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Dt. 31.03.2020

OFFICE ORDER

EXTENSION OF VALIDITY PERIOD OF CONSENT TO OPERATE / AUTHORIZATION

EXPIRING ON 31.03.2020 TILL 30.06.2020- REGARDING

Consequent upon the outbreak of Corona Virus (COVID-19) and subsequent declaration of lockdown to take preventive measures to contain spread of COVID-19, it has not been possible to process some applications for renewal of consent to operate and authorization expiring on 31.03.2020. Due to such unprecedented situation, it is extremely important that critical and essential activities such as Hospitals, Biomedical Waste Management facilities, Municipal Waste Management Facilities, Hazardous Waste Management Facilities, Power Plants, Steel Plants, Mines, Railway sidings, Milk processing units, food processing units, pharmaceutical units etc operate uninterruptedly, so that essential services and goods are made available.

In view of such extraordinary circumstances, the Board by virtue of powers u/s 25 of Water (PCP) Act, 1974 and section 21 of Air (PCP) Act, 1981 hereby extends the validity of Consent to Operate upto 30th June, 2020 of all the units, who have valid consent to operate up to 31st March, 2020, and have applied to the Board for renewal of Consent to Operate.

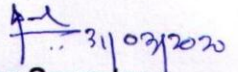
Similarly the units/ facilities who are authorized by the Board under;

- i. Hazardous and other Waste (management & Transboundary Movement) Rule 2016.
- ii. Bio-Medical Waste Management Rules, 2016
- iii. Solid Waste Management Rules, 2016

and the authorization is valid upto 31.3.2020, the authorizations granted under the above Rules are hereby extended upto 30.6.2020. This order is applicable to those units whose renewal application are yet to be disposed of by this Board.

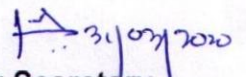
This extension of validity up to 30th June, 2020 is subject to same terms and conditions stipulated in the previous Consent to Operate Orders/ Authorizations issued by the Board and availability of other statutory clearances.

By order of Chairman


31/03/2020
Member Secretary

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31/03/2020
Member Secretary

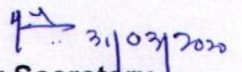
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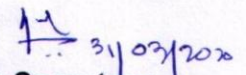
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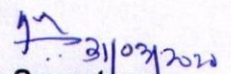
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Member Secretary

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Member Secretary