

April 25, 2017

To,

The Member Secretary
Punjab Pollution Control Board
Vatavaran Bhawan, Nabha Road
Patiala – 147 001
Punjab

Sub: Directions under section 18(1) (b) of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 & the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, in the matter of public grievance of Shri Kuldeep Singh, resident of Rampur Sainian Tehsil Derabassi, Dist Mohali, Punjab

Sir,

WHEREAS under Section 17 of the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, one of the functions of the Punjab Pollution Control Board, constituted under Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 is to plan a comprehensive programme for the Prevention, Control or Abatement of Water Pollution in the State of Punjab and to secure the execution thereof:

WHEREAS under Section 17 of the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, one of the functions of the Punjab Pollution Control Board, 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 State of Punjab and to secure the execution thereof:

WHEREAS a Public Grievance of Shri Kuldeep Singh, Resident of Rampur Sainian Tehsil Derabassi, Dist Mohali, Punjab was received in CPCB regarding severe flies/odour problem and water pollution causing adverse effect on health on the residents due to operation of various Poultry Farms in the area of village Sunderpur, Barwala, Kaami, Sultanpur, Raipur Rani, Pachkula, Haryana and Rampur Sainian Bhagwanpur, Behra Fatehpur, Derabassi, Mohali Punjab.

WHEREAS In reference to the Public Grievance of Shri Kuldeep Singh, Resident of Rampur Sainian Tehsil Derabassi, Dist Mohali, Punjab, a joint inspection by Central Pollution Control Board, Haryana Pollution Control Board, Regional office Punchkula and Punjab Pollution Control Board, Regional Office, Mohali was carried out on 21.10.2016, in the area of village Sunderpur, Barwala, Kaami, Sultanpur, Raipur Rani, Pachkula, Haryana and Rampur Sainian Bhagwanpur, Behra Fatehpur, Derabassi, Mohali Punjab.

WHEREAS joint inspection report of Central Pollution Control Board, Haryana Pollution Control Board, Regional office Punchkula and Punjab Pollution Control Board, Regional Office, Mohali was sent to Punjab Pollution Control Board vide this office letter no. B-4002/PCI-SSI/Poultry/2016 dated 21.12.2016 to take necessary action against the defaulting units and provide the Action Taken Report to CPCB. But no action taken in the matter so far.

WHEREAS Shri Kuldeep Singh, Resident of Rampur Sainian Tehsil Derabassi, Dist Mohali, Punjab, through online grievance registered as MOEAF/E/2017/00591 dated April 14, 2017, again raised the concerned that flies are on peak and causing nuisance and health problems, and requesting for action in the matter.

NOW, THEREFORE, in reference to the recommendations of the joint inspection report of Central Pollution Control Board, Haryana Pollution Control Board, Regional office Punchkula and Punjab Pollution Control Board, Regional Office, Mohali in exercise of powers conferred under

section 18 (1) (b) of the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, and Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 the following directions are issued to Punjab Pollution Control Board for compliance.

1. To take action under the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 against the defaulting unit M/s Royal Poultry Farms, Village Behra, Barwala Road, Derabassi, Punjab, mentioned in the joint inspection report found not complying with the notified guidelines of poultry farms.
2. To keep periodic vigil on the M/s ENN ELL Poultry Farms, Village Bhagwanpur, Dist Mohali, Punjab mentioned in the Joint Inspection report to ensure control of flies and compliance of the Notified Guidelines.
3. To ensure Good Housekeeping by all Poultry farms and provide Flies Breeding/Killing control systems and if failed to do so, the operation of such poultry farms should be stopped immediately.

The Action Taken Report shall be submitted to the Central Pollution Control Board within 30 days from the date of receipt of these directions.



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Chairman

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