

**F.No.J-15012/1/2015-IA.II(I)**  
**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change**

**Indira Paryavarn Bhawan,**  
**Jor Bagh Road, Aliganj,**  
**New Delhi – 110 003**  
**Dated the 13<sup>th</sup> December, 2018**

**ORDER**

**Subject: Re-constitution of Expert Appraisal Committee for Industry-1 Sector  
under the provisions of Environmental Impact Assessment  
Notification, 2006 as amended- Corrigendum regarding.**

In continuation with this Ministry's order vide letter F.No.J-15012/1/2015 – IA.II(I) dated 13<sup>th</sup> November 2018 with respect to reconstitution of Expert Appraisal Committee (EAC), the details of the committee shall be read as below:

<b>S.No</b>	<b>For</b>	<b>Read as</b>
1	Dr. Chhavi Nath Pandey, IFS(Retired) K-14, Sector 20, Gandhinagar, Gujrat – 382 020.	Dr. Chhavi Nath Pandey, IFS(Retired), (Former PCCF&HoFF, Gujarat) House No. 726 B, Sector-8(C), (Behind Gandhinagar Samachar), Gandhi Nagar, Gujarat – 382007
2	Mr. Nitin Endaly, Representative of Central Pulp and Paper Research Institute, Uttar Pradesh.	Director, Central Pulp and Paper Research Institute (CPPRI), Paper Mill Road, Himmat Nagar, Saharanpur, Uttar Pradesh- 247001
3	Dr. Siddarth Singh, Representative of Indian Meteorological Department Block M, Lodhi Colony, New Delhi – 110003.	Director General of Meteorology, Indian Meteorological Department (IMD), Mausam Bhawan, Lodhi Road, New Delhi – 110003
4	Dr. G. Bhaskar Raju, Flat No 2H, ASV Sunrise Apartments, No.3, Padmavathi Avenue, Tirumalainagar Annex, Perungudi, Chennai – 600 096.	Dr. G.Bhaskar Raju, [Former Chief Scientist, National Metallurgical Laboratories (NML)], Flat No.2H, ASV Sunrise Apartments, No.3, Padmavathi Avenue,

		Tirumalainagar Annex, Perungudi, Chennai- 600 096
5	Dr. Jagdish Kishwan, IFS (Retd.) Flat No. 702-B, True Friends Apartments, Sector 6, Plot No. 29, Dwarka, New Delhi – 110075.	Dr. Jagdish Kishwan, IFS (Retired) (Former Additional Director General, Ministry of Environment Forest & Climate Change). Flat No. 702-B, True Friends Apartments, Sector 6, Plot No. 29, Dwaraka, New Delhi- 110075
6	Dr. G.V. Subramanyam, D-II/183, Kaka Nagar, New Delhi – 110003.	Dr. G.V.Subramanyam, (Former Advisor, Ministry of Environment Forest & Climate Change). D-II/183, Kaka Nagar, New Delhi – 110003
7	Shri Ashok Upadhyaya, B10/7052, Vasant Kunj, New Delhi -110070.	Shri. Ashok Upadhyaya, Technology Expert (Environment), B 10/7052, Vasant Kunj, New Delhi- 110070
8	Shri R.P. Sharma, Former Advisor to Essar Steel, JSPL	Shri. Rajendra Prasad Sharma, Expert (Energy & Environment), 4528, Achivers Villa Kalindi Hills Extension 49, Faridabad - 121007.
9	Shri Sanjay Deshmukh, Former Vice Chancellor Mumbai University, Prof. Life Sciences, Mumbai University, Vidyanagari, Santacruz (E), Mumbai 400098.	Dr. Sanjay Deshmukh, (Former Vice Chancellor, University of Mumbai)), Professor, Department of Life Sciences, Vidyanagari, Santacruz (E), Mumbai – 400 098
10	Prof. S.K. Singh, Prof. and Dean of Env. Engg., Delhi Technical University, Type-V/29, DTU Campus, Bawana Road, Delhi - 110042	Dr. S.K.Singh, Professor and Dean of Environmental Engineering, Delhi Technical University, Type-V/29, DTU Campus, Bawana Road, Delhi- 110042
11	Dr. R. Gopichandran, Former Director, Vigyan Prasar, DST, r.gopichandran@vigyanprasar.gov.in	Dr. Gopichandran, (Former Director, Vigyan Prasar, Department of Science & Technology )



