MINUTES OF THE CFO COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON 03.08.2018

at APPCB, Head Office, Pushpa Hotel Centre, Behind Sunrise Hospitals,
Kasturbaigpet, VIJAYAWADA

The following were present:

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<td>Sri. B.S.S. Prasad, IFS, Chairman, A.P. Pollution Control Board, Vijayawada.</td>
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<td>Sri. Vivek Yadav, IAS, Member Secretary, A.P. Pollution Control Board, Vijayawada.</td>
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<td>Prof. J. R. Karthikeyan, Department of Civil Engineering, College of Engineering, S V University, Tirupathi.</td>
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<td>Prof. G.V.R. Srinivasa Rao, Head, Department of Civil Engineering, AU College of Engineering (A), Andhra University, Visakhapatnam.</td>
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<td>Prof. V. V. Basava Rao, Department of Chemical Engineering, O.U. College of Engineering, Hyderabad.</td>
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The Member Secretary welcomed the members of the CFO Committee and after introductory remarks on the items placed before the CFO Committee, the Committee took up items agenda-wise. The decisions of the CFO Committee on each case are recorded below.
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<th>1.</th>
<th>M/s. Visakhapatnam Port Trust, Visakhapatnam - Operating West Quay North (WQ - 7 &amp; WQ - 8) berths for Handling of Cargos - CFO (Expansion)</th>
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<td>The Port has obtained CFO &amp; HWA vide order dt: 11.05.2017 for handling 34.1 Million MT/Annnum, in inner harbor (EQ 1 TO EQ 7 berths, WQ 1 to WQ 5 berths, OR 1 &amp; OR 2 berths and fertilizer berth) and outer harbor (OSTT, NOM, LPG BERTH AND MPB). The CFO &amp; HWA is valid up to valid up to 31.12.2021.</td>
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<td>The MoEF&amp;CC vide order dt: 25.05.2016 issued environmental clearance to M/s. VPT for development of West Quay North (WQ 7 &amp; WQ 8) berth with mechanized handling facilities for handling of bulk cargoes on DBFOT basis.</td>
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<td>The Board vide order dt: 18.12.2017 issued CFE to M/s. VPT for development of West Quay North (WQ 7 &amp; WQ 8) berths with fully mechanized facilities for handling bulk cargo - 6.39 MTTPA.</td>
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<td>M/s. VPT included development of WQ7 &amp; WQ8 berths with mechanized facilities as one of the long term measure in the EMP submitted to Hon'ble NGT, Chennai.</td>
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<td>The issue OF CFO to WQ-7 &amp; WQ-8 was placed in the CFO committee meeting held on 05.07.2018. The Committee opined that the CFO may be considered to WQ7 &amp; WQ8 berths on temporary basis for a period of one year to handle low dusty cargos as M/s. VPT not yet obtained EC amendment. But, M/s. VPT requested for issue of amendment to include West Quay North (WQ 7 &amp; WQ 8) berths in the existing CFO which is valid upto 31.12.2021. The Committee recommended to direct M/s. VPT to file afresh CFO application for WQ7 &amp; WQ8 berths. Accordingly, M/s. VPT applied for the CFO now.</td>
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<td>The representatives of M/s. VPT attended the meeting and informed that they could not provide the mechanized handling facilities as Indian Navy requested to allot 150 mts wide and 1.5 Km long land for development of strategic facilities; in the same area conveyor belt connecting the berths and stock yards was planned; M/s. VPT requested the Indian Navy to reduce the width in order to accommodate the conveyor belt; it may take about 2-3 years time to settle the issue and to provide mechanical handling facilities; in the meanwhile M/s. VPT will handle low dusty cargos like manganese ore, bauxite, gypsum, limestone, blast furnace slag, ilmenite sand, ores other than iron ore, in these berths instead of keeping them idle; present these cargos are being handled in different berths in M/s. VPT and now it will be shifted to the new berths by taking all precautionary measures (like covering the trucks and water sprinkling) to control dust emissions to the surroundings; even after operating the WQ7 &amp; WQ8 berths total cargo handling capacity of M/s. VPT will not exceed the consented capacity of 34.1 MTTPA; requested the MoEF&amp;CC to issue amendment to the EC in this regard; M/s VPT spent about Rs. 250 crores for development of new berths, and these cannot be kept idle.</td>
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<td>The Committee opined that the CFO may be considered to WQ7 &amp; WQ8 berths on temporary basis for a period of one year to handle low dusty cargos as M/s. VPT not yet obtained EC amendment.</td>
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**RECOMMENDATIONS:**

