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DIRECTION

WHEREAS, M/s. Mayur Ply Industries Pvt. Ltd. & M/s. Mayur Veneer & Plywood Industries (hereinafter referred to as the industries) are engaged in plywood manufacturing having captive resin plant and having one waste veneer fired thermic fluid heater each at **NH-2, Delhi Road, P.O.- Belumilky, P.S.- Serampore, Dist.- Hooghly, Pin – 712 223**

WHEREAS, the industries were inspected by the **WEST BENGAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD** (hereinafter referred to as the Board) on 06/05/2010, during inspection the wet scrubber was in operation and some leakage in existing APC device was noticed. Accordingly the industries were directed to upgrade the Air Pollution Control System.

AND WHEREAS, the industries were again inspected on 27/09/2010 by senior Board official, it was observed that dense black smoke was being emanated from the thermic fluid heaters. Consequently a hearing was held on 04/10/2010 and the industries were directed to adopt proper and effective pollution control system within six months. A Pollution Cost of Rs. 50,000/- each and a Bank Guarantee of Rs. 2.00 lakhs each were imposed upon the industries as a penal measure. Both the industries have submitted the Bank Guarantee as well as Pollution Cost as per the Board's direction. The industries were also directed to submit a comprehensive action taken report regarding erection of pollution control system and they informed vide letter dated 28/10/2010 that they were going to install bag filter with suitable heat exchanger as air pollution control device.

AND WHEREAS, an inspection of the industries was conducted on 23/12/2010 regarding assessment of the progress of work towards installation of the air pollution control device. During inspection both the TFHs were in operation. Profuse black emission was observed from the stack of the TFHs which reveals that the industries have not taken any effective measures to conform to the emission norms as prescribed by the Board.

AND WHEREAS, a technical hearing involving both the industries was conducted at the Head Office of the Board on 25/02/2011

AND WHEREAS, the representatives of the industries appearing in the hearing submitted that they have already taken up the job for installation and commissioning of the emission control system attached to the thermic fluid heaters. Order has already been placed and civil work has been started. They specifically mentioned that the installation and commissioning work would be complete by 31st March, 2011.

NOW THEREFORE, considering the observation of the inspecting officials and the submission made by the industry, **M/s. Mayur Ply Industries Pvt. Ltd. & M/s. Mayur Veneer & Plywood Industries** are hereby granted time up to 30th March, 2011 for completion of the job of installation and commissioning of the emission control system so as to comply with the particulate emission standard.

The Hooghly Regional Office of the Board will inspect the industries after the stipulated date to assess the status of compliance for further necessary action in the matter.

This direction is issued in exercise of the powers conferred under the provision of Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, and Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 and Rules made thereunder.

This has the approval of the Competent Authority.

By Order,

Sd/-

(Subrata Ghosh)

Chief Engineer

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