Memo No: - 555-7/WBPD-Cont(515)01

Date : 13/07/2016

**DIRECTION**

**WHEREAS,** M/s. Arambagh Hatcheries Limited (Illambazar Meat Plant) (hereinafter referred to as the industry) located at Vill. & P.O.- Ghurisha, Dist.- Birbhum, Pin-731214 is engaged in production of dressed chicken meat - 800 MT/month and poultry meal - 66 MT/month.

AND **WHEREAS,** the industry was inspected by the official of West Bengal Pollution Control Board (hereinafter referred to as the Board) on 16/12/2015. The industry has a husk fired boiler of 1 ton/hr. The effluent treatment plant comprises of bar screen, oil & grease trap, equalization tank, chemical treatment, DAF, activated sludge plant, secondary clarifier and sludge drying bed. During inspection the industry was found in operation and ETP was also running. No proper sampling arrangement was observed with the stack attached to the husk fired boiler and so stack monitoring could not be conducted. Top portion of the chimney was found in broken condition. Effluent sample was collected during inspection and the industry failed to meet the effluent discharge standard. The results are tabulated below:-

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<tr>
<th>Date of sampling</th>
<th>Sample collected from</th>
<th>Parameter</th>
<th>Value Observed (mg/l)</th>
<th>Permissible Limit (mg/l)</th>
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<td>ETP outlet</td>
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AND **WHEREAS,** the ‘Consent to Operate’ of the industry expired on 31/12/2015. The industry has applied for renewal of ‘Consent to Operate’ on 11/05/2016.

AND **WHEREAS,** the industry was called for a technical hearing on 16/06/2016 at the head office of the Board due to violation of environmental norms as recorded above.

AND **WHEREAS,** the representative of the industry appearing in the hearing agreed with the above mentioned observations of the Board. He submitted that they have repaired the chimney and made sampling arrangement for the husk fired boiler. He also submitted that they would take necessary steps for rectification of effluent treatment plant within three months.

**NOW THEREFORE,** considering the violations recorded above, the Board hereby directs M/s. Arambagh Hatcheries Limited (Illambazar Meat Plant) located at Vill. & P.O.- Ghurisha, Dist.- Birbhum, Pin-731214 as follows:

1. **That** the industry shall complete the rectification/modification work of the existing effluent treatment plant within 30th September 2016 to in order to comply with the effluent discharge standards in future.

2. **That** the industry shall submit a Bank Guarantee (proforma enclosed) of **Rs.5,00,000/-** (Rupees Five Lakh) only, valid for twelve [12] months within fifteen [15] days from the date of issuance of this order in favour of the WEST BENGAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD.
The Environmental Engineer, Durgapur Regional Office of the Board is requested to conduct inspection of the industry after September, 2016 to verify the status of compliance of Board’s direction. If the industry is again found to be non-complying, the Board may take stricter regulatory action against the industry.

This direction is issued in exercise of the powers conferred under provisions of the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 and the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 and Rules made thereunder as amended, after being approved by the competent authority.

By Order,

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