ANDHRA PRADESH POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD
PARYAVARAN BHAVAN, A-3, INDUSTRIAL ESTATE,
SANATHNAGAR, HYDERABAD - 500 018.

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Order No. 59/APPCB/UH-II/TF/VSP/2016- Date: 11.05.2016

DIRECTIONS


2. Board officials inspected the industry on 11.03.2016 under randomized risk based inspections.
3. Task Force Committee Meeting held on 02.05.2016.

WHEREAS you are operating the industry in the name & style M/s. Aurobindo Pharma Ltd., Plot No. 17, Jawaharlal Nehru Pharma City, Parawada, Visakhapatnam is manufacturing Bulk Drugs & Bulk drug intermediate.

WHEREAS vide reference 1st cited, the Board has issued CFO to the industry vide order dated 01.03.2016 to manufacturing Bulk Drugs & Bulk drug intermediate with a validity period up to 30.11.2020.

WHEREAS vide reference 2nd cited, the Board official inspected the industry on 11.03.2016 and submitted report as follows:

a. The industry has produced un-consented products during its trial production.
b. The industry has provided above ground level RCC storage tanks for LTDS & HTDS effluents separately, but seepage was observed from the RCC tanks.
c. The industry has not installed scrubber to control process emissions.
d. The industry has installed 1 No. of 0.8 TPH Boiler and no air pollution control equipment provided. The industry has committed during the earlier issue of CFO for installation of wet scrubber as APCE, but the industry has not provided. The industry has installed 125 KVA DG set without consent of the Board.
e. The industry has stored coal in open area.
f. The industry has not installed solvent recovery column.
g. The industry has not installed VOC meter.
h. Solvent storage tanks are not connected with vent condensers to prevent solvent losses.
i. The industry has not disposed 2.0 tons of organic residue as per consent condition.
j. The industry has not provided web cams as per CPCB guidelines.
k. Developed green belt in an area of 2.0 acres.
l. The storm water drains constructed have been damaged due to the construction activity.

WHEREAS vide reference 3rd cited, hearing was conducted by the Task Force Committee of A.P. Pollution Control Board on 02.05.2016 to review the status of the industry. The representative of the industry attended the legal hearing. The Committee noted the non-compliance of the directions issued by the Board and the production of un consented products. The representative of the industry informed that they have not yet commenced commercial production in the unit so far. They have taken trials and validated some new products at the unit. The new products manufactured at the unit are only validation products, not commercialized and are stored in ware house. They have informed 800 Kg/hour boiler is installed for the purpose of validation & exhibit batches and the same boiler will be dismantled by end of June, 2016. It was informed that they will construct coal storage yard along with 12 TPH boiler as and when they start manufacturing commercial products. They informed that Web Camera system will be purchased and installed by the end of May, 2016. It was informed that the CETP, Parawada have taken samples of LTDS and HTDS effluents and start transferring of effluents. They are planning to develop another 3 acres of green belt in and around the plant premises in the coming mansoon.
The Committee after detailed discussions, recommended to issue the following directions:

1. The industry shall obtain CFE (Change of Product Mix) order of the Board immediately.
2. The industry shall install IP Cameras with PAN, TILT Zoom, 5x or above Focal length with night vision capability and flow meters such that effluent disposed and utilized can be visualized. The flow meter data should be transmitted online to CPCB.
3. The industry shall dismantle the boiler of capacity 800 Kg/hour as agreed by the management immediately.
4. The industry shall store spent solvents of methanol, MTBE, ethyl acetate, toluene, IPA, in HDPE drums on raised concrete platform under a closed sheds within 2 months.
5. The industry shall take all the pollution mitigative measures along with the construction of main block.
6. The industry shall develop the thick green belt within the plant premises during coming monsoon season.
7. The industry shall ensure the validity CFO of the Board and ensure continuous compliance of the conditions issued by the Board.

This order is issued under Sec.33 (A) of Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Amendment Act, 1988 and under Sec.31(A) of Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Amendment Act, 1987.

You are hereby directed to note that, should you violate any one of the directions mentioned above, your unit will be closed under Sec.33 (A) of Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Amendment Act, 1988 and Sec.31 (A) of Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Amendment Act, 1987 without any further notice, in the interest of Public Health and Environment.

This Order comes into effect from today i.e., 11.05.2016.

Sd/-
MEMBER SECRETARY

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