

**SPEED POST**

F. No. B-751(699)/Chemical & Others/WQM-II/CPCB/2017-18 2860

10-08-2017

To

**M/s Exide Industries Limited,  
Durgachak, Haldia-721602,  
Purba Medinipur, West Bengal**

**DIRECTION UNDER SECTION 5 OF THE ENVIRONMENT (PROTECTION) ACT,  
1986**

**WHEREAS**, the other sector industries are identified as one of the Grossly Polluting Industries (GPIs) 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 & emission monitoring devices, mechanical system for chemical dosing and sludge dewatering to avoid human errors and get the consistent results; and

**WHEREAS**, M/s Exide Industries Limited, Durgachak, Haldia-721602, Purba Medinipur, West Bengal (hereinafter referred to as 'the unit') is involved in allied category unit (Battery); and

**WHEREAS**, the unit was inspected on 27.04.2017 and it was observed that the unit has provided data connectivity to CPCB but has not yet registered on CPCB 'Industry Registration Portal' .

**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 emission and effluent standards and rules notified under the Environment (Protection) Rules, 1986 and amendment thereof; and

**WHEREAS**, CPCB issued Show Cause Notice dated 28.06.2017 under section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 to the unit;

**WHEREAS**, the unit's reply vide letter dated 12.07.2017 was examined and observed that unit has installed 02 OCEMS on 02 discharge points as per directives from CPCB/WBPCB; and

**WHEREAS**, IT division, CPCB has confirmed that the unit has provided OCEMS data connectivity 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 Show cause notice dated 28.6.2017 is hereby revoked and the unit **M/s Exide Industries Limited, Durgachak, Haldia-721602, Purba Medinipur, West Bengal** is directed to comply with the following direction:

1. The Unit shall treat their effluent to meet the effluent discharge standards as notified under Environment (Protection) Rules, 1986.
2. The Unit shall ensure continuous connectivity with CPCB server.

In case of default in compliance with the above directions, CPCB will be constrained to initiate action without any further notice, in accordance with the provisions of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.

  
**(S. P. SINGH PARIHAR)**  
**CHAIRMAN**

**Copy to:**

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| 1. <b>Chairman,</b><br>West Bengal Pollution Control Board,<br>Paribesh Bhavan, 10A, Block-L.A.,<br>Sector-III, Salt Lake City,<br>Kolkata - 700 098, West Bengal   | : [For kind information ]                 |
| 2. <b>The Advisor</b> (CP Division).<br>Ministry of Environment, Forests &<br>Climate Change,<br>Indra Paryavaran Bhavan,<br>Jor Bagh Road, New Delhi - 110 003   | : [For kind information ]                 |
| 3. <b>Regional Director,</b><br>Regional Directorate (E)<br>Central Pollution Control Board, Southern<br>Conclave, Block 502, 5 <sup>th</sup> & 6 <sup>th</sup> Floors, 1582<br>Rajdanga Main Road, Kolkata-700107<br>West Bengal | :[To ensure compliance of the directions] |
| 4. <b>The Incharge IT Division, CPCB, Delhi</b>   |   |
| 5. <b>Master copy (Others). WQM-II Division,<br/>CPCB, Delhi</b>  |   |

  
**(A.B.AKOLKAR)**  
**MEMBER SECRETARY**

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