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CENTRAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD
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MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST & CLIMATE CHANGE GOVT. OF INDIA

SPEED POST

F. No. B-751 (422)/Tannery/WQM-II/ CPCB/2017 /15180

Date 22.12.2017

To,

M/s Ruksh Enterprises,
B-5 Leather Technology Park,
Banthar, Unnao, U.P

Directions under Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986- revoke 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, the Central Government has notified the general discharge standards of environmental pollutants from various categories of industries under the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 and the rules framed there under; and

WHEREAS, M/s Ruksh Enterprises, B-5 Leather Technology Park, Banthar, Unnao, U.P. (hereafter referred as Unit) is a tannery engaged in processing of raw leather and wet blue leather to produce finished leather; 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, the representative (s) of Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB) carried out inspection of the unit on 12.04.2017 for verification of compliance to the norms stipulated under the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 and following observations were made:

- (i) The unit has no connectivity of the Online Continuous Effluent Monitoring system (OCEMS).
- (ii) Treated effluent discharge exceeding the limit w.r.t pH-5.5 against (6.5-9.0) and TSS- 820mg/l against 600mg/l.
- (iii) The unit has not valid consent under Air Act 1981 and Water Act 1974.

WHEREAS, CPCB issued Closure direction dated 28.06.2017 under section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 to the Unit; and

WHEREAS, the Unit's reply vide letter dated 14.07.2017, 25.08.2017 and 11.09.2017 were examined and following observations are made:

- I. The unit has installed OCEMS and connected to CPCB portal.
- II. The unit has submitted undertaking and self-certificate wherein the unit has informed the stoppage of all the operation with effect from 30.08.2017.
- III. The unit has submitted copy of application of consent under Air and Water Act.
- IV. The unit has submitted adequacy assessment report of PETP prepared by IIT, Kanpur in Feb, 2014 and as per the adequacy report, PETP is adequate for attaining discharge of norms of PETP. The additional measures such as Mechanical screens, Mechanical Mixers in Equalization/Holding Tanks and for dosing of chemicals and pressure, filters for supernatant of chrome recovery unit are to ensure reliable performance.

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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 22/11/17 examined the replies dated 14.07.2017, 25.08.2017 and 11.09.2017 and recommended for the revoke of the closure directions with the following conditions:-

- I. The unit shall submit fresh (2017) Adequacy Report from reputed institute within 30 days for the resumption of operation.
- II. The unit shall obtain valid consent before resumption of the operation.
- III. The unit shall submit treated effluent quality analysis report from recognised laboratory under the Environment Protection act 1986 within 30 days after resume of operation.
- IV. The unit shall submit the photographs of complete PETP (each unit), piping and sizes of PETP units.
- V. The unit shall maintain the log-book for Chromium bearing sludge disposal and UPPCB will monitor the disposal of the same of authorized disposal site.

AND 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 closure direction dated 28.06.2017 issued to M/s Ruksh Enterprises, B-5 Leather Technology Park, Banthar, Unnao, U.P. is hereby revoked and the unit is directed to comply with the following direction:


- I. The unit shall remain closed and shall resume manufacturing operations after obtaining valid consent from UPPCB.
- II. The unit shall submit fresh (2017) adequacy report from reputed institute within 30 days from resumption of operation.
- III. The unit shall inform to CPCB about date of resumption of operation.
- IV. The unit shall submit treated effluent quality analysis report from recognised laboratory under the Environment Protection act 1986 within 30 days after resume of operation.
- V. The unit shall submit photographs of complete PETP (each unit), piping and sizes of PETP units.
- VI. The unit shall maintain the log-book for Chromium bearing sludge disposal and UPPCB will monitor the disposal of the same of authorized disposal site.

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.

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CHAIRMAN

Copy to:

- 1 **The Member Secretary**
Uttar Pradesh Pollution Control Board,
Building No. TC-12V, Vibhuti Khand, Gomti Nagar,
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With a request to ensure compliance of the directions.
- 2 **The Advisor (CP Division)**
Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change
Prithvi Block, Indira Paryavaran Bhawan,
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New Delhi – 110 003
For kind information pls.
- 3 **The District Magistrate**
Collectorate Office, Distt Unnao,
Unnao, Uttar Pradesh
For necessary action pls.
- 4 **Managing Director,**
Madhyanchal Vidyut Vitran Nigam Ltd,
Head Office, 4/A, Gokhle Marg,
Lukhnow (UP)
With the request to Re-connect Electricity / power supply.
- 5 **The Incharge, Regional Office (North),**
Central Pollution Control Board,
PICUP Bhawan, Ground Floor,
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Lucknow – 226 010.
For information.
- 6 In-charge, IT Division, CPCB Delhi
For information.
- 7 In-charge, WQM-II Div., CPCB Delhi
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