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STATE LEVEL ENVIRONMENT IMPACT ASSESSMENT AUTHORITY GUJARAT

Government of Gujarat

No. SEIAA/GUJ/EC/8(a)/ 116 /2013

Date: 18 MAY 2013

Dear Sir,

This has reference to your application along with Form-I, Form-1 A dated 27/09/2011, Resolution and copy of notarized affidavit vide letter dated 04/04/2012, Additional details / documents vide letter dated 20/02/2013, Submitted to the SEAC, seeking Environmental Clearance under Environment Impact Assessment Notification, 2006.

The proposal is for Environmental Clearance for the Residential Building Construction Project - "River View Heights" located at Block No: 53+59+60+62+63, O.P. No. 137, F.P.No. 137, T.P.S.No. 25, Vill:Varachha, Tal: Choryasi, Dist: Surat, proposed by M/s. Shree Infra. This is a proposed building construction project having plot area of $58,629 \text{ m}^2$ and the proposed built up area of $1,43,449.68 \text{ m}^2$. As the built up area is $\geq 20,000 \text{ m}^2$ and $<1,50,000 \text{ m}^2$, it falls under project / activity no. 8(a) of the Schedule of EIA Notification, 2006.

The project will comprise of 13 building blocks (A1-A10, B1-B2) housing total 832 flats. Scope of all the thirteen buildings will be hollow plinth + 13 floors. A basement will be provided for parking. Maximum height of the building in the project will be 40 m.

The project activity is covered in 8(a) and is of 'B' Category. Since the proposed project is in item no.8 of the EIA notification, 2006, it does not need Public Consultation as per Para 7(i) III. Stage (3) (d) – Public Consultation of EIA Notification, 2006.

The SEAC, Gujarat had recommended to the SEIAA, Gujarat, to grant the Environment Clearance to this project for the above-mentioned Construction project. The proposal was considered by SEIAA, Gujarat in its meeting held on 08.05.2013 at Gandhinagar. Since the public consultation is not required for the project, the SEIAA hereby accords Environmental Clearance to above project under the provisions of EIA Notification dated 14th September, 2006 subject to the compliance of the following conditions.

A. SPECIFIC CONDITIONS:A.1 CONSTRUCTION PHASE:

A.1.1 WATER:

- Water requirement during the construction phase shall be 14.5 KL/day and it shall be met through the bore well water. Permission of concerned authority shall be obtained for ground water abstraction.
- 2. Sewage generated during the construction phase shall be disposed off through the septic tank soak pit.
- 3. Water demand during construction shall be reduced by use of curing agents, super plasticizers and other best construction practices.

A.1.2 AIR:

- 4. Peripheral barricading shall be done to prevent dust emission spreading outside the project premises.
- Water sprinkling shall be done in vulnerable areas for controlling fugitive emission.
- 6. Material shall be covered during transportation to avoid the fugitive emission.
- The roads inside the project area and roads connected to the main road shall be paved or shall be water sprinkled to avoid the fugitive emissions during construction.
- 8. The ambient air quality shall be monitored in and around the project area during construction phase.
- 9. The construction materials and debris shall be properly stored and handled to avoid negative impacts such as air pollution and public nuisances by blocking the roads and public passages.

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A.1.3 SAFETY:

- 10. Structural design of the project shall strictly adhere to the seismic zone norms for earthquake resistant structures.
- During construction Personal Protective Equipment shall be provided to the construction workers and its usage shall be ensured and supervised.
- 12. First Aid Box shall be made readily available in adequate quantity at all the times.
- 13. Training shall be given to all workers on construction safety aspects.
- 14. The project proponent shall strictly comply with the Gujarat Building and other Construction Workers Act & Rules.

