REVOCAITION OF STOP PRODUCTION ORDER

WHEREAS you are operating a industry in the name & style of M/s. BRK Spirits (Formerly Druga Liquor India (P) Ltd.,) located at Davuluru (V), Kankipadu (M), Krishna District and engaged in production of ENA, blending & bottling (MFL) – 20,000 ltrs/day.

WHEREAS the Board vide reference 1st cited, issued Consent for Operation to the industry on 06.05.2016 duly certain conditions, which is validity upto 30.09.2018.

WHEREAS the Board has reviewed the status of industry before the External Advisory Committee of Zonal office, Vijayawada on 26.10.2017. As per the recommendations of the committee, the Zonal Office, Vijayawada has issued stop production order to industry on 26.10.2017 vide reference 2nd cited for operating the industry without ETP and not sending the effluents to the CETP.

WHEREAS the industry vide reference 3rd cited, submitted a representation requesting for revocation of stop production order, stating that their ETP is ready for operation and until ETP becomes fully operational they are willing to send their effluents to CETP, Autonagar, till their own ETP becomes fully operational.

WHEREAS the officials of Regional Office, Vijayawada has inspected the industry on 31.10.2017 vide reference 4th cited and observed the following:
2. The industry sent 20 KL of waste water to the CETP i.e M/s. Vijayawada Auto Cluster Development Company Ltd, Jawahar Auto Nagar, Vijayawada. The same is confirmed with CETP, Autonagar.
3. The ETP with designed capacity of 27 KLD was observed to be completed. Pumping arrangements and piping connections are under progress. The ETP consists of bar screen chamber, Air punching grid, neutralization tank, primary settling tank, sludge drying beds, bio-fill media, aeration tank(by diffused aerators), secondary settling tank, supernatant water collection tank, pressure sand filter, activated carbon filter. The treated waste water is proposed to be utilized for plantation within the industry premises. The industry representative informed that the ETP is expected to be commissioned within one week. They are willing to send their waste water to CETP, Autonagar for treatment and disposal, till the commissioning of full pledged ETP.
4. The industry is yet to provide water flow meters at the inlet & outlet of the ETP for measuring inlet & treated waste water quantities.

WHEREAS legal hearing was conducted before the External Advisory Committee (Task Force) Meeting of A.P. Pollution Control Board on 28.12.2017 vide reference 5th cited. The representative of the industry attended the legal hearing. The Committee noted that the
Zonal Office, Vijayawada has issued stop production order to the industry on 26.10.2017 for operating the industry without ETP and not sending effluents to CETP. The Committee also noted that compliance of Board directions. The EE, RO, Vijayawada has attended the meeting and informed that the industry Effluent Treatment Plant and compiled the most of directions issued by the Board. The representative of the industry informed that they have provided Effluent Treatment Plant for treat the waste water generated. It was informed that they will provide water flow meters at the inlet & outlet of the ETP for measuring inlet & treated waste water quantities within one month. Finally, the management requested the Board to revocation of stop production order.

After detailed discussions, the Committee recommended to issue Revocation of Stop Production order with certain directions. Accordingly, the Board hereby issue Revocation of Stop Production Order with the following directions 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:

1. The industry shall ensure the continuous operation of Effluent Treatment Plant & shall ensure compliance of prescribed discharge standards.
2. The industry shall provide digital flow meters with totalizer at inlet and outlet of ETP to ascertain the quantity of waste water generated and disposal of treated effluents.
3. The industry shall not discharge treated/untreated effluents outside the premises under any circumstances.
4. The industry shall ensure continuous compliance of the conditions stipulated in the CFO & HWA order obtained from the Board.

You are hereby directed to note that, should you misuse this order to operate the unit beyond the time period given to you and violate any one of the conditions mentioned above, your unit will be closed under Sec.33 (A) of Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Amendment Act, 1988, and under Section 31 (A) of Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Amendment Act, 1987, in the interest of Public Health and Environment and you will be also liable for prosecution in the Court of Judicial Magistrate First Class under Sec.41 (2) of Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Amendment Act, 1988 and under Sec.37 (1) of Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Amendment Act, 1987, the punishment for which includes imprisonment for a term which shall not be less than one year six months and which may be extended to six years and with fine.

This Order comes into effect from today i.e., 10.01.2018.

Sd/-
MEMBER SECRETARY

To
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Copy to:
1. The Joint Chief Environmental Engineer, A.P. Pollution Control Board, Zonal Office, Vijayawada for information.
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