# F. No. J-11011/381/2014-IA II (I)

Government of India
Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change
(Impact Assessment Division)

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Dated: 23rd February, 2021

To

Shri. Rajiv Bhatnagar, Executive Director-Projects,

M/s. ArcelorMittal Nippon Steel India Limited,

Village: Hazira, Taluka: Choryasi District: Surat, Gujarat-394270. E-mail: dr.anil.jain@amns.in

Subject: Change of company name in the Environment Clearance titled "Replacement of existing Hot Briquetted Iron (HBI)/Direct Reduced Iron (DRI) Modules I to [IV with Blast Furnace and associated facilities like Sinter Plant, Coke Oven Plant and existing Electric Arc Furnace (EAF) facility with Basic Oxygen Furnace (BOF) facility in the existing integrated steel plant of M/s. Essar Steel India Limited located in Hazira Notified industrial area, Village Hazira, Tehsil Choryasi, District Surat, Gujarat" from M/s. Essar Steel India Limited to M/s. ArcelorMittal Nippon Steel India Limited – regarding.

Ref.

: (i) MoEF&CC letter No. J-11011/381/2014-IA II (I) dated 09/03/2016

(ii) Online proposal no. IA/GJ/IND/179435/2020 dated 04/12/2020

Sir,

- Reference is invited to your online proposal no. IA/GJ/IND/179435/2020 dated 04/12/2020 requesting to transfer the Environment Clearance accorded by MoEF&CC vide letter no. J-11011/381/2014-IA II (I) dated 09/03/2016 from M/s. Essar Steel India Limited to M/s. ArcelorMittal Nippon Steel India Limited.
- 2. The Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (MoEF&CC) has examined the request submitted by you. It is noted that the acquisition of M/s. Essar Steel India Limited by M/s. ArcelorMittal Nippon Steel India Limited was happened through Corporate Insolvency and Resolution Process.
- 3. It is also noted that following documents have been submitted for change of company name in the Environmental Clearance:
  - A. Documents submitted for EC transfer:
    - i. Form No.7 for transfer of Environmental Clearance.
    - ii. Authorization letter enabling Shri. Rajiv Bhatnagar, Executive Director-Projects to correspond and execute documents with MoEF&CC.

Change of company name in the Environment Clearance titled "Replacement of existing Hot Briquetted Iron (HBI) Direct Reduced Iron (DRI) Modules I to [IV with Blast Furnace and associated facilities like Sinter Plant, Coke Oven Plant and existing Electric Are Furnace (EAF) facility with Basic Oxygen Furnace (BOF) facility in the existing integrated steel plant of M s. Essar Steel India Limited located in Hazira Notified industrial area, Village Hazira, Tehsil Choryasi, District Surat, Guigarat" from M s. Essar Steel India Limited to M s. Arcelor/Mittal Nippon Steel India Limited.

