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Respected Sir,

With the onset of winter season, Delhi faces a critical phase of air pollution due to metrological conditions like wind pattern, low temperature etc. which aggravates the pollution level specially concentration of particulate $PM_{2.5}$ and PM_{10} in Delhi's air.

The detailed analysis of ambient air data shows that particulate matters like $PM_{2.5}$ and PM_{10} ; gaseous pollutants like NO_2 , CO and secondary pollutants like NH_3 show an increasing trend in the month of October and November which coincide with agricultural burning in neighbouring states.

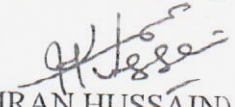
The events of major agriculture fires were observed and reported by NASA Aqua Satellite natural color image with the Moderate Resolution Imaging Spectroradiometer (MODIS) in the previous years and same is available in public domain.

May, I, therefore, request you to kindly issue necessary instructions for preventing burning of agriculture residue.

I am sure that with concerted efforts we would be able to prevent and control air pollution in the region.

With warm regards,

Yours sincerely,


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