

MAHARASHTRA POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

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No : MPCB/PD/ 2404220002

Date :- 22/04/2024.

To,
M/s. Alrub Chemicals Pvt. Ltd,
Plot No. C-5, MIDC Dasarkhed,
Tal. Malkapur, Dist, Buldhana.

Sub: - Proposed Directions under Section 33A of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981.

Ref: - 1) Consent to Operate granted vide no. Format1.0/RO/UAN No.0000182983/CO/2310002246, dtd. 31/10/2023.
2) Board Officials visit dtd. 06/09/2023.
3) Warning Notice issued by Sub-Regional Office vide letter no. MPCB/SRO-AKOLA/WN 367, dtd.07/09/2023.
4) Proposal for initiation of legal action submitted by SRO Akola through legal module.
5) Board Officials visit dtd. 10/04/2024.

WHEREAS, you are operating your industry in Water and Air Pollution Prevention Area declared under the provisions of Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974. AND WHEREAS, Board granted consent to operate to the industrial activity with certain terms and conditions and it is obligatory on proprietors/ owners part to comply the same.

AND WHEREAS, undersigned visited your industry on 10/04/2024 for checking the compliance of consent condition and reported following non compliances:

1. During the visit industry was not found in operation.
2. You have installed reactors (2nos) for plastic pyrolysis activity and recently installed reactors (2 nos.) without obtaining consent to establish/operate.
3. The reactors provided are batch type & they are operated on fire wood (fuel).
4. The raw material i.e. irrigation pipe wastes/cables is used for pyrolysis process.
5. During the visit it is observed that you have not provided safety arrangements in the plant. The alarming system is not provided. The guidelines/SOP for pyrolysis process has not been followed.
6. The carbon black is not conveyed through hydraulic/screw conveyor in closed condition.

7. Suitable sensor for gas, temperature and pressure inside the reactor to regulate the safe operation of the reactor are not provided. All relevant sensor for process and fugitive emission including Carbon Monoxide, Hydro Carbon and Methane are not installed.
8. The adequate arrangements for firefighting approved by the competent authority is not installed.
9. The good housekeeping has not been maintained and adequate measures for the control of smell and other pollutants so as not to cause nuisance to the surrounding area/habitat are not provided.
10. Out of 2 nos. bank guarantee of 1.0 lacs each, only one bank guarantee of Rs. 1.0 lacs is submitted.
11. The application for amendment in the consent to operate is not submitted so far.
12. You have contravened the consent condition no.6 of the schedule -IV General conditions of the consent to operate granted to your industry.

AND WHEREAS, earlier the Sub-Regional Officer Akola has submitted legal action through legal module for initiation of legal action against your industry, in view of the non-compliances observed by them.

AND WHEREAS, the above non-compliances amount serious violations and clearly shows your gross negligent attitude towards pollution control.

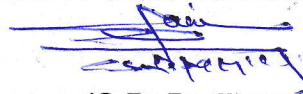
AND WHEREAS, it seems that, your industry is habitual defaulter and you are knowingly and willingly causing the grave injury to the Environment in the nearby area.

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred upon the undersigned under section 33A of the Water (P&CP) Act, 1974 and Air (P&CP) Act, 1981 I, hereby issue Proposed Directions against your industry unit as follows:

1. Why your unit shall not be directed to stop the manufacturing activities henceforth.
2. Why the competent authority shall not be directed to disconnect water/electricity supply to your unit?

You shall submit your reply/objections within a period of **15 days** from the date of receipt of these directions, failing which the Board will be constrained to issue appropriate final directions, as may deem fit in your case, which may be noted.

**FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE
MAHARASHTRA POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD**



(S.D. Patil)

Regional Officer, Amravati

Copy submitted to :-

1. The Hon'ble Member Secretary, MPC Board, Mumbai
2. The Joint Director (WPC), MPC Board, Mumbai.
3. The Law Officer (HQ), MPC Board Mumbai.

Copy to :- Sub-Regional Officer, MPCB, Akola. It is instructed to ensure the reply from industry within stipulated time and submit the compliance report accordingly.