

MINUTES OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL PUBLIC HEARING FOR EXPANSION OF INTEGRATED PAINT MANUFACTURING FACILITY IN RESPECT OF M/S. SHALIMAR PAINTS LIMITED, GONDE DUMALA, TAL. IGATPURI, DIST. NASHIK, MAHARASHTRA:

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The Environmental Public Hearing for expansion of following integrated paint manufacturing facility in respect of M/s. Shalimar Paints Ltd., Gat No. 121, 126, 127, 132, 133-B, 134-B, 141, Village Gonde Dumala, Tal. Igatpuri, Dist. Nashik, Maharashtra was conducted under the Chairmanship of the Sub-Divisional Officer, Igatpuri, on 16th Nov. 2022 at 12.30 p.m.

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| 1. Water based paints | : | 417 KL/M to 1800 KL/M. |
| 2. Solvent Based paints | : | 500 KL/M to 2200 KL/M. |
| 3. Resins | : | 300 KL/M to 600 KL/M. |

Following panel members were present during the environmental public hearing as per Board's Office Order No. E-91 of 2022 under letter no. BO/JD(WPC)/PH/B -221115 -FTS 0166 dtd. 15th Nov. 2022.

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| 1) Sub-Divisional Officer, Igatpuri | : | Chairman |
| 2) Regional Officer,
MPCB, Nashik | : | Member |
| 3) Sub-Regional Officer,
MPCB Nashik. | : | Convener |

Mr. Amar Durgule, Sub Regional Officer, MPCB and Convener of the Public Hearing Committee welcome all the present in the public hearing and with permission of the Hon'ble Chairman of the Public Hearing Panel briefed in short about the purpose and importance of the environmental public hearing. Further, he informed about the procedure to be followed in this matter.

The Convener has informed that, no suggestion/ objection is received till date but if anybody desires to give suggestion / objection in oral / written, same will be accepted.

Mr. Biradar, Representative of the project proponent has given information in brief along with presentation on various environmental aspects i.e. Environment Impact Assessment, Details about the Project, Project Plan, Environment Status, Details of local Environment and surrounding environment information, Locations of the study area, Air quality in the study area, Noise levels in the study area, Water quality in the study area, Soil quality in the study area, Bio-diversity, Socio-Economic Environment, Expected impact on the surrounding area, Environment Management Plan, Remedial measures on the various environmental impacts, Social Economic Development Plan under Environmental Responsibility Plan, Budgetary provisions for environmental management, Net gain from the project etc.,


Following points were discussed during the environmental public hearing.


Sr. No.	Comments / suggestions / views etc.,	Reply given by project proponent
1.	Shri. Sharad Sonawane, Sarpanch Gonde Dumala, Tal. Igatpuri, Dist. Nashik – The arrangements provided by the industry for control of air and water pollution.	The industry has provided ETP of 15 M3 for the treatment of industrial effluent. The ZLD technology will be adopted. For the treatment of domestic effluent STP is provided and treated water is utilized for gardening purpose within the factory premises. For control of air pollution chimney and scrubber is provided. The necessary arrangements are provided in the powder handling section.
2.	Sub-Regional Officer, MPCB Nashik and Convener – The budgetary provision of Rs. 27 crores mentioned during presentation is for expansion or otherwise?	The budgetary provision of Rs. 27 crores mentioned during presentation is for expansion purpose.
3	Sub-Regional Officer, MPCB Nashik and Convener – The information related to air quality observed and norms is not given during presentation.	The compliance report will be submitted.


4	Sub-Regional Officer, MPCB Nashik and Convener – To inform quality of the ground water.	The ground water samples are collected at 08 locations i.e. Gonde, Murbi, Wadiwarhe, Sanjegaon, Mukane, Belgaon, Nandur Vaidya and as per the IS 10500 (2012) methodology, 29 parameters have been analyzed. The TDS content is ranging from 132-415 mg/l., and in all parameters, it is below the acceptable limit. The total hardness is above the acceptable limit in GW2, GW5, GW7 & GW8. Total Nitrogen is found above the acceptable limit in all samples except GW 3.
5	Sub-Regional Officer, MPCB Nashik and Convener – To inform the increase of industrial effluent due to increase in production by thrice.	The water consumption will be increased in mfg. process. The Jet will be used in mfg. process due to which industrial effluent will be generated in a meager quantity and same will be re-used in the process, hence, the quantity of industrial effluent will not be increased.
6	Sub-Regional Officer, MPCB Nashik and Convener – To inform the fulfillment of Water requirement at present and after expansion.	The water requirement is fulfilled from the borewell in the factory premises. The industry has obtained permission from the CGWA. The industry has fixed water supplier and has agreed to supply the water from his own borewell as per requirements.
7	Regional Officer, MPCB Nashik and Member – Whether water is supplied from the borewell of the Contractor? & Permission in this regard is taken from CGWA by the contractor?	The subject matter will be analyzed suitably.
8	The Chairman and the Sub-Divisional Officer, Igatpuri- After fulfilling the water requirement of Gonde Dumala, how can water be made available to the industry?	The Sarpanch, Gonde Dumala informed that, the water will be supplied to the industry as per their requirement from the present and proposed water supply schemes.

The Convener informed to raise written or oral suggestions / objections / comments etc., if any? but nobody has raised any point. Further, he informed that, the minutes of the public hearing will be submitted to the Environment Department, Govt. of Maharashtra, Mantralaya, Mumbai.

The Chairman thanks all the present and declared the completion of the proceedings.


(Amar Durgule)
Convener
and
SRO, MPCB Nashik


(Ravindra Andhale)
Member
and
Regional Officer, MPCB Nashik


(Tejas Chavan)
Chairman
and
Sub-Divisional Officer, Igatpuri