



**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY**  
CLIMATE CHANGE, FORESTRY, ENVIRONMENT  
&  
WILDLIFE DEPARTMENT  
GOVERNMENT OF KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA



No. EPA/EIA/Dewan Cement/Hattar/23/ 358-60- Date: 26/10/2023

To

1. Mr. Sheikh Muhammad Anis Sultani,  
General Manager, Dewan Cement Limited,  
2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Block A, FTC Building, Shakra-e-Faisal,  
Karachi.
2. Dewan Cement Limited, Village Kamilpur,  
Hattar Industrial Estate,  
District Haripur.

Subject: **OPERATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL APPROVAL OF M/S DEWAN CEMENT**

Kindly refer to your Audit report submitted vide this Agency diary No. 1020, dated 19/07/2023, followed by presentation, site visits and after fulfilment of codal formalities, this Agency has been pleased to allow operational activities at "**M/S Dewan Cement Limited, located at Taxila-Haripur road, Industrial Estate Hattar, Kamilpur, District Haripur**" subject to following terms and conditions which needs to be adapted for Environmental Compliance in letter and spirit:

- i. The proponent shall adopt all precautionary and mitigation measures for Environment protection and improvement as mentioned in the Environmental Audit report as referred above.
- ii. All emissions and effluents shall be kept within the permissible limits of National Environmental Quality Standards (NEQS).
- iii. The proponent shall install 06 numbers of Ambient Air Monitoring Devices Surrounding the unit near the boundary wall and access shall be shared with this Agency. The activity shall be completed within one month of the issuance of this approval.
- iv. The Electrostatic Precipitators (EP) at production Line-I and II shall be replaced with bag house filter system within one year of the issuance of this approval. This relaxation is granted keeping in view the current restriction on L.C (Letter of Credit) and tough financial conditions within the country. In case of financial stability, the condition may be reviewed accordingly.

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- v. The proponent shall run the production lines I & II on 50 % capacity and shall submit monthly compliance reports of all the emissions at Raw mill, Cement Mill & Coal plant through EPA certified laboratory till the replacement of EP with baghouse system. The analysis shall be conducted in the presence of Chief Analyst, EPA Regional Office, Abbottabad or an officer authorized by DG EPA Khyber Pakhtunkhwa.
- vi. Regular water sprinkling shall be ensured for dust suppression within the factory premises and on the nonmetallic roads near human settlements which is used by the factory vehicles for transportation.
- vii. A buffer zone with dense tree plantation shall be created between the cement plant and the nearest community. The plantation shall be done in consultation with the EPA Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Regional office Abbottabad.
- viii. This Agency shall visit the unit for checking the compliance of NEQS on regular basis. No hurdles shall be created for the Agency staff during entry and inspection of the unit.
- ix. EPA may propose further mitigation measures in the light of recommendations of the visiting teams at any stage.
- x. In case of extension/design changes, prior approval from this Agency shall be obtained.
- xi. No wastewater shall be discharged from the unit premises in violation of NEQS.
- xii. The proponent shall submit a quarterly compliance report of all the conditions mentioned in the approval.
- xiii. This approval is issued as a stop gap arrangement in the absence of Environmental Audit rules. The proponent shall be bound to comply with the Environmental Audit Rules as and when notify.

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Moreover, an undertaking on the attached proforma shall be submitted to this Agency within a month time on stamp paper for the compliance of terms and conditions as mentioned above, please.

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Director General

**Copy for information to the:**

1. Director (North), EPA Regional Office Abbottabad with the direction to keep a regular check on the subject unit to comply with the conditions of the approval.
2. ✓ GIS Specialist, EPA, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Peshawar with the directions to keep a record of the ambient air monition stations of the subject unit.