

## OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH DIVISION

### *MONTHLY REPORT FOR APRIL 2018*

#### 1. Visits

The officers of the Occupational Safety and Health Division carried out inspections/enquiries/accident investigations at workplaces as follows in respect of:

		Male employees	Female employees
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Complaints	8	372	238
Enquiries	43	-	-
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Follow-up	30	661	58
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Inspections	45	1,025	25
Follow-up	49	375	4
Complaints	2	16	-
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2. **Registration of factories**

(i) No. of applications for renewal of Certificates of Registration received: **208**

- (ii) No. of Certificates of Registration renewed: **193**
- (iii) No. of new applications for registration of factory received: **9**
- (iv) No. of new Certificates of Registration issued: **8**
- (v) No. of Certificates of Registration of a Factory not renewed: **11**
- (vi) No. of factories registered as at 30 April 2018: **3,863**

**3. Prohibition order**

- (i) No. of prohibition orders issued: **3**

**4. Machinery**

- (i) No. of steam boilers registered: **3**

**4. Training by the Occupational Safety and Health Training and Information Centre (OSHTIC)**

- (i) No. of sessions at the OSHTIC: **4**

No. of participants: **45**

- (ii) No. of sessions on site: **13**

No. of participants: **375**

- (iii) Total No. of participants: **420**

**5. Safety and Health Officer**

- (i) No. of Certificates of Registration issued: **13**

**6. Accidents**

- (i) No. of notifiable non-fatal accidents: **13**

- (ii) No. of non-notifiable accidents: **10**

**7. Prosecution**

- (i) No. of cases lodged in Court: **10**

- (ii) Judgement was delivered in **10** cases:

1<sup>st</sup> Case: **Seven Seven Co Ltd**

Count I: Requiring employees to work in a place of work in respect of which a fire certificate was required without such certificate being in force. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs3,000/- and cost of Rs200/-.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Case: Beijing Zhuzong Group Co Ltd**

Count I: Failing to cause opening in floor to be fenced. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs3,000/- and cost of Rs200/-.

**3<sup>rd</sup> Case: Beijing Zhuzong Group Co Ltd**

Count I: Allowing employees to work at height without providing appropriate fall protection system to that employee. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs3,000/- and cost of Rs200/-.

**4<sup>th</sup> Case: Beijing Zhuzong Group Co Ltd**

Count I: Failing to ensure the safety and health at work of its employees. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs2,000/- and cost of Rs200/-.

**RT Knits Ltd**

Count I: Failing to ensure that any person not in its employment is not exposed to any risk to his safety and health. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs2,000/- and cost of Rs200/-.

**5<sup>th</sup> Case: Magic Mirror (Mauritius) Ltd**

Count I: Failing to securely fenced dangerous parts of machinery. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs2,000/- and cost of Rs200/-.

**6<sup>th</sup> Case: Prada Shoes Ltd**

Count I: Using a building as lodging accommodation for employees without holding a Lodging Accommodation Permit. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs5,000/-

Count II: Failing to provide each employee with a suitable locker or wardrobe. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs5,000/- and cost of Rs200/- for both counts.

**7<sup>th</sup> Case: Fairy Textiles Ltd**

Count I: Using a building as lodging accommodation for employees without holding a Lodging Accommodation Permit. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs2,000/- and cost of Rs200/-.

**8<sup>th</sup> Case: Standards Labels Ltd**

Count I: Failing to ensure the safety, health and welfare at work of its employees. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs10,000/- and cost of Rs200/-.

**9<sup>th</sup> Case: Sukpak Ltd**

Count I: Failing to ensure the safety, health and welfare at work of its employees. Was sentenced to a fine of Rs7,000/- and cost of Rs200/-.

**10<sup>th</sup> Case: Sukpak Ltd**

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