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To,

**M/s Patna Dairy Project,  
Phulwarisharif, Patna-801505  
Bihar**

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

*Ref.: Show Cause Notice under section 5 of Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 regarding connectivity and registration on CPCB Registration Portal of OCEMS dated 19-06-2017.*

**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 rule framed there under; and

**WHEREAS**, Dairy units 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**, 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 & 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**, it is obligatory on the part of industries to install effluent treatment plants (ETPs) to comply with the effluent discharged 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 Patna Dairy Project, Phulwarisharif, Patna-801505, Bihar (hereafter referred to as the 'Unit') is manufacturing ghee and milk powder; and

**WHEREAS**, the unit was inspected by CPCB deputed officials on 14.04.2017; and

**WHEREAS**, CPCB issued show cause notice under section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 dated 19-06-2017 to the unit; and

**WHEREAS**, the Unit has replied vide its letter dated 08-07-2017 which was examined and following observations made:

1. On the day of inspection due to low intake in ETP, MLSS level was less than the desired level. In order to maintain the MLSS level in aeration tank in the range of 3500-4000 mg/l, the unit is

recycling a portion of the biological sludge to aeration tank to increase the retention time of effluent in the tank from 3 to 4 hrs which subsequently increase the MLSS level in aeration tank. Estimation of MLSS of aeration tank sample is being done on daily basis in the laboratory.

2. The unit has registered details of OCEMS on CPCB portal on 03.07.2017.

**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 unit's Show cause notice dated 19.06.2017 is revoked herewith and directed to comply with the following direction:

1. The Unit shall operate ETP properly so as to ensure compliance with the effluent discharge norms notified under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986. At any stage, if the treated effluent does not meet notified discharge standards the unit shall close down manufacturing operations immediately and report to CPCB.
2. The unit shall ensure continuous connectivity with CPCB server.

In case of failure of the unit **M/s Patna Dairy Project, Phulwarisharif, Patna-801505, Bihar** to comply with the norms, action as deemed appropriate will be taken under provisions of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.

  
(S.P. SINGH PARIHAR)  
CHAIRMAN

**Copy to:**

- 1) **Member Secretary,**  
Bihar State Pollution Control Board,  
Parivesh Bhawan, Plot No. NS-B/2  
Paliputra Industrial Area,  
Patliputra, Patna (Bihar) - 800 023 : With request to ensure compliance and verify the self certificate provided by the industry.
- 2) **The Advisor (CP) division** : for information please.  
Ministry of Environment, Forests and  
Climate Change,  
Prithvi Wing, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Room No. 216  
Indira Paryavaran Bhawan,  
Aliganj, Jor Bagh Road, New delhi-110003
- 3) **Regional Director,** : for information please.  
Regional Directorate (E)  
Central Pollution Control Board, Southern  
Conclave, Block 502, 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Floors, 1582  
Rajdanga Main Road, Kolkata-700107  
West Bengal
- 4) **I/c IT division, CPCB, Delhi** : for uploading the direction at CPCB website.
- 5) Master copy (FD&B), WQM-II Division.

  
(A.B. AKOLKAR)  
MEMBER SECRETARY