



**EPA NORTHERN DIRECTORATE, ABBOTTABAD,  
Forestry, Environment & Wildlife Department  
Govt. of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa**



No. EPA/ND/ATD/IEE/Optotech 307

Dated: 29-4-21

**SCHEDULE-V**

**Decision on IEE**

1. **Name, address of proponent:** Mr. Syed Furqan Aftab,  
CEO Optotech Cables,  
CB-55, New Gulistan Colony,  
Opposite to Kayani House, Taxila.
2. **Description of project:** The project is proposed to establish at Plot No #  
60, 61, 62, 63, 64, Zone-A, Special Economic  
Zone, Industrial Estate Hattar, Haripur. Total  
Land for the project is 4.31 Acres. The project  
will manufacture Optical Fiber cables. The  
construction and operational Phase of the project  
will require power which will be supplied by  
Water and Power Development Authority  
(WAPDA).
3. **Location of the project:** The project is located Plot No # 60, 61, 62, 63,  
64, Zone-A, Zone-A, Hattar Economic Zone-C,  
Industrial Estate Hattar, Haripur.
4. **Date of filling of IEE:** 31/03/2021  
EPA, Northern Directorate (Dairy No.119)
5. After careful review of IEE report and field visit report carried out an official of this  
Agency, the Environmental Protection Agency, Northern Directorate, Abbottabad,  
Govt. of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa has decided to accord approval of the Initial  
Environmental Examination of Optotech cables, Hattar industrial Estate, District  
Haripur of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa in line with the guidelines issued by Pak. EPA and  
IEE/EIA Regulations, 2000 subject to the following terms & conditions:
  - a) The proponent will adopt all precautionary and mitigation measures identified  
in IEE report as well as any unanticipated impacts during the construction and  
operation phase of project.

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- b) The proponent will adopt all precautionary and mitigations measures identified in Environmental Management Plan.
  - c) Unskilled jobs must be provided for the local's people and preference should be given in technical jobs.
  - d) Front of the factory must be kept clean and tidy all the time.
  - e) The proponent must ensure proper collection & segregation of solid waste.
  - f) Health Safety equipments (mask, helmet, glasses, gloves, shoes, air plugs, etc) should be provided to the workers.
  - g) Signboard regarding health and safety shall be installed at the unit.
  - h) Plantation of Chinar/Piffer and pine plants shall be carried out in front of the unit, along the boundary wall and in open spaces inside the factory. The distance from plant to plant may be kept 10 feet.
  - i) The owner will adopt any mitigation measures/updated technology for the control of the pollution in the future.
6. The proponent shall be liable for correctness and validity of the information supplied by the environmental consultant.
  7. The proponent shall be liable for compliance of section 11, 13, 14, 17 and 18 of IEE/EIA Regulations, 2000, regarding approval, written confirmation of compliance, entry, inspection and monitoring.
  8. This approval is accorded only for the "CONSTRUCTION PHASE" of project.
  9. The proponent will obtain approval for "OPERATION OF THE PROJECT" in accordance with the section 13 (2) (b) and section 18 of the IEE/EIA Regulations, 2000.
  10. Any change in the approved project shall be communicated to EPA, Northern Directorate, Abbottabad, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa and shall be commenced after obtaining the approval.
  11. 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.

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12. The construction activities must not be started if there is any legal pending case in the courts against the same.
13. In exercise of the power under Section 14 of the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Environmental Protection Act, 2014 and The Delegation of Powers Vide letter No. EPA/050/01/93/ Peshawar, dated the May 19, 2017, the undersigned is pleased to approve the IEE Report of Optotech cables, Hattar District Haripur with the above mentioned terms and conditions.
14. 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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Dated: 16<sup>th</sup> February, 2022



To

Mr. Syed Furqan Abbass,  
CEO, Optotech cables,  
Plot No. 60-64, Zone A, Hattar, District Haripur.

Subject: **REQUEST FOR NOC FOR OPERATION OF OPTOTECH CABLES**

Kindly, refer to your letter No. Nil Dated 17-01-2021 on the above cited subject, followed by site visit dated 11-02-2022 and to state this office allow you to Operate "Optotech Cables" unit located at Plot No 60-64, Zone A, Special Economic Zone, Hattar, Tehsil & District Haripur according to Term and Conditions mentioned in the Environmental Approval for construction issued vide letter No. EPA/ND/ATD/IEE/Optotech/307 dated 29-04-2021.

Moreover, this office reserves the right to inspect your unit regularly and check the compliance of condition given in Construction Phase Environmental Approval and if found in violation, strict action shall be initiated against you as per Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Environmental Protection Act, 2014.

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DIRECTOR (NORTH)