- iii. NOC from M/s. Essar Steel India Limited stating that they have no issues or objection on change of their unit's name form from M/s. Essar Steel India Limited to M/s. ArcelorMittal Nippon Steel India Limited.
- iv. Undertaking by way of Affidavit dated 15/09/2020 and registered on 23/09/2020 of M/s. ArcelorMittal Nippon Steel India Limited in a non-judicial stamp stating that they will abide by and comply with all the conditions/environmental safeguards stipulated in the Environment Clearance dated 09/03/2016.
- v. Hon'ble Supreme Court Order dated 15th November, 2019 regarding CIRP.
- vi. Memorandum and Articles of Association of M/s. ArcelorMittal Nippon Steel India Limited.
- vii. Certificate of incorporation pursuant to change of name issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs to M/s. ArcelorMittal Nippon Steel India Limited on 08/01/2020.
- 4. As per the para 11 of EIA notification 2006, a prior environmental clearance granted for a specific project or activity to an applicant may be **transferred during its validity** to another legal person entitled to undertake the project or activity on application by the transferor, or by the transferee with a written "no objection" by the transferor to and by the regulatory authority concerned, on the same terms and conditions under which the prior environmental clearance was initially granted, and for the same validity period. No reference to the Expert Appraisal Committee or State Level Expert Appraisal Committee concerned is necessary in such cases.
- 5. This Ministry hereby accepted the request for transfer of Environment Clearance accorded vide letter no J-11011/381/2014-IA II (I) dated 09/03/2016 from M/s. Essar Steel India Limited to M/s. ArcelorMittal Nippon Steel India Limited subject to satisfactory compliance to all the stipulated specific and general conditions. You are also requested to obtain 'Consent to Establish' and 'Consent to Operate' from the Gujarat Pollution Control Board in the name of M/s. ArcelorMittal Nippon Steel India Limited.
- 6. M/s. ArcelorMittal Nippon Steel India Limited shall comply with the all specific and general conditions stipulated in the Environment Clearance letter dated 09/03/2016.
- 7. In case, there is a change in the scope of the project, fresh Environment Clearance shall be obtained.
- 8. This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

Yours faithfully,

(Sundar Ramanathan

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#### Copy to:-

- 1. Secretary, Department of Environment, Government of Gujarat, Secretariat Gandhinagar.
- Regional Officer, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Regional Office (WZ), E-5, Kendriya Paryavaran Bhawan, E-5 Arera Colony, Link Road-3, Ravishankar Nagar, Bhopal-462016
- 3. Chairman, Central Pollution Control Board, Parivesh Bhawan, CBD-cum-Office Complex, East Arjun Nagar, Delhi-110032.
- 4. Chairman, Gujarat Pollution Control Board, Paryavaran Bhavan, Sector-10A, Gandhinagar-382010.
- 5. Member Secretary, Central Ground Water Authority, West Block –II, Wing -3, Sector I, R.K.Puram, New Delhi 110086.
- 6. District Collector, Surat District, State of Gujarat.
- 7. Guard File / Record file / Monitoring file.
- 8. MOEF&CC Website.

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Dated: 8th March, 2016

То

M/s. Essar Steel India Limited Hazira industrial area, Village Hazira, Tehsil Choryasi, District Surat, Gujarat-394270

Subject: Replacement of existing Hot Briquetted Iron (HBI)/Direct Reduced Iron (DRI) Modules I to IV with Blast Furnace and associated facilities like Sinter Plant, Coke Oven Plant and existing Electric Arc Furnace (EAF) facility with Basic Oxygen Furnace (BOF) facility in the existing integrated steel plant of M/s. Essar Steel India Limited located in Hazira Notified industrial area, Village Hazira, Tehsil Choryasi, District Surat, Gujarat - Environment Clearance regarding.

Sir,

This has reference to your online application no. IA/GJ/IND/28742/2014 dated 25<sup>th</sup> June, 2015 along with copies of EIA/EMP report seeking Environment Clearance under the provisions of the EIA Notification, 2006 for the project mentioned above and subsequent letter No. ESTIL/ENV/JP/EC/11-15 dated 9<sup>th</sup> November, 2015. The ToRs to the project was awarded by Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change vide letter No. J-11011/381/2014-IA.II (I) dated 12<sup>th</sup> February, 2015 for preparation of EIA/EMP report.

- 2.0 Based on the TORs prescribed to the project; the project proponent submitted an application for environmental clearance to the Ministry online on 02.08.2015. The project was appraised by the Expert Appraisal Committee (Industry) during its meeting held on 03.09.2015 and desired to revise the EIA & EMP report. The revised EIA & EMP report was received by the Ministry on 09.11.2015.
- 3.0 The proposal is for replacement of existing Hot Briquetted Iron (HBI)/Direct Reduced Iron (DRI) Modules I to IV with Blast Furnace and associated facilities like Sinter Plant, Coke Oven Plant and existing Electric Arc Furnace (EAF) facility with Basic Oxygen Furnace (BOF) facility. Details of existing and proposed configuration, production facilities and products are as follows.