After detailed discussions on verification report of the EE, RO: Visakhapatnam, agenda and submissions of the industry representatives the committee recommended to issue CFO&HWA (Fresh) to WQ7 & WQ8 berths with a validity period of 1 year i.e up to 31.07.2019 with the following conditions:

1. M/s. VPT shall obtain necessary amendment to the Environmental Clearance dt: 25.05.2016 issued by MoEF&CC for handling of cargo in semi-mechanised manner in WQ7 & WQ8 berths.

2. M/s. VPT shall explore the other possibilities to provide mechanical handling facilities and conveyor belt for handling the cargoes, as the proposed route of the conveyor belt for the WQ7 & WQ8 was not materialized due to development of strategic facilities by Indian Navy.
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3. M/s. VPT shall handle only low dusty cargos like manganese ore, bauxite, gypsum, limestone, blast furnace slag, limenite sand.

4. M/s. VPT shall not handle highly dusty cargos like coal, coke, iron ore, alumina in these berths.

5. M/s. VPT shall not exceed the total consented cargo handling capacity of 34.1 MMTPA even after operating the WQ7 & WQ8 berths.

2. M/s. Sundaram Alloys Limited, Plot No.13, APSEZ, Athyutapuram, Visakhapatnam District

M/s. Sundaram Alloys Limited has established a Ferro Alloys manufacturing unit in an area of 20 Acres at Plot No.13, APSEZ, Athyutapuram, Visakhapatnam Dist, to produce Ferro Alloys to the tune of 75,000 TPA by installing 5 X 9 MVA submerged electric arc furnaces and a sinter plant of capacity 90,000 TPA.

The Industry obtained the EC dated 04.10.2011 for the manufacture of Ferro Manganese, Ferro Silicon and Silico Manganese of 75,000 TPA and sinter plant 90,000 TPA by installing 5 X 9 MVA furnaces.

The Industry obtained CFE of the Board for the following vide order dated 26.04.2012 for the manufacture of Ferro Silicon - 15,000 TPA; Silico Manganese - 30,000 TPA; Ferro Manganese - 30,000 TPA; and Sinter plant - 90,000 TPA by installing 5 X 9 MVA Submerged Arc Furnaces.

The Industry obtained CFO of the Board vide order dated 26.03.2016 for operating 1 No. of 9 MVA Furnace, which was expired on 31.07.2018. The Industry obtained CFO of the Board for operating 2nd Furnace of 1 X 9 MVA capacity vide order dated 17.03.2015 which was expired on 31.12.2015.

Now, the industry has applied for the CFO Renewal of 1st and 2nd furnaces and CFO (fresh) for the 3rd furnace upto 31.07.2022.

The Industry representative attended the meeting and informed that they have acquired the plant during September-2017 and renovated; the plant was damaged during Hud-Hud; acquired an additional area of 3.5 acres and the raw material stock from the eastern side will be shifted to the western side; stored slag will be removed and bag filter dust will be processed in sintering plant for re-use purpose; Internal roads will be completed by end of December, 2018; provided 192 nos of glass fibre bags to control emissions from the furnace; online stack monitoring system to the third furnace and CAAQM station as per the CPCB directions will be provided within 1 month; water consumption was increased due to civil works; bypass damper opening data will be submitted to the Board regularly; balance green belt area will be developed in this monsoon season; ATRansco allotted the additional load required for the 3rd furnace recently; raw material storage sheds will be completed by end of December, 2018.