A.1.4 NOISE:

- 15. The overall noise level in and around the project area shall be kept well within the prescribed standards by providing noise control measures including acoustic insulation, hoods, silencers, enclosures vibration dampers etc. on all sources of noise generation. The ambient noise levels shall confirm to the standards prescribed under the Environment (Protection) Act and Rules.
- 16. The noise generating equipments, machinery and vehicles shall not be operated during the night hours and shall be maintained properly to avoid generation of high noise due to lack of wear and tear.
- 17. Use of diesel generator sets during construction phase shall be strictly with acoustic enclosure and shall confirm to EPA Rules for air and noise emission standards.

A.2 OTHER CONDITIONS:

- 18. The safe disposal of wastewater and solid wastes generated during the construction phase shall be ensured.
- 19. The NBC norms shall be strictly adhered to.
- 20. The children play area shall be kept at least 6 inch elevated from the ground /road level. So as to desist entry of vehicles in the said area.
- 21. Barricade of adequate height shall be provided on the periphery of the construction site with adequate signages.
- All topsoil excavated during construction activity shall be used in horticultural / landscape development within the project site.
- 23. The debris generated during the construction work shall be re-used in filling and resurfacing of the area and recyclable scrap shall be sold to vendors.
- 24. Vehicles hired for bringing construction material at site shall be in good conditions and confirm to applicable air and noise emission standards and shall be operated only during day time and non-peak hours.
- 25. Project proponent shall ensure use of eco-friendly building materials including fly ash bricks, fly ash paving blocks and Ready mix concrete [RMC] in the project.
- Necessary sanitary, hygiene and first aid measures shall be provided before starting the construction activities and to be maintained throughout the construction phase.
- 27. Adequate accommodation, drinking water, sanitary facilities, first aid center, utensils and cooking fuel shall be provided for construction workers at the site.
- Adequate care shall be taken to see that the surrounding landscape at the project site is not environmentally degraded.
- 29. Fly ash shall be used in the construction wherever applicable as per provisions of Fly Ash Notification under the E.P. Act, 1986.
- Used cement bags, waste paper and cardboard packing material shall be sold off to recyclers. Residual steel scrap shall be collected at site and sold to recyclers.
- 31. Only lead free low VOC paints shall be used in the project.

A.3 OPERATION PHASE:

A.3.1 WATER:

- 32. Fresh water requirement during the operation phase shall be 424 KL/day and it shall be met through the SMC water supply system. No ground water shall be tapped during the operation phase. Metering of the water shall be done and its records shall be maintained.
- 33. No new bore well shall be constructed and existing bore well shall be either sealed or converted into the recharge well upon completion of the construction work.
- Low water consuming devices shall be provided. Fixtures for showers, toilet, flushing and drinking shall be of low flow either by use of aerators/ diffusers or pressure reducing devices etc.
- 35. Sewage generation during the operational phase shall be 441 KL/day.
- 36. Sewage shall be segregated into black water and grey water. Grey water (339 KL/day) shall be treated in the onsite STP.
- 37. Treated grey water shall be partly reused in flushing (102 KL/day) and gardening / plantation (36.5 KL/day).
- 38. Black water (102 KL/day) and surplus quantity of treated grey water (200.5 KL/day) shall be discharged into the underground drainage line of the SMC.
- 39. The unit shall install Sewage Treatment Plant (STP) of adequate capacity for treatment of the grey water. The STP shall be operated regularly and efficiently so as to achieve GPCB norms at the outlet.

- Dual plumbing system shall be provided for segregation of black and grey waters and the reuse of treated grey water.
- 41. A proper logbook of STP operation and also showing the quantity of treated grey water reuse shall be maintained and furnished to the GPCB from time to time.
- 42. Rain water harvesting from rooftop and paved areas and ground water recharge through 29 nos. of percolation wells shall be carried out as per the details submitted. Before charging the runoff, pre-treatment must be done to remove suspended matter.
- 43. A water meter shall be installed on rain water harvesting & ground water recharge well system & compliance report of the same shall be submitted to concerned authorities.

