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CENTRAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

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पर्यावरण, वन एवं जलवायु परिवर्तन मंत्रालय भारत सरकार  
MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST & CLIMATE CHANGE GOVT. OF INDIA

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M/s. Vardhman Gar-tex Creators Pvt. Ltd.,  
Plot No. 420, HSIIDC Phase-I, Barhi,  
Sonipat, Haryana - 131101

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

WHEREAS, the Textiles (Dyeing) 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 Raksha 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 official of Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB), Regional Directorate, Lucknow inspected M/s. Vardhman Gar-tex Creators Pvt. Ltd., Plot No. 420, HSIIDC Barhi, Sonipat, Haryana (herein after referred as the Unit) on April 02, 2019 to assess the adequacy of the existing pollution control measures and the inspecting team observed the following:

1. The effluent sample collected from ETP outlet is not meeting the CETP inlet norms w.r.t. pH: 11.15 > (6.0-9.0) and standards prescribed under E (P) Act 1986 dated October 10, 2016 w.r.t. TDS:2660 > 2100 mg/l and SAR: 31.8 > 26.

2. The Unit is not maintaining records of ground water withdrawal.

WHEREAS, the Unit is not complying prescribed standards, which is non-compliance under section 5 of the E(P) Act, 1986 and action including imposing environmental compensation charges as per law shall be taken; 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.


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**NOW, THEREFORE,** in exercise of powers vested under Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, the Unit is directed to close all the plant operations with immediate effect and shall not resume its operation till following are complied with and written permission is obtained from CPCB:

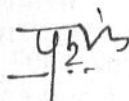
1. The Unit shall maintain and operate Effluent Treatment Plant properly so as to achieve prescribed standards and Unit shall submit the adequacy report of ETP from any reputed government institute.
2. The Unit shall maintain proper records of ground water withdrawal.

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.

  
(S.P. Singh Parihar)  
Chairman

**Copy to:**

1. The Chairman : For ensuring immediate closure  
Haryana State Pollution Control Board of the Unit.  
C-11, Sector - 6, Panchkula,  
Haryana - 134109
2. The Joint Secretary, : For information please,  
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, : With request to disconnect  
Uttar Haryana Bijli Vitran Nigam Ltd. Industrial Electricity supply of  
(UHBVNL) Vidyut Sadan, the Unit, allowing the supply  
Plot No: C16, Sector-6, only for domestic & security  
Panchkula, Haryana-134109 purposes.
4. The Incharge, Regional Directorate : For information please.  
Central Pollution Control Board  
Ground & First Floor, PICUP Bhawan  
Vibhuti Khand, Gomti Nagar  
Lucknow - 226 020
5. I/c, IPC-III, CPCB
6. I/c, IT, CPCB

  
(Prashant Gargava)  
Member Secretary