



TELANGANA STATE POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

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Order No.MHB-01/TSPCB/U-V/TF/2020- 2292

Date:29.01.2020

Sub : M/s Balaji Industries, Plot No. 43, IDA, Kothur, Kothur (V & M), Rangareddy District - Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Amendment Act, 1988 - Air (Prevention and control of Pollution) Amendment Act, 1987 - Operating the unit without consents of the Board and causing pollution in the surrounding areas - **Closure Orders - Issued - Reg.**

Ref : 1. Hon'ble NGT order dated 25.01.2017.
2. CPCB Lr. No.B-29016/04/06/IPC-I/10597-10636, dt: 03.03.2017.
3. Inspection of your unit by the Board officials during 03.12.2019.
4. Show Cause Notice dated 08.12.2019.

1. WHEREAS, you are operating the industry located at Plot No. 43, IDA, Kothur, Kothur (V & M), Rangareddy District and engaged in lead recycling/lead ingots by using lead acid batteries and battery scrap as raw material.
2. WHEREAS, the Hon'ble NGT-Chennai while delivering the judgment in OA No.106 to 112 of 2016, mentioned that operating the industry without "Consents" is against the provisions of Water & Air Acts.
3. WHEREAS, the CPCB issued directions to the Telangana State Pollution Control Board "not to continue operations of the industries, till they obtain Consent for Operation (CFO)".
4. WHEREAS, the Board officials inspected your unit on 03.12.2019 and observed the following :
 - a. The industry is operating without obtaining CFE & CFO of the Board.
 - b. The industry has 2 Nos. of Mandir Bhattis for which provided common APCE i.e. Cyclone followed by bag filter. The industry is not operating the Air pollution Control Equipments and smoke is spreading outside the premises.
 - c. The industry has not provided chimney to the Mandir Bhatties for dispersion of the emissions at higher elevation.
 - d. The industry is storing Raw materials / solid waste on naked ground without storage shed.
 - e. The industry is not maintaining records pertaining to production, solid waste generation and its disposal, etc.
 - f. The industry has not provided separate energy meter to the Air Pollution Control Equipment (APCE).
5. WHEREAS, the Board issued a show cause notice to the unit on 08.12.2019 for operating without consents of the Board and you have failed to reply to the show cause notice till date.
6. After careful consideration of material facts of the case, the Board is of the firm opinion that you are operating the industry without consents of the Board and causing Air pollution in the area. In view of likelihood of further grave injury to the environment & public health and hence, the Board hereby decided to dispense with opportunity of hearing. Under the Powers vested with the T.S. Pollution Control Board under section 33 (A) of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Amendment Act, 1988 and under section 31(A) of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Amendment Act, 1987 for the reasons stated above, the **Board hereby issues closure orders to your industry** in the interest of protecting public health and environment. You are also hereby directed to stop all industrial activities with immediate effect from the date of this order.

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7. You are directed to take note that if you continue to operate your industry even after receipt of this orders, you will be liable for prosecution in the court of Metropolitan Magistrate **or** Judicial Magistrate of the first class under section 41(2) of Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Amendment Act, 1988 and under section 37 (1) of Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Amendment Act, 1987, the punishment for which includes imprisonment for a term which shall not be less than one year six months which may be extended to six years and with fine.
8. You are further directed to take note that the TSSPDCL, has been ordered to disconnect the Power Supply to your industry with immediate effect. Should you resort to run your industry by means of diesel generator **or** any mechanical device, you will be attracting prosecution under section 41(2) of Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Amendment Act, 1988 and under section 37 (1) of Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Amendment Act, 1987.

**Sd/-
MEMBER SECRETARY**

**To
M/s Balaji Industries,
Plot No. 43, IDA Kothur,
Kothur (V & M), Rangareddy District**

Copy to :

1. The District Collector, Mahabubnagar District for favour of information.
2. The Superintending Engineer (Operations), T.S. Southern Power Distribution Company Ltd., Mettugadda, Mahaboobnagar
3. The JCEE, ZO, Hyderabad for information and necessary action.
4. The EE, RO-Hyderabad for information and necessary action. He is directed to inspect the industry and report the compliance within 48 hrs. Also directed to record the meter reading of T.S. Trans Co. power supply at the time of power disconnection.
5. Concerned file.

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**Senior Environmental Engineer (FAC)
(UH -V)**