



The Ministry of Environmental Protection Issued the Technical Guide for Pollution Prevention and Control of the Pulp and Paper Industry

In order to implement *the Environmental Protection Law of the People's Republic of China* and improve the quality of the environment, to implement the Notice of the General Office of the State Council on Issuing *the Implementation Plan for the Control measures and technological progress in enterprises and institutions*, on January 5th, 2018, the Ministry of Environmental Protection issued *the National Environmental Protection Standard Available Technology Guide for Pollution Prevention and Control of the Pulp and Paper Industry* (HJ 2302—2018).

The standard was implemented on March 1st, 2018. Since the date of implementation, *the Announcement on Issuance of Three Guiding Technical Documents including Guidance of the Available Technologies for the Prevention and Control of Wood Pulp*

of Pollutant Discharge Permit System (the General Office of the State Council issued [2016] No. 81), to establish a sound available technology system in pollutant discharge standard basis and to promote the upgrading and reforming of pollution prevention *Process Pollution Prevention in the Paper Industry* (the Ministry of Environmental Protection Notice No. 81 of 2013) has been repealed.

The Technical Guide for Pollution Prevention and Control of the Pulp and Paper Industry provided available technologies for the prevention and control of industrial waste gas, waste water, solid waste and noise pollution in the pulp and paper industry, including pollution prevention technologies, pollution control technologies, and available technologies for pollution prevention and control. 