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KLD of water. Industry is discharging effluents into Satyawada drain which may be again in the order of 1000 KLD re-circulating around 500 KLD of treated effluents. The industry has a 20 TPH boiler for captive power and requires atleast 150 KLD for boiler itself. Hence it is required to reexamine the quantities of water consumption and effluent generation issued in the CFO Order.

3. It was observed during inspection that untreated effluents from the process area are being discharged on open land in their premises which are finding way into Satyawada drain through an underground pipeline laid from the industry premises into Satyawada drain.

4. The waste water discharge from this industry into Satyawada drain was clearly visible during inspection and was identified that the industry is one of the major contributors to the pollution load of Satyawada drain and also Yenamaduru drain.

5. No sludge removal systems from effluents was installed so far by the industry indicating discharge of about 7 to 8 Tones of sludge per day into the satyawada drain which is getting putrefied, causing septic conditions resulting very high organic pollution in satyawada drain/ yenamaduru drain.

6. The industry has installed a sludge press which was made to function during the inspection of the Board officials and it appears that there are problems in the operation of the sludge press.

WHEREAS vide reference 6th cited, the ZO, Visakhapatnam has issued show cause notice to the industry on 29.05.2017 for non-compliance of Board directions and consent conditions.

WHEREAS vide reference 7th cited, the Board has reviewed the status of pollution control measures taken by the industry before External Advisory committee (Task Force) in its meetings held on 06.07.2017 and committee recommended to issue certain directions. Accordingly, the Board has issued certain directions to the industry on 04.08.2017 in connection with complaint received against the industry on water pollution and non-compliance of consent conditions.

WHEREAS vide reference 8th cited, the RO, Eluru has issued notice to the industry on 13.04.2018 for not meeting the Board’s standards and non-compliance of Board directions.

WHEREAS vide reference 9th cited, the EE, RO, Eluru has inspected the industry on 09.07.2018 and furnished inspection report with the following remarks:

1. The industry upgraded ETP by replacing diffused aerators in aeration tank and with sludge thickener.
2. The industry is partly recycling effluents into process. There is pipeline into adjacent Satyawada drain for discharge of part of the treated effluent. During inspection, the Satyawada drain is full of water flowing in it.
3. There is no flow meter at the outlet of ETP. Flow meters are provided at ETP inlet, recycling line only.
4. The industry is maintaining records of energy meter and flow meter readings.
5. The industry provided Sludge Press of capacity 10 Tons/day to de-water from sludge and operating from Oct 2017. During the inspection, Sludge Press was in operation and generating sludge which is collected separately and disposed to Egg tray manufacturing units. Records are maintained.

WHEREAS legal Hearing was conducted before the External Advisory Committee (Task Force) of A.P. Pollution Control Board in its meeting held on 20.08.2018. The representatives of the industry attended the legal hearing. The Committee noted that the industry has upgraded the effluent treatment plant. The committee also noted the non-compliance of Board directions and CFO conditions. The EE, RO, Eluru attended the Legal Hearing. It was informed that the industry upgraded ETP by replacing defused aerators in aeration tank and with sludge thickener. The industry is partially recycling effluents into process. There is pipeline into adjacent Satyawada drain for discharge of part of the treated effluents. The representative of the industry informed that they upgraded ETP and now in good condition. They informed that they provided sludge press of capacity 10 tons/day to reduce the load on ETP and disposed the sludge to egg tray manufacturing units. It was also informed that they will remove the pipeline laid into adjacent Satyawada drain within 15 days.

The Committee after detailed discussions, recommended to issue certain directions. The Board hereby issue 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:
Joint Chief Environmental Engineer

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1. The Joint Chief Environmental Engineer, A.P. Pollution Control Board, Zonal Office, is notified for information and necessary action.

2. The Environmental Engineer, A.P. Pollution Control Board, Regional Office, is notified for information and necessary action.

Copy to:

West Godavari District
Inspector (M).

Re: Chief Environmental Engineer, A.P.

To: Member Secretary

This Order comes into effect from today i.e. 24.09.2018

NHACA dt. 12.5.2017:

1. The Industry shall ensure continuous compliance of conditions issued in the CEP and guidelines.

2. The industry shall operate the ETP continuously and deploying technical and organizational measures.}

3. The industry shall ensure that all records of water generation, treatment and discharge are maintained and filled as per the instructions.

4. The industry shall ensure that all records of pollution and discharge are maintained and made available at the site.

5. The industry shall ensure that all statutory records are maintained and made available at the site.

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