

Government of Bihar  
Department of Environment, Forest and Climate Change

**Resolution**

**No.: Parya./Van-36/2019.....4980/E.F.C.C., Patna-15, Date.....09/9/25**  
**Sub: Approval of authorizing Metal Scrap Trade Corporation Limited (MSTCL Ltd.), an Undertaking of the Ministry of Steel, Government of India, for e-auction process for sale of unserviceable electrical and electronic equipment (e-waste) stored after use in various departments, organizations, undertakings and other related institutions of the State Government, on nomination basis under Rule 131(ZZ) of Bihar Finance (Amendment) Rules, 2024.**

1. The Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Government of India has notified the e-Waste (Management) Rules, 2022 (amendment rules 2023, amendment rules, 2024) under the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 for proper management of e-waste.
2. Under Rule-3(I) of the aforesaid Rules, electrical and electronic equipment including solar photovoltaic modules or panels or cells, whole or in part discarded as waste, as well as rejects from manufacturing, refurbishment and repair processes are defined as e-waste. Under the e-Waste (Management) Rules, 2022, a total of 106 electrical and electronic equipment and its associated components, consumable parts and spares in 07 categories are listed in Schedule-I.
3. Electrical and electronic equipment are used by various departments/offices, organizations, undertakings and other related institutions of the State Government. These are being stored in the office premises when it becomes unusable after use. e-waste contains many types of hazardous and non-hazardous substances. Human health and environment are adversely affected due to indiscriminate and unscientific extraction of metals by dismantling e-waste. Therefore, these wastes need to be dismantled, recycled or disposed of under regulatory framework in the environmentally sound manner.
4. Metal Scrap Trade Corporation Limited (MSTC Limited), a Government of India Enterprise under the administrative control of Ministry of Steel, Government of India, provides a platform for sale of metal scrap including e-waste through outsourced agencies by tendering process.



5. A separate e-Commerce portal for sale of e-waste has been developed by Metal Scrap Trade Corporation Limited (MSTC Limited). Only stakeholders registered with Central Pollution Control Board, Delhi i.e. producer, refurbisher or recycler or third party authorized by them can purchase e-waste through this portal.
6. Metal Scrap Trade Corporation Limited (MSTC Limited) is hereby authorized to conduct auction process for sale of old, unserviceable electrical and electronic equipment stored in various departments, offices, organisations, undertakings and other related institutions of the State Government on nomination basis under Rule 131(ZZ) of the Bihar Finance (Amendment) Rules, 2024.
7. All government departments, including boards, corporations and state public sector undertakings, will auction their stored e-waste only through the e-waste portal developed by Metal Scrap Trade Corporation Limited (MSTC Limited).
8. Bihar State Pollution Control Board will issue the necessary guidelines for e-auction of e-waste.

**ORDER:** It is ordered that this be published in the extraordinary issue of the Gazette of Bihar for general information.

By order of the Governor of Bihar

(Anand Kishor)

Principal Secretary  
Government of Bihar

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2. Kindly send two hundreds copies of special Gazette to the Environment, Forest & Climate Change Dept. Bihar, Patna.

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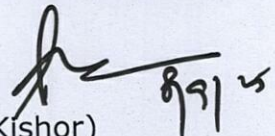
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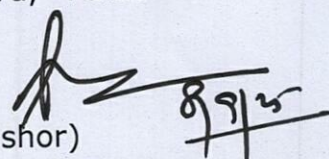
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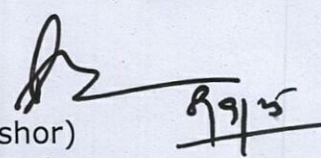
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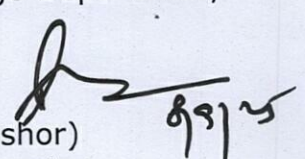
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Copy to: IT Manager, Environment, Forest & Climate Change Dept. Bihar,  
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