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No.	Name of Production Unit/Products	Unit		Capacity	Status of Existing			
			Existing	Proposed	Total	Units		
1.	HBI Plant (DRI Mod. I to VI)	MTP A	7.83	-4.0	3.83	Only Mod V & VI are in operation.		
2.	Blast Furnace	MTP	2.04	3	5.04	In operation		
3.	Sinter Plant	MTP A	1.48	7	8.48	In operation		
4.	Coke Oven (Recovery Type)							
	Gross Coke	MTPA	1.2	1.35	2.55	Under		
	Crude tar (by-product)	TPA	52,200	63,000	1,15,200	construction.		
	Sulphur (by-product)	TPA	1,700	1,980	3,680			
	Crude Benzol (by-product)	TPA	0	18,243	18,243			
	Naphthalene	TPA	130	0	130			
5.	Air Separation							
	Oxygen Gaseous		3,60,544	64,200	4,24,744	In operation		
	Oxygen liquid	Nm <sup>3</sup> /hr	2,950	500	3,450			
	Nitrogen	Nm <sup>2</sup> /hr	1,19,944	25,700	1,45,644	1		
	Argon		3,470	1,500	4,970			
6.	Steel Melt Shop-1( EAF) (4 Nos)	MTP A	4.6	- 4.6	0	In operation (Partial)		
7.	Basic Oxygen Furnace (BoF) (3 Nos)	MTP A	0	4.6	4.6	Proposed		
8.	Steel Melt Shop-2 (4 EAF & 4 LF)	MTP A	5.0	0	5.0	In operation		
9.	Corex Plant (2 Nos)	MTP A	1.7	0	1.7	In operation		
10.	Lime Plant (Lime /Dolime)	MTP A	0.93	0	0.93	In operation		
11.	CPP	MW	31	0	31	In operation (Partial)		
		MW	48	0	48	Not yet established		
		MW	525	0	525	Not in operation		
12.	Plate Mill	MTP A	1.5	0	1.5	In operation		
13.	Pellet plant	MTP A	4.0	0	4.0	Not yet established		

No.	Name of Production Unit/Products	Unit	Capacity			Status of Existing		
			Existing	Proposed	Total	Units		
14.	CSP, Hot Rolling Mill & Long Product - HRC	MTP A	3.5	0	3.5	In operation		
	Rebar		1.6	0	1.6	Not yet		
	Wire Rod		0.7	0	0.7	established		
15.	Caster Shop							
	Slabs from slab caster		4.9	0	4.9	In operation		
8	Billets from Billet caster	МТРА	2.37	0	2.37	Not yet established		
16.	CRM							
	Hot Rolled Pickled Coils/Sheets		1.5	. 0	1.5	In operation		
	CR Coils/Sheets	1, ,,,	1.3	0	1.3	-		
	Galvanized Coils/Sheets	MTPA	0.65	0	0.65	26.		
	Coated Sheets/Coils		0.1	0	0.1			
17.	Extension of Existing Jetty	Mete rs	734	0	734	In operation		
18.	Waste Heat Recovery Based Power Plant	MW	25	20	45	In operation		
19.	Pipe Mill							
	H Saw Pipes	MTPA	0.15	0	0.15	In operation		
	L Saw Pipes	MTPA	0.33	0	0.33	in operation		

