WHEREAS, M/s. Narayan Pipe Fitting Works (hereinafter referred to as the industry) is a small scale, special red category unit engaged in forging of pipe fittings at Sanpur, Shibtala, Dasnagar, P.S. – Jagacha, Howrah.

AND WHEREAS, the WEST BENGAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD (hereinafter referred to as the Board) received a public complaint on 27/08/2010 alleging air and noise pollution due to operation of the industry.

AND WHEREAS, during inspection of the industry by Board Officials on 14/09/2010 the following were observed:

- That the industry is operating without valid “Consent to Establish” and Consent to Operate” of the Board.
- That the industry is operating in Ward No. 9 of the Howrah Municipal Corporation in violation of the Siting Policy of the Board.
- That the industry is operating a coal fired furnace without any air pollution control system.
- That the industry was in operation during inspection. Sound level measured during inspection at the unit and at the complainant’s residence was 80-85 dB(A) and 65-70 dB(A) respectively. The complainant complained against the sound generated due to loading and unloading of materials and also about smoke generated from the unit.

AND WHEREAS, a hearing was conducted at the Head Office of the Board on 30/10/2010 involving both the industry and the complainant.

AND WHEREAS, while the complainant appeared in person none appeared on behalf of the industry despite issuance of proper notice to both parties. It is clear from the above that the industry is willfully violating the environmental statutes and directions of the Board.

NOW THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred under the provisions of the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 and the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 and Rules made thereunder and considering the facts and circumstances as stated above, M/s. Narayan Pipe Fitting Works located at Sanpur, Shibtala, Dasnagar, P.S. – Jagacha, Howrah is hereby directed to **shift from its present location within a period of two (02) months from hereof**.

The electricity connection of the industry is directed to be disconnected after two (02) months from hereof. The Director (HR), WBSEDCL is requested to take necessary steps to disconnect the electricity connection of the industry after two (02) months from hereof.

This direction has been issued to the Director (HR), WBSEDCL in conformity with the order of the Hon’ble High Court, Calcutta dt. 28/04/1999.
The Environmental Engineer, Howrah Regional Office of the Board is requested to take necessary steps for proper execution of the shifting order after the stipulated time period.

This order has the approval of the Competent Authority.

By Order,

Sd/-
(Subrata Ghosh)
Chief Engineer
Operation & Execution Cell
West Bengal Pollution Control Board