



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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To,

~~M/s Star Cement Ltd.,  
Lumshnong, Jayantia Hills,  
Meghalaya~~

**Direction under Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986**

WHEREAS, the cement 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, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change has notified emission norms for Particulate matter, SO<sub>2</sub> & NO<sub>x</sub> vide GSR 612 (E) dated 25.08.2014; and amended it vide GSR 496 (E) dated 09.05.2016 for all cement industries and vide GSR 497 (E) dated 10.05.2016 for cement industries, carrying out co-processing of wastes in their cement kilns; and

WHEREAS, on request of cement industries, timeline was extended up-to March 31, 2017 to comply with the aforesaid notified emission standards; and

WHEREAS, the matter regarding reconsideration of notified standards was taken up by the Cement Manufacturers Association with the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (MoEFCC). In this context, it has been decided by MoEFCC that general extension shall not be granted and any extension regarding compliance shall be based on due assessment and submission of clear/specific road map for compliance with notified standards in a time bound manner. Accordingly, Directions under Section 3 of Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 have been issued by MoEFCC to CPCB on 28.03.2017 to ensure implementation of notified environmental standards for cement industries; and

WHEREAS, you were reminded vide this office letter of even no. dated 30.03.2017 that new notified standards for cement industry have become effective from April 01, 2017 and you were directed to submit clear / specific time-bound action plan for compliance with new notified standards, before April 30, 2017; and

M/s Star Cement Ltd., Lumshnong, Jayantia Hills, Meghalaya

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NOW, THEREFORE, exercising the powers delegated to the Chairman, Central Pollution Control Board under section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, M/s Star Cement Ltd., Lumshnong, Jayantia Hills, Meghalaya, is hereby directed for the following:

1. All necessary steps shall be initiated so as to comply with the notified emission standards by or before 31.08.2018.
2. Accordingly, the action plan shall be revised and 'Revised Action Plan' for compliance of notified emission norms shall be submitted within 15 days from the date of issue of these directions. Failing which, it will be presumed that the unit has nothing to say in the matter and legal action including prosecution as per the National Green Tribunal Act, 2010 shall be launched.

  
(S.P. Singh Parihar)  
Chairman



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4. The Divisional Head, IT, CPCB

: For information please.

23/08/17  
(A.Sudhakar)  
Member Secretary

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