

**DEPARTMENT OF SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY & ENVIRONMENT (DSTE), GOP
STATE ENVIRONMENT IMPACT ASSESSMENT AUTHORITY (SEIAA)**

**MINUTES OF THE 13TH MEETING OF SEIAA HELD ON 15.12.2014 AT 3.00 P.M.
IN THE CHAMBER OF THE DIRECTOR / MS (SEIAA)**

Members Present:

1. Prof. M.A. Sivasankaran, - Chairman
Department of Civil Engineering
Pondicherry Engineering College
Puducherry – 14.
2. Prof. Anisa Basheer Khan - Member
Dept. of Environment and Ecology
Pondicherry University
Puducherry – 14.
3. M. Dwarakanath - Member Secretary
Director
Department of Science, Technology & Environment
Puducherry – 5.

Agenda Item No. 1: Construction of additional institutional buildings by M/s. Sri Manakula Vinayaga Educational Trust in their existing Medical Campus at Kalitheerthalkuppam Revenue Village, Mannadipet Commune, Puducherry.

The SEAC has appraised the proposal in its various meetings convened. The 16th meeting of SEAC held on 03.11.2014 and 04.11.2014 resolved to recommend the proposal to SEIAA for issue of Environmental Clearance by suggesting stipulations.

After detailed examination and deliberations the authority decided to issue Environmental Clearance to the proposal with the terms and conditions as per Annexure – I.

The Authority authorized the Member Secretary, SEIAA to issue the Environmental Clearance for the above proposal.

Agenda Item No. 2: Construction of additional institutional buildings by M/s. Sri Manakula Vinayaga Educational Trust in their existing Engineering Campus at Madagadipet Revenue Village, Mannadipet Commune Panchayat, Puducherry.

The SEAC has appraised the proposal in its various meetings convened. The 16th meeting of SEAC held on 03.11.2014 and 04.11.2014 resolved to recommend the proposal to SEIAA for issue of Environmental Clearance by suggesting stipulations.

After detailed examination and deliberations the authority decided to issue Environmental Clearance to the proposal with the terms and conditions as per Annexure – II.

The Authority authorized the Member Secretary, SEIAA to issue the Environmental Clearance for the above proposal.

Agenda Item No. 3: Prior Environmental Clearance to the proposed sulphonation plant at PIPDIC's Industrial Estate, Sedarapet, Puducherry by M/s. Power Soap Ltd., Puducherry.

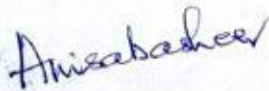
The proposal forwarded by SEIAA for appraisal before the SEAC was placed in its 16th Meeting held on 03.11.2014 and 04.11.2014. The SEAC decided to defer the decision on the appraisal and to seek clarification from the SEIAA whether to proceed with the appraisal of the project which falls under 'RED' category in the light of the Government Policy.

After detailed examination and deliberations the authority decided to advise the SEAC to process the proposal for recommendations on technical aspects.

Agenda Item No. 4: Prior Environmental Clearance to the proposed 11.45 MW standby power generation unit through installation and operation of generator set to M/s. MRF Ltd., Puducherry.

The Chairman, SEAC placed the communication received from the proponent for re-considering the proposal as 'B2' and forwarded by MS (SEIAA) before the Committee Meeting held on 03.11.2014 and 04.11.2014 as table agenda. SEAC resolved to appraise the SEIAA of the status of the proposal. The authority noted that the proposal was appraised as 'B1' category by SEAC and advised the applicant to apply to PPCC for conduct of Public Hearing.

After detailed examination and deliberations the authority decided to seek clarification from the Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change, GoI.



(Prof. Anisa Basheer Khan)
Member



(M. Dwarakanath)
Member Secretary



(Prof. M.A. Sivasankaran)
Chairman

ANNEXURE – I

I Condition for Pre-Construction phase

1. The built up area, landscape and vacant space land left out shall be as per the layout design furnished.
2. The green materials and green energy provisions as per Indian Green Building Council shall be designed and implemented.
3. The potable and non-potable use of water, STP capacity (1000 KLD) shall be as per the design furnished.
4. Provision for separate treatment of Laundry wastewater (30 KLD) and medical lab (10 KLD) spent wash/toxic waste shall be designed and provided.
5. Biomedical waste shall comply to the norms with centralized facility treatment and disposal.
6. Approval for clearance of additional ground water quantity, DG set provision, Fire fighting shall be obtained.
7. Storm water design shall be designed and implemented according to norms.
8. Landscape and green belt design shall be provided with indigenous species.
9. The installation of the sewage treatment plant (STP) shall be certified by an independent expert and a report in this regard shall be sent to the State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority before the project is commissioned for operation. Discharge of treated sewage shall conform to the norms and standards prescribed by the Puducherry Pollution Control Committee. The treated waste water (600 KLD) shall be used for gardening./ irrigation within the premises. The treated waste water shall also be used for dual flushing and other non contact uses (200 KLD).
10. For disinfection of waste-water, system using ultra violet radiation shall be adopted.
11. Specific plan for disposal of treated sewage during monsoon shall be adopted.
12. Rain water harvesting for roof and surface run-off, as per plan submitted should be implemented. Before recharging the surface run off, pre-treatment with screens, settlers etc. must be done to remove suspended matter, oil and grease.
13. The water requirement (925 KLD) shall be met with the approval of the competent authority. The ground water wells shall be properly monitored to ensure the degree of contamination if any during utilization of water.
14. The solid waste generated shall be properly collected, segregated and composted within the premises with respect to organic waste.

