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Date: 07/06/2024

To.

(1) Vasai Virar City Municipal Corporation, VVCMC Head Office, Opp. Virar Police Station,

Bazar Ward, Virar (E).

Maharashtra - 401305 (Owner of the Project)



Your Service is Our Duty

(2) M/s Sai Ganesh Enterprises,

Gokhivare Waste Processing Facility Site, S. No. 30-A,31, 32, Sanitary Landfill, Ward No. 88, Vasai - 401208, Tal. Vasai Dist. Palghar (Operator of the Project)

> Sub: - Interim Directions under section 31 A of the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 and under section 33 A of the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974.

Ref: 1) Consent to Operate granted by Board dtd. 15/05/2024.

- 2) Suo Motu case filed at Hon'ble Human Right Commission in the matter 716/13/37/2024.
- 3) Proposed issued dtd. 21/05/2024.
- 4) Reply of operator of MSW facility uploaded dtd. 04/06/2024
- 5) Action proposal vide MPCB-LEGAL ACTIONS- 230224006.
- 6) Personal hearing extended on 06/06/2024.

This is with reference to the proposed direction issued by MPC Board vide above referred letter at Sr. No.3 & personal hearing held before the undersigned on 06/06/2024. Reply of operator of MSW facility received on 04/06/2024. During the course of personal hearing your reply was taken on record. You have informed about the steps being taken to comply various non-compliances mentioned in the proposed direction, in time bound manner.

Accordingly, following interim directions are hereby issued for immediate compliance:

- 1) Operator of MSW facility shall start bio-mining activity on legacy waste immediately as per the consent granted by Board. They shall provide fire-fighting arrangement at the site so as to avoid fire-fighting incidence at site.
- 2) Operator of MSW facility shall provide leachate collection & treatment plant at site immediately as per the land availability & in mean time they shall transport the leachate in VVCMC existing STP of capacity 30 MLD.
- 3) VVCMC shall submit their reply to proposed direction within 10 days with time _ bound program.
- 4) Operator of MSW facility shall submit bank guarantee of Rs. 5 Lakh as assurance towards compliance of above direction. Non submission of B.G. in specified time shall attract 12% interest as per Board's circular dtd, 29.02.2024.
- 5) Operator of MSW facility shall carry out ambient air quality monitoring regularly.

In case, you fail to comply with the above directions M.P.C. Board will have no alternative but to issue appropriate final directions including forfeiture of bank guarantee, which please be noted.

> (Kiran N. Hasabnis) Regional Officer, Thane

Copy submitted to:-

Assistant Secretary (Tech.), M. P. C. Board, Mumbai.

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Sub-Regional Officer, M. P. C. Board, Thane II- You are directed to serve the copy and submit compliance.