- 4.0 The total land required for the project is 50.163 ha. The proposed replacement will be carried out in the existing units after dismantling and at other vacant areas. No additional land will be acquired. No forest land involved. The topography of the area is flat and reported to lies between 21° 6'15.07" to 21° 7'26.78" N Latitude and 72° 38'28.24" to 72° 39'1.29" E Longitude in Survey of India topo sheet No. F43M12, at an elevation of 9 m AMSL. The Tapi River passes adjacent to the project area. It has been reported that no modification/diversion in the existing natural drainage pattern at any stage has not been proposed. It has been reported that Dumas Reserved Forest is located towards south-east direction of the project.
- 5.0 The targeted production capacity of the plant will not be increased and remained 9.6 million TPA. The ore in the form of DR and BF Grade Pellets for the plant would be procured from Essar's Pelletization plant located at Visakhapatnam & Paradeep, Calibrated Lump Ore would be procured from NMDC mines in Kirandul, District Dantewada, Chhattisgarh and Oxide Fines would be procured from Goa, Orissa and NMDC mines in Kirandul. The ore transportation will be done through sea route. The details of raw material is as under:

No.	Name of Raw	Requireme	nt (MTPA	)		Mode of
	Material	Existing Proposed Total		Total	Source	Transpor- tation
1	DR Grade Pellets	83,91,000	44,03,000	39,88,000	Essar's Pelletization	
2	BF Grade Pellets	45,00,000	1,72,000	46,72,000	Plant located at Visakhapatnam & Paradeep	Sea Route
3	Calibrated Lump Ore	21,65,000	11,47,000	10,18,000	NMDC mines in Kirandul, Dist Dantewada, CG.	Sea Route
4	Oxide Fines	6,12,000	52,18,000	58,30,000	Goa, Orissa, NMDC mines in Kirandul	Sea Route
	Total Iron Bearing material	1,56,68,000	-1,60,000	1,55,08,000	-	<b>-</b>

- 6.0 The ground water table reported to ranges between 0.80 m to 9 m below the land surface during the post-monsoon season and 2 m to 6 m below the land surface during the pre-monsoon season. Water for the project is/will be sourced from Tapi River at Variav, 31 km upstream from Hazira.
- 7.0 The water requirement of the project is estimated as 1,375 m³/hr, while total water requirement for the facilities/unit to be dismantled (HBI / DRI Modules I to IV and EAF 4 nos.) is around 1,400 m³/hr. Total water requirement of complex will be 8,499 m³/hr. Entire water is being sourced from existing water source i.e. Tapi River at Variav, 31 km upstream from Hazira. The power requirement of the project is estimated as 101MW. Total power for the facilities/unit to be dismantled (HBI/DRI Modules I to IV and EAFs 4 nos.) is around 330 MW. Total power requirement of complex will be 623 MW. Power is being sourced from 400 KV transmission tower line.
- 8.0 Solid waste to the tune of 85,21,352 MTPA will be generated due to the project, out of which 38,50,852 MTPA will be used as raw material within steel complex, 15,52,000 MTPA will be used for land filling and road construction, 23,52,000 will be sent to cement plant and 7,66,500 MTPA will be sold to authorized party. It has been informed that 49,247 MTPA of hazardous waste will be generated due to the project, out of which 17,600 MTPA will be used in sinter plant as iron bearing material by the way of micro pellets or disposal at GPCB approved TSDF site, 3,079 MTPA will be sold to registered re-refiners, 15,090 nos./MTPA will be sent to authorised recyclers/reprocessors, 11,138 MTPA will be disposed at GPCB approved CHWIF and 2,340 MTPA will be Sold to authorized recyclers. It has been reported that an area of 159 ha is already developed as green belt and envisaged

additional 93 ha to be developed as green belt around the project site to attenuate the noise levels and trap the dust generated due to the project development activities.

