ORDER NO. 002/APPCCB/UH-II/TF/VJA/2016

DIRECTIONS


Ref:
1. CFO Order No.002/APPCCB/VJA/NLR/180/HO/CFO/2012-1792, dt.01.03.2016.

WHEREAS you are operating a pharmaceutical manufacturing unit in the name & style of M/s Ever Health Life Sciences Private Ltd, located at Plot No. 408 & 419, Industrial Growth Centre, Gundelapalli (V), Maddipadu (M), Prakasam District to produce 16 nos. of bulk drug products on campaign basis.

WHEREAS vide reference 1st cited, the Board issued Consent for Operation (CFO) & HW Authorization to the industry on 01.03.2016, which is valid upto 31.01.2017.

WHEREAS vide reference 2nd cited, the Board has received a complaint from M/s. Visionetiknis, Plot No.498, IGC, Gundelapalli Village, through Zonal Manager, APIIC, Nellore alleging that M/s Ever Health Life Sciences Private Ltd, Prakasham Dist. is causing water pollution problems to the surroundings and requested the Board to take necessary action against the industry.

WHEREAS vide reference 3rd cited, the Board has reviewed the industry before the External Advisory Committee (Task Force) meeting held on 18.02.2016 and issued certain directions to the industry on 04.04.2016.

WHEREAS vide reference 4th cited, the Board officials inspected the industry on 22.10.2016 under randomized risk based inspections and observed the following violations:

1. The industry has not dismantled below ground level 15 KL effluent collection tank.
2. The unit has not lifted hazardous waste to M/s. TSDF for last 5 months.
3. The industry has not completed repairing of lining works of above ground effluent collection tanks for HTDS & LTDS.
4. The industry has not connected VOC monitoring system to APPCB website.

WHEREAS vide reference 5th cited, legal hearing was conducted before the External Advisory Committee (Task Force) Meeting of A.P. Pollution Control Board on 30.12.2016. The representatives of the industry and complainants have attended the legal hearing. The committee noted that the Board has received complaints repeatedly regarding water pollution problems in the surrounding area caused by the industry and non-compliance of CFO order conditions and directions of the Board. The complainants have informed that they are facing water pollution problems and air pollution at time of morning and evening. He is also informed that bore well samples are completely polluted in the surrounding area and the values are exceeding the Board standards. The representative of industry informed that they started the work on dismantling of below ground level effluent collection tank of capacity 15 KL and will be completed by the end of January 2017. It was informed that they will connect VOC monitoring system to APPCB website shortly. It was also informed that they provided web cameras and connected to APPCB & CPCB website last 10 days before. The committee instructed the management to upgrade the MEE so as to achieve ZLD.

Date: 30.01.2017
The Committee after detailed discussions, recommended to issue the following directions:

1. The industry shall remove below ground level tanks provided for collection of effluents within 15 days.
2. The industry shall connect VOC monitoring system to APPCB website immediately.
3. The industry shall maintain records of ETP operation, effluent generation and treatment & Hazardous waste generation and disposal.
4. The industry shall repair four effluent collection tanks and provide proper lining within two months.
5. The industry shall take necessary steps to arrest leakages if any, from the boundary of the unit.
6. The industry shall upgrade Multiple Effect Evaporation (IMEE) and the process requirements once full-fledged production is started.
7. The industry shall develop the thick green belt within the plant premises during coming monsoon season.
8. The industry shall maintain good housekeeping facility.
9. The industry shall comply all directions issued by the Board vide order dt.04.04.2016.
10. The facility shall ensure the continuous compliance of CFO & HW Authorization 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., 30.01.2017.

Sd/-
MEMBER SECRETARY

To
M/s Ever Health Life Sciences Private Ltd,
Plot No. 408 & 419, Industrial Growth Centre,
Gundlapalli (V), Maddipadu (M),
Prakasam District.

Copy to:
1. The Joint Chief Environmental Engineer, Zonal Office, Vijayawada for information and necessary action.
3. The Environmental Engineer, Regional Office, Nellore with a direction to collect the water samples from all Bore wells in the industry premises and surrounding areas and furnish detailed inspection report along with analysis reports of water samples within one month so as to review the industry.

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JOINT CHIEF ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEER

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