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No.MPCB/CAC-cell/Refusal/CAC-1906

Date: 17/08/2014

To,

M/s Cosmo Films Ltd,
AL-24/1,MIDC SEZ,
Shendra Industrial Area,
Aurangabad

Sub: - Refusal of Consent under Section 27 of the water (P&CP)Ac,1974 and Section 21 of Air(P&CP)Act,1981.

- Ref: 1] Your application for Consent to First Operate Part forwarded by Sub Regional Officer Aurangabad-1 vide No.130812FT0227.
2] SCN issued vide letter dtd 29.01.2014.
3] Your reply vide letter dated 12.04.2014.
4] Minutes of CAC meeting held on 12.05.2014.
5] Non Compliance reported by SRO during their visit dated 30.07.2014 vide mail dated 14.08.2014.
6] Minutes of CAC meeting held on 28.08.2014.

WHEREAS, you have applied for Consent to first Operate (Part) under Section 26 of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974; under Section 21 of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 and Hazardous Wastes (Management Handling & Transboundary Movement) Rules, 2008.

AND WHEREAS, your application for grant of first consent to operate was placed before CAC meeting held on 08.01.2014 and it was decided to issue SCN for refusal of consent to 1st operate for not complying conditions of consent to establish and for taking effective steps without obtaining EC.

AND WHEREAS, Board has issued Show cause notice to you vide ref 2 above for not complying C to E condition and not obtaining EC. The reply submitted by you vide ref 3 above of keeping the case in abeyance till to get EC or clarification on non-applicability of EC from MoEF was accepted in CAC meeting held on 12.05.2014 and it was decided to consider request of the industry.

AND WHEREAS, Meanwhile SRO has visited the unit on 30.07.2014 for verification of the compliance of SCN issued by the Board and submitted the report vide mail dated 14.08.2014 stating the following:


1. Industry has constructed both the sheds(entire area). The constructed BUA of the industry is 31972 sq.mtrs.
2. The industry has started the production of all the 4 products in both the sheds as mentioned in the consent to establish granted by the Board. The industry has not applied for obtaining consent to operate for production of remaining 2 products till the date.
3. The industry has not obtained Environmental Clearance from competent authority till the date.

4. The industry has provided ETP and STP for industrial and domestic effluent respectively. At the time of visit, ETP and STP was not found in operation due to maintenance work.
5. Isolated Hazardous Waste Storage Facility is not provided. Non-hazardous waste is stored on open land in an unscientific manner and oil spillages observed near oil heater.

AND WHEREAS, Your application and SRO's visit report dated 30.07.2014 was placed before CAC meeting held on 28.08.2014 and it was decided to issue final refusal of consent to 1st Operate Part as industry has completed the entire construction of 31972 sq.mtrs without obtaining EC or clarification regarding applicability of EC and started the production of all 4 products in both the sheds without obtaining consent to 1st operate from the Board.

In view of above, your application for grant of consent to 1st Operate Part is hereby refused under Section 26 of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and under Section 21 of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981.

You may prefer Appeal against the refusal order passed by Maharashtra Pollution Control Board, in case aggrieved by this order, to Appellate Authority within a period of 30 days from the date of receipt of the Refused order.


(Rajeev Kumar Mital, IAS)
Member Secretary

Copy for information to:-

Regional Officer, MPCB, Aurangabad & Sub-Regional Officer, MPCB, Aurangabad-1: - He is directed to ensure that Refusal letter is served to the industry.