SHOW-CAUSE NOTICE

WHEREAS, M/s. AMRI Hospitals Ltd. (hereinafter shall be referred to as the hospital) located at Annex Building, KB-24, Sector-3, Salt Lake City, P.S-Bidhannagar(S), Kolkata-700098 is a hospital of total bed capacity - 50.

AND WHEREAS, the unit was inspected by the West Bengal Pollution Control Board (hereinafter shall be referred to as the State Board) official on 17.08.2020. During inspection it was observed that the huge quantity of yellow and red bags of Bio-Medical waste was observed to be stored in the open space in non-designated area along the right side passage of the annex building. This is a violation of Bio-Medical Waste (Management & Handling) Rules, 2016.

NOW THEREFORE, considering the above mentioned facts, M/s. AMRI Hospitals Ltd. located at Annex Building, KB-24, Sector-3, Salt Lake City, P.S-Bidhannagar(S), Kolkata-700098 is hereby directed as follows:

1. That, the unit shall submit an EC(Environmental Compensation) of Rs.10,00,000/- (Rupees ten lakhs) only, within 10 (ten) days from the date of issue of this letter, by Demand Draft in favour of WEST BENGLA POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD payable at Kolkata for non-compliance of environmental norms.

2. That, the unit shall submit the details with quantity of Bio-Medical waste disposed off to common facility since last four months.

You are hereby show caused for above mentioned non-compliance and directed to explain why the State Board shall not initiate legal action against the occupier of the unit for the said non-compliance.

Your explanation in this regard shall reach this office within 10 (ten) days from the date of issue of this show-cause notice failing which the State Board have no other alternative and may take regulatory action upon the occupier under the provision of the Acts/Rules without further reference.

This notice is issued in exercise of the powers conferred under the provision of the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and Bio-Medical Waste (Management & Handling) Rules, 2016 and its amendment made there under after being approved by the Competent Authority.

By Order,

Sd/-
Chief Engineer
Operation & Execution Cell
West Bengal Pollution Control Board