



DELHI POLLUTION CONTROL COMMITTEE
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT
(GOVT. OF NCT OF DELHI)
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SHASTRI PARK, DELHI-53
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DPCC/(10)(02)(03)/Leg-25/5284

Date: 28/03/2025

To,

Gupta Farm House

(A unit of Usha Engineering Agencies LLP),
 BJF-54, Main Brijwasan Road,
 Village Brijwasan, New Delhi-110061.

Subject :- Show Cause Notice for imposition of Environmental Compensation.

Whereas, Central Pollution Control Board has delegated all its powers and functions under the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 and Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, as amended to date, in respect of Union Territory of Delhi to Delhi Pollution Control Committee (DPCC) vide Notification dated 15.03.1991.

And whereas, the whole Union Territory of Delhi has been declared as an Air Pollution Control area, under sub section (1) of section 19 of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, as amended to date, vide Notification of Ministry of Environment & Forest, Govt. of India, No. GSR 106 (E) Dated 20.02.1987.

And whereas, as per the mandatory provisions u/s 21 of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, no person without the previous consent of the State Pollution Control Board (DPCC in case of Delhi) shall establish or operate any industrial plant in an Air Pollution Control Area.

And whereas, as per the mandatory provisions u/s 25/26 of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, no person without the previous consent of DPCC shall Establish or take any steps to establish any industry, operation or process or any treatment and disposal system or any extension or addition thereto, which is likely to discharge sewage or trade effluent into a stream or well or sewer or on land, bring into use any new or altered outlet for the discharge of sewage or begin to make any new discharge of sewage.

And whereas, inspection of **Gupta Farm House (A unit of Usha Engineering Agencies LLP), BJT-54, Main Brijwasan Road, Village Brijwasan, New Delhi-110061** (hereinafter referred as "Addressee") was carried out by officials of DPCC on 28.02.2025 and found engaged in the running of Banquet Hall/Party Lawn. The observations made during the inspection are as under:

- 1) Unit has installed Sewage treatment plant but the same was not operational as its treatment units not found in operational conditions, No wet/dry sludge observed in sludge drying pits. Waste water was discharged into the ground through pipe. Blackish water observed in the Clear water tank indicating non-treatment of waste water through STP.
- 2) Compliance wrt Rule 4 of SWM Rules, 2016 not observed in the unit. No segregation of Biodegradable, Non-biodegradable waste and domestic hazardous waste in separate bins observed at the time of inspection.
- 3) Total 6 Diesel generator sets observed in the premises, 380 KVA(02No.), 250 KVA(01 No.), 225 KVA(01No.), 125KVA(01No) and 62.5 KVA(01No.) and found non-compliant w.r.t CAQM directions. However, in CTO unit has claimed zero DG sets.
- 4) Unit informed that there is one bore-well in the premises. No permission provided for using it for commercial purposes.

Now therefore, in view of the above, it is proposed to levy Environmental Compensation of **Rs 3,75,000/-** (Rupees Three lakhs seventy Five Thousand Only) for causing damage to the environment by way of discharge of wastewater without requisite treatment.

Hence, by way of this notice, the addressee unit is hereby given an opportunity to submit reply as to why the aforesaid proposed Environmental Compensation of **Rs 3,75,000/-** (Rupees Three lakhs Seventy Five Thousand Only) should not be confirmed. The reply should reach to this office within 15 days from date of service of this notice, failing which it shall be assumed that you have nothing to say in this regard and the DPCC shall be free to take action as proposed above. This shall also be treated as an opportunity of being heard.

This issues as per the approval of Chairman, DPCC.



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