

Procedure for Registration for Battery Dealers under Batteries (Management and Handling) Rules, 2001 and amendment thereto

The term (battery) dealer used in this document are same as defined in the Batteries (Management and Handling) Rules, 2001 and amendment thereto. The rule 7 (vii)(a) of the Batteries (Management and Handling) Rules, 2001 and amendment thereto provides that the battery dealers shall obtain registration from State Pollution Control Board.

Procedure for filling application by the user:

1. The user visits the MAITRI Single Window Portal: <https://maitri.mahaonline.gov.in/>
2. The user registers on this portal and then logs in.
3. The user fills up CAF and makes a payment towards CAF as required.
4. The user then clicks on "CAF and Services" - "Services Provided".
5. From the dropdown options, the user selects 'Maharashtra Pollution Control Board'.
6. The user then clicks on 'Apply' against the service name 'Procedure for Registration for Battery Dealers under Batteries (Management and Handling) Rules, 2001 and amendment thereto'
7. The user is taken to the MPCB interface for further processing
8. Click on -> Applications -> Battery Dealer Registration under 'Battery Applications' Section.
9. Vide Circular dated 05.12.2019, the power to grant/ refusal of applications for battery dealer registration, is delegated to the respective Sub-Regional Officers (SROs) of Maharashtra Pollution Control Board by Member Secretary of the Board.

Document Checklist:

10. After creation of Registration ID the industry/ unit has to apply for battery dealer registration along with the application accompanied with a copy of the following documents for the grant of battery dealer registration, namely:
 - a) Copies of Form - V as per the Rule 7(IV) acknowledged by the manufacturers from the last 3 years.
 - b) Copy of registration of workshop/shop granted by the Local Body.
 - c) Copy of dealership granted by the authorised Battery manufacturer.
11. All applications are disposed by the SROs according to the aforementioned Rules for issuance for Registration to battery dealers **within 30 days of application of battery dealer registration.**
12. The approval is available in the Dashboard once processed and accorded by MPCB.

Note:

The provisions of Registration under Batteries (Management and Handling) Rules, 2001 and amendment thereto and the application form and online portal provided by MPCB are as below:

Rule 7: Responsibilities of Dealer (Battery Dealers Issuance/ Cancellation of Registration Application):

"It shall be the responsibility of a dealer to:

- (a) **register with State Pollution Control Board for five years** and a provision of cancellation for failure in collection of the required number of used batteries as per the said rules, non-submission of timely half yearly returns to the State Pollution Control Boards, renewal of the registration shall be as per the

compliance status, to submit details as per Form IV, **registration would be considered as deemed registered if not objected to within thirty days;**

(b) an appeal shall lie against any order of suspension or cancellation, or refusal of registration passed by the Member-Secretary of the State Pollution Control Board, or any other officer designated by the State Pollution Control Board;

(c) the appeal shall be in writing and shall be accompanied with a copy of the order appealed against and shall be made within period of thirty days from the date of passing of the order.”

Fees:

Fees is not applicable for Battery Dealer Registration Application.

- In case of any discrepancy, MPCB shall communicate the same through the industry documents section, hence applicants are advised to periodically check their Industry Documents section.
- Once the Authorization is issued / cancelled, the status along with copy of letter, will be reflected in the Industry's Login ID.