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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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To

The Unit Head

M/s Maihar Cement Ltd.

P.O. Sarlanagar

Maihar, Distt. Satna

M.P. 485 772

Sub: Direction under section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.

WHEREAS, the cement 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, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change has notified emission norms for Particulate matter, SO₂ & NO_x vide GSR 612 (E) dated 25.08.2014; and amended it vide GSR 496 (E) dated 09.05.2016 for all cement industries and vide GSR 497 (E) dated 10.05.2016 for cement industries carrying out co-processing of wastes in their cement kilns; and

WHEREAS, on request of cement industries, timeline was extended upto March 31, 2017 to comply with the aforesaid notified emission standards; and

WHEREAS, the matter regarding reconsideration of notified standards was taken up by the Cement industries with the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (MoEF&CC) and it was decided by MoEF&CC that general extension shall not be granted and any extension regarding compliance shall be based on due assessment and submission of clear/specific road map for compliance with notified standards in on case to case basis. Accordingly, Directions under Section 3 of Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 have been issued by MoEF&CC to CPCB on 28.03.2017 to ensure implementation of notified environmental standards for cement industries; and

WHEREAS, the cement units were reminded vide letter of even no. dated 30.03.2017 that new notified standards for cement industry have become effective from April 01, 2017 and directed to submit clear/specific time-bound action plan for compliance with new notified standards before April 30, 2017; and

WHEREAS, several meetings were convened by Regional Directorates of CPCB with Cement industries and State Pollution Control Boards to expedite the submission of action plans and ensure compliance. Based on the inputs received, a standard format was developed to facilitate cement industries in submission of action plans in a precise & scientific manner and the same was circulated among cement plants. Accordingly, all the cement industries were directed to submit the specific action plan as per the standard format before 30.04.2017; and

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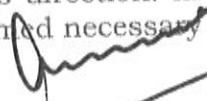
WHEREAS, as per action plan submitted for implementation of revised norms vide letter dated 24.04.2017, it has been claimed that M/s Maihar Cement Ltd. P.O. Sarlanagar, Maihar, Distt. Satna, M.P. is already complying revised emission norms; and

WHEREAS, CPCB RD- Bhopal inspected M/s Maihar Cement Ltd. P.O. Sarlanagar, Maihar, Distt. Satna, M.P., on 22-23.07.2018 to verify compliance of revised emission norms and the inspecting team made following observations/shortcomings and recommendations:

1. **During source emission monitoring, it was observed that NO₂ emission from rawmill kiln-1 (1183 mg/Nm³) and rawmill kiln-2 (1066 mg/Nm³) was exceeding the revised NO_x emission norms (800 mg/Nm³). Therefore, the unit should take corrective measures to achieve NO_x emission norms.**
2. The unit needs to enhance the capacity of raw material storage especially coal and petcoke.
3. The unit needs to improve housekeeping in DBC area of kiln 01, cement packing area, wagon tippler area and coal storage area near CPP to control fugitive emission.
4. The unit needs to ensure periodic maintenance of all dust collection system installed at various material transfer point.

WHEREAS, the Ministry of Environment, Forest & 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 the standards and rules notified under the Environment (Protection) Rules, 1986 and amendment thereof;

Now, THEREFORE, in view of the above observations/shortcomings and exercising the powers delegated to the Chairman, Central Pollution Control Board under section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, M/s Maihar Cement Ltd. P.O. Sarlanagar, Maihar, Distt. Satna, M.P. is hereby directed to take remedial measures to rectify above shortcomings and submit action taken report along with stack emission report from a Environment (Protection) Act recognized laboratory as documentary evidence within 15 days from the date of issue of this direction. In case of failure, the Board will be constrained to initiate action as deemed necessary and appropriate under the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.


(A. K. Mehta)
Chairman

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