SUSPENSION OF CLOSURE ORDER WITH RESTORATION OF ELECTRICITY

In due consideration of the appeal submitted by the industry through the letter dated 19/09/2019 stating that they will engage in bleaching activity and requesting for withdrawal of the closure order, the West Bengal Pollution Control Board (hereinafter referred to as the Board) is hereby pleased to suspend the order for closure with disconnection of electricity issued against M/s. Onkar Processing, Vill: Bonderbill, P.O.: Dankuni Coal Complex, P.S.: Dankuni, Dist.- Hooghly, Pin-712311 vide Memo No. 55-PCB/HGY/O/3385–09 (I) dated 27/08/2019 with the following conditions:-

1. That, the industry is allowed to carry out only bleaching activity at the existing premises.

2. That, the industry shall not operate the boiler with wood as fuel. Only HSD fired boiler is permitted to operate.

3. That, the industry shall always operate in compliance of environmental norms.

4. That, the industry shall submit an Environmental Compensation (EC) of Rs. 1,00,000/- (Rupees One lakh) only, by Demand Draft in favour of WEST BENGAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD payable at Kolkata for non-compliance of environmental norms.

5. That, the industry shall submit a Bank Guarantee (proforma enclosed) of Rs. 2,00,000/- (Rupees Two lakh) only, valid for twelve (12) months within fifteen [15] days from the date of issuance of this direction in favour of the WEST BENGAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD (Corporation Bank IFSC Code CORP 0000663) as an assurance to comply with the environmental norms in future.

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, Hooghly Regional Office of the Board is requested to keep vigil on the industry. If the industry is again found to operate violating the environmental norms, the Board will be at liberty to take strict regulatory action against 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, the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 and Rules made thereunder after being approved by the Competent Authority.

By Order,

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