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CENTRAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD  
पर्यावरण, वन एवं जलवायु परिवर्तन मंत्रालय भारत सरकार  
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To,

M/s Modi Industries Ltd.,  
Modinagar, Ghaziabad,  
U.P.-201204

**DIRECTION UNDER SECTION 5 OF THE ENVIRONMENT (PROTECTION) ACT, 1986.**

**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**, the Ministry of Environment & Forests, Govt. of India, vide notification S.O.157(E) of 27.02.1996 has delegated powers vested under Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 (29 of 1986) to the Chairman, Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB), to issue direction to any industry, Municipal Corporation, Municipal Council, Cantonment Board to any local or other Authority for the violation of emission and effluent standards notified under the Environment (Protection) Rules, 1986; 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 thereunder and also to meet the consent conditions granted by State Pollution Control Board (SPCBs) / Pollution Control Committees (PCCs); and

**WHEREAS**, CPCB issued direction dated 05.06.2017 to the Unit under section 5 of Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 to the unit for carrying adequacy assessment of ETP; and

**WHEREAS**, CPCB received adequacy assessment report vide letter dt. 15.09.2017 on 19.09.2017 from the Unit prepared by VSI, Pune; and

**WHEREAS**, CPCB issued direction dated 27.11.2017 under section 5 of Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 to the Unit; and

**WHEREAS**, the Unit was inspected on 22.01.2018 by officials from CPCB, Delhi and following observations are made;

1. During the inspection, the Unit was found operational with a capacity of 4600 TCD. ETP of the Unit was in operation.
2. The Unit has installed the Oil & grease chamber at the ETP.
3. The Unit has applied for valid consent under Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 & Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 to UPPCB.

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M/s Modi Industries Ltd., Modinagar, Ghaziabad, U.P.

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4. The analysis of treated effluent sample shows pH-7.57 as against norms of 5.5-9.0, **BOD-34 mg/l** against norms of 30 mg/l, COD-151 mg/l against norms of 250 mg/l and **TSS-65 mg/l** against norms of 30 mg/l.
5. The Unit has not submitted the irrigation management plan.
6. The Unit has not submitted the revalidated ETP adequacy assessment report within 45 days from the date of resumption to CPCB.

**AND WHEREAS**, CPCB has issued show cause notice dt.19.03.2018 under Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 to the Unit; and

**WHEREAS**, the Unit has replied to the show cause notice dated 19.03.2018 vide letter dated 05.04.2018 along with the revalidated adequacy assessment reports and irrigation management plan prepared by VSI, Pune and as per the report following recommendations have been made by VSI, Pune;

1. The unit has installed flow meters to measure quantity of fresh water extraction, spray pond overflow, excess condensate, ETP inlet and outlet.
2. The unit has adopted dry cleaning.
3. Treated effluent was complying with the discharge norms.
4. The unit is having adequate treatment system for installed capacity of 5000 TCD and effluent generation is estimated as 96 l/t of cane crushed.

**AND WHEREAS**, CPCB through an Expert Committee comprising of experts from National Sugar Institute (NSI), Kanpur, Vasantdada Sugar Institute (VSI), IITs and representatives from sugar mills prepared a Charter for Water Recycling and Pollution Prevention (thereafter referred to as the Charter; and

**WHEREAS**, a meeting of sugar mills operating in Uttar Pradesh, representatives of UPPCB and CPCB was held on 06.07.2018 under Chairmanship of Principal Secretary, Sugar Industries and Sugarcane Development, Government of Uttar Pradesh and the following decisions are made;

1. Sugar Mills shall submit an action plan to CPCB by 20.07.2018 regarding the steps taken by them pertaining to the notices issued to them. Also they shall submit action plan to implement recommendations of their adequacy assessment report.
2. All sugar mills shall ensure implementation of Charter and shall submit action plan to CPCB by 20.08.2018.
3. All sugar mills shall ensure the upgradation of their ETP within August, 2018 so as to ensure no interruption in functioning of the ETP in the following seasons.
4. All sugar mills shall maintain a logbook on ETP operations on a daily basis.
5. ETP shall be operational at all times and all bypass arrangements should be dismantled with immediate effect.
6. MLSS in aeration tanks should be maintained at 2000-2500 mg/l.
7. All sugar units shall set up environmental laboratories for regular analysis of raw and treated effluent thereby ensuring proper functioning of the ETP.

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8. All sugar mills shall employ dedicated technicians for operating and regular maintenance of ETP and shall also ensure that the technicians are given proper training on ETP maintenance and lab analysis on regular basis.
9. To ensure proper training of the environmental technicians all sugar mills shall facilitate training of 5 employees.
10. All sugar mills may establish an Environment Management Cell at their level consisting of concerned officials in order to ensure compliance with environmental standards at industry level itself.

**AND WHEREAS**, the unit has not submitted their compliance status of the Charter.


**NOW, THEREFORE**, in view of the above observation, and exercising powers delegated to the Chairman, Central Pollution Control Board under section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, the unit (M/s Modi Industries Ltd., Modinagar, Ghaziabad, U.P) is directed to comply with the following directions before commencement of crushing season 2018-2019;

1. The unit shall implement the observation & recommendation of the revalidated adequacy assessment of ETP.
2. The unit shall install sealed flow meter along with running hours meter on bore wells so as to ascertain usage of fresh water for various uses.
3. The unit shall install flow meters at major areas of cold and hot water consumption.
4. The unit shall install flow meters for measuring generation of effluent from various prominent areas.
5. The unit shall maintain logbook for individual process unit for recording daily water consumption and effluent generation also.
6. The unit shall carry out colour coding of pipelines carrying recycled process water and fresh process.
7. The Unit shall commission mechanical sludge handling system of adequate capacity.
8. The unit shall carry out analysis of effluent discharge parameters notified under Environment (Protection) Rules, 1986 and logbook shall be maintained on daily basis.
9. The unit shall submit the implementation status of the Charter in the form of Affidavit and the documentary proof of the completion of the work as committed in the action plan.
10. The unit shall submit action plan, implementation status of the Charter and performance adequacy audit of ETP including actual assessment of water consumption and effluent generation duly validated by reputed government expert institute namely NSI Kanpur, VSI Pune, IITs during crushing season & submit the report to CPCB within 60 days of resumption of operation.

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In case of default in compliance with the above directions, CPCB will be constrained to initiate action against the Unit (M/s Modi Industries Ltd., Modinagar, Ghaziabad, U.P) without giving any further notice in accordance with the provisions of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.

  
20/11/12

(S.P.Singh Parihar)  
CHAIRMAN

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: With request to ensure compliance  
of the directions.

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compliance

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(PRASHANT GARGAVA)  
MEMBER SECRETARY