STATE EXPERT APPRAISAL COMMITTEE, CHANDIGARH

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No. SA-ED-2013/EC/ 1997

Dated:- 10/12/13

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Subject:-

Environment clearance of project "Housing Scheme" Residential project located at Sector 52, Chandigarh, proposed by M/s Chandigarh Housing Scheme.- delisting thereof.

I am directed to refer on the subject cited above and to inform you that the committee has received your application vide your letter No.CHD/EE-11/2012/978 dated 08.06.2012 for the grant of environmental clearance to the above cited Housing project.

Whereas, the application form was found unsigned and some preliminary documents were also found absent. The committee vide its letter dated 04.07.2012 had asked to submit preliminary documents alongwith information for placing the matter before the SEAC, Chandigarh for its appraisal.

Whereas, the reply furnished vide your letter dated 21.11.2012 was again found incomplete and you were again asked to furnish the information vide letter dated 11.12.2012 followed by reminder dated 26.02.2013.

Whereas, the requisite information was then submitted vide your letter dated 05.03.2013 which was placed before the committee for appraising. The committee in its 17<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 23.04.2013 had discussed the case in detail. A presentation was also been made in the meeting by the project proponent.

Whereas, the committee vide its letter dated 01.05.2013 had asked the proponent to furnish the information on the obsérvations raised by the committee members in its 17<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 23.04.2013 which had not been replied by the proponent inspite of repeated reminders dated 10.06.2013, 20.06.2013, 26.08.2013.

Whereas, the committee considered the case of project proponent in its 20<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 14.10.2013 and decided to issue a reminder in a shape of notice, in compliance to the directions passed in the OM dated 30.10.2012 (copy enclosed) by the Ministry of Environment & Forests, New Delhi \*wherein following has been mentioned:-

i) All projects where additional information desired has not been submitted even after 6 months of the EAC meeting, should be delisted from the list of pending projects.

For the projects pending between 3-6 months of the EAC meeting for want of information, reminder may be sent seeking information within a month. If the information is not received within this period, even these projects may be delisted.

Whereas, the committee had issued reminder letter dated 22.10.2013 in a shape of notice, in compliance to the directions contained in the OM ibid issued by the Ministry of Environment & Forests, New Delhi.

Whereas, the committee has recently received a Memo No.1633 dated 04.12.2013 wherein, the project proponent had informed that the detail reply will be submitted shortly which is also found unsatisfactory.

In view of the facts mentioned above, the Committee, in compliance to the directions contained in the OM dated 22.10.2013 issued by the Ministry of Environment & Forests, New Delhi, hereby delist the project on the ground that the project proponent failed to furnish the information even after 6 months. The project hereby stands delisted.

Secretary, State Expert Appraisal Committee, U.T., Chandigarh.

DA:- As above.