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DIRECTION

WHEREAS, **M/S. YEW PETROPRODUCTS (P) LTD.** (hereinafter referred as the industry) proposing to set up its manufacturing unit for manufacturing toluene, xylene, fuel oil, heavy oil at Vill.: - Madanpur, P. O. – Baghan, P. S. – Kaliyaganj, Dist. – Uttar Dinajpur, PIN 733 129 was directed by the **WEST BENGAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD** (hereinafter referred as the Board) vide Memo No. 3411-WPB-SRO-U-DIN/Y-5-2007 dated 13/14-03-2007 not to proceed further with the construction activity or install plant and machinery of the proposed unit without obtaining environmental clearance from the Ministry of Environment and Forests, Government of India.

WHEREAS, the industry preferred an appeal before the Board for reviewing the said order in the light of the circular of the Ministry of Environment and Forests, Government of India dated November 21, 2006 regarding certain projects requiring EIA clearance under new Notification dated 14-09-2006.

NOW, THEREFORE, after examining the circular referred above, the Board is modifying its earlier direction vide Memo No. 3411-WPB-SRO-U-DIN/Y-5-2007 dated 13/14-03-2007 with the following directions:

1. That the project proponent will have to obtain environmental clearance for the project from the relevant authority by 30th June, 2007
2. That the industry can meanwhile carry on with the commencement of their project activities. However, the project in reference not seeking clearance under EIA Notification 2006 by 30th June, 2007 will be treated as violation cases under Section 15 of Environmental (Protection) Act, 1986 and necessary regulatory order will be issued as per the Provisions of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.
3. That the industry will have to obtain “Consent-to-Operate” from the Malda Regional Office of the Board after obtaining environmental clearance.

Order

Sd/-

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