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ORDER No. : 49 JK PCB of 2020
DATED : 12/11/2020

Whereas, no industrial unit can be installed or put in operation, without prior consent of the Pollution Control Board, as warranted under Section 25/26 and Section 21 of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act 1974 and Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 respectively.

Whereas, last consent granted to the M/s Jai Dev Stone Crusher, Village Kharian Akhnoor, Jammu was void upto July, 2019 and thereafter the unit holder has failed to obtain periodical renewals of the consent from the Pollution Control Board.

Whereas, M/s Jai Dev Stone Crusher, Village Kharian Akhnoor, Jammu is currently in operation in violation of above stated laws that too bereft of adequate pollution control devices/pollution control measures.

Whereas, complaints against the operation of the stone crusher have also been received from the Sant Girdhranand Paramhansa Sant Ashram, for causing air pollution/nuisance in the area and these complaints have been verified as genuine.

Whereas, on the basis of pollution potential, stone crusher is classified in Orange category, for the purposes obtaining of up to date consent from the Board, which the unit holder has failed to obtain, thus continues illegal and unauthorized operation of the unit.

Whereas, notice was accordingly served upon the unit holder particular notice dt. 18-09-2020, calling upon the unit holder there under to show reasons as to why legal action including closure of his unit be not taken.


Whereas, unit holder has failed to show any response to these notices besides failing to take measures to meet the requirements of laws governing environmental protection.

Whereas, unit in question is also operational and is bereft of requisite pollution control devices, causing pollution beyond permissible norms, endangering human health and environment.

Now, therefore, in exercise of powers vested in the J & K Pollution Control Board under Section 33 (A) of Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and Section 31 (A) of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, read with Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, immediate closure of M/s Jai Dev Stone Crusher, Village Kharian Akhnoor, Jammu is hereby ordered and in this behalf, the:-

- i). Deputy Commissioner/ District Magistrate, Jammu is directed to get the stone crusher installed by M/s Jai Dev Stone Crusher, Village Kharian Akhnoor, Jammu, closed immediately.
- ii). Chief Engineer, Electric & Maintenance (PDD), canal road, Jammu, is directed to snap the electric supply to the above said unit.
- iii). Sh. Suram Singh, Prop. of M/s Jai Dev Stone Crusher, Village Kharian Akhnoor, Jammu is directed to cease the operation of the stone crusher forthwith.

As approved by the Competent Authority.


(B.M. Sharma), IFS
Member Secretary
JK PCB, Jammu

No:- JK PCB/LSJ/958/2020/ 267-71

Dated:- 12/11/2020

Copy to the following for information and immediate compliance:-

- i). Deputy Commissioner/ District Magistrate, Jammu.
- ii). Regional Director, Pollution Control Board, Jammu and has reference to his letter No. PCB/RDJ/Consent-O/2020/4415-16 dt. 03-10-2020.
- iii). Chief Engineer, Electric & Maintenance (PDD) Canal Raod Jammu.
- iv) I/c website, JK Pollution Control Board for uploading the same.
- v). Sh. Suram Singh, Prop. of M/s Jai Dev Stone Crusher, Village Kharian Akhnoor, Jammu for compliance.