A.3.2 AIR:

- 44. D. G. Sets (25 KVA x 8 nos.) proposed as back up power shall be of enclosed type and confirm to prescribe standards under EPA rules. Necessary acoustic enclosures shall be provided at diesel generator set to mitigate the impact of noise.
- 45. The gaseous emissions from the D.G. Sets shall conform to the standards prescribed by GPCB. At no time, the emission levels shall go beyond the stipulated standards.
- 46. The stack height of the DG Sets shall be equal to the height needed for the combined capacity of all proposed DG sets.

A.3.3 SOLID WASTE:

- 47. The solid waste generated shall be properly collected and segregated at source. The recyclable material shall be sold to vendors whereas other garbage shall be disposed off properly as per the provisions made by the SMC.
- 48. Used oil shall be sold only to the registered recycler.
- 49. The project must strictly comply with the rules and regulations with regards to handing and disposal of Hazardous waste in accordance with the Hazardous Waste (Management, Handling and Transboundary) Rules 2008. Authorization from the GPCB must be obtained for collection / treatment /storage /disposal of hazardous wastes.

A.3.4 SAFETY:

- 50. The planning, design and construction of all buildings shall be such as to ensure safety from fire.
- 51. Fire fighting facilities like fire extinguishers at each floor, hose reel at each floor, wet riser opening at each floor, automatic sprinkler system in basement, manually operated electric fire alarm system, underground static fire water storage tank of 75 KL capacity, terrace tanks of 10 KL capacity etc. shall be provided as proposed.
- 52. Adequate provision shall be made to ensure that water from the Fire Water Tank shall not be used for any other purpose.
- 53. Compulsory Training to the staff for the first aid and fire fighting along with regular mock drill shall be made as an integral part of the emergency management plan of the project.
- 54. Dedicated power back up system shall be provided in the case of power failure & emergency of fire water pumps.
- 55. First Aid Boxes shall be made readily available in adequate quantity at all the times.
- 56. Main entry and exit shall be separate and clearly marked in the facility.
- 57. Necessary emergency lighting system along with emergency power back up system shall be provided. Further, necessary auto glow signage at all appropriate places shall be provided to guide the people towards exits and assembly points during emergency.
- 58. All the staircases and lifts shall open out at ground level from the highest point of building [with access from each floor] for emergency evacuation. Two staircases shall be provided in each building having floor area more than 500 m² on each floor.
- 59. In basement at least two separate ramps of adequate width and slope shall be provided, located preferably at opposite ends.
- 60. Provision for adequate air changes per hour in the basement shall be made so as to avoid build up of CO in the area.
- 61. Sufficient peripheral open passage shall be kept in the margin area for free movement of fire tender/ emergency vehicle around the premises.

A.3.5 NOISE:

- 62. The acoustic enclosures shall be installed at all noise generating equipments such as DG set etc to mitigate the impact of noise.
- 63. The overall noise level in and around the project area shall be kept well within the prescribed standards by providing noise control measures including acoustic insulation, hoods, silencers, enclosures vibration dampers etc. on all sources of noise generation. The ambient noise levels shall confirm to the standards prescribed under the Environment (Protection) Act and Rules.

A.3.6 PARKING / TRAFFIC CONGESTION:

64. At least 29,931 m² area [9,437 m² in hollow plinth, 19,085 m² in basement & 1,409 m² as open surface parking

- area] shall be provided for the parking purpose.
- 65. The area earmarked for the parking shall be used for parking only. No other activity shall be permitted in this
- 66. Traffic congestion near the entry and exit points from the roads adjoining the proposed project site shall be avoided.
- 67. No public space including the service road shall be used or blocked for the parking.

A.3.7 ENERGY CONSERVATION:

- 68. Various energy conservation measures viz. maximum use of natural light, china mosaic flooring on terrace, CFL lighting fixtures in common areas, use of solar energy in external lighting, use of aerated blocks etc. shall be implemented as proposed.
- 69. The project proponent shall install energy efficient devices, appliances, motors and pumps conforming to the Bureau of Energy Efficiency norms.
- 70. The transformers and motors shall have minimum efficiency of 85 %.
- 71. Only variable frequency motor drives shall be used in the project.
- 72. Solar lights shall be provided in the open areas.
- 73. Use of glass shall be minimal to reduce the heat island effect as well as to reduce the electricity consumption.

