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CENTRAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD
पर्यावरण, वन एवं जलवायु परिवर्तन मंत्रालय भारत सरकार
MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST & CLIMATE CHANGE GOVT. OF INDIA

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August 30, 2018

To

M/s Amarjyot Chemical Corporation
Plot No. N-211/2/3,
M.I.D.C., Tarapur,
Dist. Palghar, Thane,
Maharashtra- 401501

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

WHEREAS, Dye & Dye Intermediate units 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, 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, Central Pollution Control Board RD Vadodara inspected the unit on 01/08/2018 w.r.t. Online Continuous Effluent Monitoring System -SMS alerts/offline status and made the following observations:

1. The unit produces Para Nitro Phenol & its Sodium Salt.
2. The unit is a CETP member.
3. The Effluent Treatment Plant provided by the unit was observed to be inadequate. The unit has provided only primary treatment comprising of Equalization cum Neutralization tank and settling tank. The equalization tank is not provided with any mixing device. Sulphuric acid is used for the neutralization of influent and is added manually. The settling tank provided is not connected with pumping arrangement and hence kept unused. The primary treatment provided by the unit as ETP was not functional during visit.
4. The sample collected from the discharge pipeline to CETP shows that the discharged effluent exceeds MPCB discharge norms for TSS (300 > 100 mg/l), TDS (44068 > 2100 mg/l), COD (3067 > 250 mg/l) and BOD (1074 > 100 mg/l).
5. During visit OCEMS (flow meter & web camera) were not in operation.
6. The record keeping of Hazardous Wastes generation and disposal, wastewater generation and disposal were not properly maintained by the unit.
7. Open storage of acid and solid waste & Hazardous Wastes was observed.
8. It was observed that the unit burns solid waste with other hazardous wastes openly in a drum.

WHEREAS, it is observed that inadequacy of Effluent Treatment Plant, discharge of effluent exceeding the prescribed standards along with open storage and burning of hazardous wastes may cause a grave injury to the environment; and

WHEREAS, as per Section 4, Sub section (5) of The Environment (Protection) Rules, 1986; In case where the Central Government is of the opinion that in view of the likelihood of a grave injury to the environment it is not expedient to provide an opportunity to file objections against the proposed direction, it may, for reasons to be recorded in writing, issue directions without providing such an opportunity; 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

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NOW, THEREFORE, based on all facts and observations, in exercise of powers vested under Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, **M/s Amarjyot Chemical Corporation, Plot No. N-211/2/3, M.I.D.C., Tarapur, Dist. Palghar, Thane, Maharashtra** is hereby directed to close all manufacturing / production activities until it complies with the following directions:

1. The Unit shall upgrade its Effluent Treatment Plant so that the treated effluent shall conform to Maharashtra State Pollution Control Board Prescribed standards.
2. The Unit shall maintain proper records of effluent generation & treatment.
3. The Unit shall store acid and other hazardous chemicals in a scientific manner.
4. The Unit shall not practice the open burning of hazardous wastes / other wastes.
5. The Unit shall store and dispose its hazardous wastes along with proper record maintenance in accordance with Hazardous and Other Wastes (Management and Transboundary Movement) Rules, 2016.

In case of failure to comply with the above stated directions, necessary action as deemed fit under the provision of the Environment (Protection) Act 1986 will be taken.



(S. P. Singh Parihar)
Chairman

04.09.18 

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1. The Chairman
Maharashtra State Pollution Control Board
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Sion Matunga Scheme, Road No. 8
Opp. Cine Planet, Sion Circle, Sion (E)
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2. The Chairman
Maharashtra Electricity Board
Hongkong Bank Building,
M.G. Road, Fort, Mumbai-400001
: 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
Parivesh Bhawan, Opp. VMC Ward Office No. 10
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5. The Incharge, IT, CPCB
6. IPC-VI, CPCB

(Prashant Gargava)
Member Secretary