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No.B-433(S)/IPC-III/2017-18/ 10622

September 07, 2017

To

M/s Shree Renuka Sugars Ltd.,
Sy. No. 377, Burlatti Village,
Athani Taluk, Belgaum,
Karnataka -591230

Sub: Closure Directions under Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 regarding installation of on-line effluent monitoring system-Revoked thereof.

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

WHEREAS, in view of the above and in exercise of the powers delegated to the Chairman, Central Pollution Control Board under section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, notice was served to the unit dated 24.07.2015 to **Show Cause why the unit should not be closed down if the unit has not complied fully with the directions issued w.r.t. installation of online effluent monitoring system and further directions to comply with; and**

WHEREAS, No reply as recorded was filed by the said unit in response of the same; and

WHEREAS, in view of the above and in exercise of the powers delegated to the Chairman, Central Pollution Control Board under section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, **the unit vide letter no. B-400(S)/2016-17/4243/ dated 22.08.2016 was directed not to resume their manufacturing operation till installation and commissioning of online 24x7 monitoring system and networking of data with SPCB and CPCB, and to submit compliance to CPCB within 15 days on the receipt of the Closure Notice; and.**

WHEREAS, the unit has responded to the above said Closure Notice vide its email dated 28.06.2017 stating that they have complied with the directions regarding installation and commissioning of online continuous effluent monitoring system (OCEMS). The unit has provided URL & password to access the data submitted from OCEMS, and requested to revoke the closure notice; and that IT division of CPCB has confirmed the installation and connectivity of OCEMS with CPCB server.

However, it has been observed that the unit has closed its manufacturing operations on 26-01-2017, only after operating it during crushing season 2016-17; which is non-compliance of the closure direction issued by CPCB vide letter dated 22-08-2016 under Section 5 of the E(P) Act, 1986 and for which action as per law shall be initiated separately.

NOW THEREFORE, in view of the compliance made by the unit to the direction issued by CPCB and in exercise of powers vested under Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, the unit, **M/s Shree Renuka Sugars Ltd., Sy. No. 377, Burlatti Village, Athani Taluk, Belgaum, Karnataka -591230** is allowed to resume its manufacturing operations.

In case of failure of the unit to comply with the above directions action as deemed appropriate will be taken with the provisions under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.

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

Copy to:

1. **The Member Secretary**
Karnataka Pollution Control Board,
"Parisara Bhavan"
4th & 5th Floors, # 49, Church Street,
Bangalore - 560 001. : (With a request to ensure compliance and verify the self- certificate provided by industry).
2. **The District Magistrate**
Collectorate, Athani Taluk, Belgaum Distt,
Karnataka -590001 : For information please
3. **The Superintendent Engineer**
Karnataka Power Transmission,
Corporation Ltd., Athani Taluk
Karnataka -590001 : (With the direction to re-connect power supply)

4. **Regional Directorate, (South)**
Central Pollution Control Board
Nisarga Bhavan, A-Block, 1st & 2nd Floors,
Thimmaiah Road
Shivanagar, Bengaluru - 560 079
Bangalore - 560 010

6. **The Advisor (CP Division)**
Ministry of Environment, Forest & C.C
Prithvi Block,
Indira Paryavaran Bhawan,
Jorbagh Road, New Delhi - 110 003

:For information please)

7. ✓ The In-charge, IT Division, CPCB

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MEMBER SECRETARY

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