From

Director Higher Education, Haryana, Shiksha Sadan, Sector-5, Panchkula.

To

- All the Principals of Govt. Colleges in the State of Haryana.
- All the Principals of Govt. Aided Colleges in the State of 2.
- All the Principals of Self Financing Colleges in the State of 3. Haryana.

Memo No.9/69-2024 Co. (3) Dated Panchkula, the 11.9.2024

Subject:

To celebrate the World Ozone Day.

Kindly refer to the subject cited above.

I have been directed to inform you that the world ozone day is observed on 16th September every year to commemorate the Montreal Protocol, a global agreement to protect stratosphere ozone layer. This year MOEF &CC is observing the world ozone day on 13th September, 2024 under the theme-"Montreal Protocol: Advancing Climate Action."

The ozone layer is a protective layer in the Earth's Stratosphere which plays a critical role in protecting the planet from the harmful effects of Ultra Violet (UV) radiations India, as party to the Vienna Convention for the protection of the ozone layer, which provided the framework for the Montreal Protocol to phase out ozone-depleting substances, including chlorofluorocarbons (CFCs).

World Ozone Day offers a valuable opportunities to mark the achievements of the Montreal protocol. It urges governments, organizations and individuals to persist in their dedicated efforts to protect ozone layer and minimizing the adverse impact on climate change.

In order to promote awareness on ozone layer depletion, all HEIs will organize activities including Seminars/Workshops/Lecturers on India initiatives in the implementation of Montreal Protocol and protection of the Ozone layer on September 13 and provide report in the link enclosed below:-

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D.O. No. 12/3/2024-OC

Dear Shri Nayab Singh Saini ji,

The World Ozone Day is observed on 16th September every year to commemorate the date on which the Montreal Protocol was signed. The Montreal DHE Protocol is a global agreement to protect stratospheric ozone layer through phase out of production and consumption of substances that deplete the Ozone Layer. The theme for this year is "Montreal Protocol: Advancing Climate Action". This year, MoEF&CC is observing the World Ozone Day on 13th September 2024 since 16th September 2024 happens to be a Gazetted holiday.

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Pursuant to the Kigali Amendment to the Montreal Protocol adopted in 2016, the relationship between ozone layer protection and mitigating climate change has become significantly important. The implementation of Montreal Protocol, has also been making substantial contributions to global efforts to combat climate change through the phase down of production and consumption of Hydrofluorocarbons (HFCs) under the Kigali Amendment.

India, as Party to the Vienna Convention for the protection of the Ozone Layer and its Montreal Protocol, has played a proactive role and adhered to all the phase out schedules as per the Montreal Protocol and has demonstrated its commitment towards protection of the environment. The implementation of the recommendations of India Cooling Action Plan (ICAP), launched by this Ministry in 2019, provides actionable pathways to meet sustainable cooling needs, significantly contributing to India's climate action also.

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