

IEE Approval for Expansion for Shampoo & Sulfonic Acid Manufacturing Facility



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SUBJECT: **DECISION / APPROVAL ON INITIAL ENVIRONMENTAL EXAMINATION (IEE).**

- 1 Name & address of Proponent : **CEO of M/s. Colgate-Palmolive (Pakistan) Limited Plot # G-6, SITE Area Kotri.**
- 2 Description of project : **Expansion for Shampoo Manufacturing and Sulfonic Acid Manufacturing Facility.**
- 3 Location of Project : **Plot # G-6, SITE Area Kotri.**
- 4 Date of Filing : **21-05-2020**


After careful review of the Initial Environmental Examination (IEE) report the Sindh Environmental Protection Agency (SEPA) Government of Sindh, has decided to accord its approval with subject to compliance of the following conditions:

- Mitigation measures recommended in the Initial Environmental Examination (IEE) report must be strictly adhered to minimize any reversible resource impacts on environment. The implementation of environmental management plan would be sole responsibility of the proponent of the project. The EMP should be implemented to achieve negligible impacts on environmental and natural ecology of the project area. As for this, cost of EMP shall separate be allocated and be part of the tender document.
- That, the Proponent shall appoint Independent Monitoring Consultant (IMC) having expertise in carrying out Environmental & Social Impact monitoring. The IMC will monitor the implementation of the Environmental Management Plan, HSE Management System, CSR Plan Implementation and commitments made in IEE report. Same will be submitted to SEPA on quarterly basis from the date of issuance of this approval.
- That the proponent shall install the Effluent Treatment Plant (ETP) having adequate capacity based on proper calculation for the treatment of waste water that shall be generated from your industrial unit regarding the compliance of SEQs Standards.
- That, the proponent of the project will strictly comply with the Sindh Environmental Protection Act-2014 and its Rules & Regulation made there under. National Environmental Quality Standards (NEQS), Sindh Environmental Quality Standards (SEQs) for air emissions, ambient air quality, Noise level and drinking water at project site.
- The Sindh Environmental Quality Standards (SEQs) for ambient air quality, air emissions, Noise level and drinking water at project site shall be followed in letter and spirit. The proponent shall be liable to submit quarterly environmental monitoring reports to Sindh EPA through independent EPA certified laboratories.

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- That the owner / proponent of the project shall control air pollution during its operation and adopt the mitigation measures for the control of air pollution and efforts shall be made to minimize emissions at its sources.
- Noise level shall be implemented to minimize noise impacts at project area. Best available techniques should be used to minimize at all work places.
- The proponent shall ensure that emissions/effluents from project activity do not pose an unacceptable risk to human health or became nuisance to the neighborhood.
- Training program shall be conducted for workers to create awareness on environment and occupational safety and a complete code of health, safety and environment (HSE) shall be developing which should include efficient parameters at specific work place and the management must be provide the Personal Protective Equipments (PPEs) to the workers / labor at work place.
- The Department reserves the right to stipulate additional conditions, if found necessary and the company/ project proponent in a time bound manner will have to implement those conditions.
- That the proponent shall undertake extensive tree plantation in and around the area, for the improvement of aesthetic/environmental conditions.
- The proponent shall be liable for compliance of Section 14, 15, 19 and 20 of IEE and EIA regulations 2014, which direct for condition for approval, confirmation of compliance, entry inspection and monitoring.
- That in case of any emergency, loss damage, etc. the management of the project is bound to compensate the affected and make it good as original. Further, proponent shall be under obligation to compensate for any significant adverse short, medium, long term and irreversible impacts occurred due to your industrial activity during the construction and operational phase.
- No violation of any Rules, Regulations & provisions of Sindh Environmental Protection Act 2014, shall be made. In case of any such violation of the Rules / Laws, the approval shall stand cancelled without any further notice.
- That this approval is not applicable for Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) requirements, if any, for your Project.
- That, this approval does not absorb the proponent of the duty to obtain any other approvals of consent that may be required under any law enforce.
- This approval shall stand null and void, in case of failure to comply with set forth condition.
- That, this approval shall stand null and void if the project activities carried out in protected area and in any declared archeological site.

This issued with the approval of Director General, Sindh EPA.


Deputy Director (Tech) / Incharge
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