



WEST BENGAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

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CLOSURE ORDER WITH DISCONNECTION OF ELECTRICITY

WHEREAS, **M/S. SABITA PROCESSING** (hereinafter referred as the industry) operates its dyeing & bleaching unit at Vill. & P. O. : - Panchla, P. S. – Panchla, NH – 6, Howrah – 711 322.

WHEREAS, the unit was inspected by the Officials of the **WEST BENGAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD** (hereinafter referred as the Board) on 17-01-2008. The inspection report revealed the following:

1. That the unit was in operation without operating the emission control system for coal-fired boiler.
2. Dense black smoke was coming out from the stack of the coal-fired boiler
3. Effluent treatment plant was not in operation.
4. Coloured effluent was found stagnated in the drainage system connected to the final outlet.
5. The unit was operating without having valid “Consent-to-Operate” from the Board.
6. The unit was operating without obtaining “Authorization” under the Hazardous Waste (Management Handling) Amendment Rules, 2003 violating the provisions of the Rules.

WHEREAS, a technical hearing involving the industry was conducted at the Head Office of the Board on 28-02-2008.

NOW, THEREFORE, considering the violations as recorded above. **M/S. SABITA PROCESSING** is hereby closed by the Board forthwith. The electricity connection of the industry is also ordered to be disconnected immediately.

The Secretary, WBSEB is requested to take action to disconnect the electricity of the industry immediately.

Suspension of closure will be considered only after compliance of the following conditions by the industry.

1. Commissioning/upgrading the emission control system for the coal-fired boiler for compliance with the particulate emission standard and ensure smokeless stack.
2. Upgrading/modifying the effluent treatment plant and comply with the effluent discharge standard.
3. Obtaining renewal of “Consent-to-Operate” from the Howrah Regional Office of the Board after compliance of the above two directions.
4. Obtaining Authorization under the Hazardous Waste (Management & Handling) Amendment Rules, 2003 from the Waste Management Cell at the Head Office of the Board.

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

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 and ensure disconnection of electricity.

This order has the approval of the Competent Authority.

By Order

Sd/-

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