

SCHEDULE - IX

Decision on GEA

1. Name & address of Proponent: Mr. Naveed Khan, Proponent of Naveed Flour Mill, Located at bypass Road Chakdara, Tehsil Adenzai, District Dir Lower.
Contact # 0346-9396799
2. Description of Project: Mr. Naveed Khan has intended to construct a Flour Mill named Naveed Flour Mill at bypass Road Chakdara, Tehsil Adenzai District Dir Lower. The production capacity of the Flour Mill is 4000 bags per day, the weight of each bag will be 50 kg. Total estimated cost of the project is Rs. 70 million. Total area of the project is 18500 Sq. ft.
3. Location of project: The project is located at District Dir Lower.
GPS coordinates of the site:
N 34.66637 E 072.03108
4. Date of Filing of GEA: 09-11-2021
(Ref: EPA/Diary No. 2193)
5. After a careful review and field visit carried out by an Officer of EPA Regional Office Swat. The Environmental Protection Agency, Govt. of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa has decided to accord approval of the General Environmental Approval (GEA) Report for "Naveed Flour Mill at bypass Road Chakdara, Tehsil Adenzai District Dir Lower Khyber Pakhtunkhwa," in line with the guidelines issued under the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Environmental Protection Act, 2014 and Environmental Assessment Rules-2021, subject to the following terms & conditions:-
- The proponent shall adopt all precautionary and mitigation measures recommended in the General Environmental Approval (GEA) Report as well as any unanticipated impacts during construction and operation phase of the project.
 - All the construction and installation in the project area shall be carried out according to the master plan.
 - The safety and emergency measures shall be carried in the premises of the project area e.g., Emergency Exits, Fire Extinguisher etc.
 - Personal Protective Equipments shall be provided to all workers to ensure health and safety with first aid box for emergency medical

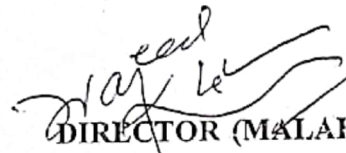
- e. Environment and Safety related messages shall be mounted in and outside of the unit.
 - f. Washroom shall be provided in the project area.
 - g. Mosque/ prayer place shall be allocated within the project area.
 - h. Total 50 plants/ trees of local species shall be planted along the boundary wall as well as in the available spaces within the project area.
 - i. The proponent shall provide non-technical jobs to the surrounding villagers of the project.
 - j. All the emissions/effluents (if any) shall be kept within permissible limits of National Environmental Quality standards (NEQS).
 - k. Treatment plant/ settling tanks must be constructed to treat domestic waste water within the premises of the unit.
 - l. Noise generating equipment such as generators must be provided with appropriate Noise attenuating material/ structures.
 - m. Proper parking facility must be provided within the project area for loading and unloading vehicles.
 - n. A sign board must be displayed near the gate side/ entrance route for general information to the public regarding name of the project, name of the Proponent, contact number of the proponent, name of in-charge of the unit and his contact number etc.
 - o. Solid waste of the project must be collected and disposed off at the properly designated dumping site.
 - p. The proponent shall not discharge untreated waste water into the surface water body.
 - q. Water sprinkling should be carried out on regular basis during construction phase of the project the dust pollution in the area.
 - r. Proper mitigation measures shall be adopted to control bad odor/ pungent smell.
 - s. Sign boards must be installed on the sensitive areas for guidance of the workers as well as visitors.
 - t. The proponent shall be responsible to facilitate the EPA team during visit/ inspection/ monitoring.
7. The proponent shall be liable for correctness and validity of the information provided by the Environmental Consultant.
 8. The proponent shall be liable for compliance of Rules 10,13,14,15, 19 and 20 of Environmental Assessment Rules 2021, regarding approval, confirmation of compliance, entry, inspections and monitoring.
 9. This approval is accorded only for the installation/ construction phase of the project.
 10. The proponent will obtain approval for operation phase as well as renewal of the operation approval after every three years of the project in accordance with the Rules 13 (2) (b), 15 (4) and 20 of the Environmental Assessment Rules 2021.
- Any change in the approved project shall be communicated to EPA, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa and shall be commenced after obtaining the approval.
12. This approval shall be treated as null and void if all or any of the conditions mentioned above is/are not complied with.

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13. This approval does not absolve the proponent of the duty to obtain any other approval or clearance that may be required under any law in force.
14. There shall be no legal case pending in the courts against the project.
15. In exercise of the power under Section-13 of the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Environmental Protection Act, 2014, the undersigned is pleased to approve the GEA Report for construction phase of the project with above mentioned terms and conditions.

Dated: 21 /02/2022

Tracking/ File No. EPA/GEA/Naveed/Flour-Mill/Chakdara/Dir Lower/2674


DIRECTOR (MALAKAND)
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