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Whereas, no activity having bearing on environment can be taken in hand without prior consent of the Pollution Control Committee, 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, **Brick Kiln** is categorized as **Orange Category** activity on the basis of pollution potential, for the purpose of seeking the consent from the JK PCC.

Whereas, Manzoor Ahmad has been set up and put it in operation a Brick Kiln under the namne and style of M/s Kohinoor Brick Kiln, Yarikalan, Chadoora-Budgam in violation of above stated laws without obtaining Consent from the J&K Pollution Control Committee that too bereft of adequate pollution control devices/ measures.

Whereas, the Regional Director, PCC Kashmir has recommended closure of the Brick Kiln vide his No. PCC/ROK/LS/23/894-96 dt 04-12-2023, as the brick kiln is operational without Pollution Control Devices/Measures and consent from the JK Pollution Control Committee.

Whereas, the unit in question cannot be allowed to run un-authorizedly with above status and to the determent of human health and environment.

Now, therefore, in exercise of powers vested in the J & K Pollution Control Committee under Section 31 (A) of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 and Section 33(A) of the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, read with Section 5 of Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, immediate closure of Brick Kiln of Manzoor Ahmad under the name and style of M/s Kohinoor Brick Kiln, Yarikalan, Chadoora -Budgam is hereby ordered and in this behalf the:-

- i). Deputy Commissioner/ District Magistrate, **Budgam** is directed to get the Brick Kiln of Manzoor Ahmad under the name and style of **M/s** Kohinoor Brick Kiln, Yarikalan, Chadoora -Budgam, closed immediately.
- ii). Director Industries & Commerce, Kashmir for deregistering the unit, if registered.
- iii). Mr. Manzoor Ahmad, Prop. M/s Kohinoor Brick Kiln, Yarikalan, Chadoora -Budgam is directed to cease the operation of the unit forthwith.

As approved by the Competent Authority.

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- i). Deputy Commissioner/ District Magistrate Budgam for information and necessary action, under intimation.
- ii). Regional Director, PCC, Kashmir for information and has reference to his letter No. PCC/ROK/LS/23/894-96 dt. 04-12-2023
- iii) Director Industries & Commerce, Kashmir for information and necessary action.
- iv). Divisional Officer, PCC Budgam for information, with the direction to pursue and get the closure order implemented through District Administration.
- v). In-Charge web site Pollution Control Committee, Jammu for uploading the closure order.
- vi). Mr. Masnzoor Ahmad Prop. M/s Kohinoor Brick Kiln, Yarikalan, Chadoora -Budgam for compliance.