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CLOSURE ORDER WITH DISCONNECTION OF ELECTRICITY

WHEREAS, M/S. SHRI HARI WAX – O – CHEM PVT. LTD., (hereinafter referred as the industry) operating its wax-processing unit at Vill. : - Biprannpara, P. O. – Begri, P. S. – Domjur, Dist. – Howrah was called for a hearing as the inspection of the unit on 28-11-2007 revealed that the unit was operating a coal-fired boiler without installing air pollution control system violating the NOC condition permitting only the installation of oil fired boiler.

WHEREAS, the industry obtained “Consent-to-Operate” from the General Manager, DIC, Howrah making a false submission that there is no emission source in the unit. The said “Consent-to-Operate” has also expired on 28-06-2005. Since then, the unit is operating without a valid “Consent-to-Operate”

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the facts and circumstances as stated above, M/S. SHRI HARI WAX – O – CHEM PVT. LTD., is hereby closed by the Board. The electricity connection of SHRI HARI WAX – O – CHEM PVT. LTD. is also order to be disconnected immediately.

Suspension of closure order will only be considered after compliance of the following conditions.

1. That, the unit obtains “Consent-to-Operate” from the Board after amendment of NOC incorporating proposal for installation of Coal-fired boiler with adequate pollution control system. Such “Consent-to-Operate” can only be granted after commissioning adequate emission control system for coal-fired boiler subject to the satisfaction of the Board.

This direction is issued in exercise of the powers conferred under Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 and Rules made thereunder.

The Secretary, WBSEB is requested to take action for disconnection of the electricity of the said unit immediately.

The closure order will take immediate effect and Officer-In-Charge, Domjur Police Station under W.B. Police, is directed to execute the Closure Order against the aforementioned unit and submit the compliance report to the State Board within seven days from the receipt of this Memo.

This direction has been issued to the Officer-In-Charge, Domjur Police Station and the Secretary, WBSEB, in conformity with the order of the Hon’ble High Court, Calcutta dated 21-08-1998 and 28-04-1999 respectively.
Environmental Engineer & In-Charge, Howrah Regional Office of the State Board is requested to take necessary steps for proper execution of the closure order and also visit the unit involving the local police station and Nodal Police Officer of the concerned district to oversee the proper execution of the closure order and also ensure the disconnection of electricity of the unit.

This order has the approval of the Competent Authority.

By Order

Sd/-
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