## AIR QUALITY MONITORING @ 40 FEET HEIGHT – Report Date: 20.9.2022 (BASED ON US-EPA AQI STANDARDS AND THE DAYALBAGH AQI COLOUR CODE)

Permissible Limits (24 Hour Mean):  $PM_{10} = 150$ ;  $PM_{2.5} = 35$ , all units are in  $\mu g/m^3$  Sampling Duration = 24 hrs (9:00 AM to 9:00 AM)

Today: 19-09-2022 to 20-09-2022 from 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. Yesterday: 18-09-2022 to 19-09-2022 from 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.

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**Views of AQI Research Group:** Low wind speeds and moderate humidity have likely facilitated agglomeration of particulate matter and limited their dispersion resulting in further increase in particulate matter concentrations. However, at all Dayalbagh locations, the Air Quality Index remains in the *Moderate* category w.r.t. PM<sub>2.5</sub> and in the *Good* category w.r.t. PM<sub>10</sub>.

At Sanjay Place also the particulate levels have increased with Air Quality Index values rising to the *Unhealthy for Sensitive Groups* category w.r.t. PM<sub>2.5</sub>.

\* At Prem Nagar, due to network issue, data is not available after 4:00 pm yesterday.



3 Formula for AQI calculation for a Pollutant -

$$I = \frac{I_{\text{high}} - I_{\text{low}}}{C_{\text{high}} - C_{\text{low}}} * (C - C_{\text{low}}) + I_{\text{low}}$$

where: I = Air Quality Index; C = Pollutant Concentration (PM<sub>2.5</sub>);  $C_{low}$  = Concentration Breakpoint  $\leq C$ ;  $C_{high}$  = Concentration Breakpoint  $\geq C$ ;  $C_{high}$  = Index Breakpoint corresponding to  $C_{low}$ ;  $C_{low}$ ;  $C_{low}$ ;  $C_{low}$  = Index Breakpoint corresponding to  $C_{high}$ ; \*Multiplication Sign