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Order No.

: 22&JK PCC of 2024

Dated : Ø /02/2024

Whereas, Consent for Mining Activity was issued to M/s Khursheed Ahmad at C-Lassipora SIDCO Bridge Downstream Nallah Rambiara-District Pulwama, with some terms and conditions 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, **Mining Activity** is categorized as **Orange Category** activity on the basis of pollution potential, for the purpose of seeking the consent from the JK PCC.

Whereas, complaint against non compliance of Environmental Clearance conditions by the project proponent has been received.

Whereas, fresh inspection was carried out by the Divisional Officer, Pollution Control Committee Pulwama, reveal that the project proponent is violating the conditions of Environmental Clearance viz condition No. 53 by using heavy machinery with photographic evidence and Regional Director, Pollution Control Committee Kashmir vide letter No JKPCC/ROK/TO/2023/25-26 dt.25-01-2024 confirmed the report of Divisional Officer, PCC Pulwama and accordingly recommended for closure of the mining activity.

Whereas, the Mining Activity in question cannot be allowed to run 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 and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, immediate closure of Mining Activity under the name and style of M/s Khursheed Ahmad at C-Lassipora SIDCO Bridge Downstream Nallah Rambiara-District Pulwama is ordered and in this behalf, the following direction are hereby issued:-

- i). Deputy Commissioner/ District Magistrate, Pulwama is directed to get the Mining activity under the name and style of M/s Khursheed Ahmad at C-Lassipora SIDCO Bridge Downstream Nallah Rambiara-District Pulwama closed immediately.
- ii). Project proponent, M/s Khursheed Ahmad at C-Lassipora SIDCO Bridge Downstream Nallah Rambiara-District Pulwama, is directed to cease the operation of the Mining activity forthwith.

As approved by the Competent Authority.

(K Ramesh Kumar ,IFS Member Secretary JK PCC Jammu

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- i). Member Secretary, J&K Environment Impact Assessment Authority (EIAA), Transport Nagar, Gladni Jammu for information and necessary action.
- ii). Deputy Commissioner/ District Magistrate Pulwama for information and necessary action.
- iii) Director Geology & Mining Department, Kashmir for information and necessary action.
- iv). Regional Director, PCC, Kashmir for information and follow up action within for hight and has reference to his letter No. JKPCC/ROK/TO/2023/25-26 dt. 25-01-2024.
- v). Divisional Officer, PCC Pulwama for information, with the direction to follow up and get the closure order implemented through District Administration in letter sand sprit.
- vi). In-Charge web site Pollution Control Committee Jammu for uploading the closure order.
- vii). Prop, M/s Khursheed Ahmad at C-Lassipora SIDCO Bridge Downstream Nallah Rambiara-District Pulwama for compliance.