## AIR QUALITY MONITORING @ 40 FEET HEIGHT – Report Date: 1.12.2022 (BASED ON US-EPA AOI STANDARDS AND THE DAYALBAGH AOI 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: 30-11-2022 to 1-12-2022 from 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. Yesterday: 29-11-2022 to 30-11-2022 from 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.

L	DAYALBAGH (TIME WEIGHTED AVERAGE DATA)											L	SANJAY PLACE AND AVAS VIKAS (ARITHMETIC MEAN DATA)											
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A T	PM <sub>2.5</sub>		$PM_{10}$					T °C				A T I	PM <sub>2.5</sub>		PM <sub>10</sub>					Т	°C			
O N	Today	Yesterday	Today	Yesterday	RH %	WS m/s	WD	Max	Min	SR W/ m²	RF mm	O N	Today	Yesterday	Today	Yesterday	RH %	WS m/s	WD	Max	Min	SR W/ m²	R F m	
4 / 97	158 (6%†)	156	79 (6%↓)	83	68	0.4	WNW	28.4	12.4	98	0	Sanjay Place	177 (0%)	177	130 (13%↓)	146	61	1.0	NW	26.9	14.9	113	0	
3 / 34	149 (0%)	149	63 (1%↓)	63	68	0.4	WNW	28.4	12.4	98	0	Avas Vikas	124	149	60 (23%↓)	70	71		NE	27.4	13.1	64	0	
Science Faculty	158 (3%†)	157	68 (7%†)	72	68	0.4	WNW	28.4	12.4	98	0		(22%↓)					0.5						

Views of AQI Research Group: Concentrations of PM<sub>2.5</sub> have marginally changed at all sites of Dayalbagh. The Air Quality Index w.r.t. PM<sub>2.5</sub> remains in the *Unhealthy for Sensitive Groups* category at Prem Nagar and in the *Unhealthy for All* category at Vidyut Nagar and Science Faculty while w.r.t. PM<sub>10</sub> it is in the *Moderate* category at all sites of Dayalbagh.

At Sanjay Place, the Air Quality Index w.r.t  $PM_{2.5}$  remains in the *Unhealthy for All* category while w.r.t.  $PM_{10}$  it remains in the *Unhealthy for Sensitive Groups* category. At Avas Vikas, Bodla the Air Quality Index w.r.t.  $PM_{2.5}$  is in the *Unhealthy for Sensitive Groups* category and in the *Moderate* category w.r.t.  $PM_{10}$ .

Values in parentheses indicate the percentage change in the pollutant concentrations with respect to yesterday.  $\uparrow$  indicates increase while  $\downarrow$  indicates decrease in pollutant concentrations. Percentage change has not been shown w.r.t. AQI values as the breakpoints for the different categories are not evenly distributed.



NOTE: 1 A continuing study conducted as part of Dayalbagh Sigma Six Qualities and Values Model implementation.

2 DEI is using United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) methodology and online calculators to calculate AQI. For fair comparison with UPPCB Sanjay Place Weather Station readings, their PM<sub>2.5</sub> concentration readings are fed in USEPA online calculator for AQI calculation.

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  $C_{low}$ ;  $C_$