

To,

**M/s H.K. Tanning Industries**  
**150 Feet Road**  
**Jajmau, Kanpur**  
**Uttar Pradesh**

**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**, Tanneries 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**, there is need to inculcate habit of self-monitoring within the industries for complying with the prescribed standards and this can be achieved by the methods like installing online effluent and emission monitoring devices; and

**WHEREAS**, for strengthening the monitoring and compliance through self-regulatory mechanism, online source emission and effluent monitoring systems need to be installed and operated by the industries on 'polluter pays principle'; 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

**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 H.K. Tanning Industries, 150 Feet Road, Jajmau, Kanpur (hereinafter referred as 'the Unit') was inspected by the officials of Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB), Regional Directorate, Lucknow and Uttar Pradesh Pollution Control Board (UPPCB), Regional Office, Kanpur on 29/05/2017 and the following observations were made during the visit:

- (i) The effluent analyses report indicates non-compliance recording pH value of 10.19 against the standard of 6.0-9.0 and T. Cr value of 8.14 mg/l against the standard of 2.0 mg/l.
- (ii) Overall housekeeping was found poor at the time of inspection.

**WHEREAS**, from the above observations, it is evident that the Unit (**M/s H.K. Tanning Industries**) has failed to comply with the mandatory requirements thereby posing potential threat to the environment;

**AND NOW, THEREFORE**, in view of the above facts and exercising the powers delegated to the Chairman, Central Pollution Control Board under Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, **M/s H.K. Tanning Industries**, Jajmau, Kanpur is hereby directed to close down all its operations with immediate effect and remain closed till it complies with the following directions and obtains permission from CPCB:

1. The Unit shall install adequate Effluent Treatment Plant/operate it properly so as to achieve the prescribed standards for effluent discharge.
2. The Unit shall improve its overall housekeeping practices.

In case of failure to comply 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.



(S.P. SINGH PARIHAR)  
CHAIRMAN

14/08/2017

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1. **The Chairman**  
Uttar Pradesh Pollution Control Board,  
Building No. TC-12V  
Vibhuti Khand, Gomti Nagar,  
Lucknow - 226 010
2. **The Advisor (CP Division)**  
Ministry of Environment, Forest & C.C  
Prithvi Block, Indira Paryavaran Bhawan,  
Jorbagh Road,  
New Delhi - 110 003
3. **The District Magistrate**  
The D.M. Office  
Kanpur Nagar- 208002 : with a request to ensure compliance of the closure direction.
4. **The Chairman**  
Uttar Pradesh Power Corporation Ltd.  
Shakti Bhawan, 14 Ashok Marg  
Lucknow- 226001 (UP) : with a request to disconnect power supply to the afore-said Unit with immediate effect.

5. **Regional Director**  
Regional Directorate,  
Central Pollution Control Board PICUP Bhawan,  
Ground Floor, Vibhuti Khand, Gomti Nagar,  
Lucknow - 226 010.
6. The In-charge WQM-II Division, CPCB Delhi
7. The In-charge IT Division, CPCB Delhi



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MEMBER SECRETARY