

MAHARASHTRA POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

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No. MPCB/ROT/CD/2102060001

Date: 06/02/2021

To,
M/s. Novaphene Specialties Pvt. Ltd.,
Plot No: N-27, MIDC Tarapur,
Tal. & Dist. Palghar.

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

Ref :- 1) Consent granted by Board dtd. 28/02/2020.
2) Visit of Board Officials dtd. 04/01/2021.
3) Action proposal received from SRO-Tarapur-I vide Legal Unique No. MPCB-LEGAL_ACTIONS-200121002, dtd. 20/01/2021.
4) Approved action proposal received from HQ, dtd: 03/02/2021.

WHEREAS, you are operating your industry in Water & Air pollution prevention area declared under Water (P&CP) Act, 1974 Air (P&CP) Act, 1981. AND WHEREAS, Board has granted consent to your industry subject to certain terms & conditions therein. AND WHEREAS, it is obligatory on your part to comply those conditions and provide necessary water & air pollution control devices and operate them continuously and efficiently so as to meet the standards prescribed by the Board at all times.

AND WHEREAS, Board officials of Sub-Regional office, Tarapur-I has reported following non-compliance during their visit dtd. 04/01/2021 as follows, 1) You have operated your industry during non-operational phase of old TEPS-CETP and stored untreated effluent in mass volume in 175-nos of barrels (200 ltrs capacity each barrel), 2) You have failed to provide separate arrangement for segregation and treatment of High COD effluent, 3) JVS reports of inlet sample of Effluent treatment plant (ETP) shows parameters pH-5.4, COD-304 mg/l, TDS-4840 mg/l reveals that you have provided inadequate ETP, 4) You have malafiedly stored effluent in treated effluent tank (Oxidation Pond) having pH-5.4, COD-304 mg/l, TDS- 4840 mg/l & allowing seepage of untreated effluent from inlet to local nalla, 5) You have not provided separate energy meter, flow meter & online monitoring system at ETP, 6) You have not provided platform arrangement at stack for monitoring with unsafe ladder.

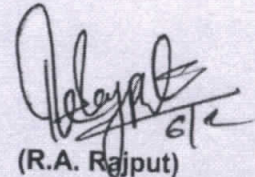
AND WHEREAS, after examining all the reports and records available with this office, I have come to the conclusion that you are knowingly and willfully violating the consent conditions under the provisions of Water (P & CP) Act, 1974 and Air (P & CP) Act, 1981.

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 from 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, Palghar
- He is directed to disconnect electric supply of above-mentioned industry after completion of 72-hours from receipt of these directions immediately and report compliance accordingly.
2. The Executive Engineer, Water Supply, MIDC, Wagle Estate, Thane / Deputy Engineer (Water Supply), MIDC Tarapur – They are 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, Tarapur-I, MPC Board, Tarapur.
- You are directed to serve these directions to the unit and ensure the compliance of the directions within 15-days.
4. Master file.