



WEST BENGAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

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DIRECTION

WHEREAS, **M/S. FENASIA** (hereinafter referred as the industry) operates its leather chemical manufacturing unit at Vill.: Garji, P. O. – Bighati, P. S. – Bhadreswar.

WHEREAS, a public complaint was lodged before the **WEST BENGAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD** (hereinafter referred as the Board) alleging emission of obnoxious gases from the operation of the industry affecting the nearby residents of the locality.

WHEREAS, the report of inspection dated 05-02-2008 revealed that the unit was in operation without operating the effluent treatment plant. The scrubber connected to the polymerization unit was found in defunct conditions.

WHEREAS, a public hearing was conducted at the Head Office of the Board on 30-05-2008 involving the industry and the complainants.

WHEREAS, the complainants submitted during the hearing that they no longer have any complaint regarding environmental problem from the industry.

WHEREAS, the General Manager of the industry appearing in the hearing submitted that the scrubber is still under non-functional condition and is in the process of re-commissioning. However, he could not show any reasons why the industry was operating without operation of the pollution abatement systems.

NOW THEREFORE in consideration of the inspection report revealing that the industry was operating without operation of the pollution abatement systems and also the submission made by the industry, **M/S. FENASIA** is hereby directed as under:

1. That the industry is allowed time up to 15th July, 2008 to upgrade and re-commission the scrubber connected to the polymerization unit.
2. That, the industry will have to submit a Pollution Cost of Rs.1.00 Lakh (Rupees One Lakh only) by Demand Draft payable at Service Branch, Calcutta/Bankers' Cheque in favour of the **WEST BENGAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD** within fifteen [15] days from the date of issuance of the direction for violating the environmental norms as recorded above.

This direction has been issued in exercise of the powers conferred Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, and Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 and Rules made thereunder after taking approval from the Competent Authority.

Order

Sd/-

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