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No. BO/CAC-CELL/RO(Nagpur)/Refusal/TB- 38

Date: 10/05/2016

To, M/s. Shardashree Ispat, Plot No. E-12, MIDC Butibori, Tal Hingna, Dist Nagpur

Sub: Refusal of 1st Consent to Operate for expansion & Renewal of existing consent by amalgamation of consents under Section 27 of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and Section 21 of the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981.

Ref: 1. Consent granted by the Board vide No. BO/JD(APC)/EIC NO. NG-11087-14/R/CC-9320, dtd 09.10.2014

Consent granted by the Board vide No. BO/JD(APC)/EIC NO. NG-8832-13/R/CC-1256, dtd 16.11.2013

 Your application for 1st Consent to Operate & Renewal of consent by amalgamation of consents dated 14.01.2015.

4. SCN for Refusal of consent to Operate issued vide dtd 21.09.2015

5. SRO report vide mail dtd 05.03.2016

6. CAC meeting held on 22.03.2016.

Board has granted consent to your unit with certain terms & conditions therein vide dtd 09.10.2014 & 16.11.2013 referred 2 & 3 above. WHEREAS NOW, you have applied for grant of 1st Consent to Operate for expansion & Renewal of existing consent by amalgamation of consents as per the provisions of Section 26 of the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, under Section 21 of the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 and Hazardous Wastes (Management, Handling & Transboundary Movement) Rules, 2008.

AND WHEREAS, your case has been discussed in the Consent Appraisal Committee meeting held on 27/08/2015 and the Consent Appraisal Committee had decided to issue SCN for refusal of 1st Consent to Operate for expansion & Renewal of existing consent by amalgamation of consents for carrying out expansion & operating expansion activities without valid consent from the Board. The show cause notice for Refusal of consent was issued vide reference No. (4) above.

AND WHEREAS, you have not replied to the Show Cause Notice issued by the Board vide ref 5 above. AND WHEREAS, your case was again placed before CAC meeting held on 23.03.2016 along with verification present status report from SRO, Napur-II stating as below:

- 1. Industry is granted Consent for mfg of Mild steel/HT steel rolled products to the tune of 5000 MT/M, However during visit it is observed that this plant is not in operation since last one year. Also it is observed that though the consented capacity is 5000 MT/M, industry has installed plant having capacity 12,000 MT/M. In this regards, Show cause notice was issued to industry and the notice was also served to industry but till date industry has not submitted the reply. Industry representative claims that they have applied for production capacity of 12,000 MT/M previously but Board had not granted consent for only 5000 MT/M capacity.
- Industry has granted Consent for mfg of Mild steel/HT steel rolled products to the tune of 20,000 MT/M, during visit it is observed that this plant is in operation. Industry has provided necessary control systems, but industry has not submitted B.G. of Rs.5.0 Lacs as per consent condition issued by board on 09.10.2014

AND WHEREAS, CAC in its meeting held on 23.03.2016 based on the report submitted by SRO has decided to Refuse the Renewal of consent to Operate & 1st Consent to Operate for expansion as you have carried out expansion & operating expansion activities without valid consent from the Board, you have not submitted BG as per consent condition & also not replied to the SCN issued by the Board.

In view of above, your application for grant of Renewal of consent to Operate & 1st Consent to Operate for expansion is hereby refused under Section 27 of the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, under Section 21 of the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 and Hazardous Wastes (Management, Handling & Transboundary Movement) Rules, 2008.

(Dr. P Anbatagan, IAS) Member Secretary

Copy for information & necessary action:

- Regional Officer, M.P.C.B., Nagpur

 He is directed to issue appropriate directions to the industry after appeal period is over as per CAC decision, (Copy of CAC minutes dated 27.09.2014 is enclosed herewith) and submit the report accordingly.
- 2) Sub Regional Officer, M.P.C.B., Nagpur-II- for information and necessary follow-up action.