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## BIHAR STATE POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

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Ref. No .:

Patna, dated:-

## From:

Ashok Kumar Ghosh, Chairman.

To

M/s. Maa Bricks, Sri Ram Pravesh Roy, S/o Sri Kaleshwar Roy, At + P.O. – Simariya, P.S. – Barauni, District – Begusarai – 848118

## Proposed Direction for Closure under section 31A of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981.

- 1. WHEREAS, the State Government has declared the entire State of Bihar as "Air-Pollution-Control-Area" under the provisions of Section 19 of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981.
- 2. WHEREAS, operation of brick kiln in 'Air Pollution Control Area' without obtaining the 'Consent-to-Establish' (CTE) & 'Consent-to-Operate' (CTO) from the Board under the relevant provisions of the Air Act, 1981 is illegal.
- 3. WHEREAS, your brick kiln was inspected on 22.02.2019 by the officers of the Board in presence of proprietor/partner Shri Ram Pravesh Roy and it was found that your brick-kiln was operational without obtaining 'Consent-to-Operate' (CTO) from the Board which is mandatory under section 21 of the Air Act, 1981 and, therefore, you have wilfully violated the provisions of law and operation of your brick kiln is illegal.

4. WHEREAS, your application no. 2255785 dated 10.01.2019 for CTE has been rejected vide Regional Office's letter no.475, dated 01.04.2019 due to lack of environmental clearance.

AND THEREFORE, taking into consideration all material facts including environmental concerns, in exercise of power vested under section 31A of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act 1981 notice is served herewith to show-cause as to why the brick-kiln should not be closed down until CTE & CTO are obtained from the Board.

You are hereby given an opportunity to file your objection, if any, to the above proposed direction within 15 days from the receipt of this notice, failing which, appropriate action shall be taken against the unit without giving any further notice, in accordance with the provisions of Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, which may extend to be for the closure of your brick-kiln and institution of a complaint case against you.

Sd/-(Ashok Kumar Ghosh) Chairman

Memo No. 6/2\_\_\_\_\_

Dated. 29.4.19.....

Copy to: R.O., Barauni/ Legal Cell for information and necessary action.

Ashok Kumar Ghosh)

Chairman

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