- 10.0 The Public hearing is exempted for the proposed project as it is located within the notified Hazira industrial area.
- 9.0 The capital cost of the project is Rs. 8,097 Crores and the capital cost for environmental protection measures is proposed as Rs. 1,543 Crores. The annual recurring cost towards the environmental protection measures is proposed as Rs. 185.85 Crores. The proponent has mentioned that there is no court case to the project or related activity.
- 10.0 The matter was considered by the Expert Appraisal Committee (Industry-I) in its 2<sup>nd</sup> meeting held on 28<sup>th</sup> -30<sup>th</sup> December, 2015. After detailed deliberations, the EAC (I) recommended the project for Environmental Clearance and stipulated Specific Conditions along with other environmental conditions while considering for accord of Environmental Clearance.
- 11.0 The Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change has considered the application based on the recommendations of the Expert Appraisal Committee (Industry-I) and hereby decided to grant Environmental Clearance to the above mentioned proposal of Replacement of existing Hot Briquetted Iron (HBI)/Direct Reduced Iron (DRI) Modules I to IV with Blast Furnace and associated facilities like Sinter Plant, Coke Oven Plant and existing Electric Arc Furnace (EAF) facility with Basic Oxygen Furnace (BOF) facility in the existing integrated steel plant of M/s. Essar Steel India Limited under the provision of EIA Notification dated 14<sup>th</sup> September, 2006, as amended, subject to strict compliance of the following Specific and General conditions:

## A. SPECIFIC CONDITION:

- The project proponent shall install 24x7 air monitoring devices to monitor air emissions, as provided by the CPCB and submit report to Ministry and its Regional Office.
- ii. Continuous stack monitoring facilities for all the stacks shall be provided and sufficient air pollution control devices viz. Electrostatic precipitator (ESP), bag house, bag filters etc. shall be provided to keep the emission levels below 50 mg/Nm<sup>3</sup> and installing energy efficient technology.
- iii. Efforts shall further be made to use maximum water from the rain water harvesting sources. Use of air cooled condensers shall be explored and closed circuit cooling system shall be provided to reduce water consumption and water requirement shall be modified accordingly. All the effluent should be treated and used for ash handling, dust suppression and green belt development.
- iv. All the coal fines and char shall be utilized within the plant and no char shall be used for briquette making or disposed off anywhere else. Scrap shall be used in steel melting shop (SMS) and SMS slag and kiln accretions shall be properly utilized. All the other solid waste including broken refractory mass shall be properly disposed off in environment-friendly manner.

- v. All internal roads shall be black topped. The roads shall be regularly cleaned with mechanical sweepers. A 3-tier avenue plantation using native species shall be developed along the roads. Facilities for parking of trucks carrying raw coal from the linked coalmines shall be created within the Unit.
- vi. The Standards issued by the Ministry vide G.S.R. No. 277(E) dated 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2012 regarding integrated iron and steel plant shall be followed.
- vii. The National Ambient Air Quality Emission Standards issued by the Ministry vide G.S.R. No. 826(E) dated 16<sup>th</sup> November, 2009 shall be followed.
- viii. Gaseous emission levels including secondary fugitive emissions from all the sources shall be controlled within the latest permissible limits issued by the Ministry vide G.S.R. 414(E) dated 30<sup>th</sup> May, 2008 and regularly monitored. Guidelines / Code of Practice issued by the CPCB shall be followed.
- ix. Vehicular pollution due to transportation of raw material and finished product shall be controlled. Proper arrangements shall also be made to control dust emissions during loading and unloading of the raw material and finished product.
- x. 'Zero' effluent discharge shall be strictly followed and no wastewater shall be discharged outside the premises.
- xi. Regular monitoring of influent and effluent surface, sub-surface and ground water shall be ensured and treated wastewater shall meet the norms prescribed by the State Pollution Control Board or described under the E(P) Act whichever are more stringent.
- xii. Proper handling, storage, utilization and disposal of all the solid waste shall be ensured and regular report regarding toxic metal content in the waste material and its composition, end use of solid/hazardous waste shall be submitted to the Ministry's Regional Office, SPCB and CPCB.
- xiii. A time bound action plan shall be submitted to reduce solid waste generated due to the project related activities, its proper utilization and disposal.
- xiv. Proper utilization of fly ash shall be ensured as per Fly Ash Notification, 1999 and subsequent amendment in 2003 and 2009. All the fly ash shall be provided to cement and brick manufacturers for further utilization and Memorandum of Understanding shall be submitted to the Ministry's Regional Office at Chennai.
- xv. A Risk and Disaster Management Plan shall be prepared and a copy submitted to the Ministry's Regional Office, SPCB and CPCB within 3 months of issue of environment clearance letter.
- xvi. Green belt shall be developed in at least 33% of the project area by planting native and broad leaved species in consultation with local DFO and local communities as per the CPCB guidelines.

