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To

M/s Aashima Tanners,
Newal to Mugal Majra Road,
Kundpura road, Distt. Karnal,
Haryana

Sub: Show Cause Notice under Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.

WHEREAS, the tanneries 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;

WHEREAS, the Central Government has notified the environmental discharge standards for various categories of industries under the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 and Rules framed thereunder;

WHEREAS, all industries are required to install and operate the requisite pollution control system to comply with the notified environmental discharge standards;

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;

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';

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 effluent monitoring system w.r.t. pH, BOD, COD, TSS and Flow parameters in Tanneries;

WHEREAS, the Ministry of Environment, Forests 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;

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WHEREAS, M/s Aashima Tanners, Newal to Mugal Majra Road, Kundpura road, Distt. Karnal, Haryana, (hereinafter referred as "Unit") was inspected by a team of officers from CPCB, Regional Directorate, Chandigarh on 02.05.2023 based on the SMS Alert;

WHEREAS, it was observed during inspection that the unit has infrastructure for processing of wet blue to crust leather with consented capacity of 550 raw hides/day and 600 crust leathers/day. Following observations were made during inspection:

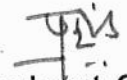
- i. The unit has not installed sensor of OCEMS at designated place.
- ii. ETP of the Unit was found not operational. However HSPCB was not informed by the unit in this regard.
- iii. The unit has not provided Display Board in the prescribed format as per Hon'ble Supreme Court Order in WP/657/1995.
- iv. The unit has not obtained permission from the Ground Water Authority/Board for abstraction/Use of ground water.
- v. The unit has not obtained Authorization for storage and disposal of used drums/barrels and hazardous waste generated during cutting and sewing under the Hazardous and Other Wastes (Management and Trans-Boundary Movement) Rules, 2016 and amend thereof.
- vi. The unit has not taken Public Liability Insurance.

NOW, THEREFORE, in view of above observations and in exercise of the powers, delegated to the Chairman, CPCB under Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, notice is hereby served to the unit to Show cause as to why the Unit should not be closed until the above observations are complied with.

15/05/23
(Tanmay Kumar)
Chairman

Copy to:

1	The Chairman, Haryana State Pollution Control Board C-11, Sector-6, Panchkula, Haryana 134109	:	For kind information and with request to ensure compliance of the directions, please.
2	The Additional Secretary (CP Division), Ministry of Environment, Forest &C.C., Prithvi Block, Indira Paryavaran Bhawan, Jorbagh Road, New Delhi - 110003.	:	For kind information, please.
3	The Regional Directorate Central Pollution Control Board, BSNL Tel Exchange, 2nd Floor, Sector 49 C, Chandigarh, Pin 160047	:	For information and with request to ensure compliance of the directions, please.
4	The Divisional Head, IT Division, CPCB, Delhi	:	For information and upload the Show Cause Notice at CPCB website, please.
5	The Divisional Head, IPC-VI Division, CPCB, Delhi	:	For information and necessary action, please.


(Prashant Gargava)

Member Secretary