The committee opined that i) the industry shall provide a wind speed and wind direction recorder and to prepare wind-rose of the area; and greener shall be developed in the down ward direction so as to act as a barrier to the down ward direction; ii) the industry shall carryout comprehensive analysis of the emissions from the furnace to analyse the metallic vapors and particle size of the emissions in addition to the particulate matter; iii) RO, Visakhapatnam shall inspect the industry after 3 months to verify the compliance status of the industry and shall submit a report to the Board Office to take necessary action.

Recommendations:
After detailed discussions on verification report of the EE, RO: Visakhapatnam, agenda and submissions of the industry representatives the committee recommended to issue CFO&EHWA with a validity period of 1 year i.e up to 31.07.2019.

3. M/s. Visakha Solvents Ltd., Plot No.84 A, Jn Pharmacy, Parawada, Visakhapatnam District

M/s. Visakha Solvents Ltd., is operating a solvent recovery facility at JNPC, Parawada, Visakhapatnam District, in an extent of 0.66 Acres.

The Industry has obtained CFO vide Order dated 06.06.2015 for recovery of spent solvents to the tune of 25 KLD which is valid up to 31.07.2018. Further, the Industry has obtained CFO...
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(Renewal), under Auto Renewal system vide Order dated 02.04.2018 which is valid up to 31.07.2023.

The industry has obtained CFE expansion vide order dt: 14.06.2018 to enhance capacity of the industry from 25 KLD to 50 KLD. Now, the industry has applied for CFO - expansion through AP OCMMS.

The industry representative attended the meeting and informed that they are utilizing the VOC data of the CETP as they are located within CETP area; exclusive VOC monitor will be provided in the SRU premises within 1 month; difference between the quantity of raw material and product is mainly due to processing of the aqueous stream from M/s. Mylan Labs and the distilled water was sent to the Ramky; and informed that the material balance will be submitted to the Board.

Recommendations:

After detailed discussions on verification report of the EE, RO: Visakhapatnam, agenda and submissions of the industry representatives the committee recommended to issue CFO&HWA (Fresh) with a validity period up to 31.07.2023 after submission of the material balance of the raw material, product and effluent.

4. M/s. Icon Krishi Hospitals, Sheelanagar, Visakhapatnam District - Name change as M/s. Kims Icon Hospital( A unit of Icon Krishi Institute of Medical Sciences Pvt Ltd), Sheelanagar, Visakhapatnam District - Amendment

M/s. Icon Krishi Hospitals, Sheelanagar, Visakhapatnam District has applied for Change of name.

The Board issued CFO order to the HCF vide order dated Consent & Authorization Order dated.05.11.2016 valid upto 31.10.2017 and further auto renewal of the CFO order dt 05.11.2016 for further period upto 31.10.2018. The HCF submitted a representation stating name change from M/s. Icon Krishi Hospitals to M/s. Kims Icon Hospital (a unit of Icon Krishi Institute of Medical Sciences Pvt Ltd.,), Sheelanagar, Visakhapatnam and submitted sale agreement between M/s. Icon Krishi Hospitals Pvt Ltd., and M/s. Icon Krishi Institute of Medical Science Pvt Ltd.

Recommendations:

After detailed discussions, the Committee recommended that the Health Care Facility representation may be considered for name change from M/s. Icon Krishi Hospitals to M/s. Kims Icon Hospital (a unit of Icon Krishi Institute of Medical Sciences Pvt Ltd.,) and accordingly amendment may be issued to the CFO order with the following additional condition:

➢ All environment related liabilities and commitments of M/s. Icon Krishi Hospitals will get transferred to M/s. Kims Icon Hospital.

