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MEMO NO.: 0329-5L/WPB-2005/A-15

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ORDER FOR CLOSURE WITH DISCONNECTION OF ELECTRICITY

In exercise of the powers conferred under Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 and Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 and Rules made thereunder and in consideration of the Inspection Report dated 15-03-2007 **THE EARTHEN POTTERY UNIT OF SHRI ACCHELAL PANDIT** located at Lenin Nagar, Madal Danga Road, P. O. – Garulia, P. S. – Noapara, Dist. – 24 Parganas (North) is hereby closed by the Board for the reasons stated below. The power supply of **THE EARTHEN POTTERY UNIT OF SHRI ACCHELAL PANDIT** will be disconnected forthwith.

1. That, the said unit failed to comply with the direction of the Board for constructing a designed pottery with 50 ft. high chimney within February 28, 2007 so that the smoke emitted from the pottery does not cause air pollution in the immediate neighbourhood vide Memo No.2303-51-WPB-2005/A-15 dated 29/30-11-2006.
2. That, the said unit has also failed to comply with the direction of the Board to obtain “NOC” and “Consent-to-Operate” from the Regional Office of the Board within 28th February, 2007.
3. That, the unit is currently operating without obtaining “NOC” and “Consent-to-Operate” from the Board which is the gross violation of the environmental statute.

The Secretary, WBSEB is requested to take action for disconnection of the electricity of the said unit.

The closure order will take immediate effect and Officer-In-Charge, Noapara Police Station is directed to execute the Closure Order against the aforementioned unit and submit the compliance report to the State Board within seven days from the receipt of this Memo.

This direction has been issued to the Officer-In-Charge, Noapara Police Station and the Secretary, WBSEB, in conformity with the order of the Hon’ble High Court, Calcutta dated 21-08-1998 and 28-04-1999 respectively.

The Environmental Engineer Barrackpore Regional Office of the State Board is requested to take necessary steps for proper execution of the closure order and also visit the unit involving the local police station and Nodal Police Officer of the concerned district to oversee the proper execution of the closure order and also ensure the disconnection of electricity of the unit.

This has the approval of the Competent Authority.

By order

Sd/-

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