

Ref. No. FAMD/GDQ/383/FY20

Dated: 28/JUN/2019

The Additional Director,
Government of India,
Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change,
Eastern Regional Office,
A/3, Chandrasekharpur,
Bhubaneswar-751023

Dear Sir,

Sub: Six monthly Environment Compliance Statements for the period Oct'18 to Mar'2019.

We are enclosing herewith the six monthly "Environmental Clearance Compliance Statement" along with compliance statement against the additional EC conditions. This is in respect of our Gomardih Dolomite Quarry of M/s Tata Steel Limited for the period from October'2018 to March' 2019. We are monitoring the conditions laid both in general & specific category and the status of compliance for the period as mentioned above.

Thanking You.

Yours faithfully F: Tata Steel Limited

Agent-Cum-Manager, Gomardih Dolomite Quarry

Encl: As above

Copy to: MOEF, Regioanl Office, A/3, Chandrasekharpur, Bhubaneswar, Odisha-751023- with a copy of enclosures.

: CPCB, Southern Conclave, Block 502, 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Floors, 1582 Rajdanga Main Road, Nabapalli, Rajdanga Kasba, Kolkata-700107 W.B.- with a copy of enclosures.

: Member Secretary, OSPCB, Bhubaneswar- with copy of enclosures.

: Regional Officer, OSPCB, Sector-5, Rourkela, Odisha-769002- with a copy of enclosures.

Name of the project: Gomardih Dolomite Quarry, Tata Steel Limited Clearance Letter No.: J-11015/5/92-IA-II(M) dated on 18.05.1994

Project Code:
Period of Compliance Report:
October 2018- March 2019

## Sr.No. Conditions Compliance Status

## **General Conditions:**

**Specific Conditions:** 

Sr.No.	Conditions		Cor	mplian	ce Sta	itus	
1	This clearance is valid only for mining operation limited to 146.66 ha. (112.13 ha. of Gomardih Block and 34.53 ha. of Khotkuribahal Block), which includes the area under application for mining rights	Mining operadone in the a comes within (EC No. J-11)	rea of 62 the area	2.96 ha. ( a of 112.	Surfac 13 ha.	e rights) of Goma	which rdih Block
2	The levels of SPM concentration should not exceed 500 µg/m³ at any station within the mine leasehold. Emission of SO2, NO2 and CO should be maintained below the levels prescribed by competent authority. The measures suggested in the EMP in this regard should be strictly implemented.	Location  CP NH Gate-1 Substation VTC Limit g/m³), PM <sub>2.5</sub> (µ	PM <sub>10</sub> 76.2 57.8 70.5 66.4 62.45 100 g/m³), SO	PM <sub>2.5</sub> 44.7 32.6 41.3 39 35.65 60 O <sub>2</sub> (μg/m <sup>3</sup> )	SO <sub>2</sub> 6.9 6.2 6.7 6.5 6.46 50 ), NO26	NO2  25.3  21.2  26  22.7  22.05  40  (μg/m³)	*CP:- Crusher Plant, NH:- Near Hospital, VTC:- Vocational training centre **PM <sub>10</sub> (µ
3	The quality of effluent finally discharged into the main water course should conform to the standards prescribed under CSR 422 (E) dated 19.5.1993.	wet bene     No efflue	ficiation ent is bei ease trap	& proce ng disch is prese	essing of arged in argent to	of ROM n our pro rapping o	olve in any ocess of oil traces
4	Regular monitoring of air and water quality should be made in and around the core zone. The sampling points and frequency should be decided in consultation with State Pollution Control Board. The quarterly data should be	<ul> <li>Ambient samples to below:</li> <li>Near</li> <li>Near</li> <li>Near</li> <li>Near</li> </ul>	Air Qua from 5(fi	lity is be ive) differ tion ate of Mi Plant entre	eing mo	nitored	taking as given

