

SPEED POST

F. No. 751(428)/Tannery/WQM-II/CPCB/2017-18

Date: 29-05-2018

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04.06.2018

To,

M/s Sultan Tanners,
18, Leather Complex,
Site-2, Industrial Area, Unnao (U.P)

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

WHEREAS, the Tannery industries are 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, there is need to inculcate habit of self-monitoring within the industries for complying with the prescribed standards and this can be achieved by the methods like installing online effluent & emission monitoring devices; and

WHEREAS, it is obligatory on the part of industries to install effluent treatment plants (ETPs) to comply with the effluent discharge 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, 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

WHEREAS, M/s Sultan Tanners, 18, Leather Complex, Site-2, Industrial Area, Unnao (hereafter referred to as the 'Unit') is a Tannery industry and was inspected by CPCB officials on 29.05.2017 for verification of compliance and following observations were made:

- (i) During the inspection, the unit and PETP were found operational.
- (ii) The unit is not registered at the CPCB portal.
- (iii) The unit is a member of CETP, Unnao Site-2. Installed electromagnetic flow meter at the outlet of PETP.
- (iv) The unit has installed online effluent monitoring system for the parameters of flow, pH and TSS. However, only flow parameter is connected to CPCB server.
- (v) The unit is complying with the stipulated effluent discharge norms of its PETP for pH 8.62 (norms 6.5-9.0), TSS 582 mg/l (norms 600 mg/l) and Total Chromium 0.25 mg/l (norms 2.0 mg/l), as a member of CETP.
- (vi) CRP was not in operation.
- (vii) The unit has not obtained NOC from Central Ground Water Authority (CGWA) however has applied for the same.
- (viii) The unit has valid consent till 30.06.2017 and authorization till 22.06.2018.

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WHEREAS, CBCB issued Show-cause Notice dated 16.06.2017, under Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, to the unit;

AND WHEREAS, the Unit replies vide letters dated 04.07.2017 and 08.05.2018 were examined and the following observation are made:

- (i) The unit is found registered on CPCB portal.
- (ii) The unit has submitted Self-Certificate.
- (iii) The unit has provided copy of Applications for CTO under Water Act, 1974 and Air Act, 1981.

NOW THEREFORE, in view of the above observations and in exercise of the powers delegated to the Chairman, Central Pollution Control Board under section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act 1986, the Show Cause Notice dated 16.06.2017 is revoked and the unit M/s Sultan Tanners, 18, Leather Complex, Site-2, Industrial Area, Unnao is hereby directed to comply with the following directions:

- (i) The unit shall take necessary action to ensure that primary treated effluent discharged by the unit will always comply the PETP standards prescribed by UPPCB / inlet to CETP standards and ensure that PETP effluent is treated into the CETP.
- (ii) The unit shall submit copy of application to Central Ground Water Authority (CGWA) for permission to abstract ground water for industrial use.

In case of failure of the unit to comply with the directions, action will be taken in accordance with the provisions under the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.

(S.P. SINGH PARIHAR)
CHAIRMAN

Copy to:

- 1 The Member Secretary**
Uttar Pradesh Pollution Control Board,
Building No. TC-12V, Vibhuti Khand,
Gomti Nagar, Lucknow – 226 010

With a request to ensure
compliance of the directions.
- 2 Joint Secretary**
Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change
Prithvi Block, Indira Paryavaran Bhawan,
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For kind information
pls.
- 3 The Incharge, Regional Office (North),
Central Pollution Control Board,**
PICUP Bhawan, Ground Floor,
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For information.
- ✓ **4** In-charge, IT Division, CPCB

For information.
- 5** In-charge, WQM-II Div., CPCB Delhi



(A. SUDHAKAR)
MEMBER SECRETARY