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Pollution Control Board, Assam
Bamunimaidam, Guwahati-21

NOTICE

No. WB/G-1249/15-16/08

Dated Guwahati, the 25th May, 2017

REQUIREMENT OF CONSENT UNDER WATER (PREVENTION & CONTROL OF POLLUTION) ACT, 1974 AND AIR (PREVENTION & CONTROL OF POLLUTION) ACT, 1981 AS AMENDED INVOLVING

UPGRADATION / ALTERATION / MODIFICATION / MODERNIZATION / EXPANSION / ADDITION ETC.

It has come to the notice of the Board that most of the Extractive / Manufacturing / Service Sector industries / establishments have been carrying out Upgradation / Alteration / Modification / Modernization / Expansion / Addition activities in their existing units including plant and machinery, pollution control systems such as Effluent Treatment Plant/Sewage Treatment Plant/Air Pollution Control Devices etc. without prior consent of the Board as mandated under the both Water(Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act,1974 and Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act,1981. Such flouting of environmental norms have been viewed seriously by the Board.

As such, attention is hereby drawn to all the concerned that those who have already carried out or intending to carry out such activities are directed to intimate the Board immediately and obtain necessary Consent to Establish/Consent to Operate of the Board in accordance with the provision laid down under Section 25(5) of Water(Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act,1974 and Section 21(5/6) of Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act,1981. Any infringement to comply with these relevant norms as envisaged under the said Acts will attract legal actions under Section 33(A) of Water(Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act,1974 and Section 31(A) of Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act,1981 which may invite closure of such erring units/establishments.

Moreover, the units which have not been obtain necessary Consent of the Board yet are also hereby directed to obtain the same immediately in order to avoid any penal actions.

The Notice comes into force with immediate effect.

Member Secretary (i/c)

Memo No. WB/G-1249/15-16/08-A,

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Copy to:

1. The Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Environment & Forests Deptt., Dispur, Guwahati-6 for kind information.
2. The All Deputy Commissioner in the Districts of Assam for information and necessary action.
3. The Commissioner, Guwahati Municipal Corporation for information & necessary action.
4. P.A. to the Chairman, PCBA for kind appraisal of the Hon'ble Chairman.
5. The Addl. Chief Env. Engineer, Zone-I/Zone-II, Head Office, PCBA for information & necessary action.
6. The Sr. Env. Engineer, Zone-III/Zone-IV/Zone-V, Head Office, PCBA for information & necessary action.
7. The ACEE/SEE/REE; RO / RLO; Guwahati / Tezpur / Bongaigaon / Silchar / Sivasagar / Dibrugarh / Golaghat / Nagaon, PCBA for information & necessary action.
8. The Asstt. Manager (F&A) of the Board's Head Office, PCBA for information & necessary action.
9. The Asstt. Programmer, IT Section, Head Office, PCBA for information & to upload the Notice on the Board's website.
10. M/s. APS Advertising Pvt. Ltd., Guwahati-1 for information and necessary action. They are requested to publish the 'NOTICE' in the 'The Assam Tribune' in all editions immediately (in minimum font size) on **26.05.2017** and submit the bill for necessary payment.
11. Notice Board; Pollution Control Board, Assam.

Member Secretary (i/c)