

**SPEED POST**

**F. No. B-19003/Tannery/WQM-II/2017-18**

**Dated: 10.09.2018**

To

**M/s Tanners Point (S.R Glue),  
129 A-1, Block-C, Ahmednagar,  
KDA Colony, Jajmau, Kanpur (U.P)**

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**Directions under Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 –reg.**

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

**WHEREAS**, Tannery processing units are identified as one of the 17 categories of grossly polluting industries which have been discharging environmental pollutants directly or indirectly into ambient air and water, having potential threat to cause adverse effect on water and air quality; and

**WHEREAS**, the Central Government has notified the general discharge standards 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, Forest & Climate Change, 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 amendment thereof; and

**WHEREAS**, M/s Tanners Point, 129 A-1, Block-C, Ahmednagar, KDA Colony, Jajmau, Kanpur (hereafter referred as 'the Unit'), is a tannery engaged in processing of Raw hides to produce finished leather; and

**WHEREAS**, the Unit was inspected by the officials of Central Pollution Control Board on July 11, 2018, and the following observations are made:

1. The unit was found operational during inspection.
2. Analysis result of the samples showed pH 7.11 (norm 6.0-9.0), TSS 195 (norm 600 mg/l) and **Total Chromium 8.09 mg/l** (against norm 2 mg/l) which indicates non-compliance.
3. The unit has valid consent to operate under Water Act & Air Act, up to 31.12.2019.
4. Unit has installed Chrome recovery plant of 5.0 KL capacity. However, segregation of Chrome bearing effluent is not satisfactory.

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5. Unit does not have separate channel for Chrome bearing effluent. Effluent is transferred from drum to Chrome effluent collection tank through flexible pipe.
6. The unit has one bore-well to meet the fresh water requirement. Water meter is installed at water extraction point of bore-well.
7. Unit has adopted traditional production technology.
8. Soaking of raw hides is done in soaking pit/paddle pit.
9. Unit has installed flow meter at the outlet of PETP and connected to CPCB/UPPCB server.
10. Unit does not have permission from CGWA for Ground water extraction, though has applied for the same.
11. No evidence of Third party monitoring of PETP effluent was shown by the unit's representative.
12. Inadequate disposal of solid wastes was observed.
13. Unit has valid Hazardous waste Authorization (2017-2022).
14. The unit has not installed filter press for better hazardous waste management.
15. The PETP sludge is being sent to TSDF site through M/s Bharat Oil & Waste Management for disposal.
16. Housekeeping of the unit is not satisfactory.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, in view of the above observations and in exercise of the powers delegated to the Chairman, Central Pollution Control Board under Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 M/s Tanners Point, 129 A-1, Block-C, Ahmednagar, KDA Colony, Jajmau, Kanpur is hereby directed to close down its operation immediately and to comply with the following directions-

1. Unit is required to get adequacy report of the PETP from a reputed institution like IIT etc.
2. Unit shall operate the Chrome recovery plant installed within the premises.
3. Proper segregation of Chrome bearing effluents should be practiced and the unit shall provide separate channel for Chrome bearing effluent.
4. Unit shall attempt for installation of cleaner technology.
5. Chemical dosing process needs to be improved.
6. The unit shall seek permission from CPCB before resumption of operations after compliance of above directions.

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

**(ARUN KUMAR MEHTA)**  
**CHAIRMAN**

**Copy To**

- 1 Member Secretary**  
Uttar Pradesh Pollution Control Board,  
Building No. TC-12V, Vibhuti Khand, Gomti Nagar,  
LUCKNOW – 226 010

With a request to ensure compliance of the directions.
- 2 Joint Secretary (CP Division)**  
Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change  
Prithvi Block, Indira Paryavaran Bhawan,  
Jorbagh Road,  
NEW DELHI – 110 003

For kind information pls.
- 3 District Magistrate**  
Collectorate Office,  
Dist. Kanpur KANPUR, (U.P)

To ensure closure of the unit as per direction
- 4 Managing Director,**  
Kanpur Electricity Supply company Limited  
Kesa House, 14/71, Civil Lines  
KANPUR- 208 001, Uttar Pradesh

With the direction to disconnect power supply except residential, street light and security system
- 5 Incharge, Regional Office (North),  
Central Pollution Control Board,**  
PICUP Bhawan, Ground Floor,  
Vibhuti Khand, Gomti Nagar,  
LUCKNOW – 226 010.

For information.
- 6 In-charge, IT Division, CPCB**

For information.
- 7 In-charge, WQM-II Division, CPCB Delhi**

  
(PRASHANT GARGAVA)  
MEMBER SECRETARY