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Order No.437/APPCB/UH-II/TF/NLR/2018 -

Dt: 07.08.2018


A.P. Pollution Control Board vide ref.1st cited issued closure order to M/s. Sri Bhagawan Venkaiah Swamy Rice Mill, Sy.No.228/2, Navalok Gardens, Nellore rural (M), SPSR Nellore District for non-compliance of Board directions and requested M/s A.P.S.P.D.C.L to disconnect the power supply.

A.P. Pollution Control Board vide ref.2nd cited, issued orders for revocation of Closure Order for a period of 20 months.

In exercise of the power vested with A.P. Pollution Control Board, 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, Southern Power Distribution Company of A.P. Ltd., is requested to restore power supply to M/s. Sri Bhagawan Venkaiah Swamy Rice Mill, Sy.No.228/2, Navalok Gardens, Nellore rural (M), SPSR Nellore District.

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

This Order comes into effect from today i.e., 07.08.2018.

Sd/-
MEMBER SECRETARY

To
The Superintending Engineer (Operations),
A.P. Southern Power Distribution Company Ltd,
Nellore District.

Copy to:
2. The Joint Chief Environmental Engineer, Zonal Office, Vijayawada for information and necessary action.
3. The Environmental Engineer, Regional Office, Nellore for information and necessary action.

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JOINT CHIEF ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEER
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REVOCATION OF CLOSURE ORDER


4. Industry’s request letter dt.25.06.2018.

WHEREAS you are operating rice mill in the name & style of M/s. Sri Bhagawan Venkaiiah Swamy Rice Mill, Sy.No.228/2, Navalok Gardens, Nellore rural (M), SPSR Nellore District to produce parboiled rice & raw / steam rice – 10 TPD.

WHEREAS the ZO, Vijayawada vide reference 1st cited, issued CFO & HWA to the rice mill on 06.03.2018 to produce parboiled rice & raw / steam rice – 10 TPD which is validity upto 31.12.2027.

WHEREAS the Zonal Office, Vijayawada vide reference 2nd cited, issued Stop Production order to the industry on 07.05.2018 for not operating ETP and discharging the waste water without any treatment outside premises and due to complaints received from the public.

WHEREAS the Zonal Office, Vijayawada vide reference 3rd cited, issued Closure order to the industry on 18.06.2018 for continuous operation of parboiled section without providing ETP.

WHEREAS the industry vide reference 4th cited, has submitted a representation dt.25.06.2018 requesting for revocation of closure order as they have constructed Effluent Treatment Plant for treating waste water generated from the parboiling section.

WHEREAS vide reference 5th cited, the official of RO, Nellore inspected the industry on 28.06.2018 and reported the following observations:

a) It was observed that APSPDCL has not disconnected the power supply to the industry.

b) The industry obtained CFO from the Board to produce Parboiled Rice & Steam Rice/ Raw Rice – 10.0 TPD, which is valid up to 31.12.2027. At present, the industry has stopped the operations for maintenance purpose.

c) The industry has constructed ETP consists of Collection Tank, Anaerobic Digester, Aeration Tank, Secondary Settling Tank, sludge Drying bed, Treated Water tank etc. for treating the waste water generated from the par boiling section.

d) The industry obtained permission for installation of 9 Tons/Hr boiler vide order dated 06.03.2018

WHEREAS the EE, RO, Nellore has inspected the industry again on 17.07.2018 and observed that the rice mill is not in operation and APSPDCL has disconnected the power supply to the rice mill on 12.07.2018.

After careful consideration of material facts on records, the Board hereby issue Revocation of Closure order with 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 operate the ETP continuously and shall treat the effluents to meet to Board standards. The treating effluents shall be utilized on land for irrigation within the premises.
2. The industry shall not discharge any effluents outside the premises.
3. The boiler ash generated shall be stored in closed storing facility of adequate capacity and shall by disposed of properly in order to prevent dust nuisance to the surrounding areas.
4. The industry shall provide closed room for storage of husk generated, in order to prevent dust nuisance. Blowing of husk shall be done in to the closed room. The room shall be provided with access door, and shall be kept closed during blowway and a vent in the roof to release the air. The vent pipe should be attached to a filter bag arrangement to arrest the fine particles.
5. The industry shall provide and maintain proper dust extraction system at all dust generating sources.
6. The industry shall ensure continuous compliance of the conditions specified in the CFO & HWA order dt.06.03.2018.
7. The industry shall ensure that the boiler ash transporting vehicle shall be fully covered to avoid falling of ash in their en-route.
8. The industry shall not increase the capacity beyond the permitted capacity mentioned in consent order.
9. The industry shall not use any form of wood in the boilers.
10. The ash shall be loaded into the transporting vehicles in wet condition only and shall not over load the transporting vehicle with ash.
11. The industry shall develop greenbelt in all the vacant places. In future excess greenbelt over and above 33% of total area can be utilized for industrial activity as per requirement of the industry. In any case, the minimum greenbelt shall be 33% of the total area.

M/s A.P.S.P.D.C.L., has been requested to restore power supply to M/s Sri Bhagawan Venkaiah Swamy Rice Mill, Sy.No.228/2, Navalok Gardens, Nellore rural (M), SPSR Nellore District.

You are hereby directed to note that, should you misuse this order 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. 07.08.2018.

Sd/-
MEMBER SECRETARY

To
M/s Sri Bhagawan Venkaiah Swamy Rice Mill,
Sy.No.228/2, Navalok Gardens,
Nellore rural (M), SPSR Nellore District.

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