5. M/S. MANIPAL HEALTH ENTERPRISES PRIVATE LIMITED, NEAR KANAKA DURGA VARADHI, SAUMYA NAGAR, TADEPALLI (VILLAGE & MANDAL), GUNTUR DISTRICT

M/s. Manipal Health Enterprises Private Limited, Near Kanaka Durga Varadhi, Saumya Nagar, Tadepalli (Village & Mandal), Guntur District has applied for Change of name.


Recommendations:

After detailed discussions, the Committee recommended that the Health Care Facility representation may be considered for name change from M/s. Manipal Health Enterprises Private Limited to M/s. Manipal Hospitals (Jaipur) Private Limited and accordingly amendment may be issued to the CFO order with the following additional condition:

➢ All environment related liabilities and commitments of M/s. Manipal Health Enterprises Private Limited., will get transferred to M/s. Manipal Hospitals (Jaipur) Private Limited.

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6. M/s. Sea Valley Resorts Pvt. Ltd., Sy. No.15-3-22 & 22/2, Block No.4, Nowroji Road, Maharanipeta, Ramakrishna Beach Road, Visakhapatnam -530002 - Change of name as M/s. Varun Hospitality Private Limited - Amendment

M/s. Sea Valley Resorts Pvt. Ltd., Sy. No.15-3-22 & 22/2, Block No.4, Nowroji Road, Maharanipeta, Ramakrishna Beach Road, Visakhapatnam District has applied for Change of name.

M/s. Sea Valley Resorts Pvt. Ltd., is operating a facility of 5 Star Hotel & Multiplex Theatres located at Sy. No.15-3-22 & 22/2, Block No.4, Nowroji Road, Maharanipeta, Ramakrishna Beach Road, Visakhapatnam with the following facilities:

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<td>Multiplex theatres</td>
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<td>And food courts, coffee shop, health spa, beauty parlor &amp; gym.</td>
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The hotel has obtained CFO & HWA of the Board vide Order dated 12.11.2015 valid up to 30.09.2020. The Hotel has registered its change of name as M/s. Varun Hospitality Private Limited in the Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Government of India and submitted the copy of certificate of incorporation, Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Government of India.

Recommendations:

After detailed discussions, the Committee recommended that the industry’s representation may be considered for name change from M/s. Sea Valley Resorts Pvt. Ltd., to M/s. Varun Hospitality Private Limited and accordingly amendment may be issued to the CFO order with the following additional condition:

All environment related liabilities and commitments of M/s. Sea Valley Resorts Pvt. Ltd., will get transferred to M/s. Varun Hospitality Private Limited.


The Industry is a Sugar, distillery & Bio mass power plant. The Industry obtained combined CFO&HWA to produce Crystal Sugar-250 TPD, Rectified spirit13.6 KLD & Electricity - 20MW for the period up to 31.05.2018.

Now the industry applied for Renewal of combined CFO&HWA of the Board for a period of one year i.e. up to 31.05.2019 through Single Desk Portal.

The representatives of the industry attended the meeting and explained the committee that have applied CFO for one year only due to financial problems; at present all the three units are not in operation; Sugar & Power Plant were operated during crushing season only, Distillery was shutdown on 21.03.2017; provided spate energy meters for distillery; water meters will be provided before the ensuring crushing season; H₂S analyser will be provided within 2 months; energy meters will be provided to individual units and requested the Board to issue CFO.

