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To

The Chairman
Haryana State Pollution Control Board
C-11, SEC- 6, Panchkula
Haryana

Directions under Section 18(1)(b) the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, regarding pollution caused by M/s Sushila Devi Enterprises, located at H.No. 4123, near Guru ji ka School & Goyal Dharamshala, Moh.- Sanghiwada, Tehsil & Distt.- Rewari, Haryana; in the matter of letter petition received from the Additional Registrar, Supreme Court of India

WHEREAS, amongst others, under Section 17 of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, one of the functions of the Pollution Control Boards/Committees, constituted under Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, is to plan a comprehensive programme for the prevention, control or abatement of air pollution in the concerned state/Union Territory and to secure the execution thereof; and

WHEREAS, a complaint of Ms. Javitri Devi was received through the letter petition from the Additional Registrar, Supreme Court of India vide Dy. No. 17535/SC/PIL(E)/2018, dated May 31, 2018 regarding pollution caused by M/s Sushila Devi Enterprises, located at H.N. 4123, near Guru ji ka School & Goyal Dharamshala, Moh.-Sanghiwada, Tehsil & Distt. - Rewari, Haryana (Copy of the said letter petition is enclosed); and

WHEREAS, upon receiving the letter petition, a CPCB team inspected M/s Sushila Devi Enterprises, located at H.No. 4123, near Guru ji ka School & Goyal Dharamshala, Moh. - Sanghiwada, Tehsil & Distt. - Rewari, Haryana on 14.06.2018 to investigate the matter. The inspection team made following observations:

- a) The Unit receives semi-finished copper utensils (Jug and glass) and carries out finishing work using lathe machine and a polishing/grinding machine.
- b) The operations carried out in the Unit are mechanical without use of water or fuel. Hence, there is no generation of water/air pollution.
- c) The Unit does not melt the metal as claimed in the complaint. The only problem that may arise is the noise due to operation of lathe and grinding machines.
- d) The Unit was found operating without NOC/Consent from the Haryana State Pollution Control Board.

NOW THEREFORE, in view of the observations made by the inspection team and in exercise of the powers delegated to the Chairman, CPCB under section 18(1)(b) of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, the following directions are issued to the Haryana State Pollution Control Board for compliance:


1. The Haryana State Pollution Control Board shall ensure that M/s Sushila Devi Enterprises is allowed to operate only after obtaining the valid consent to operate and the unit has provided necessary and adequate measures to control noise pollution in plant operation.

The Haryana State Pollution Control Board shall acknowledge receipt of the direction and submit action taken report within a month from the date of receipt of these directions.

(S.P. Singh Parihar)
Chairman

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