

## Rajasthan State Pollution Control Board

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M/s. Sardar Asharfi Stone Crusher, (Old Name- National Stone Crusher) Village- Bicchore, Tehsil –Begun, District-Chittorgarh(Raj.).

Sub:-Directions for closure of the industry, under section 31(A) of the Air(Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 for your industry at Village- Bicchore, Tehsil- Begun, District- Chittorgarh(Raj.).

Ref:- Inspection of the unit conducted by RO, Chittorgarh on 01.03.2019.

Sir,

- 1. Whereas, the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981(hereinafter referred to as the "Air Act"), has come into force in whole of the country with effect from 16/05/1981.
- 2. And whereas, the Air Act has been enacted to provide for the prevention, control and abatement of air pollution.
- 3. And whereas, under the provisions of section 21 of the Air Act, no person shall without the previous consent of the State Board, establish or operate any industrial plant in an air pollution control area. Industrial plant, under the Air Act, has been defined to mean any plant used for any industrial or trade purposes and emitting any air pollutant into the atmosphere.
- 4. And whereas, the State Board in performance of its functions has power to issue directions under section 31A of the Air Act, in writing to any person, officer or any authority and such person, officer or authority shall be bound to comply with such directions.
- 5. And whereas, non-compliance or contravention of the aforesaid provisions of the Air Act is punishable under the provisions of section 37 of the Act, with imprisonment for a term which shall not be less than one year and six months and with fine.
- 6. And whereas, M/s. Sardar Asharfi Stone Crusher (Old Name- National Stone Crusher) located at Village- Bicchore, Tehsil- Begun, District- Chittorgarh (Rajasthan) is a stone crushing unit and during its operations causes emission of air pollutants.
- 7. And whereas, your unit was inspected by Board officials on **01.03.2019** and it was observed that:
  - i. Unit is operating without obtaining Consent to Establish and Consent to Operate from State Board from approx. last ten years.
  - ii. Unit has failed to provide adequate pollution control measures as mentioned below:
    - a) Jaw Crusher was not covered.
    - b) Water spraying systems were not provided at the outlet of primary stone crusher and at the feeding inlet of stone crusher.
    - c) Rigid enclosures fitted with self-closing doors were not provided at suitable places.

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d) Vibratory screen not covered with G.I. sheets.

e) Flexible covers at conveyors and dust extraction and collection system was not provided.

f) Water spraying arrangements at suitable points were not provided.

g) Transfer points of conveyors were not covered.

h) Wind breaking wall not provided.

i) No proper arrangements were provided at the transfer points.

j) Stockpiles were not covered.

- k) Scattered piles were not cleaned.
- 1) Active haul roads were not provided.

m) No water storage facility at site.

n) Housekeeping was found not satisfactory.

o) Fencing / boundary wall around the premises was not provided.

p) Adequate plantation of the premises was not provided.

q) Sign board display showing the name, address and capacity of the stone crusher industry was not provided.

r) That unit has not provided valid sources of raw material.

s) Industry is having one bore well in premises and permission from CGWA for withdrawal of ground water not provided.

8. And whereas, above stated violations of the provisions of the Air Act have been viewed seriously by the State Board.

9. And whereas, the State Board in order to prevent and control of Air pollution being caused by the industry, is competent to issue any direction under section 31 A of the Air Act in writing to any person, officer or authority and such person, officer or authority shall be bound to comply with such directions.

Therefore, in order to prevent and control of water & air pollution being caused by the industry and in interest of prevention of perpetual offence being committed by the industry, the State Board, in exercise of the powers conferred upon it, under the provisions of section 31A the Air Act, issues following directions:-

- A. You are directed to close down your industrial plant forthwith.
- B. District Collector, Chittorgarh to ensure closure of the industry.

C. AEN (O&M), AVVNL, Begun, District: Chittorgarh shall disconnect the electricity supply to the industry.

D. Regional Officer, Regional Office, Rajasthan State Pollution Control Board, Chittorgarh directed to seal the Diesel Generator Sets and such other equipments so as to affect complete closure of the industrial plant and send compliance report to the Head Office immediately.



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Please note that the non-compliance of the above directions is punishable under section 37 of the Air Act with imprisonment for a term which shall not be less than one year and six months but which may extend to six years and with fine.

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(Shailaja Deval)
Member Secretary

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Copy to following for information and necessary actions:-

1) The District Collector, Chittorgarh.

2) AEN (O&M), AVVNL, Begun, District: Chittorgarh.

3) Regional Officer, Regional Office, Rajasthan State Pollution Control Board, Chittorgarh.

4) Master file of Closure Directions of Stone Crusher, SCMG& DS, Rajasthan State Pollution Control Board, Jaipur.

Member Secretary