

MAHARASHTRA POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

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No. MPCB/ROT/CD/ 518

Date: 15/10/2020

To,
M/s. Parekha Metal Industries,
Sarawali, Manfodpada, Shivajinagar,
Tal. Dahanu, Dist. Palghar- 401601.

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 the Hazardous Waste (Management, Handling & Transboundary Movement) Rules, 2016.

Ref: - 1) Complaint received to this office from Collector office, Palghar.
3) Board officials visit to your industry dtd. 10/10/2020.
4) Action proposal submitted by Sub- Regional Officer, Tarapur-II vide Legal Unique No. MPCB-LEGAL_ACTIONS- 111020002, dtd. 13/10/2020.
5) Approved action proposal received from HQ, dtd: 14/10/2020.

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 of Sub- Regional Office, Tarapur- II visited your industry on 10/10/2020 and vide ref. no. 4 reported following:

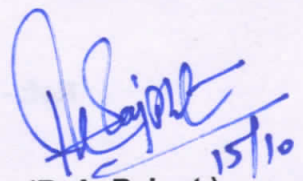
1. You are engaged in wire drawing activity & operating your unit without obtaining valid consent from M.P.C. Board.
2. You have not obtained N.O.C. from Dahanu Taluka Environment Protection Authority (DTEPA) for setting up unit in ECO Sensitive area.

AND WHEREAS, this amounts to blatant violation of above mentioned legislations and Environmental laws 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.

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.



(R. A. Rajput.)

Regional Officer, Thane

Copy submitted to:

1. Hon'ble Member Secretary, M. P. C. Board, Mumbai.
2. Principal Scientific Officer, 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 direction immediately and report compliance accordingly.
2. Dahanu Municipal Council, Tal. Dahanu & 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, Tarapur-II, MPC Board, Thane.
- You are directed to serve these directions to the unit and ensure the compliance of the directions.
4. Master file