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Ref: 1. Industry’s request letter dt.11.03.2019 for revocation of closure order.
3. Minutes of External Advisory Committee (Task Force) meeting held on 14.06.2019 at Head Office, Vijayawada.

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With reference to the above, M/s. Sri Raghavendra Swamy Parboiled Plant located at Sy.No.345/3, Navalok Gardens, Nellore District requested for revocation of closure order.

The EE, RO, Nellore inspected the rice mill on 23.03.2019 and furnished inspection report to Board for review.

In this regard, the Board has reviewed the status of pollution control measures taken by the industry before External Advisory Committee (Task Force) during the Meeting held on 14.06.2019 and the committee recommended to direct Zonal Office, Vijayawada to immediately issue Revocation of Closure Order to operate Raw Rice & Steam Rice only with following directions with a copy marked to Unit-2, Board Office:

1. The Rice Mill shall not operate the par boiled section without prior permission from the Board.
2. The Rice Mill shall obtain CFO order of the Board immediately.
3. The Rice Mill shall operate air pollution control equipment continuously and meet the Board’s standards.
4. The industry shall provide or expand the husk room to cater the storage of husk so as to avoid air pollution within 3 months.
5. The rice mill shall improve the green belt in the available vacant land.

In view of above, the JCEE, Zonal Office, Vijayawada is requested to issue Revocation of Closure Order to the industry immediately with a copy marked to Unit-2, Board Office.

Encl: a/a.

JOINT CHIEF ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEER
UH-II

To
The Joint Chief Environmental Engineer,
Zonal Office,
A.P.Pollution Control Board,
Vijayawada.

Copy to:
The Environmental Engineer, Regional Office, A.P.Pollution Control Board, Nellore for information and necessary action.