Memo No. 887–hg–co–s/12/0461

Date: 24/02/2020

SUSPENSION OF CLOSURE ORDER WITH RESTORATION OF ELECTRICITY

WHEREAS, M/s Ganesh Steel & Alloys Ltd. located Dakshin Rajyadharpur, NH–2, Delhi Road, P.O.: Mallickpara, P.S.: Serampore, District- Hooghly Pin – 712 203 (herein after shall be referred to as industry) has submitted a prayer on 10/02/2020 to the West Bengal Pollution Control Board (hereinafter referred to as the State Board) for suspension of closure order and restoration of electricity stating that they have taken steps and now their Air Pollution Control system is working properly.

AND WHEREAS, the industry was inspected by the State Board official on 12.02.2020 which revealed that the industry was not in operation during inspection, repairing and revamping work of swiveling hood was in progress, cyclone separator has been repaired and Bags of Bag-filter have reportedly been cleaned. The unit representative later approached this office and confirmed that repairing work of the swiveling hood has been completed.

AND WHEREAS, the State Board has principally agreed to suspend the ‘Closure Order with disconnection of electricity’ issued against the industry and has directed the industry to submit an EC (Environmental Compensation) amounting to Rs. 10,00,000/- (Rupees ten lakhs) only and a Bank Guarantee (BG) amounting to Rs. 10,00,000/- (Rupees ten lakhs) only. The above mentioned direction was issued with condition that formal suspension of closure order with restoration of electricity shall be issued only after the industry comply with the condition of Direction vide Memo No. 889–hg – CO – S/12/0461 dated 25.02.2020.

AND WHEREAS, the industry has deposited the EC amounting to Rs. 10 lakhs [Rupees 5 lakhs on 18.02.2020 and Rs. 5 lakhs on 26.02.2020] to the State Board. The industry has also submitted the BG amounting to Rs. 10 Lakhs on 27.02.2020.

NOW THEREFORE, considering the above, the State Board is hereby pleased to suspend the ‘Closure order with disconnection of electricity’ issued to M/s Ganesh Steel & Alloys Ltd. located Dakshin Rajyadharpur, NH–2, Delhi Road, P.O.: Mallickpara, P.S.: Serampore, District- Hooghly Pin – 712 203 vide Memo No. 789 –hg – co – s/12/0461 dated 05.02.2020.

The electricity connection of the industry is ordered to be restored with immediate effect.

The Director (HR), WBSEDCL is requested to take necessary steps for restoration of electricity connection of the above mentioned industry immediately.

The Environmental Engineer, In-charge of Hooghly Regional Office of the Board is requested to keep vigil on the industry. If the industry is found to operate violating the environmental norms or in violation of the above mentioned direction, the State Board will take strict regulatory action against the industry.
This direction is issued in exercise of the powers conferred under the provision of Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 and its subsequent amendments.

This order has the approval of the Competent Authority.

By Order,

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