

Date: 10<sup>th</sup> August 2022

To

The Member Secretary (MS),  
Expert Appraisal Committee, Industry – II,  
Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change (MoEF&CC),  
Indira Paryavaran Bhawan, Jor Bagh Road,  
New Delhi – 110003.

Subject: Submission of Application for Environmental Clearance for proposed 160 KLPD Grain Based Distillery Project along with 4.6 MW Co-gen power plant and ZLD (Zero Liquid Discharge) Survey Number: 118/2, 118/3, 118/4, 118/7, 118/8, 118/9, 118/10, 118/11, 118/12, 118/13, 118/14, 118/18, 119/13, 188/1A, 189/8, 189/9, Mugasipudur, Anthiyur Taluk, Erode District, Tamilnadu.

Ref: MoEFCC, New Delhi, Notification Number: S.O 2339 (E) dated 16<sup>th</sup> June 2021.

**Dear Sir**

M/s. SPAC Starch Products (India) Private Limited has proposed to establish 160 KLPD Grain Based Distillery project along with 4.6 MW Cogen Power Plant and ZLD plant (Zero Liquid Discharge) to be located at Survey Number: 118/2, 118/3, 118/4, 118/7, 118/8, 118/9, 118/10, 118/11, 118/12, 118/13, 118/14, 118/18, 119/13, 188/1A, 189/8, 189/9, Mugasipudur, Anthiyur Taluk, Erode District, Tamilnadu.

As per Amendment of MoEF&CC Notification ref S.O. 2339 (E) dated 16<sup>th</sup> June, 2021, and EIA notification under a special provision 2006 Schedule "5g(a)" category B2. The new Grain based distillery produced ethanol, solely to be used for Ethanol Blending Program scheme

by the Government of India". As per Conditions specified in Notification Projects under category B shall be appraised as B2 category project and in terms of Para 4 (iii a) of this notification which clarified that " Such Category 'B' projects, as notified by the Central Government on account of exigencies such as pandemics, natural disasters, or to promote eco-friendly activities under National Program or Schemes or Missions, shall be considered at the central level Category'B' projects.

The company is also submitting the notarized affidavit (self-declaration as mentioned in the notification dated 16<sup>th</sup> June 2021), stating that new 160 KLPD Grain based Ethanol plant will be completely utilized for production of ethanol only so as to participate in ethanol blending program (EBP) of Government of India.

In view of the above submissions, we humbly request you to kindly consider our proposal for grant of Environmental Clearance to our project under B2 category.

**Yours Sincerely,**



**for M/s. SPAC Starch Products (India) Private Limited**

**Encl:**

1. Pre-Feasibility Report
2. Form -2
3. Environmental Management Plan