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B-29016/04/06/IPC-I/ 11769

To

M/s Jagriti Drapes,  
New Rishalu Road,  
Panipat, Haryana- 132103

**Sub: Directions under Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 -reg.**

WHEREAS, the textile dyeing industries are identified as one of the Grossly Polluting Industries which have been discharging effluents directly or indirectly on land and into water, having potential threat to cause adverse effect on land and the ambient water quality; and

WHEREAS, the Central Government has notified the standards for discharge of environmental pollutants from various categories of industries under the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 and the rules framed thereunder; and

WHEREAS, it is obligatory on the part of industries to install and operate Effluent Treatment plant (ETP) to comply with the effluent discharge standards as notified under the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 and the Rules framed thereunder and also to meet the consent conditions granted by State Pollution Control Board (SPCB)/ Pollution Control Committees (PCCs); and

WHEREAS, Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in the matter of Paryavaran Suraksha Samiti Vs Union of India & Others dated 22/02/2017 directed that no industry which requires "consent to operate" from the concerned Pollution Control Board, is permitted to function, unless it has a functional effluent treatment plant, which is capable to meet the prescribed norms for removing the pollutants from the effluent, before it is discharged; and

WHEREAS, a team of officers from the Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB), Delhi inspected M/s Jagriti Drapes, New Rishalu Road, Panipat, Haryana (herein after referred as the Unit) on May 28, 2018 to assess the adequacy of the existing pollution control measures; and

WHEREAS, the inspecting team found the Unit operational and observed the following:

1. The Effluent treatment plant of the Unit was found non-operational during the inspection.
2. The Unit was bypassing untreated effluent during the inspection. The analysis results of the outlet sample were exceeding the prescribed limit of the consent w.r.t parameters COD (1157 mg/l > 250 mg/l) & BOD (384 mg/l > 30 mg/l).

WHEREAS, in view of the above and in exercise of powers vested under Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, the following directions were issued vide letter no. B-29016/04/06/IPC-I/663 dated July 24, 2018:

1. The Unit shall close all the plant operations with immediate effect.

2. The Unit shall operate Effluent Treatment Plant (ETP) properly so as to achieve prescribed standards for effluent discharge.
3. The Unit shall comply with the conditions prescribed in the consent issued by Haryana State Pollution Control Board.
4. The Unit shall not resume operation without compliance to above directions and prior permission of CPCB.

WHEREAS, Unit replied vide letters dated August 20, 2018 that the unit has complied with all the direction dated July 24, 2018 issued by CPCB, the plant operations has already been closed down w.e.f. August 11, 2018 as per CPCB direction and requested to revoke the closure direction; and

WHEREAS, the unit has submitted the undertaking for compliance on stamp paper, third party analysis report from M/s Haryana Test House & Consultancy Services for the treated effluent, valid CTO up to September 30, 2020; and

WHEREAS, CPCB constituted a Three-member committee vide office order dated 03.10.2017 having representative(s) from CPCB and MoEF&CC for examination and recommendation for revocation of the closure direction issued by CPCB; and

WHEREAS, the three-member committee in its meeting held on 29.08.2018 examined the compliance report submitted by the Unit and recommended that the Unit shall submit ETP system adequacy report from expert Government Institution; and

WHEREAS, the Unit submitted an adequacy report dated August 31, 2018 from Deenbandhu Chhoturam University of Science & Technology, Sonapat, Haryana; and

WHEREAS, the Three-member committee in its meeting held on 14.09.2018 examined the compliance report submitted by the Unit and recommended for revocation of closure direction with following conditions that:

1. The Unit shall submit performance audit report of ETP from expert Government Institution within 60 days of start of operation.
2. The Unit shall submit monthly log book data of ETP for one month to CPCB.
3. The Unit shall get compliance verification from Haryana State Pollution Control Board and submit the report to CPCB within three months.

WHEREAS, the Ministry of Environment & Forests, Government of India, vide Notifications No. S. O. 157 (E) of 27.02.1996 and S. O. 730 (E) dated 10.07.2002, has delegated the powers vested under Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 (29 of 1986) to the Chairman, Central Pollution Control Board, to issue directions to any industry or any local body or any other authority for violations of the standards and rules notified under the Environment (Protection) Rules, 1986 and amendment thereof.

**NOW, THEREFORE,** in exercise of powers vested to the Chairman, Central Pollution Control Board under Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, and in view of the compliance of above directions

and the affidavit produced by the unit, the directions issued under Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 to the Unit M/s Jagriti Drapes, New Rishalu Road, Panipat, Haryana vide letter dated July 24, 2018 is hereby revoked with following conditions:

1. The Unit shall submit performance audit report from expert Government Institution within 60 days of start of operation.
2. The Unit shall submit monthly log book data of ETP for one month to CPCB.
3. The Unit shall comply with the effluent & emission norms prescribed in the consent to operate issued by Haryana State Pollution Control Board under the Water Act, 1974 and the Air Act, 1981.
4. The Unit shall get compliance verification from Haryana State Pollution Control Board and submit the report to CPCB within three months.

In case of non-compliance by the Unit action as deemed fit under the provisions of Environment (P) Act, 1986 shall be taken.

  
(Arun Kumar Mehta)  
Chairman  


Copy to:

1. The Chairman  
Haryana State Pollution Control Board  
C-11, Sector - 6  
Panchkula-134109  
Haryana : With request to compliance verification of the unit within three month.
2. The Advisor (CP Division)  
Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change  
Prithvi Wing, 2nd Floor, Room No. 216  
Indira Paryavaran Bhawan  
Aliganj, Jor Bagh Road  
New Delhi - 110003
3. The Managing Director,  
Uttar Haryana Bijli Vitran Nigam Ltd.  
(UHBVNL) Vidyut Sadan,  
Plot No: C16, Sector-6  
Panchkula 134109, Haryana : With request to restore industrial Electricity supply of the Unit.
4. The Incharge, Regional Directorate  
Central Pollution Control Board  
Ground & First Floor, PICUP Bhawan  
Vibhuti Khand, Gomti Nagar  
Lucknow - 226 020

5. I/c, IT, CPCB

6. I/c, IPC-I

  
(Prashant Gargava)  
Member Secretary