



WEST BENGAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

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CLOSURE ORDER WITH DISCONNECTION OF ELECTRICITY

WHEREAS, **M/S. TIBREWAL STEEL (P) LTD.** (hereinafter referred as the industry) operates a coal-fired rolling mill at Dhulagarh Industrial Estate, Sankrail, Dist. – Howrah.

WHEREAS, the report of inspection carried out by the Officials of the WEST BENGAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD (hereinafter referred as the Board) on 03-01-2008 revealed that the industry is operating a coal-fired furnace without installing any air pollution control system. Dense black smoke emission was observed during inspection. It is also revealed from the inspection report that the unit is operating without obtaining “Consent-to-Establish” and “Consent-to-Operate” from the Board.

A technical hearing was conducted at the Head Office of the Board on 28th February, 2008. No body appeared behalf of the industry.

NOW THEREFORE, considering the fact that the industry started operating without obtaining “Consent-to-Establish” and “Consent to Operate” which is statutorily obligatory and also air pollution caused by the activity of the industry **M/S. TIBREWAL STEEL (P) LTD.** is hereby closed by the Board with disconnection of electricity.

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

1. Installations/commissioning of adequately designed emission control system for the coal-fired furnace to comply with the emission standard and ensure smokeless stack.
2. Obtaining “Consent-to-Establish” and “Consent-to-Operate” from the Howrah Regional Office of the Board after compliance of condition No.1

This direction is issued in exercise of the powers conferred under Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 and Rules made thereunder.

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

The closure order will take immediate effect and Officer-In-Charge, Sankrail 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, Sankrail 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.

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 also ensure the disconnection of electricity of the unit.

This order has the approval of the Competent Authority.

By Order

Sd/-

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