



**SPEED POST**

B-19003(42)/Tannery/WQM-II /CPCB/2017-18

November 08, 2017

To,

M/s Mughis Tanners,  
328/308, Bhalla Estate,  
Jajmau, Kanpur, UP

**DIRECTION UNDER SECTION 5 OF THE ENVIRONMENT (PROTECTION) ACT, 1986**

**WHEREAS**, Tannery processing units are identified as one of the 17 categories of grossly polluting industries which have been discharging environmental pollutants directly or indirectly into ambient air and water, having potential threat to cause adverse effect on water and air quality; and

**WHEREAS**, the Central Government has notified the general discharge standards of environmental pollutants from various categories of industries under the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 and the rules framed there under; 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 amendment thereof; and

**WHEREAS**, M/s Mughis Tanners, 328/308, Bhalla Estate, Jajmau, Kanpur, Uttar Pradesh, (hereafter referred as Unit), is a tannery industry engaged in processing (re-tanning, dyeing and fat liquoring) of Wet blue leather to produce finished split leather; and

**WHEREAS**, the Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB) carried out inspection of the Unit on 24/05/2017 for verification of compliance to the norms stipulated under the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 and following observations are made:

1. The unit was operational and the treated effluent was found non-complying w.r.t. Total Chromium **8.9 mg/L** against norm of 2.0 mg/L.
2. The unit has not made approach to reach the settling tank of PETP for Operation & Maintenance.
3. The primary settling tank is not provided with overflow weir and not made central feeding arrangement in the existing primary settling tank.

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**NOW, THEREFORE**, in view of the above observations 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, **M/s Mughis Tanners, 328/308, Bhalla Estate, Jajmau, Kanpur, (Uttar Pradesh)**, is hereby **directed to closed down its operation immediately** and to comply with the following directions-

1. The unit shall improve the PETP - chemical dosing system, primary settling tank and PETP operation so as to comply the treated effluent standards.
2. The unit shall provide arrangement to reach the settling tank of PETP for Operation & Maintenance.
3. The unit shall obtain permission from CPCB before starting manufacturing operations.

In case of default in compliance with the above directions by the Unit, CPCB will be constrained to initiate appropriate actions against the Unit, without giving any further notice, in accordance with the provisions of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.

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

Copy to:

- 1 **The Member Secretary**  
Uttar Pradesh Pollution Control Board,  
Building No. TC-12V, Vibhuti Khand, Gomti Nagar,  
**Lucknow – 226 010**  
With a request to ensure compliance of the directions.
- 2 **The Advisor (CP Division)**  
Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change  
Prithvi Block, Indira Paryavaran Bhawan,  
Jorbagh Road,  
**New Delhi – 110 003**  
For kind information pls.
- 3 **The District Magistrate**  
**Collectorate Office,**  
Civil Lines, **Kanpur**  
Uttar Pradesh-208001  
To ensure closure of the unit as per direction.
- 4 **Chief Engineer,**  
**Kanpur Electricity Supply Company Ltd.,**  
Kesa House, 14/ 71 Civil Lines,  
**Kanpur**  
With the direction to **disconnect** power supply except residential, street light and security system
- 5 **The In-charge, Regional Directorate (North),**  
**Central Pollution Control Board,**  
PICUP Bhawan, Ground Floor,  
Vibhuti Khand, Gomti Nagar,  
**Lucknow – 226 010.**  
For information.
- 6 In-charge, IT Division, CPCB Delhi  
For information.
- 7 Master File, WQM-II Div., CPCB Delhi
- 8 In-charge, WQM-II Div., CPCB Delhi

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for MEMBER SECRETARY