Order No.: P-390/APPCCB/ZO-VJA/CFO/W&A/2015- Date: 07.08.2019

Sub:- APPCCB-ZO-VJA: M/s. Ranga Particle Board Industries Limited, Sy.No. 236/1, 236/7A, 231/1&2, 232, 233, 237, 238 etc., Kovur Road, Kovur (V), Kandukuru (M), Prakasam District - Application for Consent for Operation of the Board under Section 25 of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and Section 21 of Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 – Non compliance of conditions stipulated in the CFE Expansion Order Dt.29.05.2019 - REJECTED – Reg.

Ref:-
2. CFE Expansion Order No. P-390/APPCCB/ZO-VJA/CFE/ORANGE/2019, Dt.29.05.2019
3. Industry's CFO application received at RO, Ongole on 18.07.2019 through AP OCMMS.
4. RO’s inspection report received at ZO, Vijayawada on 03.07.2019 through mail.

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The A.P. Pollution Control Board vide reference 1st cited, issued CFE Order to M/s. Ranga Particle Board Industries Limited, Sy.No. 236/1, 236/7A, 231/1&2, 232, 233, 237, 238 etc., Kovur Road, Kovur (V), Kandukuru (M), Prakasam District to produce Medium Density Fiber Board and Particle Board – 500 m³ / day, with a project cost of Rs.105.42 Crores.

The A.P. Pollution Control Board vide reference 2nd cited, issued CFE Expansion Order to the industry for installation of 25 TPH boiler in place of existing 20 TPH boiler and also for installation of 500 KVA DG set in place of existing 63 KVA DG set, with an additional project cost of Rs.60 Lakhs in addition to the existing project cost of Rs.105.42 Crores and not proposed any additional products.

The A.P. Pollution Control Board vide reference 3rd cited, received an application for Consent for Operation of the industry to produce Medium Density Fiber Board and Particle Board – 500 m³ / day, with a project cost of Rs.106.02 Crores and falls under Orange Hazardous category.

The RO, Ongole vide reference 4th cited, forwarded the CFO verification report to ZO, Vijayawada.

As per RO, Ongole inspection report and as per the CFO application of the industry, it was observed that i) the industry has not constructed ETP to treat 40 KLD of waste water, ii) the industry has not constructed STP to treat the 10 KLD of domestic waste water, and iii) the industry has not provided bag filters to 25 TPH boiler.

As per the RO, Ongole report, it was decided to reject the CFO application of the industry as the industry has not complied with the conditions stipulated in the CFE Expansion Order Dt.29.05.2019 and hence consent for operation of the industry at this stage cannot be considered.

In view of above, the CFO application submitted by the industry vide reference 1st cited is hereby REJECTED “as the industry has not complied with the conditions stipulated in the CFE Expansion Order Dt.29.05.2019”.

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It is also brought to your notice that operation of the industry without Consent for Operation of the Board is violation of Section 25/26 of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and Section 21/22 of Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, which attract penal provisions of the said Acts, in the interest of public health and environment.

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