

# MAHARASHTRA POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

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No. MPCB/ROT/CD/2104090009

Date: 09/04/2021

To,  
M/s. Laxman Naik,  
S. No. 240/7/1, Kawane Ali, Bolinj Gaon,  
Virar (W), Tal. Vasai, Dist. Palghar

**Sub:-** Closure Directions under section 33A of the Water (P & CP) Act, 1974 & under section 31A of the Air (P. & C.P.) Act, 1981 and read with Hazardous & Other Wastes (M & T M) Rules, 2016.

**Ref: -** 1) Complaint received from Mr. Bhagwan Naik, Residence, Bolinj, Virar (W) Vasai  
2) Board officials visit to your unit dtd. 17/03/2021.  
3) Action proposal submitted by Sub- Regional Officer, Thane-II vide Legal Unique No. MPCB-LEGAL\_ACTIONS- 180321011, dtd. 06/04/2021.  
4) Approval for closure received from HQ dtd. 08/04/2021.

**WHEREAS**, the Maharashtra State has been declared under section 33A of the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act 1974, and under section 31A of Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 respectively. AND WHEREAS, it is obligatory on your part to obtain Consent from Board under provisions of the above mentioned legislations.

**AND WHEREAS**, Hon'ble National Green Tribunal, New Delhi had passed an Order dtd. 08/05/2013 in Application No.37/2012 filed by Wassan Singh V/s State of Punjab, directing the concerned Pollution Control Boards and the Central Pollution Control Board, to file an Action Taken Report (ATR) in the Registry of the Tribunal within a period of three weeks and to ensure that all the procedures for sealing the illegally run/operated factories/units is immediately undertaken without waiting for any further Order.

**AND WHEREAS**, Board officials visited your unit on dtd. 17/03/2021 for investigation of complaint and reported that, You are engaged in the mfg. of hair pin (Engineering Activity- Machining) & operating unit without obtaining valid consent from Board and exceeding noise standards.

**AND WHEREAS**, this amounts to blatant violation of above mentioned legislations which shows your gross negligence attitude towards pollution control.

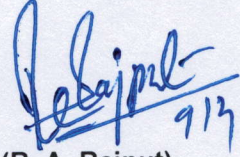
**AND NOW THEREFORE**, in the exercise of the powers conferred u/s 33A of Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act 1974, and 31A of Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981. I, Regional Officer, MPCB, Thane hereby directed to close down your manufacturing activities, within 72 hours taking all precautionary measures for safe closure, It shall be noted that competent authorities are hereby directed to disconnect your electricity and water supply.



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In case of your failure to comply these directions, further suitable action which may be deemed fit, as per the provisions of the Environmental Act's will be initiated against your unit, which may please be noted.

This is issued with the approval of competent authority of Board.



(R. A. Rajput)

Regional Officer, Thane

**Copy submitted to:**

1. Member Secretary, M. P. C. Board, Mumbai.
2. Joint Director (WPC), M. P. C. Board, Sion, Mumbai.

**Copy to:**

1. The Executive Engineer, MSEDCL, Tal. Vasai & Dist. Palghar  
- He is directed to disconnect electric supply of above mentioned industry after completion of 72 hours from receipt of these direction immediately and report compliance accordingly.
2. The Executive Engineer, Vasai-Virar City Municipal Corporation, Dist. Palghar.  
- He is directed to disconnect water supply of above mentioned industry after completion of 72 hours from receipt of these direction immediately and report compliance accordingly.
3. Sub- Regional Officer, Thane-II, MPC Board, Thane.  
- You are directed to serve these directions to the unit and ensure the compliance of the directions & report accordingly.
4. Master file