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CENTRAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

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MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT FOREST & CLIMATE CHANGE GOVT. OF INDIA
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SPEED POST

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To

M/s Brahmaputra Valley Fertilizer Corporation Limited,
Namrup, P.O. - Parbatpur,
Dist. - Dibrugarh
Assam- 786623

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

WHEREAS, Fertilizer units are identified as one of the 17 categories of highly polluting industries 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, a direction under section 18 (1) (b) of the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 was issued on February 05, 2014 to all the State Pollution Control Boards (SPCBs)/ Pollution Control Committees (PCCs) for installation of online emission monitoring system w.r.t. Urea Plants – PM, CAN/NPK/Ammonium Nitrite – PM, Ammonia, Fluoride, DAP plants – PM, Fluoride & SSP plants – PM, Fluoride parameters & online effluent monitoring system w.r.t. pH, Ammonical Nitrogen, Fluoride & Flow parameters in Fertilizer industries; and

WHEREAS, it was clarified that flow meter & web camera may be installed in case of Units with zero liquid discharge (ZLD) by March 31, 2015 vide guidelines uploaded on website of CPCB dated November 7, 2014; and

WHEREAS on the basis of SMS alerts generated by online monitoring system during a period of October 15, 2017 to November 15, 2017, a team of officers from the Regional Directorate, Central Pollution Control Board, Shillong visited the unit on December 18, 2017 and December 19, 2017 to assess the adequacy of the existing pollution control measures; and

WHEREAS it was observed that the unit is exceeding effluent discharge standards norms w.r.t. pH (9.4 > 8.5) and Ammonical nitrogen (86.24 mg/l > 50 mg/l); and

WHEREAS it was observed that the unit has not provided port hole in the stack for manual monitoring of stack emission; and

WHEREAS it was observed that unit was discharging effluent generated from regeneration of media of DM plant without treatment; and

WHEREAS, on the basis of above stated observations directions under Section 5 of Environment (Protection) Act 1986, were issued by Central Pollution Control Board on January 29, 2018 to **M/s Brahmaputra Valley Fertilizer Corporation Limited, Namrup, P.O. - Parbatpur, Dist.- Dibrugarh, Assam** to close down all operational activities with immediate effect; and

WHEREAS, the Unit has submitted an undertaking of January 18, 2018 that it has complied with all directions issued by CPCB and if plant is found non-compliant during verification by CPCB officials, the Unit will accept to close down operations immediately and shall not operate till full compliance is achieved; 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 16.03.2018 examined the compliance report submitted by the Unit and recommended that the Unit may be allowed to resume operations with conditions that:

1. The unit will submit performance audit report of Effluent Treatment Plant (ETP) from government approved organisation within 45 days of issuing this direction.

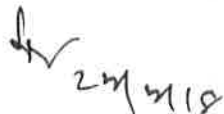
2. The unit will submit one-month data of daily analysis report of treated effluent.

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; and

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of powers vested to chairman CPCB under Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, and in view of undertaking submitted by unit under reference, the directions issued under Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 to the **M/s Brahmaputra Valley Fertilizer Corporation Limited, Namrup, P.O. - Parbatpur, Dist.- Dibrugarh, Assam** vide letter dated January 29, 2018 is hereby revoked subject to compliance of following directions:


1. **The unit will submit performance audit report of Effluent Treatment Plant (ETP) from government approved organisation within 45 days of issuing this direction.**
2. **The unit will submit one-month data of daily analysis report of treated effluent.**

The Unit shall ensure compliance to the norms. In case of non-compliance observed by the Unit, action as deemed fit under the provisions of Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 shall be taken.


(S. P. Singh Parihar)
Chairman

Copy to:

1. The Chairman
Assam State Pollution Control Board
Maniram Dewan Rd, Anuradha
Bamunimaidan, Guwahati
Guwahati - 781 021
2. The Chairman
Assam Power Distribution Co. Ltd. : With request to restore electricity supply
Bujilee Bhawan, of unit.
6th Floor, Paltan Bazar
Guwahati- 781001
3. The Advisor (CP Division)
Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change
Priithvi Wing, 2nd Floor, Room No. 216, Indira
Paryavaran Bhawan Aliganj, Jor Bagh Road, New Delhi - 110003
4. The Regional Director
Central Pollution Control Board : To re inspect the unit within 45 days
"TUM-SIR", Lower Motinagar of resumption of operations.
Near Fire Brigade H.Q.
Shillong-793 014
5. The Incharge, IT, CPCB
6. IPC-VI


(A. Sudhakar)
Member Secretary