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MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST & CLIMATE CHANGE GOVT. OF INDIA
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To

M/s. Jindal Spinning Mills Ltd.,
E-51, Industrial Area,
Panipat

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

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 there under; 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 there under and also to meet the consent conditions granted by State Pollution Control Board (SPCB)/ Pollution Control Committees (PCCs); and

WHEREAS, the Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Govt. of India, vide notification S.O. 157 (E) of 27.02.1996 has delegated powers vested under section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 (29 of 1986) to the Chairman, Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB), to issue direction to any industry, Municipal Corporation, Municipal Council, Cantonment Board, to any local or other Authority for the violation of emission and effluent standards notified under the Environment (Protection) Rules, 1986 and other standards and norms; and

WHEREAS, a team of officers from the Central Pollution Control Board, Delhi inspected M/s. Jindal Spinning Mills Ltd., E-51, Industrial Area, Panipat (hereafter referred to as 'the Unit') on May 26, 2018 to verify compliance of notified standards; and

WHEREAS, the unit was inspected by a joint team of officials from CPCB & Haryana SPCB and made following observations:

1. The Unit was found non-operational at the time of inspection, and unit was found sealed by HSPCB.
2. The consent to operate issued to unit under the Water/Air Act had expired on 31.03.2017 and the Authorization issued under the Hazardous Waste Rules had also expired on 31.03.2017.

WHEREAS, on the basis of the aforementioned violations observed by the inspection team, CPCB on August 13, 2018 issued following directions under Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 to the Unit:

1. The unit shall not resume the plant operations without the permission of CPCB.
2. The unit shall obtain valid consent to operate and Authorization under the Water/Air Acts & Hazardous Waste Rules before commencement of operations.
3. The unit shall install adequate Effluent Treatment Plant and operate it properly so as to achieve prescribed standards for effluent discharge.

WHEREAS, the unit has submitted self-certificate dated April 21, 2022 that the unit had stopped production w.r.t. closure directions issued by CPCB; and

WHEREAS, HSPCB has issued suspension of closure order on 31.01.2022 with a condition that the unit shall not resume plant operations without the permission of CPCB; and

WHEREAS, the Unit has submitted adequacy report of treatment system from Department of Environment Science and Engineering J.C. Bose University of Science and Technology, YMCA, Faridabad, Haryana; and

WHEREAS, CPCB had 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 the closure directions issued by CPCB; and

WHEREAS, the three-member committee in its meeting held on 08.06.2022 examined the compliance status of the Unit and recommended that closure directions issued to the Unit may be revoked with following conditions:

1. The Unit shall communicate the date of commencement of plant operations to CPCB and revocation of closure directions shall be for an initial period of three months after the commencement of the plant operations, and in case of compliance of the Effluents Discharge as per prescribed standards, further revocation would be deemed as having been granted.
2. The unit shall submit performance assessment of the treatment system including analysis of treated effluent by same reputed Government Institute within 60 days from the date of resumption of manufacturing operations.

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; and

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of powers vested to Chairman CPCB under Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, and in view of compliance with relevant direction under reference, the directions issued vide letter dated 13.08.2018 under the Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 to the Unit, M/s. Jindal Spinning Mills Ltd., E-51, Industrial Area, Panipat is hereby revoked with following conditions:


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

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