		Professor, NTPC School of Business, Sector-16A, Plot 5-14, Noida, Uttar Pradesh-201301.
12	Shri Jagannath Rao Avasarala, Sr. Environment Management & Consulting Professional 49-37- 8/1, NGGO Colony, Akkayyapalem, Vasakhapatnam – 530016.	Shri Jagannadha Rao Avasarala, Environment Expert, 49-37-8/1, NGO Colony, Akkayyapalem, Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh - 530016
13	Shri J.S. Kamyotra, Former MS, CPCB, WZ 169 , B 1st Floor, Street No. 5, Varinder Nagar, New Delhi – 1110058.	Shri. J.S.Kamyotra, (Former Member Secretary, Central Pollution Control Board), WZ 169B, 1 <sup>st</sup> Floor, Street No.5, Varinder Nagar, New Delhi-110058
14	Addl Director/ Director / Advisor, MoEF&CC (dealing with the subject)	Advisor /Director/ Addl Director, MoEF&CC (dealing with the subject)

2. All other matter including terms and conditions in the aforesaid order dated 13<sup>th</sup> November 2018 shall remain the same.

3. This issues with the approval of the competent authority.

  
(Ritesh Kumar Singh)

**Joint Secretary to the Government of India**

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Dated the 13<sup>th</sup> November, 2018.

**ORDER**

**Sub : Re-constitution of Expert Appraisal Committee for Industry-I Sector under the provisions of Environmental Impact Assessment Notification, 2006, as amended.**

In pursuance of the Environmental Impact Assessment Notification S.O. No. 1533 (E) dated 14<sup>th</sup> September 2006, as amended, the Government of India in the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (MoEF&CC) in succession hereby re-constitutes an Expert appraisal Committee (EAC) (hereinafter referred as the Committee) in the Industry –I Sector (Mineral Based Industries), for evaluation of projects based on Environmental Impact Assessment which are received in the Ministry for grant of environmental clearances.

2. The composition of the Committee is as follows:

S.No.	Name & Address	Position
1.	<b>Dr. Chhavi Nath Pandey</b> , IFS(Retired) K-14, Sector 20, Gandhinagar, Gujarat – 382 020.	Chairman
<b>Members</b>		
2.	<b>Mr. Nitin Endaly</b> , <b>Representative of Central Pulp and Paper Research Institute</b> , Uttar Pradesh.	Member
3.	<b>Dr. Siddarth Singh</b> , Representative of Indian Meteorological Department Block M, Lodhi Colony, New Delhi – 110003.	Member
4.	<b>Dr. G. Bhaskar Raju</b> , Flat No 2H, ASV Sunrise Apartments, No.3, Padmavathi Avenue, Tirumalainagar Annex, Perungudi, Chennai – 600 096.	Member
5.	<b>Dr. Jagdish Kishwan</b> , IFS (Retd.) Flat No. 702-B, True Friends Apartments, Sector 6, Plot No. 29,	Member

