director General (Ops & Imp), EPA Punjab
3. All Directors, EPA Punjab
4. All the District In-charges (DDs/ADs), EPA Punjab for effective implementation
5. The In-charge Strategy and Analysis Wing EPA, Punjab
6. The Coordinator, Center for Knowledge Exchange and Policy Dialogue, EPA Punjab
7. The In-charge IT Support Unit, EPA Punjab
8. The Assistant Director (PRO), EPA Punjab
9. The Librarian, EPA Punjab
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