SCHEDULE-VI

Decision on EIA

1. Name, address of proponent:

Mr. Mr. Khalid Mehmood,

Manager (ESIC, NTDC),

Office of the General Manger Project, Environment and Social Impact Cell,

140-WAPDA House, Lahore.

2. Description of project.

The project involves installation of a New Grid Station (GS) 220kv on a barren land of 40 acres in precincts of village Spin Khak situated at a distance of 32 km from Peshawar and 21 km from Nowshera City.

3. Location of project.

The project is located at District Nowshera.

4. Date of filing of EIA.

11-02-2015 Ref. (EPA Diary No. 98)

- Pakhtunkhwa has decided to accord approval of the Environmental Impact Assessment of "220 KV Nowshera Grid Station and Allied Transmission Line" in District Nowshera of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa in line with the guidelines issued by Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Environmental Protection Act, 2014 and IEE/EIA Regulations, 2000, subject to the following terms & conditions:
 - a) The proponent will adopt all precautionary and mitigatory measures identified in EIA report as well as any unanticipated impacts during the construction and operation phase of project.
 - b) A Grievance Redressal Committee should be constituted with representative from EPA, NTDC and Revenue Department under the chair of Deputy Commissioner concerned to address the issue of land acquisition and compensation before starting the physical activities at project site.
 - c) Emergency response plan must be implemented according to plan submitted to this Agency.
 - d) Waste Management Plan and Monitoring Plan must be implemented according to plan submitted to this Agency.
 - e) Both skilled and unskilled employment shall be provided to locals.

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- Health and Safety measures like helmet, gloves, shoes, first aid box etc should be provided to the staff.
- g) Additional mitigation measures to protect the grid station from flash flood must be submitted to this Agency.
- h) Tree plantation must be carried out along with boundary wall.
- 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 Sections 13, 14, 17 and 18 of IEE/EIA Regulations, 2000, regarding approval, confirmation of compliance, entry, inspections and monitoring.
- 8. This approval is accorded only for the construction phase of the project. 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.
- 9. Any change in the approved project shall be communicated to EPA, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa and shall be commenced after obtaining the approval.
- **10.** This approval shall be treated as null and void if all or any of the conditions mentioned above is/are not complied with.
- 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.
- 12. There is no legal case pending in the courts against the project.
- 13. In exercise of the power under Section 13 of the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Environmental Protection Act, 2014, the undersigned is pleased to approve the EIA Report for construction phase of the project with above mentioned terms and conditions.

Dated: Peshawar 6-3- 9-017
Tracking/File.No. EPA/EIA/TL/220GS Nowshera/

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