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## CIRCULAR

### Sub: Wireless detection system.

For effective early warning about the liberation of smoke where it is mandatory to provide the detection systems for the buildings specified in Schedule-II of Maharashtra Fire Prevention and Life Safety Measures Act, 2006, it is mandatory to ensure that the detection system is strictly adhering to IS Codes 2175:1988; 11360:1985 (Both reaffirmed 2000) and IS Code 2189:1999 (Reaffirmed 2004) which are latest IS codes as on date for specifying the requirements of detection systems. As per these codes, any wireless detection systems in contravention to the specification of the IS Codes shall be treated as in violation of the Fire Act.

All the enforcing agencies such as Urban Local Bodies and Special Planning Authorities should ensure that the detection systems are strictly adhering to the said Codes.

Public Works Deptt. and the Engineering Deptt. of the other Government and Semi Government Organizations responsible for the designing and commissioning of the Fire Detection System should also take the note of the same to avoid any violation.

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Director,  
Maharashtra Fire Services,

- (1) Copy submitted to the Addl. Chief Secretary, Urban Development Deptt. Govt. of Maharashtra, for favour of information with request to issue suitable directives in this regard to all Planning Authorities.

- (2) Copy submitted to the Principal Secretary-2, Urban Development Deptt., Govt. of Maharashtra for favour of information.

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- (1) The Secretary, Public Works Deptt., GoM,
- (2) The Metropolitan Commissioner, MMRDA,
- (3) The Commissioners of All Municipal Corporations,
- (4) The Chief Executive Officer, MIDC,
- (5) The Managing Director, CIDCO,
- (6) The Vice President, MHADA,
- (7) The Managing Director, MIHAN
- (8) The Vice President & MD, MSRTC
- (9) The Managing Director, MAHAGENCO
- (10) The Managing Director, MSEDCL, Prakashgad,

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- (1) All Chief Fire Officers or Officer-in-charge of Fire Services of all Urban Local Bodies and Special Planning Authorities.
- (2) The Chief Officers of all Municipal Councils.

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