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Environment department
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Dated: 30th June, 2012

To,
M/s. Bhimashankar SSK,
Village Dattatraya Nagar, Pargaon,
Tal Ambegaon, Dist Pune

Sub: Environment Clearance for the Proposed Co generation power project of 19 MW capacity at Dattatraya Nagar, Pargaon, Tal Ambegaon, Dist Pune by M/s Bhimashankar Sakhari Karkhana Limited. - Environmental clearance regarding.

Sir,

This has reference to your communication on the above mentioned subject. The proposal was considered as per the EIA Notification - 2006, by the State Level Expert Appraisal Committee, Maharashtra in its 46th & 56th meetings and decided to recommend the project for prior environmental clearance to SEIAA. Information submitted by you has been considered by State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority in its 48th Meeting held on 26th /27th June, 2012

2. It is noted that the proposal is for grant of Environmental Clearance for Proposed 19MW Co generation power plant to be located at Dattatraya Nagar, Paragaon, Tal Ambegaon, Dist - Pune by M/s Bhimashankar Sakhar Karkhana Limited. SEAC considered the project under screening category 1(d) - B1 of EIA Notification 2006. Project proponent has submitted EIA report.

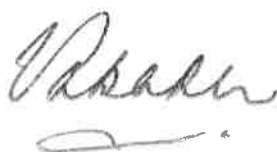
Project information from submitted & considered documents is summarized as below-

Name of the Project	:	Cogeneration Power Project of 19 MW Capacity				
Project Proponent	:	M/s. Bhimashankar Sakhar Sakhar Karkhana Limited				
Location of the project	:	Village Dattatraya Nagar, Pargaon, Tal Ambegaon, Dist Pune				
Built up area	:	18 Acres				
Project cost	:	4,446.25 Lakhs				
Raw material	:	List of raw Materials to be used	Physical and chemical nature of raw material	Quantity (tonne s/month) full production capacity	Source of material	Means of Transportation (Source to storage Site) with justification
		Bagass	Ash contain		Own	Bagasse will be transport

Green Belt Development	:	Green belt area: 8000 Sq. mtr. Number trees Existing: 6,850 Proposed No. of trees with plant species: 2,000			
Fuel Requirement	:	Bagasse – For season - 1074 MT/day During Off season: 305 MT/day.			
Environmental Management Plan	:	Sr. No		Recurring Cost per annum	Capital Cost
		1	Air Pollution Control	1.0	275.00
		2	Water Pollution Control	1.5	-----
		3	Noise Pollution Control	-----	-----
		4	Environment Monitoring and Management	0.5	
		5	Reclamation borrow/mined area		
		6	Occupational Health	1.0	
		7	Green Belt	0.5	5.00
		8	Solid waste management	0.5	
		9	Others (Pl. Specify) " Fire Protection	1.0	20.00
		Total		6.0	300.00

3. The proposal has been considered by SEIAA in its 48th meeting & decided to accord environmental clearance to the said project under the provisions of Environment Impact Assessment Notification, 2006 subject to implementation of the following terms and conditions :

- (i) Project proponent should take immediate measures to reduce the ambient SPM value due to existing activity as per MPCB directives.
- (ii) No land development / construction work preliminary or otherwise relating to the project shall be taken up without obtaining due clearance from respective authorities.
- (iii) No additional land shall be used /acquired for any activity of the project without obtaining proper permission.
- (iv) For controlling fugitive natural dust, regular sprinkling of water & wind shields at appropriate distances in vulnerable areas of the plant shall be ensured.
- (v) Regular monitoring of the air quality, including SPM & SO₂ levels both in work zone and ambient air shall be carried out in and around the power plant and records shall be maintained. The location of monitoring stations and frequency of monitoring shall be decided in consultation with Maharashtra Pollution Control Board (MPCB) & submit report accordingly to MPCB.
- (vi) Necessary arrangement shall be made to adequate safety and ventilation arrangement in furnace area.
- (vii) Proper House keeping programmes shall be implemented.



- (xxvi) The project management shall advertise at least in two local newspapers widely circulated in the region around the project, one of which shall be in the marathi language of the local concerned within seven days of issue of this letter, informing that the project has been accorded environmental clearance and copies of clearance letter are available with the Maharashtra Pollution Control Board and may also be seen at Website at <http://ec.maharashtra.gov.in>
- (xxvii) Project management should submit half yearly compliance reports in respect of the stipulated prior environment clearance terms and conditions in hard & soft copies to the MPCB & this department, on 1st June & 1st December of each calendar year.
- (xxviii) A copy of the clearance letter shall be sent by proponent to the concerned Municipal Corporation 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 website of the Company by the proponent.
- (xxix) The proponent shall upload the status of compliance of the stipulated EC 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 MoEF, the respective Zonal Office of CPCB and the SPCB. The criteria pollutant levels namely; SPM, RSPM, SO₂, NO_x (ambient levels as well as stack emissions) or critical sectoral parameters, indicated for the project shall be monitored and displayed at a convenient location near the main gate of the company in the public domain.
- (xxx) The project proponent shall also submit six monthly reports on the status of compliance of the stipulated EC conditions including results of monitored data (both in hard copies as well as by e-mail) to the respective Regional Office of MoEF, the respective Zonal Office of CPCB and the SPCB.
- (xxxi) The environmental statement for each financial year ending 31st 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 EC conditions and shall also be sent to the respective Regional Offices of MoEF by e-mail.
- (xxxii) The environmental clearance is being issued without prejudice to the court case pending in the court of law and it does not mean that project proponent has not violated any environmental laws in the past and whatever decision of the Hon'ble court will be binding on the project proponent. Hence this clearance does not give immunity to the project proponent in the case filed against him.
4. The environmental clearance is being issued without prejudice to the action initiated under EP Act or any court case pending in the court of law and it does not mean that project proponent has not violated any environmental laws in the past and whatever decision under EP Act or of the Hon'ble court will be binding on the project proponent. Hence this clearance does not give immunity to the project proponent in the case filed against him, if any or action initiated under EP Act.
5. The Environment department reserves the right to revoke the clearance if conditions stipulated are not implemented to the satisfaction of the department or for that matter, for any other administrative reason.
6. **Validity of Environment Clearance:** The environmental clearance accorded shall be valid for a period of 5 years to start of power plant.
7. In case of any deviation or alteration in the project proposed from those submitted to this department for clearance, a fresh reference should be made to the department to assess the adequacy of the condition(s) imposed and to incorporate additional environmental protection measures required, if any.

