DIRECTION

WHEREAS, M/S. PODDAR SILICATES (hereinafter referred as the industry) located at Dighasipur, P. O. – Chakdwipa, P. S. – Bhawanipur, Dist. – Purba Medinipur is not complying with the emission standard in its coal fired furnace and coal fired small boiler.

WHEREAS the industry has failed to commission the emission control system in the coal fired furance within the stipulated date i.e. November, 2006

WHEREAS, a hearing was conducted involving the industry on 01-12-2006 at the Head Office of the West Bengal Pollution Control Board.

WHEREAS, in the hearing it was submitted by Shri Sushil Kumar Poddar, Partner of the Industry that they have already ordered for emission control system for the furnace and the equipment have reached the factory. The unit has been advised by the Technical Committee to re-design the emission control system for furnance in such a way that the emission control system can be used as common device for both coal fired furnace and coal fired boiler. Mr. Poddar prayed for allowing time up to February 28, 2007 for completing the commissioning of the emission control system.

NOW THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred under Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 and Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 and Rules made thereunder M/S. PODDAR SILICATES, is hereby directed as follows

1. That, the industry the industry will complete the installation of emission control for both the coal fired furnace and the coal fired boiler within 28th February 2007.

2. That, the industry will submit a Bank Guarantee (Proforma enclosed) of Rs.50,000/- (Rupees Fifty thousand only) in favour of the WEST BENGAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD to ensure compliance of the above direction.

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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