A.3.8 GREEN BELT:

- 74. Green area shall be developed in at least 9,117.55 m² area consisting of 892.77 m² tree covered area and 8,224.78 m² lawn covered area.
- 75. The area earmarked as green area shall be used only for greenbelt and shall not be altered for any other purpose.
- 76. Drip irrigation / low-volume, low-angle sprinkler system shall be used for the lawns and other green area including tree plantation.

B.OTHER CONDITIONS:

- 77. All the statutory clearances such as the approvals for storage of diesel from PESO, Fire Department, Airports Authority of India etc. if applicable, shall be obtained by the project proponent from the competent authorities.
- 78. The project proponent shall strictly comply with the Gujarat Building and other Construction Workers Act & Rules as well as Gujarat Lifts & Escalators Rules.
- 79. The project proponent shall ensure maximum employment to the local people.
- 80. The project management shall also comply with all the environment protection measures, risk mitigation measures and safeguards proposed by them.
- 81. The project proponent shall also comply with any additional condition that may be imposed by the SEAC or the SEIAA or any other competent authority for the purpose of the environmental protection and management.
- 82. No further expansion or modifications in the project likely to cause environmental impacts shall be carried out without obtaining prior Environment Clearance from the concerned authority.
- 83. The project authorities shall earmark adequate funds to implement the conditions stipulated by SEIAA as well as GPCB along with the implementation schedule for all the conditions stipulated herein. The funds so provided shall not be diverted for any other purpose.
- 84. The applicant shall inform the public that the project has been accorded environmental clearance by the SEIAA and that the copies of the clearance letter are available with the GPCB and may also be seen at the Website of SEIAA/ SEAC/ GPCB. This shall be advertised within seven days from the date of the clearance letter, in at least two local newspapers that are widely circulated in the region, one of which shall be in the Gujarati language and the other in English. A copy each of the same shall be forwarded to the concerned Regional Office of the Ministry.
- 85. It shall be mandatory for the project management to submit half-yearly compliance report in respect of the stipulated prior environmental clearance terms and conditions in hard and soft copies to the regulatory authority concerned, on 1st June and 1st December of each calendar year.
- 86. The project authorities shall also adhere to the stipulations made by the Gujarat Pollution Control Board.
- 87. The project authorities shall inform the GPCB, Regional Office of MoEF and SEIAA about the date of financial closure and final approval of the project by the concerned authorities and the date of start of the project.
- 88. The SEIAA may revoke or suspend the clearance, if implementation of any of the above conditions is not found satisfactory.
- 89. The company in a time bound manner shall implement these conditions. The SEIAA reserves the right to stipulate additional conditions, if the same is found necessary. The above conditions will be enforced, inter-alia under the provisions of the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, the Environment (Protection) Act 1986 and Hazardous Wastes (Management Handling and Transboundary) Rules, 2008 along with their amendments and rules.
- 90. This environmental clearance is valid for five years from the date of issue.
- 91. Any appeal against this environmental clearance shall lie with the National Green Tribunal, if preferred, within a period of 30 days as prescribed under Section 16 of the National Green Tribunal Act, 2010.

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The granting of Environment Clearance to the project by the SEIAA does not restrain or dilute any legal action to be initiated against the project proponent by any authority including the GPCB, for commencing the construction work without prior Environment Clearance.

With regards, Yours sincerely,

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No. SEIAA/GUJ/EC/8(a)/1716/2015

Date: 20-05-2015 BY R.P.A.D.

Amendment to Environment Clearance Order No:-

(Under the provision of Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Notification, 2006)

In exercise of the power conferred under the provision of Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Notification, 2006 under sub-rule (3) of Rule 5 of the Environment (Protection) Rules, 1986, the Environment Clearance granted to M/s. Shree Infra for development of residential building construction project named "River View Heights" at B.No: 53+59+60+62+63, O.P.137, F.P.No.137, T.P.S.No.25, Vill: Varachha, Ta:Choryasi, Dist:Surat, vide this office letter no. SEIAA/GUJ/EC/8(b)/116/2013 dated 18/05/2013, is being subjected to amendment for the following change in the project.

