



WEST BENGAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

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MEMO NO.: 622 -PCB/HOW/342-98

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ORDER FOR CLOSURE

In exercise of the powers conferred under Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 and Rules made thereunder and in consideration of the Inspection Report dated 22-02-2007 **M/S. GUPTA & SHAW INDUSTRIES, P.O.:** - Ghusury, 60/61, Jay Bibi Road, P. S. – Malipanchghora, Dist. – Howrah, PIN – 711 107 is hereby closed by the Board for the reasons stated below.

- i. That, the unit is operating without obtaining Consent-to-Operate from the State Pollution Control Board, which is a gross violation of the environmental statute.
- ii. That, the unit is melting the copper scrap to manufacture copper items which is prohibited in Howrah Municipal Corporation area under the current siting policy.

The closure order will take immediate effect and Officer-In-Charge, Malipanchghora Police Station under W.B. Police, 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, Malipanchghora Police Station, in conformity with the order of the Hon'ble High Court, Calcutta dated 21-08-1998 and 28-04-1999 respectively.

The Environmental Engineer Howrah 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.

This has the approval of the Competent Authority.

By Order

Sd/-

(Dr. D. Chakraborty)

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