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WEST BENGAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

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Memo No.: 1542

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Date: 05.2015

ORDER

01.06.2015

WHEREAS the West Bengal Pollution Control Board (hereinafter referred to as the 'State Board'), is executing different provisions of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 and the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 for prevention and control of pollution in the state of West Bengal.

AND WHEREAS as per the provisions of section 25 of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and Section 21 of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, any industry, operation or process or any treatment and disposal system or any extension or addition thereto, which is likely to generate sewage or trade effluent or emission within the state of West Bengal is required to obtain prior consent from the State Board before establishment and also before operation.

AND WHEREAS the Board had initiated receiving consent applications online since 2007 and processing the same through the Environmental Management Information System (EMIS) (<http://emis.wbpcb.gov.in/>) of the Board.

AND WHEREAS the Government of India, Department of Industrial Policy and Promotion, Ministry of Commerce & Industries, has laid emphasis on "Ease of Doing Business" for providing efficient, convenient, transparent and integrated electronic services to the applicants. Under the "Ease of Doing Business" one of the action points is to develop and implement Electronic Consent Management Systems for all environment / pollution related approvals with the objective of streamlining the procedures to obtain clearances by the applicants and to ensure speedy disposal of consent applications.

AND WHEREAS the Government of West Bengal has considered the above matter actively and directed the Department of Environment for immediate implementation of the same. The matter has also been considered and approved by the Board.

NOW THEREFORE in supersession of all previous orders in respect of receiving and processing of the consent applications in the state of West Bengal, the State Board in exercise of the powers conferred under the Sec. 64 of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 leading to the West Bengal Prevention and Control of Water Pollution (Form of Application for Consent of the State Board) Rules, 1999 and in exercise of powers conferred under Rule 2(1), 2(5) and 2(6) of the said Rules, is hereby adopting and implementing the **Online Consent Management** with effect from **01.06.2015**.

Under the **Online Consent Management**, all applicants (project proponent / entrepreneur / local body etc.) are required to file applications for consent and authorization (Consent for Establishment, Consent for Operation, Hazardous Waste Authorization, Bio-medical Waste Authorization, Municipal Solid Waste Authorization etc.) through the Board's EMIS.

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Further, the validity period of Consent to Operate is being hereby revised as follows :

| Sl. | Category | Existing Validity of Consent Period | Revised Validity of Consent Period |
|-----|----------|--|------------------------------------|
| 1 | Red | 1 year (1 st time consent) 2 years (Renewal) 3 years (ordinary red) | 3 years (all cases) |
| 2 | Orange | 4 years | 5 years |
| 3 | Green | 5 years | 7 years |

All applicants are required to apply for consent with full fees for the entire duration of validity.

The existing procedure of obtaining Consent for Establishment (CFE) for small scale Orange and Green category and Consent for Operation (CFO) for small scale Green category of industries shall continue to be dealt on-line by respective District Industry Centres under the Department of Micro & Small Scale Enterprises & Textiles, Government of West Bengal.

The brickfields and stone crushers who obtain consent from the Offices of District Land and Land Reforms Officer and the District Administration respectively are however exempt from filing online consent applications but shall obtain consent for revised validity periods as mentioned above.

Dr. Subrat Mukherjee
(Dr. Subrat Mukherjee)

Member Secretary
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Government of West Bengal
Labour Department

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No: Labr/ 72 /IT&EoDB
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Date: 16-05-17

NOTIFICATION

WHEREAS, the Government of West Bengal is committed towards creation of a environment conducive for investments and generation of employment,

and;

WHEREAS, the Labour Department, West Bengal has launched a number of online services under Business Reforms Action Plan – 2016 for better delivery of services,

and;

WHEREAS, the Labour Department is committed to ensure that applications under all Labour Acts related to registrations and renewals are submitted online only, thereby eliminating the process of application and/or processing and/or payments.

NOW, therefore, after careful consideration it has been decided that services given in Annexure-I will be delivered exclusively online with effect from 30th May, 2017.

AND therefore, the Governor is pleased to eliminate in entirety the process of physically submitting application and/or processing and/or payments related to these services. All services which would be transacted through online mode are in Annexure-I which are subject to be updated from time to time by the Labour Department.

All concerned are being informed accordingly

By order of the Governor,

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GOPAL KRISHNA, IAS
Additional Chief Secretary
to the Government of West Bengal

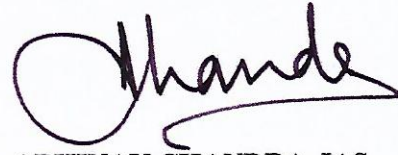
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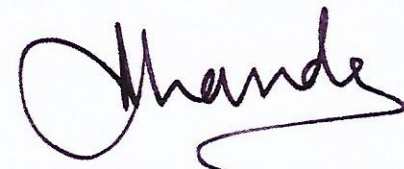

ABHINAV CHANDRA, IAS
Secretary

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1. The Labour Commissioner, West Bengal
2. The Chief Inspector of Factories, West Bengal
3. The Director of Boilers, West Bengal


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Secretary

ANNEXURE – I

(Notified vide Labour Department Notification No: _____ dated _____)

LIST OF SERVICES TO BE DELIVERED EXCLUSIVELY ONLINE

(with effect from 30th May, 2017)

| SL NO | NAME OF THE SERVICES |
|-------|--|
| 1. | Issuance of new License for contractors under the Contract Labour (Regulation and Abolition) Act, 1970 and rules framed thereunder. |
| 2. | New registration under The West Bengal Shops and Establishment Act, 1963 and rules framed thereunder. |
| 3. | New registration of Principal Employer and amendment thereof under The Contract Labour (Regulation and Abolition) Act, 1970 and rules framed thereunder. |
| 4. | New registration under the Building and Other Construction Workers (Regulation of Employment and Conditions of Service) Act, 1996 and rules framed thereunder. |
| 5. | Renewal of license for Contractors under the Contract Labour (Regulation and Abolition) Act, 1970 and rules framed thereunder. |
| 6. | Registration & Grant of Licence under Factories Act, 1948 and rules framed thereunder. |
| 7. | Renewal of Licence under Factories Act, 1948 and rules framed thereunder. |
| 8. | Registration of Boiler and Economiser under the Indian Boilers Act, 1923 and rules framed thereunder. |
| 9. | Renewal of Boiler and Economiser under the Indian Boilers Act, 1923 and rules framed thereunder. |