

MAHARASHTRA POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

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No. MPCB/ROT/PD/2503120002

Date: 12/03/2025

To,
M/s. RNA Creation,
Unit No. 216-218, 2nd Floor, Laxmi Ind. Estate,
Penkarpada Road, Mira Road (E), Thane.



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 Waste (M, H & T) Rules, 2008 as amended.

Ref: - 1) Show Cause Notice dtd. 22/07/2024.
2) Action proposal submitted by Sub- Regional Officer, Thane-II
vide MPCB-LEGAL_ACTIONS- 020724016, dtd. 09/03/2025.

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WHEREAS, you are operating your unit in 'Pollution Prevention Area' declared under Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 & Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 & Hazardous Waste (Management & TM) Rules, 2008 as amended 2016.

AND WHEREAS, it is obligatory on your part to provide adequate water and air pollution control devices and adequate health and safety & accidental precautionary measures and to operate it round o'clock so as to prevent any sort of pollution in the surrounding area and to achieve the standards laid down under the provisions of Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.

AND WHEREAS, previously Show Cause Notice was issued for the non compliance as below:

- 1) You are engaged in gold refining activity and operating your unit without obtaining consent from the Board.
- 2) You have not provided air pollution control system such as scrubber to your chimney.
- 3) You have not provided effluent treatment plant and you are discharging acidic effluent into local drain without any treatment.

AND WHEREAS, the officials of Sub Regional Office, Thane-II visited your unit, for verify compliances made by you and reported as below:

- 1) You have applied for consent to Establish but said application was refused for non submission of local body and penal fees.
- 2) You have failed to submit reply of show cause notice.

AND WHEREAS, after examining the record of your case, reports of officers of the Board & making necessary enquiries, I am satisfied that you are causing Environmental Pollution problems in the surrounding area and knowingly & wilfully causing grave injury to the environment thereby violating various Environment enactments.

NOW THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred on the undersigned by the Board under section 33A of the by the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and section 31A of Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 it is proposed to issue the following directions (for avoidance of doubt, the directions include closure, prohibition or regulation of your activities).

- I) Why your industry shall not be closed down forthwith?
- II) Why competent authorities shall not be directed to disconnect your water/electricity supply till you comply with the provisions of the said Acts?

You shall remain present for personal hearing **dtd. 26/03/2025 at 2:00 pm** above address along with reply to this direction and documents you want to rely upon, failing in which legal action will be initiated which may result in closure of your unit, which please note.


(Kiran N. Hasabnis)
Regional Officer, Thane

Copy submitted for information.

- 1) Member Secretary, MPC Board, Mumbai.
- 2) Assistant Secretary (Technical), MPC Board, Mumbai.

Copy to:

Sub-Regional Officer, M.P.C.Board, Thane-II- He is directed to serve the copy of PD & ensure that industry representative attends the hearing with reply and relevant details.