



SPEED POST

B-29016/04/06/IPC-I/ 11221

September 26, 2018

To

M/s. Gold Plus Glass Industry Ltd.,
Vill. Libaspur, Bahalgarh,
Sonapat- 131021,
Haryana

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

WHEREAS, the Glass product 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 inspected M/s. Gold Plus Glass Industry Ltd., Sonapat (herein after referred as the Unit) on May 18, 2018 to assess the adequacy of the existing pollution control measures; and

WHEREAS, the inspecting team found the Unit was operational but the Effluent Treatment Plant (ETP) of the Unit was found non-operational during the inspection; and

WHEREAS, on the basis of non-compliance observed during inspection, a closure direction was issued by CPCB to the Unit vide letter no. B-33014/07/2018/IPC-I/741 dated August 08, 2018; and

WHEREAS, the Unit submitted a reply vide letter received on September 04, 2018 that the Unit has complied with all the direction dated August 08, 2018 issued by CPCB, it has closed down the plant operations w.e.f. August 31, 2018 and requested to revoke the closure direction; and

WHEREAS, the Unit submitted an undertaking for compliance duly notarized, Effluent analysis report of ETP from laboratory M/s. Arihant

Analytical Laboratories Pvt. Ltd., copy of consent to operate valid upto March 31, 2019; and

WHEREAS, CPCB constituted a Three-member committee vide office order dated 03.10.2017 having representative(s) from CPCB and MoEF&CC for examination and recommendation for revocation of the closure direction issued by CPCB; and

WHEREAS, the three-member committee in its meeting held on 14.09.2018 examined the compliance report, recommended that the Unit may be allowed to resume operation with conditions that:


1. The Unit shall submit performance audit report of ETP from expert Government Institution within 60 days of start of operation.
2. The Unit shall submit monthly log book data of ETP for one month to CPCB.
3. The Unit shall get compliance verification from Haryana State Pollution Control Board and submit the report to CPCB within three months.

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.

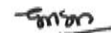
NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of powers vested to Chairman CPCB under Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, and in view of compliance with relevant direction under reference, the direction issued under the Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 to the Unit (M/s. Gold Plus Glass Industry Ltd., Sonapat) vide letter dated August 08, 2018 is hereby revoked with condition that:

1. The Unit shall submit performance audit report from expert Government Institution within 60 days of start of operation.
2. The Unit shall submit monthly log book data of ETP for one month to CPCB.
3. The Unit shall get compliance verification from Haryana State Pollution Control Board and submit the report to CPCB within three months.

In case of non-compliance by the Unit action as deemed fit under the provisions of Environment (P) Act, 1986 shall be taken.

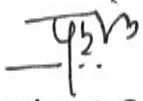

(Arun Kumar Mehta)

Chairman



Copy to:

1. The Chairman
Haryana State Pollution Control Board
C-11, Sector - 6
Panchkula- 134109, Haryana : With request to verify
the compliance within
three months.
2. 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
3. The Managing Director,
Uttar Haryana Bijli Vitran Nigam Ltd. : With request to restore the
electricity supply of the Unit.
(UHBVNL) Vidyut Sadan,
Plot No: C16, Sector -6,
Panchkula-134109, Haryana
4. The Incharge, Regional Directorate
Central Pollution Control Board
Ground & First Floor, PICUP Bhawan
Vibhuti Khand, Gomti Nagar
Lucknow - 226 020
5. Divisional Head, IPC-I, CPCB
6. Divisional Head, IT, CPCB


(Prashant Gargava)
Member Secretary