



केन्द्रीय प्रदूषण नियंत्रण बोर्ड  
CENTRAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

BY REGISTERED <sup>सुर्याकुण, वन एवं जलवायु परिवर्तन मंत्रालय भारत सरकार</sup> AD  
MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST & CLIMATE CHANGE GOVT. OF INDIA

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To,

M/s Chennai Petroleum Corporation Ltd.,  
Manali Maanali village, Madhavaram Taluk,  
Tiruvallur District, Tiruvallur,  
Tamilnadu-600068

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

WHEREAS, the Oil Refineries 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, there is need to inculcate habit of self-monitoring within the industries for complying with the prescribed standards and this can be achieved by the methods like installing online effluent and emission monitoring devices; and

WHEREAS, a direction under section 18 (1) (b) of the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 was issued on February 05, 2014 to all the State Pollution Control Boards (SPCBs)/ Pollution Control Committees (PCCs) for installation of online emission monitoring system w.r.t. PM, CO, SO<sub>2</sub>, NO<sub>x</sub> parameters & online effluent monitoring system w.r.t. pH, TSS, COD, BOD and Flow parameters in Oil refineries industries; and

WHEREAS it was clarified that flow meter & web camera may be installed in case of Units with zero liquid discharge (ZLD) by March 31, 2015 vide guidelines uploaded on website of CPCB dated November 7, 2014; and

WHEREAS, considering the requests/ representations received from industries/ industrial associations/ SPCBs / PCCs, an extension of time up to June 30, 2015 for installation of online monitoring systems was granted vide direction dated March 02, 2015 under section 18 (1) (b) of the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981; and

WHEREAS, Show Cause Notice under Section 5 of Environment (Protection) Act 1986, was issued by Central Pollution Control Board on July 22, 2015 to **M/s Chennai Petroleum Corporation Ltd, Manali, Tamilnadu** to show cause as to why the unit should not be closed down if, the unit has not complied fully with the directions issued w.r.t. installation of online emission and effluent monitoring system by June 30, 2015. Further it was directed to submit documentary evidence regarding status of installation and connectivity; and

WHEREAS, the Unit has Submitted registration form dated September 22, 2015 that the installation of online monitoring system is completed; and

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WHEREAS, the Unit has not provided the connectivity of the online monitoring system to the CPCB as per the verification report dated April 11, 2017 generated by the IT division of the CPCB; 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

**NOW, THEREFORE**, in exercise of powers vested under Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, **M/s Chennai Petroleum Corporation Ltd.**, Manali Maanali village, Madhavaram Taluk, Tiruvallur District, Tiruvallur, Tamilnadu is directed to close down all operational activities with immediate effect till the connectivity of online emission and effluent monitoring system is provided with the CPCB.

  
(S.P. Singh Parihar)  
Chairman

Copy to:

1. The Chairman  
Tamilnadu State Pollution Control Board  
No. 100, Anna Salai Guindy, Chennai - 600 032
2. The Chairman  
Tamil Nadu Electricity Board,  
10th floor, NPKRR Maaligai,  
144, Anna Salai,  
Chennai - 600 002 : With request to disconnect industrial  
electricity supply of the Unit, allowing  
supply only for domestic & security  
purposes.
3. The Advisor (CP Division)  
Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change  
Prithvi Wing, 2nd Floor, Room No. 216, Indira  
Paryavaran Bhawan Aliganj, Jor Bagh Road, New Delhi - 110003
4. The Regional Director  
Central Pollution Control Board  
1st & 2nd Floors, Nisarga Bhavan, A-Block,  
Thimmaiah Main Road, 7th D Cross, Shivanagar, Opp.  
Pushpanjali Theatre, Bangalore -560 010
5. The Incharge, IT, CPCB
6. IPC-VI, CPCB

  
(A.B. Akolkar)

Member Secretary