

Decision of Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change with respect to import and export of hazardous and other waste under the Hazardous and other Wastes (Management & Transboundary Movement) Rules, 2016 as approved by the Competent Authority on the basis of recommendation of the 115th Meeting of Expert Committee (EC) held on 4th August, 2022.

Initial discussion/decision of Expert Committee:

i. Criteria for allowing import of used oil under Basel No. A3020:

The Expert Committee (EC) deliberated on the criteria/modalities for allowing import permission of used oil (Waste mineral oils unfit for their originally intended use). The Member of the Committee representing CPCB informed that CPCB have already developed standard operating procedure (SOP) for used oil sector. The EC after discussing the issue was of the opinion that CPCB may forward copy of SOP and other relevant document to the chairman and member of EC so that the EC will discuss the issue in next meeting and finalized the criteria/modalities for allowing import of used oil.

ii. Minimum GST paid per ton for allowing import of used rubber/ tyre waste

The EC after detailed deliberation decided that the production quantity for calculating the eligible quantity of used rubber/tyre waste should be based on minimum GST of Rs.1500/Tonnes. However, in case where GST is less than Rs. 1500/Tonnes, the production quantity should be reduced proportionately for calculating the eligible quantity of used rubber/tyre waste. Unsold stock, if any, shall be added in the production quantity. Also, the quantity exported or supplied to SEZ will be excluded from above criteria for calculation. These guidelines have been followed for the cases discussed in this meeting as well.

Consideration of Proposals: The EC considered the proposals as per agenda adopted for the meeting. The details of deliberations held and decisions taken in the meeting are as under:

AGENDA NO. 1. IMPORT OF LEAD SCRP (B1020/A1160)

1.1 M/s Gravita India Ltd.

The applicant has two units in Gujarat – one in Gandhidham and the other in Mundra. The application seeks transfer of import permission of Lead Scraps given to Gravita Gandhidham unit to Gravita Mundra unit. The import permission was granted by the Ministry to Gravita Gandhidham unit for import of 18,166 MT of Lead Scrap including RAINS vide its letter No. 23/52/2017-HSMD dated 7th May, 2022. The applicant has mentioned that they have not imported nor booked any Lead Scraps against existing Import Permission given to Gandhidham Unit.

Recommendation: Based on the information and details submitted by applicant, the EC after detailed deliberation recommended to transfer the import permission given to M/s Gravita Gandhidham unit to M/s Gravita Mundra unit subject to submission of revised CTO/Authorisation indicating inclusion of automatic battery breaking unit and condition that M/s Gravita India Ltd shall close Gandhidham Unit after consuming existing raw material available at Gandhidham Unit.

1.2. M/s Carven Alloys, Hapur, Uttar Pradesh (New Application)

The application pertains to import of 54,000 MT of Lead Scrap (ISRI Code: ISRI Code: Rails, Racks, Ropes, Radio, Rents, Relay & Rakes). The applicant has furnished Form 5, Justification for import, Process flow

chart indicating adequate pollution control equipment, Lead analysis report in soil, air, water, stack and blood of the workers. The Consent to Operate No. 50511/UPPCB/Circle1(UPPCBHO)/CTO/air/HAPUR/2019 & 50497/ UPPCB/ Circle1 (UPPCBHO) /CTO/water/HAPUR/2019 dated 23rd February, 2019 is valid up to 31st December, 2023 and Authorization No. 7679/UPPCB/Circle1 (UPPCBHO) /HWM/HAPUR/2019 dated 18th May, 2019 is valid up to 17th May, 2023. The consented capacity for Lead ingots is 30 MTD. The unit has working strength at 39 no. of employees. The date of establishment is 06th May, 2016. The production in last FY (2021-22) is 2,572 MT and export in last FY year (2021-22) is NIL. Site visit has not been conducted yet by CPCB.

Recommendation: Based on the information and details submitted by applicant, the EC recommended import of 1,430 MT of Lead Scrap (ISRI Code: Rails, Racks, Ropes, Radio, Rents, Relay & Rakes) (B1020) that may be granted after receipt of site visit report from CPCB stating compliance of SOP without referring the application to the EC.

