

## Jammu and Kashmir Pollution Control Committee

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**Subject: Closure of M/s Oriental Stone Crusher, Balicharana, Jammu**

Order No. : 145 JK PCC of 2024  
Dated : 5/08/2024

Whereas, stone crusher is categorized as **Orange Category** activity on the basis of pollution potential, for the purpose of seeking the consent from the JK Pollution Control Committee, and;

Whereas, Consent to Operate (Renewal) was granted to **M/s Oriental Stone Crusher, Balicharana, Jammu**, vide No. **PCC / digital / 23063820693 of 2023 dated 20-04-2023** with specific condition that the unit holder will submit the requisite documents from the Revenue Department as per Rule 10 of S.O. 60 of 2021 dated 23-02-2021 within a period of three months from the issuance of CTO(R) and;

Whereas, under Rule 10 of Jammu and Kashmir Stone Crushers/Hot and Wet Mixing Plants Regulation Rules, 2021 issued vide SO 60 of 2021 dated 23-02-2021, No Objection Certificate from the Deputy Commissioner concerned regarding title verification of land and its usage is a pre-requisite as one time requirement for renewal of Consent to Operate, and;

Whereas, **M/s Oriental Stone Crusher, Balicharana, Jammu**, has not applied for Renewal of Consent from the J&K Pollution Control Committee under section 25/26 of **Water** (Prevention and Control of Pollution) **Act, 1974** and **Section 21** of the **Air** (Prevention and Control of Pollution) **Act, 1981** respectively and also without *the; (i) NOC from the concerned Deputy Commissioner as required under S.O.60 of 2021 dt. 23-02-2021 (ii) license issued by the Mining Department under the provisions of J&K Minor Minerals Exploitation and Processing Rule,2017* and;

Whereas, **M/s Oriental Stone Crusher, Balicharana, Jammu**, cannot be permitted to operate without consent from the J&K Pollution Control Committee, in view of the facts and position explained above.



Now therefore, in exercise of powers vested with J & K Pollution Control Committee under Section 33 (A) of Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and Section 31 (A) of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, the following directions are hereby issued: -

- i. Deputy Commissioner/ District Magistrate, **Jammu** is directed to close down the stone crusher under the name and style of **M/s Oriental Stone Crusher, Balicharana, Jammu**, immediately.
- ii. Director Industries and Commerce, Jammu is directed to de-register the stone crusher, if registered.
- iii. Executive Engineer, (KPDCL) Electric Division, Jammu is directed to disconnect the electric supply to above said stone crusher.
- iv. Executive Engineer, **PHE, Jammu** is directed to disconnect the water supply to the above said stone crusher.
- v. **Mr. Lal Chasnd, Prop. M/s Oriental Stone Crusher, Balicharana, Jammu**, is directed to cease the operation of the stone crusher, forthwith.

**Issued with the Approval of Competent Authority.**

(Ghansham Singh), JKAS

Member Secretary

J&K PCC

No:- JK PCC/LSJ/7511880/ 024/547-57

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- i. Deputy Commissioner/ District Magistrate, **Jammu** for information and necessary action.
- ii. Director Industries and Commerce, **Jammu** for information and necessary action.
- iii. Regional Director, PCC, **Jammu** for information and follow up action within a fortnight.
- iv. Chief Engineer, Jammu Power Distribution Corporation Ltd. (JPDCL), Jammu for information and necessary action.
- v. Chief Engineer, PHE Jammu for information and necessary action.
- vi. Executive Engineer, (JPDCL) Electric Division, Jammu for information and necessary action.
- vii. Executive Engineer, PHE Division, Jammu for information and necessary action.
- viii. Divisional Officer, PCC, Jammu (South) for information and with the direction to follow up and get the closure order implemented through District Administration.
- ix. I/c website Pollution Control Committee **Jammu** for uploading the closure order
- x. **Mr. Lal Chand Prop. M/s Oriental Stone Crusher, Balicharana, Jammu**, for compliance.