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SPEED POST

December 22, 2017

To

M/s. Vani Pharma Labs Ltd., (Unit- II)
(Formerly M/s. Vani Chemicals and Intermediate),
Plot No.12, Ph-I, IDA, Jeedimetla, Hyderabad-500055
Telangana

Sub.: Directions under Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 regarding installation of on-line effluent and emission monitoring system-Show cause Notice

WHEREAS; the Pharmaceutical 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, M/s. Vani Pharma Labs Ltd., (Unit- II), Telangana (herein after referred to as the Unit) which comes under pharmaceutical category, has installed online flow meter and web camera as the Online continuous effluent Monitoring system (OCEMS) as it is sending effluent to common effluent treatment plant (CETP); and

WHEREAS, it was observed by the IT division of the CPCB that the Online continuous effluent Monitoring system (OCEMS) of the Unit was in offline mode during the month of 15 September-15 October 2017; and

WHEREAS, the Unit was inspected by a team of official(s) from the CPCB Regional Directorate, Bangalore on November 30, 2017 to assess the adequacy of the existing pollution control measures and online effluent monitoring system, observed as following:

- 1) The unit is not provided the dedicated area for storage of Hazardous waste.
- 2) The unit has store Hazardous waste since two years however as per HW authorization the unit has not store Hazardous waste more than 90 days.
- 3) The housekeeping in the unit is poor.
- 4) The Unit has installed the 2 web cameras focusing same disposal point instead of focusing one camera on disposal point and other on flow meters.

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.

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of powers vested under Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, a notice is hereby served to the Unit (M/s. Vani Pharma Labs Ltd., (Unit- II), Telangana) to show cause why the Unit should not be closed down as the Unit is not complying with respect to the above mentioned observations of the inspecting team.


The compliance of above direction (notice) shall be submitted to this office within 30 days of the receipt of the directions. In case of failure to comply with the said directions necessary action as deemed fit under the provision of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 will be taken by CPCB, which includes criminal prosecution of the Unit Head and levying penalty towards environmental compensation.


(S. P. Singh Parihar)
Chairman

27.12.17

Copy to:

1. The Chairman
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5. The Incharge, IPC-VI, CPCB


(A. Sudhakar)
Member Secretary