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Whereas, no activity having bearing on environment can be set up or put in operation, without the prior consent of the Pollution Control Committee, as warranted under Section 25/26 and Section 21 of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act 1974 and Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 respectively.

Whereas, Cold Storage is classified in Green category, for the purposes of obtaining of consent from the JK PCC, keeping in view the pollution potential of the unit.

Whereas, Mr. Fayaz Ahmad Mir set up and put in operation a cold store of ice cream/food items under the name and style of M/s Cooling Store at Babademb Road Fatheh Kadal, Srinagar has failed to obtain up to date consent as such is currently in operation in flagrant violation of the above stated laws viz consent of the J&K PCC, without adequate pollution control devices/ measures and that too at an objectionable site.

Whereas pressing complaints from local residents have been received against the operation of the unit in question which stand verified as genuine.

Whereas, the unit holder was accordingly served with repeated notices, particularly notice dated 15-10-2022, calling upon him there under to show reasons as to why legal action including closure of his unit be not taken.

Whereas, the unit holder has failed to show any tenable response to the notice, besides failing to take measures to meet the requirements of laws governing environmental protection

Whereas, Regional Director, Pollution Control Committee, Kashmir vide his letter No. PCC/ROK/LS/2022/251-52 dated 27-12-2022 has recommended closure of the unit.

Whereas, the units in question cannot be allowed to run un-authorisedly with above status and to the detriment of human health and environment.

Now, therefore, in exercise of powers vested in the J & K Pollution Control Committee under Section 33 (A) and Section 31 (A) of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 respectively, read with Section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1985 immediate closure of cold store of ice cream/food items of Mr. Fayaz Ahmad Mir under the name and style of M/s Cooling Store at Babademb Road Fatheh Kadal, Srinagar is hereby ordered and in this behalf the:-

- Deputy Commissioner/ District Magistrate, Srinagar is directed to get the cold store of ice i). cream/food items of Mr. Favaz Ahmad Mir under the name and style of M/s Cooling Store at Babademb Road Fatheh Kadal, Srinagar closed immediately.
- Executive Engineer, KPDCL, Electric Division Srinagar is directed to disconnect the electric ii). supply to the above said unit immediately.
- Director, Industries & Commerce Department, Kashmir is directed to deregister the unit. iii).
- Mr Fayaz Ahmad Mir Prop. M/s Cooling Store at Babademb Road Fatheh Kadal, Srinagar is iv). directed to cease the operation of the unit forthwith.

By order of the Competent Authority.

(K. Ramesh Kumar), II Member Secretary 🕞 JK PCC, Jammu/Kashmir

No.: PCC/LSK/ 70884494/231668-674

Dated:- 31 /10/2023

- Deputy Commissioner/ District Magistrate, Srinagar for information and necessaryaction, under i. intimation.
- Regional Director, PCC, Kashmir for information and follow up action ii.
- Chief Engineer Electric & Maintenance (PDD) Kashmir for information and necessaryaction, under iii. intimation.
- Director, Industries & Commerce Department Kashmir for information and necessaryaction iv.
- Executive Engineer, KPDCL, Electric Division Srinagar for information and compliance. v.
- Incharge web site Pollution Control Committee Jammu for uploading the closure order. vi.
- Mr Fayaz Ahmad Mir Prop. M/s Cooling Store at Babademb Road Fatheh Kadal, Srinagar for vii. compliance.