- xvii. At least 5 % of the total cost of the project shall be earmarked towards the Enterprise Social Commitment based on locals need and item-wise details along with time bound action plan shall be prepared and submitted to the Ministry's Regional Office. Implementation of such program shall be ensured by constituting a Committee comprising of the proponent, representatives of village Panchayat and District Administration. Action taken report in this regard shall be submitted to the Ministry's Regional Office.
- xviii. The proponent shall prepare a detailed CSR Plan for every year for the next 5 years for the existing-cum-expansion project, which includes village-wise, sector-wise (Health, Education, Sanitation, Health, Skill Development and infrastructure requirements such as strengthening of village roads, avenue plantation, etc) activities in consultation with the local communities and administration. The CSR Plan will include the amount of 2% retain annual profits as provided for in Clause 135 of the Companies Act, 2013 which provides for 2% of the average net profits of previous 3 years towards CSR activities for life of the project. A separate budget head shall be created and the annual capital and revenue expenditure on various activities of the Plan shall be submitted as part of the Compliance Report to RO. The details of the CSR Plan shall also be uploaded on the company website and shall also be provided in the Annual Report of the company.
- xix. The Company shall submit within three months their policy towards Corporate Environment Responsibility which shall inter-alia address (i) Standard operating process/procedure to being into focus any infringement/deviation/ violation of environmental or forest norms/conditions, (ii) Hierarchical system or Administrative order of the Company to deal with environmental issues and ensuring compliance to the environmental clearance conditions and (iii) System of reporting of non-compliance/violation environmental norms to the Board of Directors of the company and/or stakeholders or shareholders.
- xx. The project proponent shall provide for solar light system for all common areas, street lights, villages, parking around project area and maintain the same regularly.
- xxi. The project proponent shall provide for LED lights in their offices and residential areas.
- xxii. Provision shall be made for the housing of construction labour within the site with all necessary infrastructure and facilities such as fuel for cooking, mobile toilets, mobile STP, Safe drinking water, medical health care, crèche etc. The housing may be in the form of temporary structures to be removed after the completion of the project.

### B. GENERAL CONDITIONS:

- The project authorities must strictly adhere to the stipulations made by the Gujarat Pollution Control Board and the State Government.
- ii. No further expansion or modifications in the plant shall be carried out without prior approval of the Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change (MoEFCC).

