



WEST BENGAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

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SUSPENSION OF CLOSURE ORDER INCLUDING RESTORATION OF ELECTRICITY

WHEREAS, **M/S. AMBICA DHATU PVT. LTD.** (hereinafter referred as the industry) located at Jalan Industrial Complex, NH_6, Vill. & P. O. : - Biprannapara, P. S. – Domjur, Jangalpur, Howrah – 711 411 was closed by the Board for violating the provisions of the Hazardous Waste (Management & Handling) Amendment Rules, 2003, especially Rule 19 as also EIA Notification dated 14th September, 2006 and operating coal-fired ovens without any emission control system and without obtaining “Consent-to-Operate” for the same from the Board.

WHEREAS, the industry has already submitted application for obtaining EIA clearance from the State Level EIA Authority for manufacturing of Zinc Oxide using zinc containing hazardous waste through formation of zinc ingot as intermediate product and also applied for Registration for reprocessing zinc bearing hazardous waste from the Central Pollution Control Board, New Delhi.

WHEREAS, the industry submitted following undertaking on non-judicial stamp paper through its letter dated 19th June, 2008.

- i. That, pending Registration under CPCB they will neither procure nor process any zinc scrap or other non-ferrous hazardous waste as raw material in their factory premises
- ii. That, the industry will complete installation of emission control system for the coal-fired furnaces within forty-five [45] days

NOW, THEREFORE, considering the facts and circumstances as stated above, the closure issued by the Board issued against **M/S. AMBICA DHATU PVT. LTD.** is hereby for a period up to 30th September, 2008 with the following conditions:

1. That, pending EIA clearance from the State EIA Authority, the industry will not manufacture zinc oxide using any raw materials other than pure zinc ingot.
2. That, the industry will not procure/reprocess zinc scrap or any other non-ferrous hazardous waste till they obtain Registration from the Central Pollution Control Board, New Delhi
3. That, within 30th September, 2008 the unit will have to complete commissioning of emission control system for coal-fired furnace to comply with the emission standard.
4. That, the “Hazardous Waste Authorization” and “Consent-to-Operate” applications of the industry will be processed normally by the Board Officials to enable the unit for obtaining Registration from the Central Pollution Control Board.

5. That, the unit will have to submit a Bank Guarantee (proforma enclosed) of Rs.2.00 Lakhs (Rupees Two Lakhs only) valid for twelve [12] months within fifteen days from the date of issuance of this order in favour of the **WEST BENGAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD** as a guarantee of compliance of the condition no.2 within the stipulated period of time.
6. That, the electricity connection of the industry is also ordered to be restored up to 30th September, 2008

The Secretary, WBSEB is requested to take action to restore the electricity connection of the industry up to 30th September, 2008.

This order is issued in exercise of the power conferred under Environment (Protection) Act, 1987, especially Hazardous Waste (Management & Handling) Amendment Rules, 2003 Notified under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 and Rules made thereunder after taking approval from the Competent Authority.

In case of noncompliance of the above directions within the stipulated time period, the Board may have to take recourse to its earlier order without any further reference in the matter.

Order

Sd/-

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