



Ref. WCPL/MoEF/EC/2022/06

Date: 31/05/2022

To,
Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forest
Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change
Regional Office (West Central Zone)
Ground Floor, East Wing, New Secretary Building,
Civil Lines,
Nagpur- 440001

Sub: Half yearly CRZ Clearance Compliance Report of M/s. Western Concessions Private Limited (Formerly H-Energy Gateway Private Limited)

Ref: CRZ clearance F.No.11-16/2017-IA-III dated 17.07.2017

Sir,

With reference to the CRZ clearance F.No.11-16/2017-IA-III, (Laying of natural gas Tie-In pipeline from Jaigarh to Dabhol, in District Ratnagiri, Maharashtra - CRZ Clearance) herewith submitting the six monthly compliance report for the period of Oct'2021 to Mar'2022.

Your kind consideration in this regard is highly appreciated and obliged.

Thanking You

Sincerely Yours
for Western Concessions Private Ltd.


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Project Director



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Half Yearly CRZ clearance Compliance Report F.No.11-16/2017-IA-III dated 17.07.2017 for the period Oct'2021 to Mar'2022

Project Status: Commissioning phase

Sr. No.	PART A: Specific conditions	Compliance Status
I	All conditions/recommendations stipulated by the Maharashtra Coastal Zone Management Authority (MCZMA) vide its letter no. CRZ 2016 /CR 245/TC 4, dated 07.02.2017 shall strictly be complied with.	Complied
ii	No mangroves shall be cut or disturbed by the proposed pipeline project.	No mangroves were cut or disturbed during construction activity
iii	Horizontal Directional Drill methodology shall be adopted and no pier shall be constructed so as to ensure that there are no disturbances to the tidal flow of creek water.	Horizontal Directional Drill (HDD) methodology was adopted
Iv	As specific specie of mangroves are available in and around the region, therefore as a matter of abundant precaution, the project proponent shall ensure that the depth of pipeline shall be at 10 m depth or more (where ever pipeline is passing under mangrove cover) in order to ensure that the roots of the mangroves (if any) are not affected in the process of laying of the proposed pipeline.	Complied. The depth of pipe is 22 metres below MSL at river bank.
V	Rs. 25 Lakhs shall be apportioned for marine and coastal biodiversity protection and conservation measures, to be spent by the project proponent towards fulfilling its Corporate Environmental Responsibility (CER) during the currency of the project. Proper record and account of measures taken should be maintained and should also be submitted to the CZMA every six months.	The stipulated amount shall be apportioned for 'marine and coastal biodiversity protection and conservation measures, as part of fulfilling its Corporate Environmental Responsibility (CER). Proper record will be maintained.
vi	Solid waste shall be collected, treated disposed in accordance with the Solid Waste Management Rules,	Solid waste disposed off as per solid waste management rules
vii	Consent to Establish' shall be obtained from State Pollution Control Board under the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 and the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, as may be applicable	Consent to Operate has been obtained from Maharashtra pollution Control Board vide consent order No; Format-1.0/CAC/UAN.No.0000094049/CO-210600062 dated 14.06.2021

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viii	The construction in CRZ areas shall be done strictly in/ Construction activities in CRZ accordance with the provisions of CRZ Notification, 2011 and as amended from time to time.	Construction activities in CRZ area have been in accordance with the provisions of CRZ Notification
Ix	There shall be no dressing or alteration of the sand dunes, natural features including landscape changes for beautification, recreation and other such purpose. .	Noted
X	All waste (liquid and solid) arising from the proposed development will be disposed off as per the norms prescribed stage prescribed by State Pollution Control Board.	Shall be complied
xi	The project proponent shall ensure that no ground water drawal is carried out within CRZ areas without prior approval of the Central Ground Water Authority	No ground water used
xii	Disposal of muck during the construction phase should not create any adverse effect on the neighbouring communities and be disposed taking the necessary precautions for general safety and health aspects of people, only in approved sites with the approval of competent authority	The muck during the construction phase has been disposed off in such a way not to create any adverse effect on the neighbouring communities with the necessary precautions for general safety and health aspects of people
xiii	Any hazardous waste generated during construction phase, should be disposed off as per applicable rules and norms with necessary approvals of state pollution control board	No Hazardous waste generation during construction phase
xiv	As part of CSR activity, the project proponent shall formulate schemes identified based on need based assessment and implemented in select villages in the project area in consultation with the village Panchayat and the District Administration. Separate budget for community development activities and income generating programmes shall be earmarked.	Shall be complied
xvi	The pipeline shall be laid on trestles to minimize impact on sea bed and aquatic life.	The Pipeline project does not envisage laying of pipeline in sea
xvi	Treated waste water conforming to MPCB norms only be discharged; it shall be ensure that regular monitoring results of the treated waste water discharge conducted by an independent agency shall be submitted to the MPCB and the regional office of Ministry.	Noted

