WHEREAS, M/s. M.K. Products (hereinafter referred to as the industry) located at Plot No.- 452, Zone-7, Calcutta Leather Complex, P.O.- Bhojerhat, Dist.- South 24 Parganas, Pin- 743 502 is a tannery engaged in manufacturing of finished leather from raw hide. The industry has installed pre-treatment plant for treatment of non-chrome bearing effluent. Non-chrome bearing effluent after pre-treatment is discharged to CLC sewer line for final treatment in the CETP. Chrome bearing effluent is disposed through CCRU of the complex.

AND WHEREAS, the industry was inspected by the official of the West Bengal Pollution Control Board (hereinafter referred to as the Board) on 04/07/2017. During inspection the pre-treatment plant was functioning. Effluent sample was collected from the outlet of the sedimentation tank which has failed to meet the effluent discharge standard in respect of Total Cr.

AND WHEREAS, the industry also failed to comply with the standard for the sample collected on 04/08/2015. The non-compliances are presented below:

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<tr>
<th>Date of sampling</th>
<th>Sampling point</th>
<th>Parameter</th>
<th>Results obtained (mg/l)</th>
<th>Permissible limit (mg/l)</th>
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<tr>
<td>04/07/2017</td>
<td>Outlet of sedimentation tank</td>
<td>Total Cr</td>
<td>157.40</td>
<td>45</td>
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<td>04/08/2015</td>
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<td>TSS</td>
<td>5080.0</td>
<td>600</td>
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<td>Total Cr</td>
<td>381.93</td>
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AND WHEREAS, the Consent to Operate of the industry is valid upto 30/09/2018.

AND WHEREAS, the industry was called for a technical hearing on 07/11/2017 at the Head Office of the Board for violation of environmental norms as recorded above.

AND WHEREAS, nobody on behalf of the industry appeared in the hearing. The partner of the industry has submitted a letter on 06.11.2017 stating his inability to attend the hearing on 07.11.2017 as he will be out of station due to medical reasons.

NOW THEREFORE, in view of the repeated non-compliances by the industry, M/s. M.K. Products located at Plot No.- 452, Zone-7, Calcutta Leather Complex, P.O.- Bhojerhat, Dist.- South 24 Parganas, Pin- 743 502 is hereby directed to take adequate measures to maintain the TSS and Total Cr level in the effluent within prescribed standards on urgent basis and submit report to the Board within 15 days.

The industry shall submit a Bank Guarantee (proforma enclosed) of Rs.1,00,000/- (Rupees one 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 (Corporation Bank IFSC Code CORP 0000663) as an assurance to comply with the above directions.
The Environmental Engineer, Salt Lake Regional Office of the Board is requested to keep strict vigil over the industry.

This direction is issued in exercise of the powers conferred under the provision of Section 33A of Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, Section 31A of Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act 1981 and the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.

This order has the approval of the Competent Authority.

By Order,

Sd/-

Sr. Environmental Engineer & In-Charge
Operation & Execution Cell
West Bengal Pollution Control Board