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**DIRECTION**

**WHEREAS,** M/s. State Dairy Burdwan (hereinafter referred to as the industry) located at Vill. & P.O.- Fagupur, Dist.- Burdwan, Pin -713101 is a milk processing industry.

AND **WHEREAS,** inspection of the industry was carried out by the officials of the West Bengal Pollution Control Board (hereinafter referred to as the Board) on 30/12/2015. The industry was found in operation during inspection. The industry has an oil fired boiler with steam generation capacity 600 kg./hr. which is connected to a stack of height 20m from G.L. No permanent platform, ladder was provided with the stack and so stack monitoring could not be carried out. During inspection the effluent treatment plant was found under construction.

AND **WHEREAS,** it was learnt that M/s. Mother Dairy Calcutta had taken over M/s. State Dairy Burdwan in May 2013 and production was started in June 2015. But they did not obtain NOC from the Board for such change of ownership and name & style of the industry. A direction was issued to the industry by the Durgapur Regional Office on 29/02/2016 for submitting Consent to Establish (for change of name) and Consent to Operate applications. The Consent to Operate in the name of M/s. State Dairy Burdwan expired on 25/03/2005. Thereafter, the industry did not apply for renewal of Consent to Operate.

AND **WHEREAS,** the industry was called for a hearing at the Head office of the Board on 16/06/2016 for the above mentioned non-compliance of environmental norms.

AND **WHEREAS,** the representative of the industry appearing in the hearing submitted that presently the industry is operating on trial basis (only 300-400 litre/day production), no commercial production is going on. He stated that installation of effluent treatment plant is in progress and it is expected to be completed within 6 (six) months. He also submitted that they would not start commercial production before completing the installation work of ETP. He stated that sampling arrangement alongwith ladder, platform have been provided for the stack connected to the oil fired boiler. They would apply for NOC/Consent to Operate within seven days.

**NOW THEREFORE,** considering the above, M/s. State Dairy Burdwan (presently M/s. Mother Dairy Calcutta) located at Vill. & P.O.- Fagupur, Dist.- Burdwan, Pin -713101 is hereby directed as follows:

i) **That,** the industry shall construct the ETP within December, 2016.

ii) **That,** the industry shall not start commercial production before obtaining Consent to Establish and Consent to Operate from the Board as well as completion of ETP installation work.

iii) **That,** the industry shall apply for the hazardous waste authorization for waste oil and other hazardous wastes generated from their process activities.
The Environmental Engineer, Durgapur Regional Office of the Board will monitor the industry to verify the compliance of the direction and if the industry is found running violating the Board’s direction, the Board will be at liberty to take stricter action.

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 Rules made thereunder after being approved by the Competent Authority.

By Order,

Sd/-
Chief Engineer
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West Bengal Pollution Control Board