



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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B-29016/04/06/IPC-1/9072

22 November, 2021

M/s. VJ Sai Chem,
Sy.no.240/b, Dothigudem village, Pochampally Mandal,
Yadadri Bhuvanagiri District (earlier Nalgonda District),
Telangana- 508284

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

WHEREAS, the Pharmaceutical 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, 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, 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 and emission monitoring devices; and

WHEREAS, Pharmaceutical unit, M/s. VJ Sai Chem, Telangana (herein after referred to as the unit) was randomly selected for inspection based on the SMS alerts generated through the OCEMS; and

WHEREAS, the unit was inspected by a team of official(s) from CPCB RD Bengaluru on February 17, 2021 to assess the adequacy of the existing pollution control measures; and observed the following shortcomings:

1. The production data provided by the unit indicates that the unit exceeded the consented production capacity and also produced drug intermediates which were not consented by Telangana SPCB.
2. The biological ETP provided for Low TDS effluent was found in defunct condition and Multi Effect Evaporator(MEE) & RO was also not in operation.
3. Segregation of High TDS and Low TDS effluent is not being practiced by the unit.
4. The overall housekeeping of the unit was not found satisfactory.

WHEREAS, as per report of IT Division of CPCB, dated June 15, 2021, PTZ camera was not found connected to CPCB server during verification; and

WHEREAS, on the basis of above non compliances a Show Cause Notice under Section 5 of Environment (Protection) Act 1986, was issued to M/s. VJ Sai Chem, Telangana vide letter no. B-29016/04/06/IPC-1/2771 dated June 29, 2021; and

WHEREAS, the Unit has submitted the compliance of directions vide letter received on July 12, 2021 along with self-certificate and informed that the online connectivity has been provided for OCEMS; and

WHEREAS, the connectivity of online data submitted by the Unit was verified by the IT division of the CPCB and as per report dated July 20, 2021 the camera was found not connected; and

WHEREAS, the Unit was further communicated thrice vide email dated July 26, July 30 and September 01, 2021 to provide online connectivity for camera; and

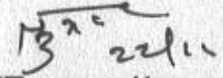
WHEREAS, based on the replies from the Unit, connectivity of online data was verified three times by the IT division of the CPCB and as per reports dated July 28, August 13 and September 28, 2021, the camera was found not connected; and

WHEREAS, the Unit failed to provide connectivity for camera in compliance of show cause notice dated June 29, 2021 even after sufficient time was given; and

WHEREAS, the Ministry of Environment, Forest and climate change, 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; and

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of powers vested under Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, **M/s VJ Sai Chem, Telangana** is directed to close down all operational activities with immediate effect and shall not resume its operation till the online connectivity of OCEMS data w.r.t. flow meter and camera is provided and written permission is obtained from CPCB to resume the plant operation.

In case of failure to comply with the said directions necessary action as deemed fit under the provision of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 including imposition of environmental compensation shall be taken by Central Pollution Control Board.


(Tanmay Kumar)
Chairman

Copy to:

1. The Member Secretary

Telangana State Pollution Control Board
Paryavaran Bhavan, A-3, Industrial Estate, Sanath Nagar,
Hyderabad - 500 018, Telangana

2. The Regional Director

Central Pollution Control Board
77-A, Second Floor, South Avenue Road,
Ambattur Industrial Estate, Ambattur Taluk,
Thiruvallur District, Chennai- 600058

3. The Joint Secretary (CP Division)

Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change
Prithvi Wing, 2nd Floor, Room No. 216,
Indira Paryavaran Bhawan, Aliganj,
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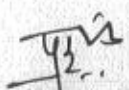
4. The Chairman

Southern Power Distribution
Company of Telangana Limited
Corporate Office: # 6-1-50,
Mint Compound, Hyderabad-500063

:With request to disconnect
Industrial Electricity supply of the unit,
allowing the supply only for domestic &
security purposes.

5. Divisional Head, IT, CPCB

6. Divisional Head, IPC-VI, CPCB


(Prashant Gargava)
Member Secretary