15. The STP sludge shall be composted along with other biodegradable solid waste and used as manure.

16. The Plastic wastes shall be segregated and disposed through recyclers.

17. The acoustic enclosures shall be installed at all noise generating equipments such as DG sets, air conditioning systems, etc. and the noise level shall be maintained as per MoEF/CPCB/PPCC guidelines/norms both during day and night time.

18. The project proponent shall advertise in at least two local newspapers widely circulated in the region, one of which shall be in the vernacular language informing the public that

- i) The project has been accorded Environmental Clearance.
- ii) Copies of clearance letters are available with the Puducherry Pollution Control Committee.
- iii) Environmental Clearance may also be seen on the website of the State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority.

The advertisement should be made within 7 days from the date of issue of the clearance letter and a copy of the same shall be forwarded to the State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority.

II Condition for construction phase

1. NOC from the Fire Department shall be obtained in two stages before construction and occupation of the building.

2. NOC from State Disaster Management Authority i.e., Department of Revenue and Disaster Management shall be obtained.

3. The green belt design along the periphery of the campus shall achieve attenuation factor conforming to the day and night noise standards prescribed for land use. The open spaces inside the plot shall be suitably landscaped and covered with vegetation of suitable indigenous varieties with specific reference to climate and soil conditions.

4. Incremental pollution loads on the ambient air quality, noise and water quality shall be periodically monitored after commissioning of the project.

5. Application of solar energy should be incorporated for illumination of common areas, lighting for gardens and street lighting in addition to provision for solar water heating. A hybrid system or fully solar system for a portion of the campus shall be provided.

6. A report on the energy conservation measures conforming to energy conservation norms prescribed by the Bureau of Energy Efficiency shall be prepared incorporating details about building materials & technology; R & U factors etc and submitted to the State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority in three month's time.

7. The proponent should make separate allocation of funds for the installation and maintenance of proper Pollution Control Measures and the Environmental Measures and earmark separate staff for operation and maintenance of the control system.

III Condition for post construction/operation phase

1. It is mandatory for the Project proponent to furnish to the State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Half yearly compliance report in Hard and Soft copies on 1st June and 1st December of each calendar year in respect of the conditions stipulated in the prior Environmental Clearance.
2. The State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority reserves the right to add additional safeguard measures subsequently, if found necessary and to take action including revoking of the Environmental Clearance under the provisions of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, to ensure effective implementation of the suggested safeguard measures in a time bound and satisfactory manner.
3. All other statutory clearances such as the approvals for storage of diesel from Chief Controller of Explosives, Fire and Rescue Services Department, Civil Aviation Department, Forest Conservation Act, 1980 and Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972, State / Central Ground Water Authority, other statutory and other authorities as applicable to the project shall be obtained by project proponent from the competent authorities.

IV Condition for entire life of the project

1. Post project liability of the development, operation and maintenance of the following viz., Sewage Treatment Plant, Solid Waste Management, Rain Water Harvesting, Green Belt and Fire Safety measures are the sole responsibility of the project proponent.
2. All the stipulations stated under Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, the Public Liability (Insurance) Act, 1991 and EIA Notification, 2006 would be enforced.
3. This Environmental Clearance is valid for five years from the date of issue.
4. 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 Regional Office of MoEF, Bengaluru, the Zonal Office of CPCB, Bengaluru and the PPCC. This shall also be put on the website of the Trust by the proponent.
5. The Environmental Statement for each financial year ending 31st March in Form-V as is mandated has to be submitted by the project proponent to the Puducherry Pollution Control Board as prescribed under the Environment (Protection) Rules, 1986, as amended subsequently and shall also be put on the website of the Trust along with the status of compliance of EC conditions and shall also be sent to the Regional Office of MoEF, Bengaluru by e-mail.
6. A copy of the clearance letter shall be sent by the proponent to the Commissioner, Mannadipet Commune Panchayat. The clearance letter shall also be put on the website of the Institution by the proponent.
7. Provision shall be made for a new pond for collecting rain water.
8. Organic gardening to be established using treated wastewater and composted solid waste.

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10. Use of plastics shall be avoided and biodegradable materials may be used within the campus.
11. Details on reuse of treated sewage and sludge are to be furnished in the half-yearly reports of each calendar year.
12. Plant species as suggested by the Committee shall be planted in the campus.
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14. The proponent shall strictly adhere to the Environment Sustainability and Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) related guidelines of the OM No. J-11013/25/2014-IA.I dated 11.08.2014 by the Ministry of Environment and Forests, Government of India with respect to the Companies Act, 2013 and the Companies (Corporate Social Responsibility Policy) Rules, 2014.
15. The applicant shall remit one time processing fee to be prescribed by the SEIAA in course of time towards the EC processing fee for the proposal which will be intimated later.
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