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To,

M/S. A.K. INDUSTRIES,
85-B, DADANAGAR,
KANPUR - 208022, UP

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DIRECTIONS UNDER SECTION 5 OF THE ENVIRONMENT (PROTECTION) ACT, 1986

WHEREAS, the Textile, Dyeing & Bleaching industries are identified as one of the 17 categories of highly polluting industries which have been discharging effluent 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 Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change, 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 standards and rules notified under the Environment (Protection) Rules, 1986 and amendment thereof; and

WHEREAS, the unit M/s. A. K. Industries, 85-B, Dadanagar, Kanpur-208022, UP (hereafter referred to as the 'Unit') is a textile unit; and

WHEREAS, CPCB issued directions to the Unit dated 16.03.2018 under section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 for compliance of following direction:

1. The unit may resume manufacturing operations only after obtaining valid consent to operate under Water and Air Acts with reduce discharge capacity as per application submitted to UPPCB.
2. The unit shall obtain NOC form CGWA for ground water abstraction.
3. The unit shall immediately inform to CPCB regarding the date of resumption of operations.
4. The unit shall operate ETP properly so as to ensure with the effluent discharge norms notified under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.
5. The unit shall submit treated effluent analysis report to CPCB within 45 days of resumption of operations from a laboratory recognized under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.
6. The Unit shall ensure continuous connectivity OCEMS with CPCB server.

AND WHEREAS, the Unit was inspected on 17.05.2018 by CPCB deputed third party technical institution namely Motilal Nehru National Institute of Technology (MNNIT), Allahabad, wherein, the Unit was observed in operation; and

WHEREAS, the unit reply dated 17.05.2018 was examined and following observations are made:

1. The unit has started the cleaning and maintenance operations.
2. While the unit was undergoing the cleaning and maintenance works, the team deputed from MNNIT, Allahabad arrived at plant on 17.05.2018 for inspection.

AND WHEREAS, the unit has not complied with CPCB directions dated 16.03.2018 till date; and

WHEREAS, Units reply dated 13.11.2018 was received with the following submission:

1. That the Unit is already having CTO, the UPPCB is of the opinion that the modified consent shall be issued after expiry of the validity of the existing consent & providing the necessary documents for reduction in discharge for the same the unit has already provided the UPPCB with their stock register and online flow meter monitoring data.

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2. The Unit has applied for NOC for ground water abstraction to CGWA.
3. As per Unit submission actual production started from 24.08.2018 and the same was intimated to CPCB.
4. The Unit submitted that *Unit is operating the installed ETP religiously & its ensured that the discharge is as per the stipulated norms.*
5. The Unit has submitted Laboratory test report from the final outlet of ETP.
6. The Unit has provided the details of online connectivity for flowmeter only vis. Username and password with URL.

AND WHEREAS, the Unit was inspected by a team from CPCB on 24.01.2019 for verification of compliance status as directed by the Three Member Committee in its recommendation for conditional revocation of closure order issued to the Unit by CPCB on 16.03.2018; and

WHEREAS, Inspection team of CPCB has submitted its report with the following observations:

1. The Unit was found non-operational in compliance of UPPCB directions for Kumbh Mela-2019.
2. The Unit has closed their process/production for the period of 05.02.2019 to 04.03.2019.
3. The Unit has applied for NOC from CGWA for groundwater abstraction from borewell.
4. The Unit has valid consents under Water and Air Act issued on 05.11.2015 and is valid upto 31.12.2019 with a discharge capacity of 10 KLD for industrial discharge whereas hazardous waste authorization is valid upto 01.02.2021.
5. The Unit has ETP of 10KLD capacity and was found non-operational during the visit.
6. The Unit has installed electromagnetic flowmeter at the outlet of ETP and provided connectivity with CPCB server.
7. Flowmeter was found installed at the borewell of the Unit.
8. The Unit has not provided the water balance sheet of consumption, utilization and discharge quantity of waste water.
9. The hazardous waste storage area of the Unit was not found adequate for safe storage. The packaging and labelling of hazardous waste was not found as per hazardous waste Rule.
10. PTZ camera is not found installed at the Unit along with connection to CPCB server.

AND WHEREAS, as per the directions issued to the Unit dated 16.03.2018, Unit was permitted to operate only with reduced discharge capacity as per their application (8KLD for industrial discharge) which requires installation of Flowmeter and PTZ camera at the ETP outlet and provide connectivity to CPCB server for data transfer; and

WHEREAS the Unit has installed only flowmeter and not installed PTZ Camera at the ETP outlet; and

WHEREAS, the Unit is having a consented discharge capacity of 10 KLD which requires installation of OCEMS system for monitoring of all parameters along-with flowmeter; and

WHEREAS, the unit has resumed its manufacturing operations from 24.08.2018, which is violation of CPCB direction dated 16.03.2018.

NOW, THEREFORE, in view of the above observations and exercising powers delegated to the Chairman, Central Pollution Control Board under section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, the Unit **M/s. A. K. Industries, 85-B, Dadanagar, Kanpur-208022, UP** is hereby directed to remain closed till the compliance of following CPCB directions:

1. The Unit shall immediately close down and stop all the manufacturing operations.
2. The unit shall obtain consent to operate from UPPCB with reduced discharge capacity as per their application (8KLD for industrial discharge).
3. The Unit shall submit self-certificate for closure of the Unit in compliance of CPCB direction.

4. The Unit **M/s. A. K. Industries, 85-B, Dadanagar, Kanpur-208022, UP** shall ensure online effluent monitoring system (OCEMS) system i.e. flow meter and PTZ web Camera and provide connectivity with the CPCB server with evidence.
5. The Unit shall seek permission from CPCB before starting its operation after complying with the above directions.

In case of non-compliance of the above directions, CPCB will be constrained to initiate appropriate action against the Unit without giving any further notice in accordance with the provision of Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.


(S. P. SINGH PARIHAR)
CHAIRMAN

28.02.19

Copy to:

- 1 **Member Secretary**
Uttar Pradesh Pollution Control Board
Building No-TC- 12 V, Vibhuti Khand,
Gomati Nagar,
Lucknow-226010 : [To ensure compliance of the
direction please]
- 2 **Joint Secretary (CP Division)**
Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change,
Indira Paryavaran Bhavan,
Jor Bagh Road,
New Delhi - 110 003 : [For kind information please]
- 3 **District Magistrate**
Collectorate Office, District;
Kanpur - 208022 : : [To ensure closure by sealing of
the unit in compliance of the
direction]
Uttar Pradesh
4. **Chief Engineer**
Kanpur Electricity Supply Company Ltd.
Headquarter, Kesa House,
14/71 Civil Lines, Kanpur, U.P. : [To disconnect the electricity
supply to the Unit]
- 4 **Regional Director,**
Regional Directorate,
Central Pollution Control Board,
Ground Floor, PICUP Bhawan, Vibhuti Khand, Gomti
Nagar,
Lucknow-226010 (U.P.) : [For information]
- ✓ 5 The Incharge IT Division, CPCB, Delhi : [For uploading the direction at
CPCB website]
- 6 The Incharge WQM-II, CPCB, Delhi : [For kind information please]


(A. SUDHAKAR)
MEMBER SECRETARY

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