

Jammu and Kashmir Pollution Control Committee

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Order No: 71 PCC of 2024

Dated: 27 / 05/2024

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, manufacturing of **Hollow Block** is classified in **Green category**, for the purposes of obtaining of consent from the Committee, keeping in view the pollution potential of the unit

Whereas, **M/s Hallow Block unit of Aijaz Ahmad Wani at Laribal Naidkhai Bandipora** has been setup and put in operation in violation of the above stated laws, in residential area that too without having valid consent of the JK PCC.

Whereas, persistent complaints have been received against the unit from local residents through **LGs Grievance Cell Complaint No. 999004804925** which stand verified as genuine.

Whereas, the unit holder was accordingly served with repeated notices, particularly notice dated 12-03-2024 calling upon him there-under to show reasons as to why legal action including closure of his unit be not taken for violation of law.


Whereas, the unit holder has failed to show any response to the notices, besides failing to take measures to meet the requirements of laws governing environmental protection and Regional Director, PCC Kashmir has recommended closure of the unit vide his No. **PCC/ROK/LS/Cl0/46 dated 16-05-2024**.

Whereas, the unit in question, cannot be allowed to run un-authorizedly 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) of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and Section 31 (A) Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981**, read with **Section 5 of Environment (Protection) Act, 1986**, immediate of **M/s Hallow Block unit of Aijaz Ahmad Wani at Laribal Naidkhai Bandipora**, is hereby ordered and in this behalf the:-

- i). Deputy Commissioner/ District Magistrate, **Bandipora** is directed to get **M/s Hallow Block unit of Aijaz Ahmad Wani at Laribal Naidkhai Bandipora** closed immediately.
- ii). Exe. Engineer, (KPDCL) **Naidkhai** is directed to snap the electric supply to the above said units immediately.
- iii). Director, Industries & Commerce Department, **Kashmir** is directed to deregister the units.
- iv). Sh. Aijaz Ahmad Wani, Prop. **M/s Hallow Block unit at Laribal Naidkhai Bandipora** is directed to cease the operation of the unit forthwith.

By order of the Competent Authority.


(Ghansham Singh), JKAS
Member Secretary
JK PCC, Jammu

27.5.24

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- i. Deputy Commissioner/ District Magistrate, Bandipora for information and necessary action, under intimation.
- ii. Chief Engineer Electric & Maintenance (KPDCL) Kashmir for information and necessary action, under intimation.
- iii. Director, Industries & Commerce Department Kashmir for information and necessary action
- iv. Regional Director, PCC, Kashmir for information and follow up action.
- v. Incharge web site Pollution Control Committee Jammu for uploading the closure order.
- vi. Sh. Aijaz Ahmad Wani, Prop. **M/s Hallow Block unit at Laribal Naidkhai Bandipora** for compliance.