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To

M/s Nanhe Mal Wood Products Pvt. Ltd.,  
Piau-Maniyari, Narela Road,  
Kundli, Sonapat -131028  
Haryana

Sub: Directions under Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 - Notice thereof.

WHEREAS, the Katha Production industries are identified as one of the Grossly Polluting Industries which have been discharging effluents directly or indirectly on land and into water, having potential threat to cause adverse effect on land and the ambient water quality; and

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 thereunder; and

WHEREAS, it is obligatory on the part of industries to install and operate Effluent Treatment plant (ETP) 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 (SPCB)/ Pollution Control Committees (PCCs); and

WHEREAS, Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in the matter of Paryavaran Suraksha Samiti Vs Union of India & Others dated 22/02/2017 directed that no industry which requires "consent to operate" from the concerned Pollution Control Board, is permitted to function, unless it has a functional effluent treatment plant, which is capable to meet the prescribed norms for removing the pollutants from the effluent, before it is discharged; and

WHEREAS, a team of officers from the Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB), Delhi visited M/s Nanhe Mal Wood Products Pvt. Ltd., sonapat (herein after referred as the Unit) on May 23, 2018 and May 24, 2018 to assess the adequacy of the existing pollution control measures; and



WHEREAS, the unit did not permit the team for inspection on both days May 23 and 24, 2018; 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.

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 Nanhe Mal Wood Products Pvt. Ltd., sonapat) to show cause why the Unit should not be closed down for not allowing the inspection team to assess the adequacy of pollution control measures.

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.

  
08/08/2018  
(S.P. Singh Parihar)  
Chairman  


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3. The Incharge, Regional Directorate  
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(Prashant Gargava)  
Member Secretary