Recommendations:

After detailed discussions, the committee recommended to issue renewal of combined CFO&HWA to the industry for a period upto 31.05.2019 with relevant conditions.
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<td>M/s. Shimoga Life Sciences Pvt. Ltd., is involved in the Manufacturing of Organic and Aroma chemicals. The Industry obtained CFE for change of product mix on 03.11.2017. Now the Industry applied for CFO&amp;HWA for Change of Product Mix for a period of five years i.e. up to 31.07.2023. The representatives of the Industry attended the meeting and explained the committee about the details of products proposed to manufacture in the industry; construction and commissioning of ETP is under process and will be completed within 15 days; procured RO (2000 lt/hr), stripper and AFTD; yet to purchase VOC; yet to provide online pH meter; planning to take trail runs by September; inorganic waste will be sent TSDF and organic waste to cement industries; filter cakes from filter press will be sent to TSDF; no Mercaptans; planted 200 saplings in the premises and have provision of 6000 sq. mt. of green belt. <strong>Recommendations:</strong> After detailed discussions, the committee recommended to issue CFO&amp;HWA for Change of Product Mix to the Industry for a period up to 31.07.2023 with relevant conditions.</td>
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<td>M/s. Avighna Industries (Formerly M/s. Rajavardhan Industries), is a oil Reclamation unit located at R.Sy.No.81/3, Velanka (V), Kirlampudi (M), East Godavari District. The Industry obtained CFO &amp; HWA for Reclamation of Used Oil - 1.5 KLD with validity up to 31.07.2021 Now, the Industry has applied for Registration certificate - cum - Pass book for Reclamation of Used Oil under Hazardous Waste (Management, Handling and Transboundary Movement) Rules, 2016. The representatives of the Industry attended the meeting and explained the committee that they will collect used oil i.e., gear oil, transformer oil, used engine oil, hydraulic oil etc., from local vendors; carrying-out reclamation of used oil by vacuum distillation with clay treatment, 100 to 200 kg of sludge will be generated in the process of 1000 kg of waste oil. <strong>Recommendations:</strong> After detailed discussions, the Committee recommended to issue the Registration Certificate cum Passbook to the Industry to procure Used Oil- 2KLD for a period up to 31.07.2021 with necessary conditions.</td>
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The representative of the industry attended the meeting and explained the committee that:

1. They are doing services for Bilge Water / Waste oil sludge removal from the Vessels calling at Kakinada, Visakhapatnam & Gagavaram Ports for the past 10 Years.

2. During travelling from one country to another country every Vessel generate about 20 Tones waste oil sludge and this has to be disposed at the unloading ports.

3. Due to the condition stipulated in the passbook i.e., "The unit shall not use any used oil imported from the foreign countries", the Customs Department in the above Ports are objecting to remove waste oil sludge from the foreign vessels calling saying that removal of sludge comes under import of oils from the Foreign countries.

4. The Customs Department is requesting to obtain an amendment in the pass book for removal of the waste oil sludge from the foreign Vessels calling at the above ports.

5. Removal of waste oil sludge does not comes under Import of Oils and all other states in India are allowing the removal of sludge from the foreign Vessels and requested the Board to make necessary changes in the Pass Book for Removal of waste oil sludge from the Vessels.

Recommendations:

After detailed discussions, the Committee recommended to make necessary changes in the Pass Book for Removal of waste oil sludge from the foreign Vessels.

11 M/s. Sree Rayalaseema Alkalies and Allied Chemicals Limited, Gondiparla (V), Kurnool (M), Kurnool District - CFO& HWA for expansion - Reg.


The industry obtained CFE for expansion vide dt. 23.05.2018 to increase the production capacity of Chloro Alkali unit and Synthetic Organic Chemicals (Chloromethanes/Chlorodifluoromethane)

Now the industry applied for CFO&HWA for expansion of Chloro Alkali plant to increase the production capacity of Caustic Soda/ Potassium Hydroxide Lye or Flakes from 520 TPD to 800 TPD in phase - I.

