M/s Choudhary Petro Chemical,  
G-98,Phase-II,RIICO Industrial Area,  
Hanumangarh Junction,  
Hanumangarh

Sub: Directions under section 33A of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and 31A of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981.

1. Whereas the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 & Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 (hereinafter referred to as the “Acts”) have come into force in whole of the country, with effect from 23.03.1974 & 16.05.1981, respectively.
2. And whereas the Acts have been enacted to provide for the prevention, control and abatement of water & air pollution and for maintaining and restoring the wholesomeness of water & air.
3. And whereas under the provisions of section 24 of the Water Act, no person shall knowingly cause or permit any poisonous, noxious or polluting matter, determined in accordance with such standards as may be laid down by the State Board, to enter into any stream or well or sewer or on land.
4. And whereas under the provisions of section 25/26 of the Act, no person shall without the previous Consent of the State Board establish or take any steps to establish, any industry, operation or process or any treatment and disposal system or any extension or addition thereto, which is likely to discharge sewage or trade effluent into a stream or well or sewer or on land or bring into use any new or altered outlet for the discharge of sewage or trade effluent or begin to make any new discharge of sewage or trade effluent.
5. And whereas under the provisions of section 20 of the Air Act, no person shall without previous consent of the State Board, establish or operate any industrial plant in an air pollution control area, which is likely to cause air pollution in environment.
6. And whereas under the provisions of section 20 of the Air Act, no person discharge or cause or permit to be discharged the emission of any air pollutant in excess to the standards laid down by the State Board.
7. And whereas the industry is being operated in the name and style of M/s Choudhary Petro Chemical, (herein after called as ‘industry’) at G-98,Phase-II,RIICO Industrial Area, Hanumangarh Junction, Hanumangarh and engaged in Re-refining of Lubricating/ used Oil.
8. And whereas a show cause notice was issued for intended directions for closure, disconnection of electricity and water supply under section 33A of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 vide letter no. F16(CM-623)RPCB/HAZ/ Hanumangarh /352-353 Dated 2/8/2018 as per the observation during inspection of Board official on dated 31/5/2018 and you have failed to reply.
9. And whereas, you are operating the industrial plant without valid consent to Establish and operate under the provisions of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 as same were refused on 20/9/2018.
10. And whereas the State Board may, in exercise of the powers conferred upon it under the provisions of section 33A of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 & 31A of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 and in performance of its functions under the Acts, issue directions in writing to any person, officer or any authority and such person, officer or authority shall be bound to comply with such directions which includes the power to direct:-

a) The closure, prohibition or regulation of any industry, operation or process.
b) Stoppage or regulation of the supply of electricity or water or any other service.

The State Board further in exercise of the powers conferred upon it under section 33A of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 & 31A of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 and in performance of functions under the Acts and to prevent pollution, hereby directs you to, forthwith, close down your industry M/s Choudhary Petro Chemical, at G-98,Phase-II,RIICO Industrial Area, Hanumangarh Junction, Hanumangarh. It may be noted that failure of compliance of these directions, is a criminal offence, punishable with imprisonment for a term which shall not be less than one year and six month but which may extend to six years and with fine under section 41(2) of the Water Act & 39 of the Air Act.

This bears the approval of the competent authority.

Yours sincerely

(KCA Arun Prasad)
Member Secretary

Copy to following for information & necessary action:-


2. Executive Engineer, Vidhyut Vitaran Nigam Limited, Hanumangarh to, forthwith, disconnect the supply of electricity to M/s Choudhary Petro Chemical, at G-98,Phase-II,RIICO Industrial Area, Hanumangarh Junction, Hanumangarh and submit report of compliance to the State Board.

3. Senior Manager, RIICO Ltd., Hanumangarh to disconnect the supply of water to M/s Choudhary Petro Chemical, at G-98,Phase-II,RIICO Industrial Area, Hanumangarh Junction, Hanumangarh and submit report of compliance to the State Board.

4. Regional Officer, Rajasthan State Pollution Control Board, Bikaner seal the D.G. set and other plant & machinery of plant to ensure compliance of the directions passed by the State Board.

5. Master file, HSW cell, RSPCB, Jaipur.

Member Secretary