	Dwarka, New Delhi – 110075.	
6.	<b>Dr. G.V. Subramanyam,</b> D-II/183, Kaka Nagar, New Delhi – 110003.	Member
7.	<b>Shri Ashok Upadhyaya,</b> B10/7052, Vasant Kunj, New Delhi -110070.	Member
8.	<b>Shri R.P. Sharma,</b> Former Advisor to Essar Steel, JSPL	Member
9.	<b>Shri Sanjay Deshmukh,</b> <b>Former Vice Chancellor</b> Mumbai University, Prof. Life Sciences, Mumbai University, Vidyanagari, Santacruz (E), Mumbai 400098.	Member
10.	<b>Prof. S.K. Singh,</b> <b>Prof. and Dean of Env. Engg.,</b> Delhi Technical University, Type-V/29, DTU Campus, Bawana Road, Delhi - 110042	Member
11.	<b>Dr. R. Gopichandran, Former Director,</b> <b>Vigyan Prasar, DST,</b> <b><u><a href="mailto:r.gopichandran@vigyanprasar.gov.in">r.gopichandran@vigyanprasar.gov.in</a></u></b>	Member
12.	<b>Shri Jagannath Rao Avasarala,</b> Sr. Environment Management & Consulting Professional 49-37-8/1, NGGO Colony, Akkayyapalem, Vasakhapatnam – 530016.	Member
13.	<b>Shri J.S. Kamyotra, Former MS,</b> CPCB, WZ 169 , B 1 <sup>st</sup> Floor, Street No. 5, Varinder Nagar, New Delhi – 1110058.	Member
14.	<b>Addl Director/ Director / Advisor, MoEF&amp;CC</b> <b>(dealing with the subject)</b>	Member Secretary

3. The terms of reference of the above Committee be as follows:

- i. To scrutinize the proposals for determining Terms of Reference (ToRs) for undertaking detailed EIA/EMP study and undertake site inspection (if required).



- ii. To scrutinize the environmental impacts and examine the Environmental Management Plans prepared and submitted by the project authorities as per the ToRs.
- iii. To recommend for grant or rejection of environmental clearance of the project from environmental angle with reasons stated at scoping as well as appraisal stages.
- iv. To suggest specific environmental safeguards and conditions to mitigate the adverse environmental impacts in respect of projects recommended for approval.

4. The Committee shall adopt the following procedure for appraisal:

- i. The Committee shall meet at least once in a month.
- ii. The agenda for meeting shall be circulated to all the Members, at least 15 days prior to the scheduled meeting by the Member Secretary.
- iii. The proposal will undergo a preliminary scrutiny by the concerned Impact Assessment Division and if found conforming to the statutory requirement will be placed before the Committee for appraisal on the first scheduled date of its meeting.
- iv. The appraisal of the proposal should be completed ordinarily in a single meeting and a specific recommendations made. In case the Committee finds that additional information required for considering the proposal, cannot be furnished by the project proponent in the meeting, then at the request of the project proponent concerned, the consideration of the proposal may be deferred to the next meeting. Expert Appraisal Committee may recommend the projects under the following three mutually exclusive categories:
  - a) Recommended
  - b) Deferred (for consideration in the next or future meeting as may be specific in the Committee's deliberations, after submission of required additional information to be further reviewed/examined by the Expert Appraisal Committee).
  - c) Rejected (along with reasons for rejection).
  - d) Returned to Project proponent in the present form.
- v. Site visit as part of the appraisal may be undertaken where it is considered as necessary for reasons to be recorded by the Committee, by a sub-group of the Committee consisting of not more than 3 members including one representative from MoEF&CC with the prior approval of the Ministry.
- vi. Minutes of the meeting recorded shall be prepared and the recommendations finalized and approved by the Chairman before taking further necessary action.

vii. The Chairperson may co-opt an expert as a Member for a particular meeting of the Committee.

5. Meetings of the Committee shall be held normally at Delhi but in exceptional cases, with the prior concurrence of the Ministry, these may be held elsewhere in the country.

6. The TA/DA of non-official members will be regulated as per SR-190 for attending meeting of the Committee or undertaking site visits approved by the Ministry will be met by the Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change. Chairman is entitled for the reimbursement of the cost of Air travel by Executive Class by the shortest route. All other members are entitled to travel by Air in the Economy class by the shortest route.

7. The non-official members of the Committee shall be paid sitting fee/honorarium @ Rs.6000/- per day for the EAC meetings.

8. The tenure of the Committee shall be for 3 years.

9. This issues with the concurrence of IFD vide Dy. No. P-113164 dated 12.11.2018 and with the approval of the Competent Authority.

  
(Jigmet Takpa)  
Joint Secretary to the Government of India

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