

Punjab Pollution Control Board,

Annexure-5

Vatavaran Bhawan, Nabha Road, Patiala.

No. Admn./SA-2/E.No.563/2010/06

Dated 22/10/2009

OFFICE ORDER

The sub section 2 of section 25 of the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 states that every industry covered under the said Act, is required to file an application for 'consent to establish / operate' as required under sub section 1 of section 25 of the said Act alongwith such fee prescribed by the Board. There is similar provision for obtaining 'consent to establish / operate' under sub section 2 of section 21 of the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, also Punjab Pollution Control Board is charging the application fee for processing the consent applications filed by the industries and other establishments for 'consent to establish' and 'consent to operate' which was prescribed by the Board since its inception in 1975.

Keeping in view the changing financial scenario, increase in the expenditure of the Board and the Board is in the process of introducing a new category namely orange category, it has been felt necessary to go in for a revision of the 'consent to establish' and 'consent to operate' fees for the processing of the application etc. Accordingly, the matter for 'consent to establish / operate' fee was placed before the Board in its 144th meeting held on 20/8/2009 and accorded its sanction.

In pursuance of the decision taken by the Board in its 144th meeting held on 20/08/2009, the 'consent to establish' and 'consent to operate' fees for the processing of application under the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 etc. will now be charged as under:

#	Capital Investment	Application fee to be charged for obtaining consent to establish (NOC) / consent to operate for per year (Red category) (Rs.)	Application fee to be charged for obtaining consent to establish (NOC) / consent to operate for per year (Orange category) (Rs.)	Application fee to be charged for obtaining consent to establish (NOC) / consent to operate for per year (Green category) (Rs.)
1.	Upto 5 Lacs	750	500	500
2.	5 to 10 Lacs	1,000	750	625
3.	10 to 25 Lacs	1,500	1,250	1,000
4.	25 to 50 Lacs	2,500	2,000	1,500
5.	50 to 75 Lacs	3,750	2,500	2,000
6.	75 to less than 1 Crore	5,000	4,000	3,000

1	1 to 2 Crores	7,500	6,000	4,500
2	2 to 5 Crores	10,000	7,500	6,000
3	5 to 10 Crores	15,000	12,500	7,500
10.	10 to 15 Crores	25,000	15,000	10,000
11.	15 to 20 Crores	30,000	17,500	12,500
12.	20 to 25 Crores	35,000	20,000	15,000
13.	25 to 30 Crores	40,000	25,000	17,500
14.	30 to 40 Crores	45,000	30,000	20,000
15.	40 to 50 Crores	50,000	40,000	30,000
16.	50 to 75 Crores	60,000	50,000	40,000
17.	75 to 100 Crores	75,000	60,000	50,000
18.	100 to 150 Crores	10,0000	75,000	60,000
19.	150 to 200 Crores	1,50,000	1,00,000	75,000
20.	200 to 300 Crores	2,00,000	1,50,000	1,00,000
21.	300 to 400 Crores	2,50,000	2,00,000	1,50,000
22.	400 to 500 Crores	3,00,000	2,50,000	2,00,000
23.	500 to 1000 Crores	4,00,000	3,00,000	2,50,000
24.	1000 to 2000 Crores	5,00,000	4,00,000	3,00,000
25.	2000 to 5000 Crores	10,00,000	7,50,000	5,00,000
26.	5000 Crores and above	20,00,000	15,00,000	10,00,000

Note:

1. Separate consent fee shall be charged for obtaining 'consent to operate' as required under the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981.
2. For grant of 'consent to operate' as required under the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 more than one year under any category i.e. Red / Orange / Green, the consent fee will be charged on yearly basis and for a fraction of the year, the consent fee will be charged for full year.
3. For extension in the validity of 'consent to establish', only 50% of the normal fee applicable for one year will be charged for extension fee for a period of one year or for a fraction of the year.
4. This order supercedes the earlier orders issued by the Board in this regard from time to time.
5. This order will be applicable with immediate effect.

Sd/-

Chairman

Endst. No. Admn./SA-2/F.No.563/2010/6261-305

Dated 22/10/2009

A copy of the above is forwarded to the following for information and necessary action:

1. The Senior Environmental Engineer (HQ), Punjab Pollution Control Board, Patiala.
2. The Senior Environmental Engineer (EPA/Computers), Punjab Pollution Control Board, Patiala.
3. The Senior Environmental Engineer, Punjab Pollution Control Board, Zonal Office-I/II, Patiala / Ludhiana / Jalandhar (HQ at Patiala).
4. The Deputy Secretary (G&P), Punjab Pollution Control Board, Camp Office, Mohali.
5. The Environmental Engineer, Punjab Pollution Control Board, Regional Office, Patiala / Ludhiana-I/II/III/ Jalandhar / Amritsar / Hoshiarpur / Batala / Sangrur / Bathinda / Faridkot and Nodal Office, Mohali.

The Environmental Engineer (P-I/J/L)/CSA/Const./HWM, Punjab Pollution Control Board, Patiala.

The Deputy Controller (F&A), Punjab Pollution Control Board, Patiala.

8. The Law Officer/ All Assistant Environmental Engineers of the Board / Asstt. Administrative Officer/Public Relations Officer/ PS to Chairman/PA to Member Secretary, Punjab Pollution Control Board, Patiala.

**Sd/-
Member Secretary**

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