



HARYANA STATE POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

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ORDER

Whereas the Board had issued procedure for consent management under Water Act, 1974, Air Act, 1981 and for authorization under Hazardous Waste (MH&TM) Rules, 2008 vide Endst. No. 10195-10218 dated 07.03.2014 which was published in the gazette on 15.04.2014 wherein the period of validity of consent to operate was specified depending upon the category of the projects.

Whereas report of working group constituted by CPCB on review of the issues related to Consent Management, Categorization of industries and third party inspection was examined by TAC (Policy) in its meeting held on 30.04.2015 and proceeding of the same was circulated vide this office letter no. 2188-93 dated 03.06.2015 after approval of Competent Authority.

Whereas the matter was placed before the Board in its 173rd meeting held on 29.09.2015 and the Board vide resolution no. 173.27 has approved the recommendations of TAC(Policy) with the amendments that green category of industries / projects be omitted since these projects are already included in orange category of projects and rest of the green category projects are already exempted from consent management. Further the industries / projects shall be at liberty to apply for consent to operate for lesser period also. The minutes of the meeting were circulated vide letter No. HSPCB/Estt./2015/EG-36/6437-54 dated 01.10.2015.

In view of above, it is hereby ordered that the following amendments are made in the consent policy orders issued vide Endst. No. 10195-10218 dated 07.03.2014 and published in the gazette on 15.04.2014:-

1. Validity of period of consent to operate for different category of industries/projects under Water Act, 1974 and Air Act, 1981, will be as under:-

| Industry/Project Category | Validity Period |
|---------------------------|-----------------|
| Red Category | 5 Years |
| Orange Category | 10 Years |

The industries / projects shall be at liberty to apply for consent to operate for lesser period also.

2. The units will be at liberty to deposit the full applicable fee for consent to operate for the whole period prescribed depending upon their category. However, the fees for consent to operate can be deposited by the industries as per time schedule given below :-

| Sr. No | Category | Validity period of consent | Time schedule |
|--------|----------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1 | Red | 05 years | For the First 03 years, at the time of filing of application and for the remaining 02 years before ending the 3 rd year. |
| 2 | Orange | 10 Years | For the First 04 years, at the time of filing of application, for next 03 years before ending the 4 th year and for the remaining 03 years before ending the 7 th year. |

In case the rates of consent fees are revised during the period of consent to operate and the unit has opted to deposit the consent fees in the installments then such units will have to deposit the consent fee at the revised / enhanced rates for the remaining period from the date of revision of the consent fees. However, the units which have opted to deposit the full consent fees at the time of filing the application for consent to operate will not be liable to pay the revised / enhanced consent fees in case the consent fee is enhanced during the period of consent to operate.

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3. The consent to operate granted shall have the validity ending as indicated in the table below:-

| Sr. No. | Category | Validity month |
|---------|----------|------------------|
| 1 | Red | End of September |
| 2 | Orange | End of March |

These orders shall come into force with immediate effect.

Dated Panchkula, the
19th October, 2015

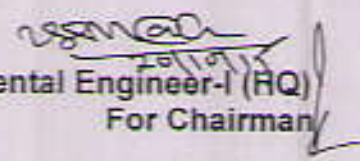
Anurag Rastogi, IAS
Chairman

Endst. No. HSPCB/PLG/2015/3759-3782

Dated: 20/10/15

A copy of the above is forwarded to the following for information and necessary action:

1. All Branch Incharges in Head Office.
2. All Regional Officers in the field. They are requested to circulate the above said orders to all Industrial Association under their jurisdiction. Further ROs will also make publicity of the orders at their level in local newspapers in their respective area.
3. PS to Chairman/ PA to Member Secretary for information of the officers.
4. Nodal Officer (IT) for uploading the orders on the website of the Board.


Sr. Environmental Engineer-I (HQ)
For Chairman