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To,
M/s Dev Bhooni Pulp and Paper Industry Pvt. Ltd.,
Khata- 404, Khasra-742
Jwalapur, Haridwar, Uttarakhand

DIRECTION UNDER SECTION 5 OF ENVIRONMENT (PROTECTION) ACT, 1986- REG.

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 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, Hon'ble National Green Tribunal in its order dated 15th December, 2014 in the matter of Krishan Kant Singh vs. M/s Hindustan Coca Cola Beverages Pvt. Ltd., Mehendiganj, Rajatalab, Varanasi stated that "It seems appropriate introduction of online monitoring system for the industries needs to be explored and if it is possible to provide for joint online monitoring system"; and

WHEREAS, CPCB issued directions dated 5th February, 2014 under Section 18 (1) (b) of Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 to State Pollution Control Boards (SPCBs)/Pollution Control Committees (PCCs) of 11 Ganga River Basin States for installation of online effluent monitoring systems for parameters pH, BOD, TSS, COD and flow in Grossly Polluting Industries (GPIs); and

WHEREAS, it was clarified that flow meter & web camera may be installed in case of units with Zero Liquid Discharge (ZLD), CETP member units or units having effluent generation of <10 KLD; and

WHEREAS, CPCB issued directions dated 2nd March, 2015 under Section 18 (1) (b) of Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 to SPCBs /PCCs for granting extension of time up to 30th June, 2015 for installation of online monitoring systems; and

WHEREAS, CPCB issued letters dated 29th May, 2015 to all the SPCBs/PCCs to inform that no further extension of time will be given after June, 2015 and action shall be initiated against non-complying unit through withdrawal of consent to operate along with forfeiture of their bank guarantee; and

WHEREAS, the GPIs need to follow the guidelines published by CPCB for OCEMS available on the link <http://cpcb.nic.in/upload/thrust-area/revise-GUIDELINES-final-sent-for-publication-on-07.11.2014.pdf> and amended thereof; and

WHEREAS, the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Govt. of India, vide its notification S.O.157(E) dated 27.02.1996, has delegated the powers vested under Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 (29 of 1986) to the Chairman, Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB), to issue directions to any industry, Municipal Corporation, Municipal Council, Cantonment Board, any local or other Authority for the violation of emission and effluent

standards notified under the Environment (Protection) Rules, 1986 and other standards and norms; and

WHEREAS, M/s Dev Bhoomi Pulp and Paper Industry Pvt. Ltd., Jwalapur, Haridwar (UK) (hereinafter referred to as the 'Unit') is a Pulp and Paper unit; and

WHEREAS, CPCB issued Show Cause Notice dated 03.05.2018 under Section 5 of E (P) Act, 1986 to 26 newly added GPIs including the unit M/s Dev Bhoomi Pulp and Paper Industry Pvt. Ltd., Jwalapur, Haridwar (UK) to install OCEMS system and provide connectivity of OCEMS system with CPCB server for 24X7 data transmission within three (3) months from the date of the direction for the parameters mentioned in the guidelines and for submission of action plan for installation and connectivity within 15 days; and

WHEREAS, the three-month's time granted to the units to install OCEMS expired on 3rd August, 2018 and only 5 out of 26 units have installed OCEMS and connected with CPCB server and no response has been received from the unit; and

WHEREAS, CPCB issued direction dated 18.12.2018 under Section-5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 to the unit, to close down all its operations and not to resume operation till provides OCEMS connectivity to SPCB/ CPCB and obtain permission from CPCB; and

WHEREAS, the unit replies vide letters dated 25.07.2019, 25.10.2020 & 30.12.2020 were examined and following observations are made:

- (i) The unit has submitted Self-certificate in prescribed format.
- (ii) OCEMS connectivity with CPCB server with evidence.
- (iii) The unit submitted copy of consent to operate valid up to 31.03.2021.

AND WHEREAS, OCEMS data connectivity with CPCB server was verified on 11.01.2021 by IT division, CPCB and, found connected; and

WHEREAS, CPCB constituted a Four Member committee vide office order dated 24.02.2020 having representative from CPCB, MoEF&CC and NMCG for examination and recommendation for revocation of the closure directions issued by CPCB; and

WHEREAS, the Four Member Committee in its meeting held on 13.01.2021 examined the replies, connectivity of OCEMS and recommended for revocation of closure directions with the following conditions:

- (i) The unit shall ensure regular transmission of data to CPCB server.

AND NOW THEREFORE, in view of the above mentioned observations and in exercise of the powers delegated to the Chairman CPCB, under section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, the direction dated 18.12.2018 is hereby revoked and the unit **M/s Dev Bhoomi Pulp and Paper Industry Pvt. Ltd., Khata- 404, Khasra-742, Jwalapur, Haridwar, Uttarakhand is directed to comply with the following:**

- (i) The unit shall ensure regular transmission of data to CPCB server.
- (ii) The unit shall inform immediately to CPCB on resumption of manufacturing operations.

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

(SHIV DAS MEENA)
CHAIRMAN

Copy to:

1. **Joint Secretary (CP Division)** : For kind information please
Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change,
Indra Paryavaran Bhavan, Jor Bagh Road,
New Delhi - 110 003
2. **Member Secretary** : With request to ensure
Uttarakhand Pollution Control Board compliance of CPCB direction
Gaura Devi Bhawan 46 B IT Park, Sahastradhara Rd,
Dehradun, Uttarakhand 248001
3. **District Magistrate,** : For information and compliance
District- Haridwar, Uttarakhand of the direction.
4. **Regional Director,** : For kind information please
Regional Directorate,
Central Pollution Control Board,
ZO (North), Ground Floor, PICUP Bhawan,
Vibhuti Khand, Gomti Nagar
Lucknow, U.P.-226010
5. **Managing Director,**
Uttarakhand Power Corporation Ltd.
Corporate Head Quarter : With a request to reconnect the
Victoria Cross Vijeyta Gabar Singh Urja Bhawan industrial/ commercial power
Kanwali Road, Balliwala Chowk, supply of the unit.
Dehradun-248001, Uttarakhand
6. Incharge, IT Division, CPCB : For uploading on CPCB
website
7. Master copy WQM-II, CPCB


(PRASHANT GARGAVA)
MEMBER SECRETARY

