Memo No: DoE/Clearance/5227/2013/ 2.75  Date: 03/11/2013

Subject: Environmental Clearance for Anowara-Matarbari Coal Fired Power Station 400KV Transmission Line Project.

Ref: 1) Your Application dated 18/08/2013.

With reference to the above, the Department of Environment (DOE) is pleased to award the Environmental Clearance in favor of Anowara-Matarbari Coal Fired Power Station 400KV Transmission Line Project subject to fulfilling the following terms and conditions.

1. The activity under construction and operation of Anowara-Matarbari Coal Fired Power Station 400KV Transmission Line Project shall not result in the loss of containment of any materials that would affect health or will have damaging impact on the environment or natural resources.
2. Proper and adequate sanitation facilities shall be ensured in labor camps throughout the proposed project activities.
3. Proper and adequate on-site precautionary measures and safety measures shall be ensured so that no habitat of any flora and fauna would be demolished or destructed.
4. No solid waste can be burnt in the project area. An environment friendly solid waste management should be in place during whole the period of the project in the field.
5. All the required mitigation measures suggested in the EIA report along with the emergency response plan are to be strictly implemented and kept operative/functioning on a continuous basis.
6. Mitigation measures along with Environmental Management Plan as described in chapter 4 of the EIA report should be strictly maintained.
7. In future if any legitimate complaint made regarding environmental pollution by the Project's activity and if it is found true by the Department of Environment (DOE), the entrepreneur shall be required to take reasonable and appropriate mitigation measure/corrective measure as per DOE's requirement.
8. To reduce any problem to the traffic movement, construction work should be performed preferably during night.
9. Resettlement plan should be properly implemented and people should be adequately compensated.
10. Construction material should be properly disposed off after the construction work is over.
11. All kinds of pollution control measures undertaken in this project as part of the infrastructural development should be maintained continuously.
12. To reduce dust, spraying of water over the earthen materials should be carried out from time to time.
13. As described in the EIA report, environmental monitoring should be strictly followed and monitoring report should be shared with DOE to ensure the environmental management properly.
14. In case of any emergency, the following information shall immediately be reported to Barisal Divisional office and Headquarters of the Department of Environment(DOE) simultaneously
   a) Nature of incident (fire, accident, etc.)
   b) Personnel affected (injured, missing, fatalities, etc.)
15. Rehabilitation of human settlement or compensation for any sort of activity which will
incur damage or loss of public or private property or any natural resources shall be
addressed as per Government of Bangladesh rules and regulations.
16. No activity of cutting/razing/dressing of hill or hilly land is endorsed under this clearance
without due permission/clearance of the concerned authority of the Government of
Bangladesh.
17. If the transmission line passes through the forest land, appropriate permission would be
required to obtain from the forest department.
18. The project authority shall extend active cooperation to DOE officials to facilitate their visit
to the site as and when necessary.
19. This clearance is valid only for the proposed Anowara-Matarbari Coal Fired Power Station
400KV Transmission Line as figured out in the EIA report submitted to this department.
20. This Environmental Clearance shall entitle the aforesaid entrepreneur to open LC for
equipment.
21. Without prior approval from the DOE, no alteration/change could be made on the informed
matters like: location of the Transmission Route, Technology & Operating process.
22. Anowara-Matarbari Coal Fired Power Station 400KV Transmission Line Project authority
shall extend active cooperation to DOE officials to facilitate their visit to the site as and
when necessary.
23. This clearance is valid for one year from the date of issuance and the project authority shall
apply for renewal to the Cox’s Bazar District Office of DOE with a copy to Head Office of
DOE in Dhaka at least 30 days ahead of expiry.
24. Violation of any of the above mentioned conditions shall render this Environmental
Clearance as void and legal action will be taken as per Environmental Conservation Act,
25. This Environmental Clearance Certificate has been issued with the approval of the
appropriate authority.

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