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25<sup>th</sup> September, 2018

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M/s SLN Distilleries Pvt. Ltd.,  
Block No. 459/1, Village-Garag,  
Dharwad, Karnataka- 581105

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

**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 there under; and

**WHEREAS**, the Ministry of Environment & Forests, 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

**WHEREAS**, it is obligatory on the part of industries to install effluent treatment plants (ETPs) to comply with the effluent discharge standards as notified under the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 and the Rules framed there under and also to meet the consent conditions granted by State Pollution Control Board (SPCBs) / Pollution Control Committees (PCCs); and

**WHEREAS**, M/s **SLN Distilleries Pvt. Ltd.**, Block No. 459, Village-Garag, Dharwad, Karnataka (hereinafter referred as 'the Unit') was inspected by officials of CPCB Regional Directorate, Bangalore, on **25.05.2018**, as a part of inspection carried out on the basis of SMS Alert/Offline Monitoring System and based on the observations made during the visit, CPCB had issued direction u/s 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 to the unit on **26.06.2018** for closing down the manufacturing operations and not to restart operation until complying with the directions; and

**WHEREAS**, the unit has provided reply to the direction issued by CPCB vide letters dated 26.07.2018 and 09.08.2018 along with supporting documents and the Three Member Committee constituted for examination and recommendation of the revocation of closure directions issued by CPCB in its meeting dated 29.08.2018 has recommended revocation of closure subject to certain conditions; and

**NOW, THEREFORE**, in view of the compliance reported by the unit and its review by the aforesaid committee and exercising the powers delegated to the Chairman Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB) under section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, the unit is hereby allowed to resume its manufacturing operations with subject to following conditions:


1. The unit shall be permitted to operate **for 03 months** from the date of receipt of the directions.
2. The unit shall conduct a detailed performance evaluation & audit of ETP system/ ZLD systems from reputed/expert Govt. Institute like NEERI/VSI/NSI/IIT etc. and the report shall be submitted to CPCB.


3. The unit shall comply with all the conditions of the closure direction issued by CPCB on 26.06.2018.
4. The unit shall fully comply with the direction for OCEMS with respect to installation and connectivity of Multi parameter analysers, flow meters and cameras, as per CPCB guidelines before commencement of operations.
5. The unit shall inform the commencement of operations to CPCB and shall not continue operations after 03 months without obtaining modified directions from CPCB based on the performance evaluation & audit report.

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

  
**(Arun Kumar Mehta)**  
**CHAIRMAN**

*Copy to:*

1. The Chairman :For information & ensuring compliance of directions please  
Karnataka State Pollution Control Board,  
"Parisara Bhavan"4th & 5th Floors,  
# 49, Church Street,  
Bangalore-560 001.
2. The Advisor (CP Division) : For information please  
Ministry of Environment, Forest & C.C  
Prithvi Block, Indira Paryavaran Bhawan,  
Jorbagh Road, New Delhi - 3
3. The Regional Director, :For follow up and ensuring compliance please  
CPCB Regional Directorate  
Nisarga Bhawan, 1st & 2nd Floor,  
Jhimmaiah Road, 7th D-cross  
Shivanagar, Opp. Pushpanjali Theatre  
Bangalore - 560 010
4. The District Magistrate, : For information please.  
Dharwad District ,Karnataka
5. The Chief Engineer, : With request to restore the power supply to the industrial operations of unit please  
Hubali Electricity Supply Company Ltd.  
(HESCOM), Corporate Office, Navanagar, P.B.  
Road., Hubli-580025 -Karnataka
6.  The Div. Head, I.P.C-III, CPCB  
The Div. Head, IT Division, CPCB

  
**(Prashant Gargava)**  
**MEMBER SECRETARY**