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File No. B-751 (418)/Tannery/WQM-II/CPCB/2017-18

Date: 29-08-2017

To,

**M/s Raja Leather Finishers,
192/184 Ram Rai Sarai,
Jajmau, Kanpur, U.P.**

**DIRECTION UNDER SECTION 5 OF THE ENVIRONMENT (PROTECTION)
ACT, 1986**

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 rules framed there under; and

WHEREAS, Tannery industries have been identified as one of the Grossly Polluting Industries (GPIs) which have been discharging environmental pollutants directly or indirectly into the ambient air and water, having potential threat to cause adverse effect on the water and air quality; and

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 emission and effluent standards and rules notified under the Environment (Protection) Rules, 1986 and amendment thereof; and

WHEREAS, it is obligatory on the part of industries to install effluent treatment plants (ETPs) to comply with the effluent discharged standards as notified under the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 and the rules framed there under and also to meet the consent conditions granted by State Pollution Control Board (SPCBs)/Pollution Control Committees (PCCs); and

WHEREAS, M/s Raja Leather Finishers, 192/184 Ram Rai Sarai, Jajmau, Kanpur, U.P. (hereinafter referred as the 'Unit') is involved in raw hide to leather finishing work; and

WHEREAS, a team of officials deputed by Central Pollution Control Board inspected the unit on March 24, 2017 to assess the adequacy of the existing pollution control measures; and

WHEREAS, CPCB issued direction under section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 dated 13-06-2017 to the unit to close all plant operations till compliance of the following:

1. The Unit shall upgrade its effluent treatment plant to meet the standard of suspended solid.

WHEREAS, the Unit's reply vide letter dated 12-07-2017 was examined and following observations made:

1. The unit has dedicated PETP to treat the waste water generated for the process.
2. The unit has taken following measures for TSS reduction:

- a) The unit has installed micro & fine screen bar at different places in effluent channel.
 - b) The unit has also installed the new chambers size (3x3) at inlet of PETP.
 - c) The unit has installed one more chemical dosing drum along with the Lime, Acid & Alum for Poly which will reduce the TSS and coagulated the fine particle by flocculation agglomeration of de-established particles to take the form of large particle by adding poly (High molecular weight water soluble organic poly).
 - d) The unit has submitted that BOD is not applicable in our PETP.
3. The unit has provided self certificate of closure of the unit w.e.f. 24-07-2017.

WHEREAS, the unit has submitted an undertaking on stamp paper. The unit has installed OCEMS (flow meter) and separate meter at fresh water withdrawal point as well as at PETP (discharge point); and

NOW THEREFORE, in view of the above mentioned observations and in exercise of the powers delegated to the Chairman CPCB, under section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, the unit's Closure directions dated 13.06.2017 is revoked herewith and directed to comply with the following direction:

1. The Unit shall operate ETP properly so as to ensure compliance with the effluent discharge norms notified under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986. At any stage, if the treated effluent does not meet notified discharge standards the unit shall close down manufacturing operations immediately and report to CPCB.
2. The unit shall ensure continuous connectivity with CPCB server.

In case of failure of the unit **M/s Raja Leather Finishers, 192/184, Ram Rai Sarai, Jajmau, Kaupur, U.P.** to comply with the norms, action as deemed appropriate will be taken under provisions of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.

(S. P. SINGH PARIHAR)
CHAIRMAN

Copy to:

1. **Chairman** :For information please
Uttar Pradesh Pollution Control Board,
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2. **The Advisor** (CP Division) :For information please
Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change,
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3. **The Regional Director**
Regional Directorate (N),
Central Pollution Control Board,
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4. **The District Magistrate**
Collectorate Office, Distt. Kanpur
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:For information please

5. **The Chairman**
Uttar Pradesh Power Corporation Ltd.,
Shakti Bhawan, 14 Ashok Marg, Lucknow-226001
(U.P.)

:With the request to re-connect the
electricity supply to the unit.

6. ✓ **In charge**, IT Division, CPCB, Delhi

7. Master copy (Tannery), CPCB, Delhi

(A. B. AKOLKAR)
MEMBER SECRETARY