

**MAHARASHTRA POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD
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Date: 23/05/2022

To,
M/s. Yashwantrao Mohite Krishna SSK Ltd.,
Rethare (BK), Tal. Karad, Dist-Satara.

Sub: Proposed Directions under section 33 A of Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, 31 A of Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 & Hazardous and Other Wastes (M & TM) Rules, 2016.

- Ref:**
- 1) Board's granted consent to operate valid upto 31.07.2022
 - 2) Compliant made against your industry by Mr. Anil Bellam & Anil Patole R/o Beradmachi Tal. Walwa Dist. Sangali regarding illegal disposal of spent wash to the Grievance Redressal Portal, Collector Office Sangali.
 - 3) Board Official visit to your industry on 24.03.2022
 - 4) Warning Notice issued by Sub Regional Officer, Satara on 29.03.2022
 - 5) Proposal resubmitted by Sub Regional Officer, Satara vide legal module no. MPCB-LEGAL- ACTION-040422013 Dtd. 07.04.2022.

WHEREAS, you are operating your industry in 'Pollution Prevention Area' under Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 & Air (Prevention & Control of) Act, 1981 & Hazardous & Other Wastes (Management & TM) Rules, 2016.

AND WHEREAS, The Board had granted Consent to Operate under section 26 of the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974; under Section 21 of the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 and Hazardous and Other Wastes (Management & Transboundary Movement) Rules, 2016 and to comply the same.

AND WHEREAS, it is obligatory on your part to provide pollution control systems as it warranted and to operate and maintain the same continuously and effectively so as to achieve the standards prescribed in the consent.

AND WHEREAS, Compliant made against your industry by Mr. Anil Bellam & Anil Patole R/o Beradmachi Tal. Walwa Dist. Sangali regarding illegal disposal of spent wash to the Grievance Redressal Portal, Collector Office Sangali

AND WHEREAS, Collector office has communicated this compliant to the Sub Regional Officer, M.P. C. Board Sangli and accordingly, same has forwarded to Sub Regional Officer, M.P. C. Board Satara.

AND WHEREAS, Board officials, Satara has visited to your industry on 24.03.2022 and investigated the complaint and accordingly Sub Regional Officer has issued Warning Notice to your industry vide ref. (3) & (4) respectively.

AND WHEREAS, On the basis of observations made during the visit, Sub Regional Officer, Satara has submitted legal action proposal vide ref. (5), where in reported following non compliances

1. You are operating sugar factory with excess crushing capacity i.e. 8300 TCD. The consented capacity is 7500 TCD.
2. You have not submitted tertiary treatment system for the treatment of trade effluent.
3. You are discharging the untreated effluent outside the factory premises, which further leads to Khubi nalla (near ETP site) and ultimately meets to Krishna River via Khubi nalla (near ETP site).
4. Operation and maintenance of the air pollution control system was found in poor condition as heavy smoke was observed and fly ash was not stored in scientific manner.
5. You have not provided the pucca road within factory premises and heavy dust emission was observed due to vehicular traffic movement.
6. You have not provided sprinkling system to the fly ash dumping site to avoid dust emissions.
7. You have not replied to the Warning Notice issued by the Sub Regional Officer, Satara.

AND WHEREAS, from the record of this office and observations made during the visit, I, undersigned came to the conclusion that you are not complying consent conditions and with the provisions of Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 thereby causing grave injury to the environment.

NOW THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred upon me under section 33 A of Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, 31 A of Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, I, undersigned Regional Officer of the Board, at Pune hereby issue directions as under-

1. Why your Industry shall not be directed to stop the further activity forthwith?
2. Why the competent authorities shall not be directed to disconnect Water / electricity supply of your industry?

Further, you are hereby directed to submit your **reply within 7 days** along with all necessary documents and remedial measures and **remain present for personal hearing on 30-05-2022 at 2-30pm** in the office of Regional Officer, M.P.C. Board, Pune Jog Centre, 3rd floor, Wakdewadi, Pune -411003 along with the action plan towards compliance of above points, failing which further necessary action as deemed fit in your case as per the provisions of various environmental enactments will be initiated against you, which may please be noted.

For and on behalf of
Maharashtra Pollution Control Board


Regional Officer, Pune

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1. Joint Director(WPC), M.P.C. Board, Mumbai.
2. Law & Policy Div. M.P.C. Board Mumbai.

Copy to-

The Sub-Regional Officer, M.P.C. Board, Satara :- You are directed to ensure the receipt of this directions to the industry and be remain present for the personal hearing as above schedule with present status, JVS results and compliance report of this directions.