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No.: MPCB/SRO-Bhiwandi/ROK/CDI2208050007 Date: - 05/08/2022

To, M/s. Shri Siddheshwar Transport Co., New Pooja Complex, Opp. Jagram Kata, Opp. Shraddha Transport, Village- Purna, Tal. Bhiwandi, Dist. Thane. (Consumer No. B-22307701)

Sub: Closure Directions u/s 33A of the Water (P&CP) Act, 1974 & u/s 31 A of the Air (P&CP) Act, 1981 r. w. Hazardous & Other Wastes (M&TM) Rules, 2016.

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

2) Survey carried out as per office order vide No. 2020-11, dtd.01/02/2022

3) Visit of Board officials to your unit on 10/02/2022.

4) Show Cause Notice for Closure Direction issued by the Board vide dtd.29/03/2022

5) Proposal received from Sub-Regional Office, Bhiwandi vide no. 230222023.

6) Approval received from H.Q. vide dtd.19/07/2022.

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 industrial plant 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 Hazardous & Other Wastes (Management & Transboundary Movement) Rules, 2016.

AND WHEREAS, it was 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 to disposed the Hazardous Waste to CHWTSDF.

AND WHEREAS, this office has received proposal from Sub-Regional Office, MPCB, Bhiwandi and reported following non- compliances.

- You are carrying out storage activity of various types of chemicals, lube oil, cloth, medicines, SS goods, Electric and electronic goods etc. without obtaining consent from MPC Board.
- Your unit comes under notified area of MMRDA which attracts CC/OC from MMRDA, however you are failed to produce CC/OC from MMRDA.

AND WHEREAS, after examining all the reports and records available with this office I have come to the conclusion that you are knowingly and willfully violating the provisions of the Water (P&CP) Act, 1974 and Air (P&CP) Act, 1981.

NOW THEREFORE, in exercise of powers conferred upon me by the Board u/s 33A of the Water (P&CP) Act, 1974 and u/s 31A of the Air (P&CP) Act, 1981. I, the Regional Officer, Kalyan hereby direct you to stop your activity safely taking all precautionary measures for safe closure and not to take new chemical for storage of the unit within 7 days from receipt of this direction. It may also be noted that, the competent authorities are being directed to disconnect the electricity and water supply to your unit after 7 days.

This is issued with the approval from competent authority.

Regional Officer, Kalyan

Copy submitted for information to:

- 1. Member Secretary, M.P.C. Board, Mumbai.
- 2. Law Officer M.P.C. Board, Mumbai.
- 3. AS(Technical), M.P.C. Board, Mumbai.

Copy f.w.cs to:

- 1) The Executive Engineer, Torrent Power Ltd., Old Agra Road, Anjur Phata, Bhiwandi-421302 He is directed to disconnect electricity supply to the aforesaid unit after completion of 7 days for safe closure of the unit & inform this office accordingly.
- 2) The Sarpanch / Gramsevak, Grampanchayat Vill- Purna, Tal. Bhiwandi, Dist. Thane-He is directed to disconnect water supply to the aforesaid unit after completion of 7 days for safe closure of the unit & inform this office accordingly.

Copy to:

Sub-Regional Officer, M.P.C.Board, Bhiwandi:-He is directed to serve the directions to above industry and keep follow up and report the compliance thereof.