



WEST BENGAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

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D I R E C T I O N

WHEREAS, M/s. A. S. Washers Pvt. Ltd. (hereinafter referred to as the industry) located at **25, Chanditala Branch Road, P. O. - New Alipore, P.S.- Behala, Kolkata – 700 053** is engaged in dyeing & bleaching activity and processing of readymade garments.

AND WHEREAS, the industry has a LDO fired boiler of capacity 600 kg.hr. connected to a stack of height 17m from G.L. The industry has an effluent treatment plant consisting of equalization tank, DAF (Dissolved Air Floating system) tank-cum-chemical dosing tank, aeration tank, secondary clarifier, filter feed tank, pressurized sand filter and sludge drying bed.

AND WHEREAS, the industry was inspected by the officials of the **West Bengal Pollution Control Board** (hereinafter referred to as the Board) on 18/05/2015. During inspection effluent sample was collected and the analysis report shows non-compliance (**BOD-98.4 mg/l**). Earlier the industry also failed to comply with the liquid discharge standard during effluent sampling on 18/02/2014 (**BOD-44.33 mg/l & TSS-180.0 mg/l**). A show cause notice was issued to the industry on 17/04/2014, but they did not submit any reply.

AND WHEREAS, last Consent to Operate of the industry was valid upto 31/12/2014 (fees valid upto 31/12/2016). The industry has applied for extension of validity of CFO.

AND WHEREAS, the industry was called for a hearing at the Head office of the Board on 19/11/2015 for the non-compliance of environmental norms.

AND WHEREAS, the Director of the industry appearing in the hearing agreed with the above mentioned observations of the Board. He submitted that they would take necessary steps to improve the efficiency of the effluent treatment plant at the earliest in order to comply with the effluent discharge standard in future.

NOW THEREFORE, considering the submission of the industry, **M/s. A. S. Washers Pvt. Ltd.** located at **25, Chanditala Branch Road, P. O. - New Alipore, P.S.- Behala, Kolkata – 700 053** is hereby directed to take necessary actions within three months from the date of issuance of the direction for improving the performance/ efficiency of the effluent treatment plant so that the treated effluent meets permissible standards.

The industry is further directed to execute a **Bank Guarantee** (proforma enclosed) of **Rs. 75,000/-** (Rupees seventy five thousand) only valid for twelve (12) months within fifteen [15] days from the date of issuance of this direction in favour of the **WEST BENGAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD** as an assurance to comply with the above direction.

The Environmental Engineer, Alipore Regional Office of the Board will monitor the industry after February, 2016 to verify the status of compliance.

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
Operation & Execution Cell
West Bengal Pollution Control Board