

Haryana to Tackle Waste Management in Gurugram and Faridabad

Why in News?

According to Haryana chief secretary, the state government has awarded contracts worth ₹126 crore to process 15 lakh metric tonne legacy waste at Bandhwari in Gurugram.

An action plan has been prepared to achieve this target by June 2024.

Key Points

- The officers of the pollution control board are directed to take strict action against agencies and officials failing to address issues related to waste management.
 - **Penalties will be imposed** against those responsible for delay in waste management and disposal tasks in landfills at Gurugram and Faridabad.
- Faridabad Municipal Corporation (MC) commissioner is also directed to complete development at Mujheri and install trammels by January end and to commence operations at Pratapgarh site by mid-February 2024.
- Regular awareness programs on waste segregation and daily monitoring of compliance will be conducted by Gurugram MC and Faridabad MC.

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