	furnished to Ministry regularly	<ul> <li>Water Quality is monitored taking samples from 4 (four) different locations as given below:</li> <li>Intake surface water: Intake point at Nakti Nala</li> <li>Drinking water: Tab water at Guest House</li> <li>Mine Effluent: Mine discharge water</li> <li>Domestic Effluent: Canteen effluent</li> </ul>			
5	The authorities should implement adequate noise control measure as proposed in the EMP to keep the noise level within the prescribed limits.	Adequate noise control measures have been implemented at Gomardih. Different measures taken either to curb noise at the source or to subdue it are enumerated below.  Area Avg in day time Avg in night dB(A) time dB(A)  Industrial Area 67.55 58.2  Residential 51.46 38.36  Area Sound Proof cabin for HEMM  NONEL system of blasting to control the noise  Proper maintenance & monitoring are being carried out to maintain noise prescribed limits.  Rubber liners provided at each transfer points like hopper and screen inside the crusher plant  Green belt developed for noise attenuation  Ear Plug & ear muff are provided to the workers working in drilling operation & blasting  Employees are undergone periodical medical exam  All the personnel are trained on safety in work place			
6	No change in method of working (including Calendar Plan excavation), be made without prior consent of this Ministry.	<ul> <li>The Production of Dolomite ore has been restricted to the 0.816 MTPA (ROM) approved in the previous EC approved by the Ministry.</li> <li>The mechanized opencast working is carried out as per the approved Mining Plan and subsequent schemes of mining. The present working of the mine is being carried out as per the Mining Plan approved vide letter No.MXXII(b)-14/20172303/DM, dt.31.03.2018.</li> </ul>			
7	The reclamation plan and land use plan as envisaged in the EMP should be strictly implemented. Also green belt should be developed in other areas like mine colony interface. OBR area etc. to attenuate noise level and also to arrest fugitive dust.	<ul> <li>The reclamation plan and land use plan as envisaged in the EMP is being followed.</li> <li>During the year, we have planted 2538 numbers of saplings</li> <li>Total green belt area is 5.49ha and trees 27900 Nos.</li> <li>Beside above, the saplings planted at different locations of the mine like OB dump, northern lease boundary and around the mineral storage area are being maintained by watering and guarding. Similarly, the saplings planted along both side of the roads leading from Mine to Sonakhan railway siding and that connecting SH-10 and mine are being maintained. A team of gardeners have been engaged to take care of the plantation, park and garden inside the colony throughout the year to maintain greenery.</li> </ul>			
8	Details of chemicals used for dust suppression with regard to	No chemical is used for dust suppression.			

	their toxicity and the		
	techniques employed for same should be furnished to the Ministry for observing the performance and non-toxicity of such methods.		
9	Environmental Management cell has to be established to carry out functions relating to environmental management action plans. The head of the Cell should directly report to the Chief Executive.	Gomardih Dolomite Quarry has team for carrying out environm plan. Team consists:- Labour:-2 Field assistant:-1 Monitoring supervisor:-1 Assistant Manager (HSE):-1 Chemists:-2	ental management action
10	Adequate fund provision (capital and recurring	We have provided adequate fu all safeguard measures. Details	
	expenditure) should be made for implementation of all safeguard measures and the funds should not be diverted for other purpose.	Items	Expenditure: (Oct 2018-Mar 2019)
		Afforestation	11800
		Dust Suppression	279828
		Environment & weather , exhaust monitoring	1179766.50
		Drinking water Supply	813000
		Sanitation	708000
		Malaria eradication	167000
		Garland drain & storm water	90500
		Environment awareness (EMS)	100000
		Hazardous waste management	300000
		Total (in Rupees)	3874094.5
11	The Ministry of any other concerned competent authority may stipulate any other conditions at any stage. The Ministry reserves the right to modify the conditions to revoke the approval. If necessary, either due to change in scope and consequent environmental scenario of feedback from field monitoring of the impacts.	No such conditions have been in	mposed so far.
12	Environmental compliance status report vis-à-vis progress should be submitted for the scrutiny of this Ministry once	Environmental Condition comfurnished to the Ministry in ethe EIA Notification, 2006. The period of Apr-2018 to Sep	every six months as per e six monthly report for

	in six months regularly.	the Ministry vide letter no GD/1082/126-A, dated 25.10.2018.
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