Jammu and Kashmir Pollution Control C

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Order No: 03 PCC of 2024 Dated: 30 /05/2024

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, Poultry Farm is categorized as Green Category activity on the basis of pollution potential, for the purposes of seeking the consent from the Board/Committee.

Whereas, M/s Sofi Poultries, Tengpora Batmaloo Srinagar has been set up and put in operation at objectionable site, in violation of above stated laws that too bereft of adequate pollution control devices/ measures.

Whereas, pressing complaints against the Poultry Farm have been received, which stand verified as genuine.

Whereas, the unit holder was accordingly served with repeated notices, particularly notice dated 06-06-2023, calling upon him there under to show reasons as to why legal action including closure of his unit be not taken for setting up the poultry farm without consent of the Board/Committee, that too at objectionable site.

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.

Whereas, the Regional Director, JK PCC (K) vide his letter No. PCC/ROK/LS/24/Clo/41 dated 07-05-2024 has recommended closure of the unit.

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, read with Section 5 of Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, immediate closure of M/s Sofi Poultries, Tengpora Batmaloo Srinagar is hereby ordered and in this behalf the:-

- i). Deputy Commissioner/ District Magistrate, Srinagar is directed to get M/s Sofi Poultries, Tengpora Batmaloo Srinagar closed immediately.
- ii). Executive Engineer, KPDCL, Batmaloo is directed to snap the electric supply to the above said unit immediately.
- iii). Director Animal Husbandry, Kashmir for deregistering the unit.
- Mehraj-u-din Sofi, Prop M/s Sofi Poultries, Tengpora Batmaloo Srinagar is directed to cease iv). the operation of the unit forthwith.

As approved by the Competent Authority.

No:- PCC/LSK/ /24/ 041 - 46 Dated: 2005/2024.

Copy to the:-

- Deputy Commissioner/ District Magistrate Srinagar for information and necessary action, under i). intimation.
- Regional Director, PCC, Kashmir for information and follow up action within fortnight. ii).
- iii). Chief Engg Electric Maintenance (PDD) Kashmir for information and necessary action, under intimation.
- iv). Director Animal Husbandry, Kashmir for information and necessary action.
- In-Charge web site Pollution Control Committee Jammu for uploading the closure order v).
- Mehraj-u-din Sofi Prop. M/s Sofi Poultries, Tengpora Batmaloo Srinagar for compliance. vi).

(Ghan Sham Singh),KAS Member Secretary 28.5.24 J&K PCC.