And whereas SEIAA has granted Environment Clearance vide office order letter no. SEIAA/GUJ/EC/ 8(b)/116/2013 dated 18/05/2013, under the provisions of the aforesaid Notification.

As whereas "River View Heights" M/s. Shree Infra has applied for amendment in the environmental clearance vide their letter dated 01/07/2014.

And whereas SEIAA has received Recommendation from SEAC, for the amendment of Environment Clearance of this SEIAA under the provision of the aforesaid Notification. The proposal was considered by SEIAA, Gujarat in its meeting held on 08/05/2015 at Gandhinagar. After careful consideration, Environment Clearance order dated 18.05.2013 is hereby amended as under,

Subject shall be changed for its categorization as per EIA Notification 2006 and read as under:

The second paragraph shall be changed and read as under:

The proposal is for Environmental Clearance for the Residential Building Construction Project - "River View Heights" located at Block No: 53+59+60+62+63, O.P. No. 137, F.P.No. 137, T.P.S.No. 25, Vill:Varachha, Tal: Choryasi, Dist: Surat, proposed by M/s. Shree Infra. This is a proposed building construction project having plot area of $58,629 \text{ m}^2$ and the proposed built up area of $1,70,026.30 \text{ m}^2$. As the built up area is $>1,50,000 \text{ m}^2$, it falls under project / activity no. 8(b) of the Schedule of EIA Notification, 2006.

> The Third Paragraph shall be changed and read as under:

The project will comprise of 12 residential buildings with 18 blocks and one club house. There will be total 765 flats. Scope of 11 residential buildings will be basement + hollow plinth + 13 floors, scope of remaining one residential building will be basement + hollow plinth + 11 floors and the club house will be of G+1 structure. Maximum building height in the project will be 40.0 m.

The Fourth Paragraph shall be changed and read as under:

The project activity is covered in 8(b) and is of 'B' Category. Since the proposed project is in item no.8 of the EIA Notification, 2006, it does not need Public Consultation as per Para 7(i) III. Stage (3) (d) – Public Consultation of EIA Notification, 2006.

- Condition nos. 32, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40 and 44 shall be changed and read as under:
 - 32. Total water requirement during the operation phase shall be 561.0 KL/day, out of which fresh water requirement of 344.0 KL/day shall be met through water supply system of Surat Municipal Corporation (SMC) and the remaining 217.0 KL/day of water requirement for gardening & flushing shall be met through treated sewage. No ground water shall be tapped during the operation phase. Metering of the water shall be done and its records shall be maintained.

- 35. Sewage generation during the operational phase shall be 419.50 KL/day.
- 36. Sewage to be generated during the operation phase shall be treated in the proposed onsite STP.
- 37. 217.0 KL/day of treated sewage shall be reused for flushing and gardening / plantation purposes.
- 38. Treated sewage quantity remaining after reusing it for gardening/ plantation and flushing purposes within premises shall only be discharged into the underground drainage line of the SMC.
- 39. The unit shall install Sewage Treatment Plant (STP) of adequate capacity for treatment of sewage to be generated during the operation phase. The STP shall be operated regularly and efficiently so as to achieve GPCB norms at the outlet.
- 40. Dual plumbing system with separate tanks and lines shall be provided for utilization of treated sewage for flushing.
- 44. D. G. Sets (125 KVA x 7 nos.) proposed as back up power shall be of enclosed type and confirm to prescribe standards under EPA rules. Necessary acoustic enclosures shall be provided at diesel generator set to mitigate the impact of noise.

Rest of all the conditions of the Environment Clearance orders no SEIAA/GUJ/EC/ 8(b)/116/2013 dated 18/05/2013 shall remain unchanged.

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