

F. No. Q-15018/55/2017-CPW  
Government of India  
Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change  
(CP Division)

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Dated, the 9<sup>th</sup> June, 2020

To

**M/s Skylab Analytical Laboratory,  
202 & 302, CFC-3, Asmeeta Texpa,**

Plot No.-1, Addl. Kalyan Bhiwandi Industrial Area,  
M.I.D.C., Village Kon, Tal- Bhiwandi, Dist-Thane-421311, Maharashtra

**Subject: Recognition of M/s Skylab Analytical Laboratory, 202 & 302, CFC-3, Asmeeta Texpa, Plot No.-1, Addl. Kalyan, Bhiwandi Industrial Area, M.I.D.C., Village Kon, Tal- Bhiwandi, Dist-Thane-421311, Maharashtra as Environmental Laboratory under the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 – regarding.**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to your application dated 11.08.2019 for recognition of your laboratory under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 at the new address and Action Taken Reports submitted thereafter. Based on the recommendations of the Expert Committee for recognition of Environmental Laboratories in its 62<sup>nd</sup> meeting held on 17.03.2020 and your acceptance of the revised terms and conditions at Annexure-III & IV of the Guidelines for recognition of Environmental Laboratories, this Ministry approves the renewal of recognition of M/s Skylab Analytical Laboratory, 202 & 302, CFC-3, Asmeeta Texpa, Plot No.-1, Addl. Kalyan Bhiwandi Industrial Area, M.I.D.C., Village Kon, Tal- Bhiwandi, Dist-Thane-421311, Maharashtra, as shall be notified in the Gazette of India. **Considering the current validity of mandatory accreditations/certifications of the laboratory, this recognition shall be valid up to 16.02.2021.**

2. As sought in your aforementioned application, M/s Skylab Analytical Laboratory, Thane may undertake the following tests:

- (i) **Physical Tests:** Conductivity, Colour, pH, Fixed & volatile solids, Total solids, Total dissolved solids, Total suspended solids, Turbidity, Temperature, Velocity & discharge measurement of industrial effluent stream, Flocculation test (Jar Test), Odour, Salinity, Settleable solids and Sludge volume index.
- (ii) **Inorganic (General & Non-metallic):** Acidity, Alkalinity, Ammonical nitrogen, Chloride, Chlorine residual, Dissolved oxygen, Fluoride, Total hardness, Total kjehldal nitrogen, Nitrite nitrogen, Nitrate nitrogen, Phosphate, Sulphate, Bromide, Carbon dioxide, Chlorine demand, Silica, Cyanide, Sulphide.
- (iii) **Inorganic (Trace metals):** Boron, Cadmium, Calcium, Chromium Total, Chromium Hexavalent, Copper, Iron, Lead, Magnesium, Mercury, Nickel, Potassium, Sodium, Sodium absorption ratio, Zinc, Arsenic, Aluminum, Barium, Manganese and Antimony.
- (iv) **Organics (General) and Trace Organics:** Bio-chemical oxygen demand (BOD), Chemical oxygen demand (COD), Oil & grease, Phenol, Pesticide (Organo-chlorine, Organo nitrogen-phosphorous), Total organic carbon, Surfactants, Poly-Chlorinated biphenyl (PCB's) each, Polynuclear aromatic hydrocarbon (PAH) each, Organic Carbon (in Solid).
- (v) **Microbiological Tests:** Total Coliform, Faecal Coliform, Faecal streptococci, E. coli, Total Plate count and Enterococcus.
- (vi) **Toxicological Tests:** Bioassay method for evaluation of toxicity using fish, Measurement of toxicity factor using Daphnia or other organism.
- (vii) **Biological Tests:** Benthic organism identification and count, Planktonic identification count, Chlorophyll, Primary productivity.
- (viii) **Hazardous Waste:** Preparation of Leachate (TCLP extract/ water extract), Corrosivity, Ignibility (Flash Point), Measurement of heavy metals/ pesticides in the waste/ leachate



- (ix) **Soil/ Sludge/ Sediment and Solid Waste:** Boron, Cation Exchange Capacity, Electrical Conductivity, Nitrogen available, Organic carbon/ matter (chemical method), pH, Phosphorous (available), Phosphate (ortho), Phosphate (total), Potassium, SAR in soil extract, Sodium, Soil moisture, TKN, Calorific value, Ammonia, Bicarbonate, Calcium, Chloride, Colour, Exchangeable Sodium Percentage (ESP), Heavy metal, Magnesium, Nitrate, Nitrite, Potash (available), Sulphate, TOC and Water holding capacity.
- (x) **Ambient Air/ Fugitive Emissions:** Nitrogen dioxide (NO<sub>2</sub>), Sulphur dioxide (SO<sub>2</sub>), Total Suspended particulate matter, Respirable suspended particulate matter (PM<sub>10</sub>), Ammonia, Carbon monoxide, Chlorine, Fluoride, Non methane hydrocarbon, Lead, Methane, Ozone, Benzene Toluene Xylene, Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbon (PAH) Benzo-a-pyrine & others, PM<sub>2.5</sub> and Volatile Organic Carbon.
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- (xi) **Stack Gases/ Source Emission:** Particulate matter, Sulphur dioxide, Velocity & flow, Carbon dioxide, Carbon Monoxide, Temperature, Oxygen, Oxides of nitrogen, Acid mist, Ammonia, Fluoride (Particulate), Fluoride(Gaseous), Hydrochloric acid, Hydrogen Sulphide and Carbon disulphide.
- (xii) **Noise Level:** Noise level measurement (20 to 140 dba), Ambient Noise & Source-specific Noise.
- (xiii) **Meteorological:** Ambient temperature, Wind direction, Wind speed, Relative Humidity, Solar radiation and Rainfall.
- (xiv) **Vehicular Emission Monitoring:** Carbon monoxide, Hydrocarbon.

3. Further, the following analysts have been approved for recognition as Government Analysts.

- (i) Mr. Balkrishna Shahaji Pansare  
(ii) Mr. Pradeep Vinayak Pimputkar  
(iii) Mr. Saurabh Balkrishna Pansare

4. The laboratory shall compulsorily participate in the Analytical Quality Control (AQC) exercise conducted by the Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB) at least once a year to ascertain the capability of the laboratory and analyses carried out and shall submit quarterly progress reports to this Ministry.

5. Periodic surveillance of the recognized environmental laboratory will be undertaken by this Ministry/ CPCB to assess its proper functioning, systematic operation and reliability of data generated at the laboratory.

6. It is mandatory for the laboratory to have requisite accreditations of NABL/ ISO 9001 and OHSAS and its renewal as per accreditation rules. This recognition is subject to such accreditations and renewal, as applicable. **The laboratory may approach this Ministry for further extension of validity of recognition after renewal of the mandatory accreditations/ certification concerned.** Such application for extension of validity may be submitted to this Ministry in due advance, preferably before 6 months.

7. The laboratory should compulsorily follow the accepted Terms & Conditions. In case of serious non-compliance of any of the Terms and Conditions, the laboratory may be black-listed for a minimum period of two years and civil/ criminal proceedings, as applicable, may be initiated for performing functions on behalf of the Government in an unauthorized manner.

Yours faithfully,

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