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PART B : GENERAL CONDITIONS		
I	Adequate provision for infrastructure facilities including water supply, fuel and sanitation must be ensured for construction workers during the construction phase of the project to avoid any damage to the environment.	Complied
ii	Full support shall be extended to the officers of this Ministry/Regional Office by the project proponent during inspection of the project for monitoring purposes by furnishing full details and action plan including action taken reports in respect of mitigation measures and other environmental protection activities.	Shall be complied
iii	The Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change or any other competent authority may stipulate any additional conditions or modify the existing ones, if necessary in the interest of environment and the same shall be complied with.	Shall be complied
Iv	The Ministry reserves the right to revoke this clearance if any of the conditions stipulated are not complied with to the satisfaction of the Ministry	Noted
V	In the event of a change in project profile or change in the implementation agency, a fresh reference shall be made to the Ministry.	Noted
4	Concealing factual data or submission of false/fabricated data and failure to comply with any of the conditions mentioned above may result in withdrawal of this clearance and attract action under the provisions of Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.	Noted
5	The above stipulations would be enforced among others under the provisions of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, the Air (Prevention and control of Pollution) Act, 1981, the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, the Public Liability (Insurance) Act, 1991, the EIA Notification, 2006 and the CRZ Notification, 2011.	Noted

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6	The Ministry reserves the right to add additional safeguard measures subsequently, if found necessary and to take action including revoking of the environment clearance under the provisions of the Environmental (Protection) Act, 1986, to ensure effective implementation of the suggested safeguard measures in a time bound and satisfactory manner.	Noted
7	All other statutory clearances such as the approvals for storage of diesel from Chief Controller of Explosives, approval for the Project Fire Department, Civil Aviation Department, Forest Conservation Act, 1980 and Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 etc. shall be obtained, as applicable by project proponents from the respective competent authorities.	1) Consent to Operate have been obtained from PESO vide letter - Ref. No. P-2(4)1149, Dated:29.07.21) 2) MPCB has granted consent to operate No;Format-1.0/CAC/UAN.No.0000094049/CO-210600062 dated 14.06.2021 3) Final Fire NOC No. MFS/51/2021/361,363,362 and 360 dated 22.08.2021 for WCPL SV1,SV2,SV3 and Dabhol granted.
8	The project proponent should advertise in at least two newspapers widely circulated in the region, one of which shall be in the vernacular language informing that the project has been accorded CRZ Clearance and copies of clearance letters are available with the State Pollution Control Board (SPCB) and may also be seen on the website of the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change at http://www.envfor.nic.in . The advertisement should be made within Seven days from the date of receipt of the Clearance letter and the same should be forwarded to the Regional Office of this Ministry at Nagpur.	Complied
9	This Clearance is subject to final order: of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in the matter of Goa Foundation vs Union of India in Writ Petition (Civil) No.460 of 2004 as may be applicable to this project.	Noted
10	Any appeal against this clearance shall lie with the National Green Tribunal, Western Zone, at Pune, if preferred, within a period of 30 days as prescribed under Section 16 of the National Green Tribunal Act, 2010.	Noted

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11	A copy of the clearance letter shall be sent by . proponent to concerned Panchayat, Zilla Parishad/Municipal Corporation, Urban Local Body and Local NGO, if any, from whom suggestions/ representations, if any, were received while processing the proposal. The clearance letter shall also be put on the website of the company by the proponent.	Complied
12	The proponent shall upload the status of compliance of the stipulated conditions, including results of monitored data on their website and shall update the same periodically. It shall simultaneously be sent to Regional Office of MoEF&CC, the respective Zonal Office of CPCB and the SPCB. The criteria pollutant namely SPM, RSPM, SO ₂ , NO _x (ambient levels as well as stack emissions) or critical sectoral parameters, will be sent to Regional indicated for the project shall be monitored and displayed at a convenient location near the main gate of the company in the public domain.	The Half yearly compliance report is uploaded on company website. (Annexure – I)
13	The environmental statement for each financial year ending 31st March in Form-V as is mandated to be submitted by the project proponent to the concerned State Pollution Control Board as prescribed under: the Environment (Protection) Rules, 1986, as amended subsequently, shall also be put on the website of the company along with the status of compliance of conditions and shall also be sent to the respective Regional Office of the Ministry by e-mail.	Shall be complied

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