

Environmental
Protection Act
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## INTRODUCTION

#### **Environmental Protection Act**

**1986** is a landmark legislation that provides a framework for

environmental protection and management in India. This act has been instrumental in safeguarding our ecosystem for a sustainable future. This presentation will provide an overview of the act and its impact.





## OBJECTIVES OF THE ACT

The primary objectives of the

Environmental Protection Act 1986 are
to promote sustainable development,
prevent environmental pollution, and
conserve natural resources. The act
empowers the central and state
governments to take measures to protect
the environment and impose penalties
for non-compliance.

## KEYPROVISIONS OF THE ACT

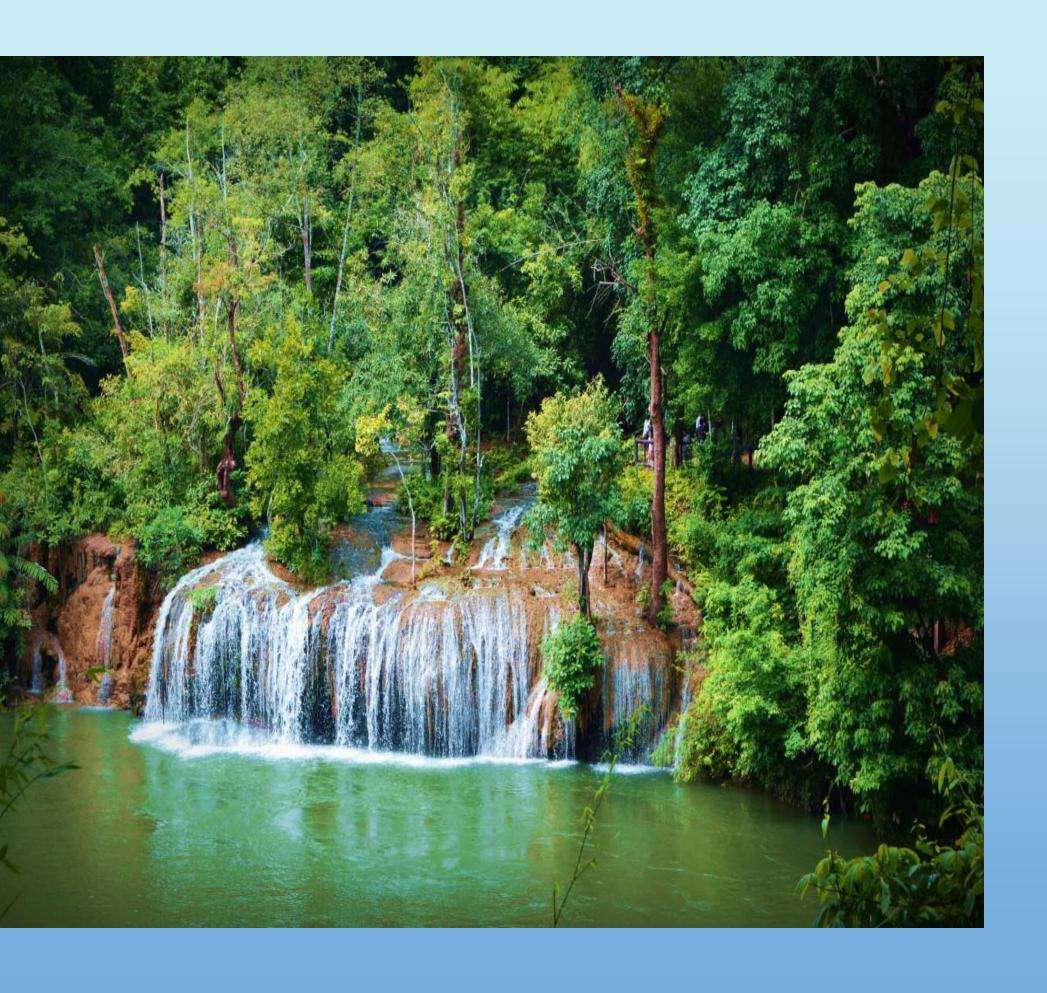
The **Environmental Protection** Act 1986 has several key provisions, including the establishment of pollution control boards, regulation of hazardous substances, and prevention and control of environmental pollution. The act also provides for public participation in environmental decision-making and the right to seek compensation for environmental damage.





# ROLE OF POLLUTION CONTROL BOARDS

The **pollution control boards** established under the Environmental Protection Act 1986 play a crucial role in enforcing environmental laws and regulations. They monitor and regulate the discharge of pollutants into air, water, and soil, and take action against violators. The boards also conduct research and create awareness about environmental issues.



## IMPACT OF THE ACT

Act 1986 has had a significant impact on environmental protection and management in India. It has helped in the reduction of pollution levels and conservation of natural resources. The act has also led to the creation of environmental awareness and the adoption of sustainable practices by industries and individuals.

# CONCLUSION

•THE **ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT 1986** IS A CRUCIAL LEGISLATION FOR SAFEGUARDING OUR ECOSYSTEM AND PROMOTING SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT. IT HAS PROVIDED A FRAMEWORK FOR ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND MANAGEMENT IN INDIA AND HAS HAD A SIGNIFICANT IMPACT IN REDUCING POLLUTION LEVELS AND CONSERVING NATURAL RESOURCES. IT IS ESSENTIAL TO CONTINUE TO ENFORCE AND STRENGTHEN THIS ACT TO ENSURE A SUSTAINABLE FUTURE FOR GENERATIONS TO COME.