- iii. At least four ambient air quality monitoring stations should be established in the downward direction as well as where maximum ground level concentration of PM<sub>10</sub>, PM<sub>2.5</sub>, SO<sub>2</sub> and NO<sub>X</sub> are anticipated in consultation with the SPCB. Data on ambient air quality and stack emission shall be regularly submitted to this Ministry including its Regional Office at Bhopal and the SPCB/CPCB once in six months.
- iv. Industrial wastewater shall be properly collected, treated so as to conform to the standards prescribed under GSR 422 (E) dated 19<sup>th</sup> May, 1993 and 31<sup>st</sup> December, 1993 or as amended form time to time. The treated wastewater shall be utilized for plantation purpose.
- v. The overall noise levels in and around the plant area shall be kept well within the standards (85 dBA) by providing noise control measures including acoustic hoods, silencers, enclosures etc. on all sources of noise generation. The ambient noise levels should conform to the standards prescribed under EPA Rules, 1989 viz. 75 dBA (daytime) and 70 dBA (nighttime).
- vi. Occupational health surveillance of the workers shall be done on a regular basis and records maintained as per the Factories Act.
- vii. The company shall develop rain water harvesting structures to harvest the rain water for utilization in the lean season besides recharging the ground water table.
- viii. The project proponent shall also comply with all the environmental protection measures and safeguards recommended in the EIA/EMP report. Further, the company must undertake socio-economic development activities in the surrounding villages like community development programmes, educational programmes, drinking water supply and health care etc.
- ix. Requisite funds shall be earmarked towards capital cost and recurring cost/annum for environment pollution control measures to implement the conditions stipulated by the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (MoEFCC) as well as the State Government. An implementation schedule for implementing all the conditions stipulated herein shall be submitted to the Regional Office of the Ministry at Bhopal. The funds so provided shall not be diverted for any other purpose.
- x. A copy of clearance letter shall be sent by the proponent to concerned Panchayat, Zila Parishad/Municipal Corporation, Urban Local Body and the local NGO, if any, from whom suggestions/representations, if any, were received while processing the proposal. The clearance letter shall also be put on the web site of the company by the proponent.
- xi. The project proponent shall upload the status of compliance of the stipulated environment clearance conditions, including results of monitored data on their website and shall update the same periodically. It shall simultaneously be sent to the Regional Office of the MOEFCC at Bhopal. The respective Zonal Office of CPCB and the SPCB. The criteria pollutant levels namely; PM<sub>10</sub>, SO<sub>2</sub>, NOx (ambient levels as well as stack emissions) or critical sectoral parameters, indicated for the projects

shall be monitored and displayed at a convenient location near the main gate of the company in the public domain.

- xii. The project proponent shall also submit six monthly reports on the status of the compliance of the stipulated environmental conditions including results of monitored data (both in hard copies as well as by e-mail) to the Regional Office of MOEFCC, the respective Zonal Office of CPCB and the SPCB. The Regional Office of this Ministry at Bhopal / CPCB / SPCB shall monitor the stipulated conditions.
- xiii. The environmental statement for each financial year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March in Form-V as is mandated to be submitted by the project proponent to the concerned State Pollution Control Board as prescribed under the Environment (Protection) Rules, 1986, as amended subsequently, shall also be put on the website of the company along with the status of compliance of environmental conditions and shall also be sent to the respective Regional Office of the MOEFCC at Bhopal by e-mail.
- xiv. The Project Proponent shall inform the public that the project has been accorded environmental clearance by the Ministry and copies of the clearance letter are available with the SPCB and may also be seen at Website of the Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change (MoEFCC) at http://envfor.nic.in. This shall be advertised within seven days from the date of issue of the clearance letter, at least in two local newspapers that are widely circulated in the region of which one shall be in the vernacular language of the locality concerned and a copy of the same should be forwarded to the Regional office at Bhopal.
- xv. Project authorities shall inform the Regional Office as well as the Ministry, the date of financial closure and final approval of the project by the concerned authorities and the date of commencing the land development work.
- 12.0 The Ministry may revoke or suspend the clearance, if implementation of any of the above conditions is not satisfactory.
- 13.0 The Ministry reserves the right to stipulate additional conditions if found necessary. The Company in a time bound manner shall implement these conditions.
- 14.0 The above conditions shall be enforced, inter-alia under the provisions of the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, Hazardous Wastes (Management, Handling and Transboundary Movement) Rules, 2008 and the Public (Insurance) Liability Act, 1991 along with their amendments and rules.

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### Copy to:-

1. The Secretary, Department of Environment, Government Gujarat.

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- 3. The Chairman, Gujarat State Pollution Control Board, 4, Paryavaran Bhavan, Opp. Bij Nigam, CHH Road, Sector 10A, Sector 10, Gandhinagar, Gujarat 382010.
- 4. The Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (C), Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Regional Office (WZ), E-5, Kendriya Paryavaran Bhawan, E-5 Arera Colony, Link Road-3, Ravishankar Nagar, Bhopal 462016.

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