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Order No.215/APPCCB/BI-ITF/VJA/2018

REVOCATION OF CLOSURE ORDER


  6. Industry's request letter dt.17.05.2018.

WHEREAS you are operating a yarn / textile dyeing unit in the name and style of M/s. Ilakka Textile Process (Formerly M/s. Bharathi Dyeing works), Sy.No.595/3, Harizanawada, Old Chirala Centro, Jandrapola (M), Prakasam district.

WHEREAS vide reference 1st cited, the Board issued closure order to the industry on 08.03.2012 for discharging untreated effluents into nearby drains / surface water bodies thereby causing surface and ground water pollution in the surrounding areas.

WHEREAS vide reference 2nd cited, the Board issued temporary revocation closure order to the industry on 30.03.2015 for a period upto 30.09.2015.

WHEREAS vide reference 3rd cited, the Board issued Extension of Temporary Revocation of Closure Order to the industry on 01.04.2016 for period of one year i.e. upto 01.04.2017 with certain directions.

WHEREAS vide reference 4th cited, the Board issued Extension of Temporary Revocation of Closure Order to the industry on 16.06.2017 for period of one year with certain directions.

WHEREAS vide reference 5th cited, the industry has obtained CFO (Auto renewal) of the Board vide order dt. 03.04.2018 which is valid up to 15.06.2018 for Dyeing of Cloth.

WHEREAS vide reference 6th cited, the industry has requested the Board vide letter dt.17.03.2018 for revocation of closure order stating that they have complied all directions issued by the Board.

WHEREAS vide reference 7th cited, the officials of RO, Nellore have inspected the unit on 19.05.2018 and furnished the reports as follows:

1. The industry has obtained CFO (Auto Renewal) of the Board vide order no. P-404/PCB/ZO-VJA/CFW &/A/2018 dt.03.04.2018 which is valid up to 15.06.2018.
2. The industry provided ETP consisting of Collection tank, Chlorination, Equalization tank, Aeration tank, Settling tank, Sand filter bed. The treated waste water is sending to Khunduru drain.
3. The industry has not submitted any action plan for establishment of CETP.

WHEREAS vide reference 8th cited, legal hearing was conducted before the External Advisory Committee (Task Force) of A.P. Pollution Control Board on 04.07.2018. The representative of the industry attended the legal hearing. The Committee noted that the Board has issued extension of temporary revocation of closure order to the industry on 16.06.2017 for period of one year with direction to the industries not to discharge untreated waste water outside their premises. The Committee also noted that the dyeing units have provided Effluent Treatment Plant to treat the effluents. The committee also noted the status of non-compliance of Board
directions and CFO conditions. The EE, RO, Nellore informed that the units have constructed ETP and discharging treated effluents into the Khunderu drain. The representatives of the industries requested for revocation of closure order as they have provided Effluent Treatment Plant.

After detailed discussions, the Committee recommended to issue Revocation of Closure order with certain directions. Accordingly, the Board hereby issues Revocation of Closure 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 dyeing unit shall operate the unit only after obtaining CFO order of the Board.
2. The dyeing unit shall not discharge untreated effluents outside the industry premises.
3. The dyeing unit shall not cause ground water pollution in and around the industry premises.
4. The dyeing unit shall provide flow meters with totalizer facility at inlet and outlet of ETP and maintain log registers to record the wastewater generation and utilization.
5. The dyeing unit shall maintain separate energy meter for the ETP and maintain log registers to record the energy meter readings pertain to the operation of the effluent treatment plant.
6. The dyeing unit shall concentrate on completion of Common Effluent Treatment Plant and shall submit the progress of the construction of CETP to the Board regularly. In the meantime, the industry shall treat the effluents in their individual Effluent Treatment plant to meet the Board standards.

M/s A.P.S.P.D.C.L., has been requested to restore power supply to M/s. Ilakkla Textile Process (Formerly M/s. Bharathi Dyeing works), Sy.No.595/3, Harizanawada, Old Chirala Centre, Jandrapeta (M), Prakasam 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., 24.07.2018.

Sd/-
MEMBER SECRETARY

To
M/s. Ilakkla Textile Process
(Formerly M/s. Bharathi Dyeing works),
Sy.No.595/3, Harizanawada,
Old Chirala Centre, Jandrapeta (M),
Prakasam district-523165.

Copy to:
1. The Superintending Engineer (Operations), A.P.S.P.D.C.L., Prakasam for information.
2. The Joint Chief Environmental Engineer, Zonal Office, Vijayawada for information.
3. The Environmental Engineer, Regional Office, Nellore for information and necessary action.

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