National Award for Prevention of Pollution

Sr No	Category	Descriptions
1	Name of Award	National Award for Prevention of Pollution
2	Division Dealing with the Award	Control of Pollution Division
3	Year when the award was institute	1992
4	Number of Categories in which the award is given	Awards numbering upto eighteen (18) will be given each year, one in each of the identified category of highly polluting industries. These industries have been identified as 1. Sugar 2. Fertilizer 3. Cement 4. Fermentation and Distillery 5. Aluminum 6. Petro-Chemicals 7. Thermal Power 8. Caustic Soda 9. Oil Refinery 10. Sulphuric Acid 11. Tanneries 12. Copper Smelting 13. Zinc Smelting 14. Iron and Steel 15. Pulp and Paper 16. Dye and Dye Intermediates 17. Pesticides 18. Pharmaceuticals Awards numbering upto five (5) will be given each year to small scale industries in the following categories: 1. Tanneries 2. Pulp and Paper 3. Dye and Dye Intermediates 4. Pesticides 5. Pharmaceuticals
5	Procedure for inviting Application for the award	Nominations are invited from the Industrial units through sponsoring authorities, which shall be the pollution control Board of the State where the unit is located. - Nomination received are reviewed by the selection committee and selection

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		committee makes
		recommendations for awards
		to Government.
6	Eligibility Criteria	1. Success in defining
		environmental pollution needs
		meeting pollution prevention
		goals and overall improvements
		to the quality of air, water and
		land.
		2. Soundness of approach, scientific
		design and cost effectiveness.
		3. Abatement including reduction,
		reuse recycling or any beneficial
		use of waste generated,
		substantial and steady reduction
		in the effluents and emissions in
		the year.
		4. Reduction of risk to the
		community living in the vicinity of
		units handling hazardous
		chemicals.
		5. Any other identifiable specific and
		significant contribution towards
		the manufacture of
		environmentally friendly products
		and development and use of
		environmentally sound
		technologies.
		6. Substantial and continuing steps
		for environmental improvement .
		and
		7. Any other identifiable specific and
		significant contribution towards
		the manufacture of
		environmentally friendly products
		and development and use of
		environmentally sound
		technologies and aspects such as
		voluntary afforestation and even
		pioneering work in research
		towards environmental friendly
		technology and maximum amount
		of recycling possible in that
		category of industries. These
		steps will include substantial and
		continuing steps for
		environmental improvement and
		any other item which would be
		indicative of the corporate
		philosophy of the company

		towards positive environmental management.
7	Constitution of the Committee(if the selection is made by committee)	1. Secretary, Ministry of Environment and Forests, Chairman & other member are: 2. Chairman CPCB 3. Director General, technical Development 4. Chairman, Standing Conference of Public Enterprise 5. Director General, Indian Standards Institution. 6. Director, National Environmental Engineering Research Institute, Nagpur 7. President FICCI, 8. President CII, 9. Development Commissioner, Small scale Industries 10. Officer in charge of Pollution Control in the Ministry of Environment and Forests.
8	Contents of the Award	 A Trophy A Citation Rupees One Lakh
9	Periodicity of the award	Annual