



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

**SPEED POST**

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February 21, 2020

To,

M/s. Astik Dyestuff Pvt Ltd.,  
Plot No: 707 / B & C,  
GIDC Estate Ankleshwar,  
Taluka Ankleshwar  
Dist. Bharuch,  
Gujarat-393 002

**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, 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, Central Pollution Control Board, RD, Vadodara, inspected the Unit on January 23, 2020 to assess the adequacy of the existing pollution control measures and observed the following:

1. The Unit has made provisions of by passing untreated/partially treated effluent by providing pipeline arrangement to connect the raw effluent storage tanks no. 1 and 2 to the treated effluent storage tank.
2. The Unit has installed PTZ web camera on the ground level very close to flow meter recorder. The location of PTZ web camera is not proper.
3. The Unit has not installed flow meter at the inlet of Effluent Treatment Plant. Log book of Effluent Treatment Plant operation was not available with the Unit.
4. The Unit has not provided a designated area for storage of hazardous waste.
5. The Unit has not provided proper labelling of pipelines of Effluent Treatment Plant area.
6. The consent to operate issued to the Unit by GPCB has expired on 17.12.2019. The application of consent renewal has been rejected by Gujarat pollution Control Board.

7. The structure of Effluent Treatment Plant was observed in rusted and dilapidated state.

WHEREAS, the provision of by passing untreated/partially treated effluent made by the unit is likely to cause 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.

**NOW, THEREFORE,** based on all facts and observations, in exercise of powers vested under Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, the Unit (**M/s. Astik Dyestuff Pvt Ltd., B-C, Plot No: 707/ B & C, GIDC Estate Ankleshwar, District Bharuch, Gujarat-393002**) is hereby directed to close its plant operation and shall not resume its operations till following directions are complied with and written permission to operate is obtained from CPCB:

1. The Unit shall immediately dismantle effluent bypassing arrangements and shall not practice any unauthorised discharge / bypassing of effluent.
2. The Unit shall provide proper labelling of the pipelines in the Effluent Treatment Plant area.
3. The Unit shall relocate the PTZ web camera at appropriate location so that a proper view of Effluent Treatment Plant may be made.
4. The Unit shall obtain the consent under the Air & the water Act and Authorization for handling the Hazardous & Other Waste from Gujarat Pollution Control Board.
5. The Unit shall install the flow meter at the inlet of the Effluent Treatment Plant and maintain the log book of Effluent Treatment Plant.
6. The Unit shall provide proper designated area for storage of Hazardous Waste as per extant rules.
7. The Unit shall repair the rusted and dilapidated structure of Effluent Treatment Plant.

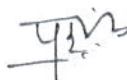
In case of failure to comply with the said directions necessary action as deemed fit under the provision of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 will be taken by Central Pollution Control Board.

(Ravi Shanker Prasad)  
Chairman

**M/s. Astik Dyestuff Pvt Ltd., Gujarat**

**Copy to:**

1. The Chairman : To ensure closure of the  
Gujarat Pollution Control Board Unit.  
Sector 10-A, Gandhi Nagar- 382043,  
Gujarat
2. The Chairman, : With request to disconnect  
Madhya Gujarat Vij Comp. Ltd. industrial Electricity supply  
Sardar Patel Vidyut Bhavan, of the Unit, allowing the  
Race Course, Vadodara-390007 supply only for domestic &  
security Purpose.
3. The Joint Secretary (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  
Subhanpura, Vadodara - 390 023
5. The Incharge, IT, CPCB
6. I/c, IPC-VI, CPCB

  
**Prashant Gargava**  
**(Member Secretary)**