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Order No.154/APPCB/UH-II/TF/NLR/2016- Date: 12.01.2017

DIRECTIONS

Sub: APPCB – TF - HO - M/s. S.S. Bio Care, Sy No.61, Plot No.02, APIIC, Attivaram (V), Ozili (M), SPSR Nellore District – Non-compliance of Board directions and consent conditions – Legal hearing held on 09.12.2016 - Directions - Issued - Reg.

2. The Board Officials inspected the industry on 17.09.2016 under randomized risk based inspections.
3. External Advisory Committee (Task Force) meeting held on 09.12.2016.

WHEREAS you are operating industry in the name & style of M/s. S.S. Bio Care, Sy No.61, Plot No.02, APIIC, Attivaram (V), Ozili (M), SPSR Nellore District is operating Common Bio Medical Waste treatment facility.

WHEREAS vide references 1st cited, the Board issued Consent for Operation and Hazardous Waste Authorization order vide dt.25.05.2016, which is valid upto 31.03.2021.

WHEREAS vide references 2nd cited, The Board officials inspected the industry on 17.09.2016 under randomized risk based inspections and observed the following violations:

a) The present management of the industry has taken over the unit from the previous management recently
b) The industry representative could not present any records during the inspection. He has informed that he doesn't have access to the records of the previous management.
c) The operator of the facility is not maintain log register for any of the operations. i.e incinerator, autoclave, shredder.
d) It was observed that lot of plastic waste i.e I.V bottles, empty containers etc is accumulated in the plant premises.
e) Few bags of the sludge received from the nearby Pharma unit i.e. M/s Aurobindo Pharma is lying in the plant premises. The operator of the plant has informed that they have received the waste from M/s Aurobindo Pharma for incineration. The CBMW facility is not authorized to collect waste from pharmaceutical industry.
f) It was observed that the incinerator ash containing full of glass bottles, this implies that the incinerable waste is not properly segregated at the source.
g) The facility has not provided online stack monitoring equipment.
h) The incinerator stack is observed to be rusted and it need maintenance.
i) The house keeping of the plant is improper. The floor washings of the plant are let out on to the open land without regulating it to the ETP.

WHEREAS vide reference 3rd, hearing was conducted before the External Advisory Committee (Task Force) Meeting of A.P. Pollution Control Board on 09.12.2016. The representatives of the industry attended the legal hearing. The committee noted the non-compliance of CFO order conditions and the directions of the Board. The representative of industry informed that the present management of the industry has taken over the unit from the previous management recently. They informed that they...
have placed purchase order for incinerator parts. They will install all pollution control measures and will be completed by end of February 2017. They are planning to conduct awareness programs in coordination with the APPCB for creation of awareness in segregation of BWM. It was observed that the incinerator ash containing full of glass bottles, this implies that the incinerable waste is not properly segregated at the source.

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

1. **The facility shall collect only segregated biomedical waste from HCEs.**
2. **The facility shall maintain proper records for all operations carried out at the CBMWTF immediately.**
3. **The facility shall not take-up manual feeding of biomedical waste into the incinerator and shall operate only auto-feeding system.**
4. **The facility shall take necessary immediate steps for prevention of oil spillages and carryover of oil from the premises.**
5. **The segregated rubber and plastic components, disposable syringes shall be disinfected before disposal.**
6. **The facility shall provide online stack monitoring equipment within three months.**
7. **The industry shall replace the rusted stack attached to the incinerator within three months.**
8. **The industry shall ensure continuous compliance of the conditions issued in the CFO & HWA order.**
9. **The facility shall maintain good housekeeping in the plant premises.**
10. **The facility shall submit Bank Guarantee of Rs. 2.0 Lakhs within 15 days towards the compliance of above directions.**

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, action will be initiated 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., **12.01.2017.**

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MEMBER SECRETARY

To
M/s. S.S. Bio Care,
Sy No.61, Plot No.02, APIIC,
Attivaram (V),
Ozili (M), SPSR Nellore District.

Copy to:
1. The Joint Chief Environmental Engineer, Zonal Office, Vijayawada for information and necessary action.
2. Sri S.S.S.Murali, EE, Head Office, Hyderabad for information.
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