## MAHARASHTRA POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD REGIONAL OFFICE-KALYAN

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Date: 17/06 /2022

By R.P.A.D/Fax/Hand Delivery
NO. MPCB/ROK/TB/PD-P/2206170004

To, M/s. Raj Barrel Co., Kalyan Shill Road, Opp PH II - MIDC Dombivli Dombivali, Dist. Thane.

**Sub:** Proposed Directions u/s 33A of the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and/or u/s 31A of the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981.

Ref:- 1. Enforcement Policy Published by the Board vide dtd. 29/02/2016.

2. Consent granted by Board vide dtd. 11/11/2020.

3. Visit of Board officials to your industry on 30/05/2022.

4. Proposal received from Sub-Regional Office, Kalyan-I vide No. 040522021.

WHEREAS, you are operating the industry in the pollution prevention area declared under the Provisions of the Water (P&CP) Act, 1974 and the Air (P&CP) Act, 1981 and the Hazardous & Other Wastes (Management & Transboundary Movement) Rules, 2016.

AND WHEREAS, it is obligatory on your part to obtain Conditional Combined Consent and Authorization to operate your industry to discharge sewage and trade effluent in water pollution prevention area subject to certain terms and conditions more precisely under the provisions of 26 of the Water (P&CP) Act, 1974 and section 21 of the Air (P&CP) Act, 1981 and the Hazardous & Other Wastes (Management & Transboundary Movement) Rules, 2016, however you have failed to obtain valid Consent from the Board. AND WHEREAS, it is also obligatory on your part to provide adequate and efficient pollution control devices and take adequate measures to control air & water pollution from all sources so as to achieve the standards prescribed in the Environment (Protection) Act 1986.

**AND WHEREAS**, Board officials visited your unit on 30/05/2022 for checking compliance of Consent conditions.

**AND WHEREAS**, this office has received proposal from Sub-Regional Office, MPCB, Kalyan-I reporting following non- compliances;

- 1) During visit existing effluent treatment plant (ETP) was not found operational condition.
- 2) During visit discharge of untreated effluent (whitish color) into adjoined nalla through underground mechanism were observed.

AND WHEREAS, after examination of the record of your case the reports of the officers of the Board and after making necessary inquiry, I am satisfied that you are violating above consent conditions and causing serious pollution in the surrounding area.

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**NOW THEREFORE**, in the exercise of the power conferred upon me by Board under section 33 A of the Water (P &CP) Act, 1974 and under Section 31 A of the Air (P & CP) Act, 1981, the following directions are proposed to be issued, if you failed to comply these directions.

a) Why your consent shall not be revoke and manufacturing activity shall not be stopped till you take the remedial measures in respect of above non compliances.

b) Why the competent authorities shall not be directed to disconnect electricity and water supply of your plant on account of above non-compliances?

NOW THEREFORE, you are hereby directed to remain present for Hearing before undersigned on 23/06/2022 at 11.30 AM along with your substantive reply / objections to these Proposed Directions and documents you want to rely upon, failing in which, the Board will have no option than to confirm above directions against you, which may please be noted.

Regional Officer, Kalyar

Copy Submitted to:

1) Member Secretary, MPC Board, Sion, Mumbai.

2) Asst. Secretary (Tech), MPCB, Sion, Mumbai.

Copy to:

- 1) Sub Regional Officer, MPC Board, Kalyan-I- He is directed to ensure that PD to be served to the industry & attend the hearing along with industry reply, if any and other supporting documents.
- 2) Master File