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PUNJAB POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

Dated. 16-03-2022

No. 5324

To

The Secretary to Govt. of India,
Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change,
Indira Paryavaran Bhavan, Jorbagh Road,
New Delhi - 110 003.

Subject:

Proceedings of the public hearing conducted on 30.11.2021 in connection with application filed by M/s Flourish Paper & Chemicals Ltd., for obtaining environmental clearance under EIA Notification dated 14.09.2006 for the proposed expansion in the existing premises situated in the revenue estate of at Village Bhagwanpur, Barwala Road, Tehsil Dera Bassi, District SAS Nagar.

It is intimated that the subject cited industry had applied for obtaining Environmental Clearance as required under the EIA Notification dated 14.09.2006 for carrying out the expansion of its existing unit located in the revenue estate of Village Bhagwanpur, Barwala Road, Tehsil Dera Bassi, District SAS Nagar for manufacturing of new technical pesticides @ 11,700 TPA alongwith its existing products. The project is covered under Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Govt. of India notification no. S.O. 1533 (E) dated 14.09.2006 and thus is required to obtain Environmental Clearance from the MoEF&CC, New Delhi. The Terms of Reference for preparing draft study report for the said project were prescribed by MoEF&CC, New Delhi vide no. IA-J-1101/248/2020-IA-II(I) dated 06.12.2020. The industry had submitted draft EIA study report to the Board and had requested for conduct of public hearing of this project.

In compliance to the provisions of the EIA notification dated 14.9.2006 & Office Memorandum dated 14.09.2020, the date of public hearing was fixed as 30.11.2021. Public notices were published in two daily newspapers namely 'The Tribune' & 'Ajit' on 27.10.2021 for getting responses from public and intimating date, time & venue of public hearing. The copies of the said notices are enclosed herewith as **Annexure-I**. The public announcements and banners were displayed in the vicinity / nearby villages to give the wide publicity of the public hearing by the Board. Thereafter, Public Hearing for the said project was conducted on 30.11.2021. The public hearing process was supervised and presided over by the Additional Deputy Commissioner (D), SAS Nagar in the presence of

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Environmental Engineer & Asstt. Environmental Engineer, PPCB Regional Office, SAS Nagar. The public hearing was attended by 65 persons and entire process of the said hearing was videographed. A copy of the attendance containing the details of persons, who attended the said hearing along with copy of the Pen drive containing video recording, is enclosed herewith as **Annexure-II & III**, respectively. The site of the industry was visited by the Officers of the Board on 25.11.2021. As per the report received from the Field Office of the Board, the comments regarding construction status, adequacy of pollution control proposal and suitability of site are as under:-

Construction status

The industry has not started construction activity regarding the proposed expansion project as observed during the visit by officer of the Board on 25.11.2021.

Suitability of site

As per the Govt. of Punjab, Department of Industries notification no. 3/4/87-3IB1/311 dated 9/1/1990, the said Village Bhagwanpur falls in Free Enterprise Zone (FEZ) area and any kind of industry can established in the revenue estate of this village . However, till date no specific comments/ CLU received from the office of DTP, SAS Nagar w.r.t. proposed site. However, the industry has submitted that they have applied through Business Portal for the change of land use of the additional proposed land.

Adequacy of pollution control proposals

The industry at present has 01 boiler of capacity 3.5 TPH & wood/ briquettes is being used as fuel in said boiler which is equipped with multi-cyclone dust collector and a stack height of 30 m. The said APCD is adequate as far as pollution control is concerned. The industry has proposed to install an additional boiler of capacity 4 TPH and total fuel to be used in both the boilers is Rice Husk Briquettes @ 9 MTØ. However, Multi-cyclone with dry scrubber as APCD shall be provided with the new boiler. The proposed APCD is principally adequate, however, same would be adjudged after the installation and commissioning of the proposed boiler alongwith its proposed APCD.

Total Water requirement is 195.5 KLD out of which 92.27 KLD water will be recycled and 103.23 KLD fresh water will be required for proposed project. The wastewater will be treated in effluent treatment plant and pass through proposed RO & MEE and will be recycled for boiler/cooling tower, scrubber and gardening purposes. A copy of the detailed field report as received from the concerned Zonal Office vide letter No. 1508 dated 02.03.2022 is added as per **Annexure-IV**.

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The proceedings of the public hearing reflecting the views & concerns expressed during the public hearing, duly signed by the Additional Deputy Commissioner (D), SAS Nagar and Environmental Engineer & Asstt. Environmental Engineer, Punjab Pollution Control Board, Regional Office, SAS Nagar, is enclosed herewith as **Annexure-V**. In addition to above, it is requested that the comments of the Board w.r.t construction status, adequacy of pollution control proposal and suitability of site may be considered while deciding application of the project proponent, seeking Environmental Clearance under EIA notification dated 14.09.2006 and the project proponent may be advised to provide a certificate for suitability of site for establishment of the expansion project from the concerned authorities.

DA/- As above


(Er. Krunesh Garg)

Member Secretary

Dated _____

Endst. No. _____

A copy of the above alongwith a copy of proceedings is forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner, SAS Nagar for information and necessary action. It is requested to get a copy of the proceedings of the public hearing displayed conspicuously at his office.

DA/- As above


(Er. Krunesh Garg)

Member Secretary


Dated _____

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

1. The Senior Environmental Engineer, Punjab Pollution Control Board, Zonal Office-1, Patiala.
2. The Environmental Engineer (Computers) Punjab Pollution Control Board, Head Office, Patiala for displaying the proceedings of public hearing alongwith this letter on the web site of the Board.
3. The Environmental Engineer, Punjab Pollution Control Board, Regional Office, Mohali. He is also requested to get a copy of the proceeding of the public hearing displayed conspicuously at his office. Also, a copy of the proceedings may be sent to the concerned Zila Parishad for displaying the same conspicuously.
4. M/s Flourish Paper & Chemicals Ltd., Village Bhagwanpur, Barwala Road, Dera Bassi, Distt. SAS Nagar. The industry is advised to submit final EIA report after incorporating the grievances/suggestions raised by the public in the public hearing to the MoEF&CC, New Delhi shall start developmental activities on its proposed project, only after obtaining Environmental Clearance and Consent to Establish (NOC) from the Punjab Pollution Control Board.

DA/- As above


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