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Ref. No. BO/CAC-CELL/EIC No. -KP-17866-15/Refusal/B- (AC-0235

To, M/s. Shri Bhogawati SSK Ltd., Shahunagar (Parite), Tal. Karveer, Dist. Kolhapur - 41600.

- Sub Refusal of Consent to Establish for Expansion of 1490 TCD sugar unit under section 27 of water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act 1974 and under section 21 of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act 1981.
- Ref1. Consent to Operate granted by the Board to the existing unit vide no.
 BO/CAC-CELL/EIC No. KP-13044-13/O/CAC-1380 dtd.
 12.02.2014
 - 2. Directions issued by the Board vide dtd. 20.06.2014.
 - Your applications for grant of Renewal of Consent to Operate vide dtd. 03.09.2015.
 - Minutes of the CAC meeting held on 09.03.2016 & 27.04.2016.
 - SCN for Refusal of Consent to Establish for Expansion was issued by the Board vide no. BO/CAC-CELL/RO(KOP)/SCN/TB-1508 dtd. 11.04.2016.
 - 6. Reply submitted by you vide dtd. 25.04.2016.
 - 7. Minutes of CAC meeting held on 24.01.2017.

WHEREAS Board has granted Consent to Operate to your existing sugar unit vide above referred letter at sr. no. 1 with certain terms and conditions therein.

AND WHEREAS, Board has issued Directions vide under reference no. 2 for upgradation of existing Air Pollution Control Systems of the boilers by providing ESP/Wet Scrubber/ Bag Filter.

AND WHEREAS, you have applied for grant of Consent to Establish for expansion of 1490 TCD sugar unit under the provisions of Section 25 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 & Other Wastes (Management & Transboundry Movement) Rules 2008.

AND WEHEREAS, your application for grant of Consent to Establish for expansion of 1490 TCD sugar unit was placed before Consent Appraisal Committee meeting held on 09.03.2016, during meeting it was decided to issue SCN for Refusal of Consent to Establish for expansion of 1490 TCD sugar unit due to following non-compliances / violations—

- You have failed to provide 15 days storage tank to the existing sugar unit as per the CREP guidelines.
- 2. You have failed to up-grade Air Pollution Control system of the existing Boilers by providing ESP/Wet Scrubber / Bag Filter as per CREP guidelines till date.
- 3. JVS results of the trade effluent collected on 29.11.2014, 09.12.2014, 20.12.2014, 20.01.2015, 18.12.2015 & 13.01.2016 are exceeding the Consented limits, also analysis results of stack monitoring carried out on 29.11.2014, 09.12.2014 & 27.02.2015 are exceeding the Consented limit.

AND WHEREAS, as per the decision of CAC, Show Cause Notice was issued vide dtd. 11.04.2016. AND WHEREAS, you have submitted reply to the SCN issued by the Board, vide dtd. 25.04.2016.

AND WHEREAS your application was resubmitted before Consent Appraisal Committee meeting held on 24.01.2017, during meeting it was noted that the JVS results of existing unit during last two crushing seasons are exceeding the Consented limit. Also it is noted that industry has failed to up-grade existing APC system within stipulated time period.

AND WHEREAS, it is further noted by the committee that SRO has submitted Consent application for grant of Renewal of Consent to Operate of existing unit vide dtd. 23.01.2017 and reported following non-compliances –

- 1. The equalization tank was observed with a layer of oil and grease.
- 2. By-pass arrangement was observed for boiler blow-down and observed and boiler blow-down effluent flowing outside the factory premises through the nalla.
- 3. During visit flow meter at the outlet of the ETP was not found in operation.
- 4. Online monitoring system was also observed malfunctioning and showing erratic readings.
- Industry has carried out excess crushing i.e. above the Consented quantity of 4000 TCD.

- Industry has not provided any treatment to the sewage generated from the colony and same was observed discharging alongwith treated effluent.
- 7. Work of up-gradation of existing APC system not yet completed.

Therefor, it was decided to issue final refusal for Consent to Establish for expansion of 1490 TCD sugar unit.

In view of the above, your application for grant of Consent to Establish for Expansion of 1490 TCD sugar unit is hereby refused under section 27 of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act 1974 and under section 21 of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act 1981 and Hazardous & Other Wastes (Management & Transboundary Movement) Rules, 2016.

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.

(Dr. P. Anbalagan, IAS) Member Secretary

Copy to-

- 1. Law Officer, MPCB, Mumbai for information.
- 2. Regional Officer, MPCB, Kolhapur for information and necessary action.
- 3. Sub Regional Officer, MPCB, Kolhapur He is directed to serve this notice of refusal to the industry and ensure the compliance.