

NAYARA ENERGY LIMITED

Formerly Essar Oil Limited

Reference: Nayara Energy / MoEF / EC Application / 2018 / 743

2nd June 2018

To,

The Director (Industry-2)

Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change

Indira Paryavaran Bhavan

Jor Bagh Road

New Delhi – 110 003

Subject : Expansion of refinery capacity from 20 MMTPA to 46 MMTPA with petrochemical complex at Vadinar, Jamnagar, Gujarat by Nayara Energy Limited.-Environmental Clearance reg.

**Reference : EC vide letter No. J-11011/320/2006-IA-II (I) dated 20th July 2007.
EC extension Letter No. J-11011/320/2006-IA II (I) dated 7th March, 2014.
Online Name Change Application Proposal IA/GJ/IND2/75193/2013 dtd 29.05.2018.**

Dear Sir,

This has reference to the captioned subject. We would like to bring to your kind attention that Environment clearance issued to Essar Oil Limited for expansion of refinery capacity from 9 MMTPA to 60 MMTPA with Petrochemical Complex vide letter No: J-11011/320/2006-IA-II (I) dated: 16-09-2008 valid till 15/09/2013 (enclosed as Annexure- I), got extended for term period up to 15th September, 2018 (enclosed as Annexure- II) by Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (MoEF &CC), Government of India under Environment Impact Assessment Notifications. EOL has already installed a refinery of 20 MMTPA and the same is under operation. The compliance reports of the conditions stipulated in the EC are being submitted to the Ministry regularly. Copy of the latest six monthly EC Compliance report as of 17th May, 2018 is attached for your ready reference as Annexure-III.

However, in August 2017, Petrol Complex Pte Ltd (a subsidiary of PJSC Rosneft Oil Company - Russian Oil Major) acquired 49.13% and Kesani Enterprises Company Ltd a consortium led by Trafigura Group Pte Ltd (World's biggest Commodity Trading Company) and United Capital Partners(a Russian Pvt Equity Fund) acquired another 49.13% from Essar Group in Essar Oil Limited. In view of the above, the name of M/s Essar Oil Limited got changed to M/s Nayara Energy Limited on 25th May 2018. Copy of Certificate of incorporation for change of name from Essar Oil Limited to Nayara Energy Limited by RoC Ahmedabad is attached for your kind reference as Annexure IV. The application for name change in existing EC mentioned above has been submitted through MoEFCC website vide Proposal No. IA/GJ/IND2/75193/ 2013 dtd 29.05.2018.

Corporate Office : 4th Floor, Tower 2, Equinox Business Park, Off Bandra Kurla Complex, LBS Marg, Kurla (W), Mumbai 400 070 India | T +91 22 7132 1010 | F +91 22 6708 2177 | E finance@nayaraenergy.com

Registered Office: Khambhalia, P.O.Box.24, Dist Devbhumi Dwarka, Gujarat - 361 305, India | T +91 2833 661444 | F +91 2833 662929 **CIN:** U11100GJ1989PLC032116 | www.nayaraenergy.com

We are now proposing to expand the Refinery from 20 MMTPA to 46 MMTPA Refining capacity along with Petrochemical complex. Since the EC for 60 MMTPA refinery & Petrochemical complex is getting expired on 15th September, 2018, we need to apply for Environmental Clearance to Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change for the proposed expansion as per the EIA notification dated 14th September 2006 & amendments thereunder. Expansion project falls under category 4 (a): "Petroleum Refining Industry" and 5 (C) "Petrochemical Complexes (industries based on processing of petroleum fractions and natural gas and /or reforming to aromatics) as per the EIA notification 2006 and its amendments.

We are submitting you our application for Environmental Clearance of the proposed expansion along with Form 1 & Pre-Feasibility Report.

As per Office Memorandum dated 29th August, 2017, M/s NEERI, an NABET accredited consultant, has completed baseline data collection for the summer months (premonsoon) 2018 as per CPCB guidelines and standard TOR issued by MOEF&CC.


As we have already conducted Public Hearing while getting EC for 60 MMTPA Refinery and Petrochemical Complex, we humbly request the honourable Expert Appraisal Committee to exempt it under section 7(ii) of EIA Notification 2006.

We shall be grateful for your kind consideration of our application at the forthcoming EAC Meeting.

Thanking you,

Yours Sincerely,

For **Nayara Energy Limited**



C. Manoharan

Director & Head of Refinery

Enclosures:

Annexure-I: Copy of the EC letter No. J-11011/320/2006-IA-II (I) dated 20th July 2007

Annexure-II: Copy of EC Extension letter No. J-11011/320/2006-IA-II (I) dated 7th March 2014

Annexure-III: Latest six monthly EC Compliance report submitted to MOEF

Annexure-IV: Copy of Certificate of incorporation for change of name

Form I

Prefeasibility Report