



केन्द्रीय प्रदूषण नियंत्रण बोर्ड  
CENTRAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD  
पर्यावरण, वन एवं जलवायु परिवर्तन मंत्रालय भारत सरकार  
MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST & CLIMATE CHANGE GOVT. OF INDIA

**Speed Post**

B-33014/7/2018/IPC-II/

April 19, 2018

To

**The Unit Head**

Alsthom Industries Ltd.  
Village: Baghjap  
P.O. Jagi-Bhakatgaon  
Distt.-Morigaon  
Assam - 782 410

**Sub: Direction under section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.**

WHEREAS, the cement industries 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, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change (MoEF&CC) has notified emission norms for Particulate Matter, SO<sub>2</sub> & NO<sub>x</sub> vide GSR 612 (E) dated 25.08.2014; and amended it vide GSR 496 (E) dated 09.05.2016 for all cement industries and vide GSR 497 (E) dated 10.05.2016 for cement industries carrying out co-processing of wastes in their cement kilns; and

WHEREAS, on request of cement industries, timeline was extended upto March 31, 2017, to comply with the aforesaid notified emission standards; and

WHEREAS, the matter regarding reconsideration of notified standards was taken up by the Cement Manufacturers Association with the Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change (MoEF&CC). In this context, it has been decided by MoEF&CC that general extension shall not be granted and any extension regarding compliance shall be based on due assessment and submission of clear/specific road map for compliance with notified standards in a time bound manner. Accordingly, Directions under Section 3 of Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 have been issued by MoEF&CC to CPCB on 28.03.2017, to ensure implementation of notified environmental standards for cement industries; and

WHEREAS, the unit was reminded vide this office letter of even no. dated 30.03.2017 that new notified standards for cement industry have become effective from April 01, 2017 and directed to submit clear/specific time-bound action plan for compliance of new notified standards before April 30, 2017; and

WHEREAS, series of meetings were convened by Regional Directorates of CPCB with Cement industries and State Pollution Control Boards to expedite the submission of action plans and ensure compliance. Based on the inputs received, a standard format was developed to facilitate cement industries in submission of action plans in a precise & scientific manner and the same was circulated among cement manufacturers. Accordingly, all the cement industries were directed to submit the specific action plan as per the standard format before 30.04.2017; and

WHEREAS, copies of all such communications/directions were uploaded on the website of CPCB also from time to time and are available; and

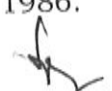
WHEREAS, as per action plan submitted dated 27.04.2017, it was claimed that the unit had already complied the revised emission norms; and

WHEREAS, CPCB RD-Shillong inspected M/s Alsthom Industries Ltd., P.O. Jagi-Bhakatgaon, Distt.-Morigaon, Assam, during January 15-16, 2018 to verify compliance of emission norms and based on the observations of the inspecting team show cause notice was issued to the unit on 06.03.2018, requiring corrective measures/action plan to comply w.r.t. the shortcomings mentioned in show cause notice; and

WHEREAS, vide letter dated 28.03.2018 and vide email dated 13.04.2018 reply of the show cause notice has been received from the unit. The unit has submitted compliance status of all the points except point no. 1 of show cause notice which was related to compliance of PM emission and requested time upto 30.04.2018 to comply with PM emission norms at Cement Mill; and

WHEREAS, the Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Government of India, vide Notification 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;

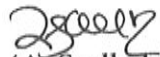
Now, THEREFORE, in view of the above and exercising the powers delegated to the Chairman, Central Pollution Control Board under section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, M/s Alsthom Industries Ltd., P.O. Jagi-Bhakatgaon, Distt.-Morigaon, Assam is hereby directed to comply with PM emission norm at Cement Mill and submit compliance report alongwith stack emission monitoring report from an Environment (Protection) Act recognized laboratory as documentary evidence by 30.04.2018. In case of failure, the Board will be constrained to initiate action as deemed appropriate under the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.

  
22.4.18  
**(S.P. S. Parihar)**  
**Chairman**



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1	The Chairman Assam Pollution Control Board Bamunimaida Guwahati - 781 021, Assam	For information & ensuring compliance please.
2	The Regional Director Regional Directorate (North-East) Central Pollution Control Board TUM- SIR, Lower Motinagar Near Fire Brigade H.Q. Shillong - 793014	For information please.
3	The Additional Secretary (AKM) Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change Prithvi Wing, 2nd Floor, Room No. 216 Indira Paryavaran Bhawan Aliganj, JorBagh Road, New Delhi - 110003	
4	The Divisional Head, IT, CPCB, Delhi	
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(A. Sudhakar)  
Member Secretary

