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ORDER NO. : 130 JK PCB of 2021
DATED : 21 /01/2021

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, a hot mix plant under the name and style of **M/s Ridhi Sidhi Construction Company , at Village Kirmoo, Tehsil Ramnagar, Udhampur** is currently operational in violation of above stated laws that too without adequate pollution control devices/pollution control measures.

Whereas, on the basis of pollution potential, Hot Mix Plant is classified in **Orange category**, for the purposes of the consent and pollution control mechanism required to achieve the Prescribed Standards of pollution.

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

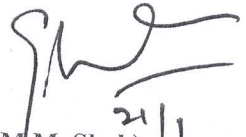
Whereas, the unit holder was accordingly served with notice on **24-11-2020** calling upon him there under to show reasons, as to why his unit be not closed down, to which he failed to respond.

Whereas, unit cannot be allowed to run un-authorizedly with above status to the detriment of human life and environment, which stands verified again on inspection done by field staff of the Board.

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 **Section 5** of **Environment** (Protection) Act, 1986 immediate closure of Hot Mix Plant under the name and style of **M/s Ridhi Sidhi Construction Company , at Village Kirmoo, Tehsil Ramnagar, Udhampur**, is hereby ordered, with following directions:-

- i). The Deputy Commissioner/ District Magistrate, Udhampur is directed to get the Hot Mix Plant under the name and style of **M/s Ridhi Sidhi Construction Company , at Village Kirmoo, Tehsil Ramnagar, Udhampur**, closed immediately.
- ii). The Chief Engineer, Electric & Maintenance (PDD), canal road, Jammu, is directed to snap the electric supply to the above said unit.
- iii). Prop. **M/s Ridhi Sidhi Construction Company , at Village Kirmoo, Tehsil Ramnagar, Udhampur** is directed to cease the operation of the unit forthwith.


As approved by the Competent Authority.


(M.M. Shah)
Legal Advisor
JK PCB, Jammu

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Dated:- 21/01/2021.

Copy to the:-

- i). Deputy Commissioner/ District Magistrate Udhampur, for information and necessary action.
- ii). Regional Director, Pollution Control Board, Jammu for information and follow up action within fortnight and has reference to his letter No. PCB/RDJ/O/20/58-59 dt. 05-01-2021.
- iii). Chief Engineer, Electric & Maintenance (PDD), canal road, Jammu for information and necessary action.
- iv). I/c Website, JK Pollution Control Board for uploading the same.
- v). Prop. **M/s Ridhi Sidhi Construction Company , at Village Kirmoo, Tehsil Ramnagar, Udhampur** for compliance.


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