

Ref.No.: AWEL/EIA/01/2017

Date: 6th December, 2017

To
The Director
IA Division (Industry - II)
Ministry of Environment Forest and Climate Change (MoEF&CC)
Indira Paryavaran Bhavan, Jor bagh
New Delhi - 110003

Subject: EIA/EMP study for “Development Drilling and Installation of Offshore Facilities in the Three DSF fields in the MB/OSDSF/B9/2016 Offshore Field Area, Mumbai Offshore Basin.” by M/s Adani Welspun Exploration Limited (AWEL) –Terms of Reference (ToR) Regd.

Dear Sir,

Adani Welspun Exploration Limited (AWEL), a joint venture E&P Company formed by two Indian based multinational business conglomerates Adani Group and Welspun Group, has been awarded with MB/OSDSF/B9/2016 contract area and has signed Revenue Sharing Contract (RSC) with the Government of India. This field was originally discovered by ONGC and was subsequently offered for bidding under Discovered Small fields (DSF) bid round. The MB/OSDSF/B9/2016 comprises of three DSF offshore fields namely B-9, B-7 and BRC located in the Mumbai Offshore Basin. AWEL now proposes to develop these fields, which includes development drilling of 12 wells and installation of wellhead platforms & subsea pipelines in order to produce natural gas and crude oil.

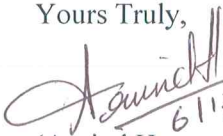
The proposed project falls in Category - “A” and requires Environmental Clearance (EC) as per the Ministry of Environmental & Forest (MoEF), Government of India notification dated 14th September, 2006.

In this regard, we are submitting the Form-1, proposed terms of reference for EIA study and Pre-Feasibility report through MoEF&CC web portal. A hard copy of the same will be submitted to MoEF&CC after the acceptance of the project.

Kindly accord your approval at your earliest to the Terms of Reference (TOR) for EIA/EMP study and preparation of EIA Report for the proposed project.

Thanking You

Yours Truly,


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