The representative of the industry attended the meeting and informed the committee that they have applied for CFO to increase the production capacity of Caustic Soda/ Potassium Hydroxide Lye or Flakes from 520 TPD to 800 TPD; about 82 KLD wastewater will be generating from the expansion activity and wastewater will be treated in the existing ETP(300 KLD) of Chloro Alkali plant; 9 TPD of solid waste will be generated the same will be disposed in their own SLF. The SLF is existing in an area of 18 acres with double lined and with leachate collection system in the premises. The 1st compartment of SLF was capped and at present they are disposing Hazardous waste in 2nd compartment; after expansion the total solid waste generation will be about 25 TPD. Out of which they are proposing to recover the sodium sulphate - 8TPD and the R&D trails are under process.

Recommendations:

After detailed discussions, the Committee recommended to issue CFO&HWA to the industry for a period of One year i.e., upto 30.06.2019 with relevant conditions.
The industry is involved in production of Sponge Iron. The industry's previous CFO & HWA order expired on 30.04.2017. Now, the industry applied for renewal of CFO & HWA for a period of two years i.e., from 04/2017 to 04/2019.

The issue was placed in the CFO Committee meeting held on 27.07.2017. The Committee after detailed discussions, recommended to seek clarification with commitment duly stipulating the timelines on non-compliance issues. The industry vide LR dt 09.08.2017 has submitted commitments, stipulating the time lines for complying the non-compliances and requested the Board to issue CFO. In the mean time, the industry was reviewed by the External Advisory Committee (Task Force) held on 28.12.2017 and closure orders were issued to the industry on 09.01.2018. Subsequently, Temporary Revocation of Closure orders were issued to the industry on 31.01.2018 for a period of six months i.e., upto 31.07.2018 with certain directions to comply.

Now the industry requested the Board to renew the consent order. The issue is again placed in the CFO Committee meeting held on 03.08.2018. The representatives of the industry attended the meeting and explained the committee that they have complied most of the non-compliances as observed by the Board; provided flow meter to quantify the water used for cooling makeup; interlocking system; separate energy meters for ESPs & Bag filters; regularly disposing dolomitic dust from APCE to the brick manufacturers; provided 130 no of water sprinklers with permanent water pipe line for dust suppression in the plant; planted 2000 saplings in the month of June & July 2018 and developed green belt in an area of 8 acres in the premises so far; activation recorder & online stack emission monitoring systems for the stacks attached to Rotary kilns will be provided within one month.

The committee enquired the representative about the exceedance of PM10 standard in the Ambient Air. The representative informed that the AAQ monitoring was conducted near the store room in the premises which is abutting the approach road for all Sponge Iron units in the area and due to vehicular movement & dust emissions from the other units also, the PM10 level was exceeded. However, the industry will take steps to meet the standards by carrying-out dust suppression in the plant.

**Recommendations:**

After detailed discussions, the Committee recommended to issue CFO & HWA to the industry for a period upto 30.04.2019 with the following conditions along with the other relevant conditions:

1. The industry shall provide flow meters within one month for assessing the water consumption for dust suppression and domestic purposes.

2. The industry shall install continuous online stack emission monitoring systems for the stacks attached to Rotary kilns within one month as committed during the CFO committee meeting.

3. The industry shall provide activation recorder with the recording facility to the After Combustion Chamber (ABC) within one month as committed during the CFO committee meeting.

4. The industry shall operate the plant only after obtaining further extension for revocation of closure order from the Board.
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M/s. Bharathi Cement Corporation Pvt. Ltd is engaged in mining of lime stone. The industry obtained CFO to carryout Limestone Mining - 5 MMTPA at Nallingayapalli (V), Kamalapuram (M), Kadapa District with validity upto 30.09.2018.

Now, the mining unit has applied for renewal of CFO for a period of another Five years i.e., upto 30.09.2023 through the scheme of Green Channel (Auto Renewal System) at Regional Office, Tirupati.

As the Mining unit fulfilled the conditions stipulated for auto renewal of consents, the Board issued CFO order to the Mining unit on 24.07.2018 a period of Five years i.e., upto 30.09.2023.

**Recommendations:**

The Committee noted and ratified the issue of CFO to the mining unit.