

# ਪੰਜਾਬ ਪ੍ਰਦੂਸ਼ਣ ਕੰਟਰੋਲ ਬੋਰਡ PUNJAB POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

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The Member Secretary,

State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority,

O/o DECC, MGSIPA Complex, Sector-26,

Chandigarh.

Subject:

Proceedings of the public hearing conducted on 10.04.2023 in connection with application filed by M/s Dang Special Steels Private Limited, for obtaining environmental clearance under EIA notification, 2006 for establishment of steel manufacturing unit at G.T. Road, Doraha, Tehsil Payal,

District Ludhiana.

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 establishing a new unit for the manufacturing of billets/ingots or rolled products (Round alloys/wire rods/flats/TMT bars etc.) @ 365 TPD (or 1,27,750 TPA) by using scrap & ferro alloys @ 384 TPD (or 1,34,400 TPA) by installing two no. induction furnaces of 12 TPH capacity each and a Rolling Mill in an area of 4.35 acres of land at G.T. Road, Doraha, Tehsil Payal, District Ludhiana. 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 SEIAA, Punjab. The Terms of Reference for preparing draft study report for the said project were issued by State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA), Punjab vide no. SEIAA/MS/2023/29 dated 09.01.2023. The industry had submitted draft EIA study report to the Board and had requested for conduct of public hearing of this project.

Office Memorandum dated 14.09.2020, the date of public hearing was fixed as 10.04.2023. Public notices were published in two daily newspapers namely 'The Tribune' & 'Rozana Spokesman' on 10.03.2023 for getting responses from public and intimating date, time and venue of the 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

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hearing for the said project was conducted on 10.04.2023. The public hearing process was supervised & presided over by the Additional Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana in the presence of Environmental Engineer & Asstt. Environmental Engineer, PPCB Regional Office-2, Ludhiana. The public hearing was attended by 76 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 soft copy of the (Pendrive) 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 10.04.2023 and the comments regarding construction status, adequacy of pollution control proposal and suitability of site are as under:-

#### Construction status

The industry has not started any construction activity w.r.t. proposed project. However, the boundary wall exists at the proposed site.

## Adequacy of pollution control proposals

**Air Pollution:** The industry has proposed to install two no. induction furnaces of 12 TPH each provided with side suction hood followed by pulse jet bag filter as APCD.

**Water Pollution:** There will be no generation of trade effluent. It has proposed domestic effluent generation @ 3.5 KLD, which will be treated in STP of 5.0 KLD capacity and further treated water will be used in plantation/green area.

The proposed pollution control devices seem to be principally adequate.

#### Suitability of site

The industry has submitted letter No. 348 dated 19.05.2023 issued by M.C. Doraha to the effect that khasra no. 356/2, 357/1, 358/2, 361/1, 359/, 360/1 falls within M.C. limits and as per the Master Plan the site falls in the industrial zone. As such, the site of the industry is suitable for the proposed project.

The proceedings of the public hearing reflecting the views & concerns expressed during the public hearing, duly signed by the Additional Deputy Commissioner, Khanna, District Ludhiana and Environmental Engineer & Asstt. Environmental Engineer, PPCB Regional Office-1, Ludhiana, is enclosed herewith as **Annexure-IV**. In addition to above, it is requested that the comments of the Board w.r.t construction status, adequacy of pollution

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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.

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A copy of the above alongwith a copy of proceedings is forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner, Ludhiana 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

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Dated 08-06-23

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

- 1. The Sr. Environmental Engineer, Punjab Pollution Control Board, Zonal Office-1, Ludhiana.
  - 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-2, Ludhiana. 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 Dang Special Steels Private Limited, Registered Office: House No. 68-69-B, Backside Gita Mandir Sargodha Colony, Ludhiana-141002. The industry is advised to submit final EIA report after incorporating the grievances/suggestions raised by the public in the public hearing to the SEIAA & 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