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F. No. 11-48/2009-IA-III (Pt.I)

Government of India

Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change
(IA.III Section)

Indira Paryavaran Bhawan,
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Date: 15th May, 2018

To,

Chief Engineer/Projects-I'

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Subject: Environmental and CRZ Clearance for establishing captive coal jetty for 2x800 MW upgrading Super Thermal Power Project at Udangudi, Thoothukudi District, Tamil Nadu by M/s Udangudi Power Corporation Ltd - Extension of Validity of Environmental and CRZ Clearance - reg.

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Sir,

This has reference to your online proposal No. IA/TN/MIS/22074/1910 dated 10th October, 2017, submitted to this Ministry for grant of extension of validity of Environmental and CRZ Clearance in terms of the provisions of the Environment Impact Assessment (EIA) Notification, 2006 under the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 and CRZ Notification, 2011.

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2. The proposal for grant of extension of validity of Environmental and CRZ Clearance to the project was considered by the Expert Appraisal Committee (Infra-2) in its 25th meeting held on 29-30 November, 2017. The details of the project, as per the documents submitted by the project proponent, and also as informed during the above meeting, are under:-

- (i) The proposal is for Extension of Validity of Environmental & CRZ Clearance for Captive Coal Jetty with Unloading facilities and Pipe Conveyor system for Udangudi Super Critical Thermal Power Project (2 x 660 MW), in Udangudi village, Tiruchendur Taluk, Tuticorin District of Tamil Nadu.
- (ii) This is an integrated power project with Captive coal jetty with Pipe conveyor system for the coal logistics required for the power plant. Environmental and CRZ Clearance for Jetty was obtained vide MOEF&CC letter F.No.11-48/2009-IA.III, dated 06.06.2011 and Environmental Clearance for Power Project was obtained vide MOEF&CC letter F.No. J 13012/19/2008-IA.II (T), dated 14.10.2013. Further, amendment to the Environmental Clearance for change in capacity of the Project from (2 x 800 MW) to (2 x 660 MW) was obtained, vide MOEF& CC's letter F. No. J-13012/19/2008-IA.II(T), dated 26.4.2017. Project proponent has submitted that no activity has been taken up for the Jetty, Pipe conveyor, Cooling Water Intake / Outfall.


3. The EAC in its 25th meeting held on 29-30 November, 2017 recommended the Extension of validity of Environmental & CRZ Clearance dated 06.06.2011 for a period of 3 years i.e. up to 05.06.2021. As per the recommendations of the EAC, the

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Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change hereby accords Extension of Validity of Environmental Clearance to the project 'Environmental and CRZ Clearance for establishing captive coal jetty for 2x800 MW upgrading Super Thermal Power Project at Udangudi, Thoothukudi District, Tamil Nadu by M/s Udangudi Power Corporation Ltd up to 05.06.2021.

4. All other conditions stipulated in the Environmental and CRZ Clearance letter F.No.11-48/2009-IA.III, dated 06.06.2011, shall remain unchanged. The extension of validity is being granted for the original proposals for which EC&CRZ Clearance was granted earlier. The project proponents will not make any changes in the project nature, structure or configuration and limit themselves to activities for which the EC& CRZ Clearance has been given earlier

5. This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.


(Kushal Vashist)
Director

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- (i) The Principal Secretary to Government, Environment and Forests Department, Government of Tamil Nadu, Email: forsec@tn.gov.in
- (ii) The Chairman, Central Pollution Control Board, Parivesh Bhavan, CBD-cum-Office Complex, East Arjun Nagar, Delhi – 32.
- (iii) Addl. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Central), Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change, 1st and IInd Floor, Handloom Export Promotion Council, 34, Cathedral Garden Road, Nungambakkam, Chennai-34.
- (iv) The Chairman, Andhra Pradesh Pollution Control Board Paryavaran Bhavan, A-III, Industrial Estate, Sanath Nagar Hyderabad, Andhra Pradesh. (Email eevss@pcb.ap.gov.in.)
- (v) Member Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Costal Zonal management Authority, Environment Forest Science and Technology Department, Hyderabad, Andhra Pradesh.
- (vi) Guard File.
- (vii) Monitoring File.


(Kushal Vashist)
Director