



## MAHARASHTRA POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD, CHANDRAPUR

### NOTICE FOR ENVIRONMENTAL PUBLIC HEARING

Area Nodal Officer, Western Coal Fields Ltd., WCL Ballarpur Area, Tal. Rajura, Dist. Chandrapur has applied to M. P. C. Board for conducting Environmental Public Hearing for their Proposed Expansion of WCL Sasti Opencast Coal Mines for increase in mining lease area from 919.69 Ha to 1120.48 Ha with existing production capacity of 2.50 MTPA located at Village Sasti, Tal. Rajura, Dist. Chandrapur. In Chandrapur District, due to the said project, Gauri, Sasti, Pouni, Antargaon, Mathara, Dhoptala & Goyegaon villages of Rajura Taluka are going to be affected. As per Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Government of India, New Delhi Notification dated 14/09/2006 & as amended on 01/12/2009, Public Hearing is proposed to be conducted from environmental angle for above project.

Now, pursuant to the request of project proponent, Public Hearing is proposed to be conducted from environmental angle for above project.

All persons including bonafide residents, environmental groups and others located in the area can participate in public hearing. Oral and written suggestions can also be presented during public hearing to be conducted as per schedule given below.

Date : 16/03/2023

Time : 01:00 pm.

Venue : At Manoranjan Kendra, WCL Sasti Colony, VIII. Dhoptala, Tal. Rajura, Dist. Chandrapur

Suggestions, views, comments and objections about the project can be filed at the following address within 30 days from date of publication of the notice till the date of public hearing in writing.

Regional Office & Sub-Regional Office, Maharashtra Pollution Control Board,  
First Floor, Udyog Bhavan, Railway Station Road, Chandrapur-442401  
Ph. No. 07172- 251965  
Email:- rochandrapur@mpcb.gov.in / srochandrapur@mpcb.gov.in

Copies of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Report / Environmental Management Plan (EMP) & Executive Summary containing the salient features of the project both in English and Marathi are available at the following offices to the knowledge of concerned. Concerned persons will be provided access to the EIA/EMP report, executive summary of above project during office hours at below mentioned offices.

- (1) Environment Department, 15th Floor, New Administrative Building, Govt. of Maharashtra, Mantralaya, Mumbai - 400032
- (2) Joint Director (Water Pollution Control), Maharashtra Pollution Control Board, Kalpataru Point, 2nd and 4th Floor, Opp. Cine Planet, Near Sion Circle, Sion (E), Mumbai-400022
- (3) Regional Office, Maharashtra Pollution Control Board, First Floor, Udyog Bhavan, Opposite Bus-Stand, Railway Station Road, Chandrapur.
- (4) Sub-Regional Office, Maharashtra Pollution Control Board, First Floor, Udyog Bhavan, Opposite Bus-Stand, Railway Station Road, Chandrapur.
- (5) Collector Office, Chandrapur.
- (6) Zilla Parishad, Chandrapur.
- (7) District Industries Center, Chandrapur.
- (8) Sub-Divisional Office, Rajura, Tal. Rajura, Dist. Chandrapur.
- (9) Municipal Council, Rajura, Tal. Rajura, Dist. Chandrapur.
- (10) Tahsil Office, Rajura, Tal. Rajura, Dist. Chandrapur.
- (11) Panchayat Samiti Office, Rajura, Tal. Rajura, Dist. Chandrapur.
- (12) Grampanchayat Office Gauri, Tal. Rajura, Dist. Chandrapur.
- (13) Grampanchayat Office Sasti, Tal. Rajura, Dist. Chandrapur.
- (14) Grampanchayat Office Pouni, Tal. Rajura, Dist. Chandrapur
- (15) Grampanchayat Office Antargaon, Tal. Rajura, Dist. Chandrapur
- (16) Grampanchayat Office Mathara, Tal. Rajura, Dist. Chandrapur
- (17) Grampanchayat Office Goyegaon, Tal. Rajura, Dist. Chandrapur
- (18) Grampanchayat Office Dhoptala, Tal. Rajura, Dist. Chandrapur

Sd/-

Sub-Regional Officer  
MPCB, Chandrapur & Convener  
Environment Public Hearing