

SPEED POST / E-mail

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Dated 24.11.2017

To,

M/s Camphor Allied & Products Ltd.,
P.O. – Clutterbuckganj,
Distt- Bareilly-243502,
Uttar Pradesh

Direction Under Section 5 of The Environment (Protection) Act, 1986- revoke reg.

WHEREAS, Chemical units are identified as one of the grossly 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, M/s Camphor Allied & Products Ltd., P.O. Clutterbuckganj, District-Bareilly-243502, Uttar Pradesh (hereafter referred to as the 'Unit') is manufacturing camphor products; and

WHEREAS, the Central Government has notified the standards for discharge of environmental pollutants from various categories of industries under the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 and the rules framed there under; and

WHEREAS, it is obligatory on the part of industries to install effluent treatment plants (ETPs) to comply with the effluent discharged 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 Unit was inspected under the order of Hon'ble NGT dated 13.07.2017 by the joint team of NMCG, MoEF & CC, CPCB, UPJN and UPPCB on 03.08.2017 and observed the following:

The Unit was found non-complying w.r.t. prescribed discharge standards as ETP outlet sample analysis shows BOD: 105 mg/l against the prescribed limits of 30 mg/l and COD: 288 mg/l ("though the COD not mentioned in the norms but COD shall be monitored).

AND WHEREAS, Hon'ble NGT in its order dated 13.07.2017 in OA No. 200 of 2014 in the matter of M.C. Mehta Vs Union of India & Others pronounced judgment "The inspection team shall inspect these industries and issue directions for strict compliance to ensure that the effluent from these industries completely recycled and if not, the effluent discharged complies strictly with the prescribed parameter without default. In the event if they violate any of the conditions imposed by the Joint Inspection Team these industries will be liable to shut down.

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 emission and effluent standards and rules notified under the Environment (Protection) Rules, 1986 and amendment thereof; and

WHEREAS, CPCB issued closure direction dated 07.11.2017 under Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, and

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WHEREAS, the Unit replies vide letters dated 14-11-2017 and 20-11-2017 were examined and following observations are made:

1. The unit has submitted self-certificate mentioning that it has closed the manufacturing operations w.e.f. 19/11/2017.
2. The unit has submitted undertaking/affidavit in the required format.
3. The unit has installed OCEMS and submitted the snapshot showing connectivity with CPCB server.
4. The unit has upgraded the Effluent Treatment Plant (ETP) last month and completed the following works:
 - (i) Increased capacity of the Equalization Tank from the old 80 KL to 400 KL .
 - (ii) The unit has added MBBR media in to Aeration Tank for improvement of MLSS to reduce the BOD.
5. The unit has submitted detail report of upgraded ETP with treatment units sizes, drawing and photographs.
6. The unit has installed Four stage Vacuum Jet to improve the production process, resulting in less waste generation.
7. The unit has consent to operate (valid upto 31.12.2017) under Water Act and Air Act.

AND WHEREAS, CPCB constituted a three-member committee vide office order dated 27.09.2017 having representative from CPCB, MoEF &CC and NMCG for examination and recommendation for revocation of the closure direction issued by CPCB; and

WHEREAS, the three member committee in its meeting held on 22.11.2017 examined the documents submitted by the Unit and recommended to resume operation with the following conditions-

- (i) the unit shall ensure the treated effluent BOD not to exceed 30mg/L .
- (ii) the unit shall submit treated effluent analysis report from laboratory recognized under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, within 30 days from resumption of operations.

NOW THEREFORE, in view of the above mentioned observations and in exercise of the powers delegated to the Chairman CPCB, under section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, the unit namely **M/s Camphor Allied & Products Ltd., P.O. Clutterbuckganj, District- Bareilly, Uttar Pradesh** is directed to comply with the following directions:

1. The Unit shall always ensure compliance with the effluent discharge norms notified under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 and the treated effluent BOD shall not exceed 30mg/L.
2. The Unit shall immediately inform to CPCB regarding the resumption of manufacturing operations.
3. The unit shall submit treated effluent analysis report by the Laboratory recognized under the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 within 30 days of resumption of the unit.

In case of default in compliance with the above directions, CPCB will be constrained to initiate action without any further notice, in accordance with the provisions of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.

(S. P. SINGH PARIHAR)
CHAIRMAN

Copy to:

- 1 **The Chairman,**
Uttar Pradesh Pollution Control Board
Building No. TC-12V, Vibhuti Khand,
Gomati Nagar, **Lucknow (UP)** : For information please.
- 2 **The Advisor (CP Division).**
Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate
Change, Indra Paryavaran Bhavan,
Jor Bagh Road, **New Delhi - 110 003** : For information please.
- 3 **The Regional Director (N),**
Central Pollution Control Board,
PICUP Bhawan, Vibhuti Khand,
Gomati Nagar, **Lucknow (UP)** : For the implementation and
compliance of the direction.
- 4 **District Magistrate**
District- Bareilly, Uttar Pradesh : For information please
- 5 **The Managing Director**
Madhyanchal Vidyut Vitaran Nigam Ltd.,
Head Office-: 4-A, Gokhle Marg,
Lucknow (UP) -226001 : With a request to Connect the
electricity supply to the Unit.
- ✓ 6 The In-charge IT Division, CPCB, Delhi : For information please
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- 8 In-charge , WQM-II Division, CPCB, Delhi



(A. SUDHAKAR)
MEMBER SECRETARY