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**Subject: Colour Coded Map of Centrally Protected Monuments**

The Archaeological Survey of India (ASI) in collaboration with ISRO developed colour coded map of Centrally protected monuments of Delhi and Mumbai indicating the prohibited area and regulated area for regulating construction within the boundary of these monuments. As per the AMASR Rules, no construction is permitted within 100 mtrs. of the protected area of the monument. For construction in the regulated area i.e. between 100 - 300 mtrs. around the Centrally protected monuments require No Objection Certificate from the Competent Authority concerned. In view of this, the applicant for construction permits in the vicinity of Centrally protected monuments may utilise the colour coded map to determine whether the plot falls under the regulated area of any Centrally protected monument. For this purpose, the applicant is required to use Smarac Citizen App for on-line application. However, the applicant can also utilise this Mobile App for getting the coordinates of the plot boundaries to ascertain whether the plot falls under the prohibited/regulated area of any monument. In case the plot comes within the regulated area, the application for NOC is required to be submitted through the link provided in the on-line application portal of Municipal Corporation of Greater Mumbai (MCGM) and Municipal Corporation of Delhi (MCD). In those cases, where the plot is outside the regulated area of the Centrally protected monument, as per colour code map, no application for NOC under AMASR Act is required for undertaking construction. This procedure is not applicable for those monuments for which colour coded maps are not available yet.

It is further emphasised that no application for grant of NOC for construction within the regulated area of Centrally protected monuments for which colour coded maps are available, will be entertained manually in hard copies falling within the jurisdiction of MCD and MCGM w.e.f. 1st January, 2017. All applications are required to be submitted through Single Window Portal of MCD and MCGM by filling Common Application Form (CAF) and by uploading the requisite documents and after recording the data relating to distance etc. by traversing the plot using Smarac Citizen App.

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