



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

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December 12, 2023

To,

M/s Onkar Sakhar Karkhana Private Limited,
(Lease from M/s Shivajirao Patil
Nilangekar SSK Ltd), Unit-2,
Ambulga (BK), Jajnoor, Zari,
Tq. Nilanga, Dist. Latur,
Maharashtra-413530

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

WHEREAS, Sugar industries 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 promote self-regulation and 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, a direction under section 18 (1) (b) of the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 was issued on February 05, 2014 to all the State Pollution Control Boards (SPCBs)/ Pollution Control Committees (PCCs) for installation of online emission /effluent monitoring systems w.r.t pH, Flow, BOD, COD, and TSS parameters in Sugar industries; and

WHEREAS, considering the requests/ representations received from industries/ industrial associations/ SPCBs / PCCs, an extension of time up to June 30, 2015 for installation of online monitoring systems was granted vide direction dated March 02, 2015 under section 18 (1) (b) of the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981; and

WHEREAS, in follow up to the directions issued to the SPCBs/PCCs, CPCB had issued show cause notices under section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 dated 24.07.2015 to 602 Sugar industries, including M/s Onkar Sakhar Karkhana Private Limited, (Formerly Known as M/s Shivajirao Patil Nilangekar SSK Ltd), Unit-2, Ambulga, Tq. Nilanga, Dist. Latur, Maharashtra (hereinafter referred to as 'the Unit'), as to why the

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Unit should not be closed down if the Unit has not complied fully with the direction issued w.r.t. installation of online emission & effluent monitoring system. It was further directed to submit documentary evidence regarding status of installation and connectivity of online emission & effluent monitoring system; and

WHEREAS, no reply was filed by the Unit in response of the said show cause notice dated 24.07.2015; and

WHEREAS, CPCB issued closure direction dated 22.03.2016 under section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, to the Unit to not to undertake any manufacturing operations till installation and commissioning of online continuous effluent monitoring system (OCEMS) and providing connectivity of data to CPCB/SPCB server, and to submit compliance to CPCB within 15 days on the receipt of the direction; and

WHEREAS, the Unit has responded to the above said closure direction and informed to have complied with the directions regarding installation & connectivity of online continuous effluent monitoring system (OCEMS) including submission of 'Self-Certificate' & consent renewal application and the connectivity of OCEMS was verified by IT Division of CPCB; 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 closure direction issued by CPCB; and

WHEREAS, the Committee in its meeting held on 04.11.2023 reviewed the compliance made by the Unit & verified the submitted supporting documents in line with the agreed criteria and recommended that the Unit may be allowed to resume its manufacturing operation with general conditions; and

NOW therefore, in view of the compliance made by the Unit to the direction issued by CPCB and in exercise of powers vested under Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, the Unit [M/s Onkar Sakhar Karkhana Private Limited, (Formerly Known as M/s Shivajirao Patil Nilangekar SSK Ltd), Unit-2, Ambulga, Tq. Nilanga, Dist. Latur, Maharashtra] is hereby allowed to resume its manufacturing operations subject to the following conditions:

1. The Unit shall be permitted to operate for three months from the date of commencement of operation.
2. The Unit shall obtain valid Consents under the Water Act & Air Act, and Authorization under Hazardous & other Wastes Rules, 2016 issued by MPCB and shall not operate without valid Consents and Authorization.
3. The Unit shall ensure uninterrupted data connectivity of OCEMS with CPCB server after commencement of operation of the plant.
4. The Unit shall ensure periodic calibration of the analysers as per Standard Operating Procedure/recommendations of the supplier and submit the calibration results.
5. The Unit shall intimate the date of resumption of manufacturing operation to CPCB.

In case of default in compliance with the above conditions, CPCB will be constrained to initiate further action against the Unit including withdrawal of the revocation direction, in accordance with the provisions of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, without giving any further notice.


(TANMAY KUMAR)
CHAIRMAN

Copy to:

1. The Member Secretary,
Maharashtra Pollution Control Board
2nd, 3rd & 4th Floor,
Opp. Cine Planet, Near Sion Circle,
Sion (E), Mumbai- 400022 : For information & ensuring compliance of above direction please.
2. The Regional Director,
REGIONAL DIRECTORATE – PUNE
Survey No. 110, Dhankude
Multi Purpose Hall, Baner Road,
Baner, Pune - 411045 : With a request to visit the Unit within 90 days from the date of resumption of operation to ensure the compliance and shall also submit the report within 90 days of operation of unit to CPCB head office.
3. The Director (CP Division)
Ministry of Environment, Forest & C.C
Prithvi Block, Indira Paryavaran Bhawan,
Jorbagh Road, New Delhi – 110 003 : For information please.
4. The District Magistrate,
Collectorate Office
Barshi Rd, Latur MIDC,
Maharashtra -413531 : For information please.
5. The Superintendent Engineer,
Maharashtra State Electricity Distribution,
Dist. Latur, Maharashtra-413512 : With a request to restore electric power supply of the Unit
6. The Divisional Head, IT Division, CPCB : For uploading the direction on CPCB website


(BHARAT KUMAR SHARMA)
MEMBER SECRETARY