WHEREAS M/S. MAA MANASA INDUSTRIES (PROP.: NARESH DEBNATH) AND M/S. NEW MAA MANASA INDUSTRIES (PROP.: SURESH DEBNATH). (hereinafter referred as the industries) both located at Vill.: - Bhandertikuri (Barisalpara), P. O. – Parulia, P. S. – Purbasthali, Dist. – Burdwan.

WHEREAS, a public complaint was lodged against the above industries before the WEST BENGAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD (hereinafter referred as the Board) alleging, water pollution and noise pollution caused by the industries.

WHEREAS, an inspection was carried out by the Regional Office of the Board on 27-11-2006. During inspection it was found that 50 nos. of power loom machines of M/s. Maa Manasa Industries and 82 nos. of power loom machines of M/s. New Maa Manasa Industries were in operation. One narrow nullah carrying process effluent, dark green in colour was found to be coming out from both the industries and leading directly into the nearby stream of River Bhaghirathi. During inspection it was also revealed that none of the industries have permission from the Board to operate their units.

WHEREAS, a hearing was conducted involving the industry and the complainants on 02-02-2007 at the Head Office of the West Bengal Pollution Control Board

NOW THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred under Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 and Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 and Rules made thereunder M/S. MAA MANASA INDUSTRIES (PROP.: NARESH DEBNATH) AND M/S. NEW MAA MANASA INDUSTREIS (PROP.: SURESH DEBNATH) are hereby directed as follows

1. That, the industries will have to obtain “Consent-to-Operate” immediately from the Regional Office of the Board

2. The dying operation will have to be totally closed pending installation of effluent treatment plant to the satisfaction of the Board.

3. That, the industries will only operate between 8-00 A.M. to 8-00 P.M.
4. That, the industries will take appropriate measure for controlling noise emanating from the operation of the power looms so that it does not affect the local people.

5. That, the industries will not be allowed to increase the capacity of power loom units and their activity will be restricted to fifty (50) power looms for M/s. Maa Manasa Industries and eight two (82) power loom for M/s. New Maa Manasa Industries are currently being operated.

6. If the industries failed to control the noise limit within six months period, shifting order will be issued against the industries.

In case of the non-compliance of the above directions by the industry within the stipulated time, the Board may have to issue necessary regulatory order without any further reference.

This has the approval of the Competent Authority.

Order

Sd/-
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