



Memo No.

WPBA/Red(Bwn)/Cont(643)/09

Date: /03/2019

**CLOSURE ORDER**

**WHEREAS, M/s. Ballavpur Paper Manufacturing Ltd.** (hereinafter referred to as the industry) located at P.O.- Ballavpur, P.S.- Ranigunj, Dist.- Paschim Bardhaman, Pin-713323 is a waste paper based paper manufacturing industry.

**AND WHEREAS,** the industry is categorised as Grossly Polluting Industry (GPI) and is regularly monitored by the West Bengal Pollution Control Board (hereinafter referred to as the State Board). On previous occasions the industry repeatedly failed to meet the effluent discharge standard on 16/03/2018, 12/04/2018, 18/07/2018 & 11/09/2018, including sampling by the Third Party Expert Agency engaged by the Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB) on 12/04/2018.

**AND WHEREAS,** the State Board issued direction with imposition of Bank Guarantee (B.G.) amounting to Rs.10 lakhs. to the unit with one of the conditions that to complete the necessary rectification/modification work of the pollution control system within 31st October, 2018 in order to comply with the effluent discharge standard and submit self-compliance report to the Board accordingly vide memo no. 266 – WPBA/Red(Bwn)/Cont(643)/09 dt. 26.10.2018.

**AND WHEREAS,** the industry was inspected by the officials of the State Board on 18/12/2018. During inspection the unit was found in operation and effluent sample was collected but the unit had failed to meet the effluent discharge standard. The results are shown below:

Date of sampling	Sampling point	Parameter	Results obtained	Permissible limit
18/12/2018	ETP outlet	COD	<b>6775.00mg/l</b>	250.0 mg/l
		BOD	<b>1543.75 mg/l</b>	30 mg/l
		TSS	<b>134.00 mg/l</b>	100 mg/l

**NOW THEREFORE,** considering the gross non-compliance of environmental norms as observed during inspection by the Board official, **M/s. Ballavpur Paper Manufacturing Ltd.** located at P.O.- Ballavpur, P.S.- Ranigunj, Dist.- Paschim Bardhaman, Pin-713323 is hereby **closed by the Board with immediate effect and the entire B.G. amount (Rs. 10 lakhs) shall be forfeited.**

The closure order will take immediate effect and the Officer-in-Charge, Raniganj Police Station is directed to execute the closure order against the aforementioned industry and submit a compliance report to the State Board within seven (07) days from the receipt of this Memo.

This direction has been issued to the Officer-in-Charge, Raniganj Police Station in conformity with the order of the Hon'ble High Court, Calcutta dated 21/08/1998 and 28/04/1999 respectively.

The Senior Environmental Engineer, In-charge of Asansol Regional Office, WBPCB is requested to take necessary steps for proper execution of the closure order against the industry and also visit the industry involving the local police station and the Nodal Police Officer.

This direction is issued in exercise of the powers conferred under the provision of Section 33A of Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and Section 31A of Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 and rules made thereunder after being approved by the Competent Authority.

By Order,


Sd/-  
**Chief Engineer**  
**Operation & Execution Cell**  
**West Bengal Pollution Control Board**

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Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:

1. M/s. Ballavpur Paper Manufacturing Ltd. ,P.O.- Ballavpur, P.S.- Raniganj, Dist.- Paschim Bardhaman, Pin-713323
2. O.S.D. to MIC, Dept. of Environment, Govt. of W.B. Prani Sampad Bhavan, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, LB-2, Sector-III, Bidhannagar, Kolkata-700106
3. P.A to Addl. Chief Secretary, Dept. of Environment, Govt. of W.B., Prani Sampad Bhavan, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, LB-2, Sector-III, Bidhannagar, Kolkata-700106
4. P.A. to Chairman, WBPCB
5. P.A. to Member Secretary, WBPCB
6. The Commissioner of Police, Asansol Durgapur Comissionarate,G. T. Road ,Kumarpur, Asansol-713304.
7. The Officer-in- Charge, Raniganj Police Station, Pasupati Nath Malia Rd, Raniganj, West Bengal 713347.
8. The Chief Engineer, Planning & W.M. Cell , WBPCB
9. The Senior Environmental Engineer, Kankinara Circle Office, WBPCB
10. The Senior Law Officer, WBPCB
11. The Senior Environmental Engineer, In-charge of Asansol Regional Office, WBPCB.
12. The Finance and Accounts Manager (F), with a request to do the necessary action.
13. Technical Cell, WBPCB for updating the website.
14. Environment Officer- Communication, WBPCB – for circulation through float file.
15. Guard file of O & E Cell.

  
**Chief Engineer**  
**Operation & Execution Cell**  
**West Bengal Pollution Control Board**