



**No. J-13012/19/2008 - IA.II (T)**  
**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change**

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Dated: 26.04.2017

To

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**Sub: 2x800 MW Udangudi Super Critical Imported Coal Based TPP at village Udangudi, in Thiruchendur Taluk, in Thoothukudi district, in Tamil Nadu - reg. amendment in Environmental Clearance.**

Sir,

The undersigned is directed to refer to your online application dated 22.08.2016 and subsequent letter dated 9.2.2017 on the subject mentioned above. The Ministry of Environment & Forests has examined the application.

2. It has been noted that Environmental Clearance for setting up of 2x800 MW Udangudi Super Critical Imported Coal Based Thermal Power Plant at village Udangudi, in Thiruchendur Taluk, in Thoothukudi district, in Tamil Nadu has been accorded by the Ministry vide letter dated 14.10.2013. It has also been noted that an amendment in the said EC is requested for change in configuration from 2x800 MW to 2x660 MW and transfer of EC in the name of M/s Tamil Nadu Generation and Distribution Corporation Limited (TANGEDCO).

3. The proposal has been considered by the Re-constituted EAC (Thermal Power) in its 4<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 16.3.2017. In acceptance of the EAC recommendations and in view of information/clarifications submitted by you, the **Ministry hereby amends the Environmental Clearance dated 14.10.2013 for downsizing the capacity of the units from from 2x800 MW to 2x660 MW** subject to following additional conditions.

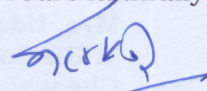
- i. MoEF&CC Notification S.O. 3305(E) dated 7.12.2015 shall be implemented with respect to specific water consumption, zero liquid discharge and revised emission standards.
- ii. As per the Revised Tariff Policy notified by Ministry of Power vide dated 28.01.2016, project proponent shall explore the use of treated sewage water from the Sewage Treatment Plant of Municipality/ local bodies/ similar organization located within 50 km radius of the proposed power project to minimize the water drawl from River Godavari.
- iii. Compliance of EC conditions, E(P) Act, 1986, Rules and MoEF&CC Notifications issued time to time shall be done by an environment officer to be nominated by the Project Head of the Company who shall be responsible for implementation and necessary compliance.



4. All other conditions mentioned in this Ministry's letters of even no. dated 13.12.2012 shall remain the same, as applicable.

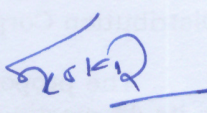
This issues with the approval of competent authority.

Yours faithfully,

  
(Dr. S. Kerketta)  
Director

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1. The Secretary, Ministry of Power, Shram Shakti Bhawan, Rafi Marg, New Delhi 110001.
2. The Chairman, Central Electricity Authority, Sewa Bhawan, R.K. Puram, New Delhi-110066.
3. The Chairman, Central Pollution Control Board, Parivesh Bhawan, CBD-cum-Office Complex, East Arjun Nagar, Delhi- 110032.
4. The Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (C), Regional Office (SEZ), 1st and II<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Handloom Export Promotion Council, 34, Cathedral Garden Road, Nungambakkam, Chennai- 34.
5. The Principal Secretary, Environment and Forest Department, Government of Tamil Nadu, Fort St, George, Secretariat, Chennai-600009.
6. The Chairman, Tamil Nadu Pollution Control Board, No. 76, Mount Road, Mount Salai, Guindy, Chennai - 600 032
7. The District Collector, Thoothukudi District, Govt. of Tamil Nadu, Collectorate, Thoothukudi.
8. Guard file/Monitoring file.
9. Website of MoEF&CC.

  
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Director