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Whereas, no activity having bearing on environment can be taken in hand without prior consent of the Pollution Control Board, 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, M/s **Royal Fresh Agro Farm (Milk Processing unit) I/E Chotipora Handwara Kupwara** which is currently in unauthorized operation in violation of above stated laws as consent to operate was refused to the unit as same is bereft of adequate pollution control devices/ measures in the shape of Effluent Treatment Plant (ETP).

Whereas, the owner of the Dairy farm was accordingly served with repeated notices, particularly notice dated 26/12/2018, calling upon him there under to show reasons as to why legal action including closure of his Dairy farm be not taken.

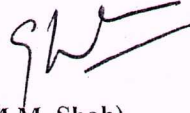
Whereas, the owner of the Dairy Farm has failed to show any tenable response to the notices, besides failing to take measures to meet the requirements of laws governing environmental protection.


Whereas, recently a team of Board officers/officials inspected the unit and it was noticed that there was no progress in the status of pollution control devices/measures and EPT has been made.

Whereas, the Dairy Farm in question cannot be allowed to run un-authorizedly with above status and to the detriment of human health and environment.

Now therefore in exercise of powers vested in the J & K State Pollution Control Board under Section 31 (A) of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, immediate closure of **M/s Royal Fresh Agro Farm (Processing of Milk) I/E Chotipora Handwara Kupwara**. is hereby ordered and in this behalf the:-

- i). Deputy Commissioner/ District Magistrate, **Kupwara** is directed to close **M/s Royal Fresh Agro Farm (Processing of Milk) I/E Chotipora Handwara Kupwara** immediately.
- ii). Chief Engineer, Electric & Maintenance (PDD) **Kashmir** is directed to snap the electric supply to the above said Dairy farm with immediate effect.
- iii). Director Industries & Commerce, Kashmir for deregistering the unit if registered.
- iv). Prop., **M/s Royal Fresh Agro Farm (Processing of Milk) I/E Chotipora Handwara Kupwara** is directed to cease the operation of the unit forthwith


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Dated:- 29/05/2019.

Copy to the following for information and immediate compliance:-

- i). Deputy Commissioner/ District Magistrate Kupwara
- ii). Chief Engineer, Electric & Maintenance (PDD) Kashmir.
- iii). Director Industries & Commerce, Kashmir.
- iv). Regional Director, State Pollution Control Board, Kashmir.
- v). Prop. **M/s Royal Fresh Agro Farm (Processing of Milk) I/E Chotipora Handwara Kupwara**