1.3. M/s Chloride Metals Limited, Kolar, Karnataka (F.No.23-153/2014-HSMD)

The application pertains to import of 36,000 MT of Lead Scrap (ISRI Code: Rails, Racks, Ropes, Radio, Rents, Relay & Rakes and RAINS). The applicant has furnished Form 5, Justification for import, Process flow chart indicating adequate pollution control equipment, Lead analysis report in soil, air, water, stack and blood of the workers. The Consent to Operate No. AW-326177 dated 13th August, 2021 is valid up to 30th June, 2026 and Authorization No. 326288 dated 19th August, 2021 is valid up to 30th June, 2026. The consented capacity for Lead Alloys is 9,500 MT/month and Small components (Lead Alloys) is 500 MT/Month. The unit has working strength at 400 no. of employees. The actual date of operation is 29th May, 2003. The production in last FY (2021-22) is 73,731 MT and export in last FY year (2021-22) is 400.60 MT. The previous permission was given for the import of 10,000 MT of Lead Scrap vide letter dated 07/07/2017 with a validity of 18 months. The site visit by CPCB was conducted on 27th April, 2017.

Recommendation: Based on the information and details submitted by applicant, the EC recommended import of 36,000 MT of Lead Scrap (ISRI Code: Rails, Racks, Ropes, Radio, Rents, Relay, Rakes with not more than 2% of liquid/electrolyte by weight in a given lot/consignment/container) (B1020/A1160). The 50% of the quantity recommended above (18,000 MT) may be granted now and the rest 50% (18,000 MT) may be granted after submission of site visit report by CPCB stating compliance of SOP without referring the application to the EC. The import of RAINS(A1160) is allowed subject to the Prior Informed Consent (PIC) of the exporting country.

1.4. M/s Etasha Batteries (P) Ltd, Hyderabad (new)

The application pertains to import of 70,000 MT of Lead Scrap (ISRI Code: Radio, Rakes, Relays, Ropes, Rents, Rails, Rains). The applicant has furnished Form 5, Justification for import, Process flow chart indicating adequate pollution control equipment, Lead analysis report in soil, air, water, stack and blood of the workers. The Consent to Operate and Authorization Order No. 158-RO-HYD/TSPCB/ZOH/TS-iPass/CFO/2022-223 dated 27th June, 2022 is valid up to 31st May, 2027. The consented capacity for Refined Lead/ Alloys of Lead/Pure Lead is 7200 Tons/year. The unit has working strength at 46 no. of employees. The date of establishment is 27th March, 2017 and the actual date of operation is 05th June, 2017. The production in previous FY 2021-22 is 2,672 MT. The applicant has not exported any product. CPCB visited the unit on 11th August, 2021. CPCB submitted the inspection report which is not complying with SOP and suggested some improvements. The matter was discussed in 113th Meeting of EC wherein EC recommended for re-verification by CPCB of the improvement made by the applicant to comply with the SOP and put up the case in next EC. The CPCB done the re-verification on 7th April, 2022 and submitted the verification report stating that the unit is complying with SOP for Lead scrap only.

Recommendation: Based on the information and details submitted by applicant, the EC recommended import of 1485 MT of Lead Scrap (ISRI Code: Radio, Rakes, Relays, Ropes, Rents, Rails) (B 1020).

1.5. M/s Nikita Industries Pvt Ltd, Sonapat, Haryana (New Application)

The application pertains to import of 10,000 MT of Lead Scrap (ISRI Code: Rails, Racks, Ropes, Radio, Rents, Relay & Rakes). The applicant has furnished Form 5, Justification for import, Process flow chart indicating adequate pollution control equipment, Lead analysis report in soil, air, water, stack and blood of the workers. The Consent to Operate No. HSPCB/Consent/: 330782019SONCTO6298719 dated 28th February, 2019 is valid up to 31st March, 2023 and Authorization No. 1/SNP/2018/RCRR/HW/HSPCB dated 11th April, 2018 is valid up to 10th April, 2023. The consented capacity for Lead ingots is 60 MTD. The production in last FY (2021-22) is 16,251 MT and export in last FY year (2021-22) is 23.20 MT.

Recommendation: Based on the information and details submitted by applicant, the EC recommended import of 9,000 MT of Lead Scrap (ISRI Code: Rails, Racks, Ropes, Radio, Rents, Relay & Rakes) (B1020) that may be granted after receipt of site visit report from CPCB stating compliance of SOP without referring the application to the EC.

AGENDA NO. 2. IMPORT OF USED RUBBER TYRES SCRAP (BASEL NO. B3140/B3080/B3040)

2.1. M/s Dashmesh Rubber Industries Pvt Ltd, Valsad, Gujarat (F. No. 23-39/2015-HSMD)

The application pertains to import of 90,000 MT of Old and Used Rubber Tyre Scrap. The applicant has furnished Form 5, Process flow chart indicating adequate pollution control Equipment. The Combined Consent to Operate and Authorization No. AWH-116408 dated 23rd December, 2021 is valid up to 31st December, 2022. The consented capacity for Reclaim Rubber is 7500 MT/Month. The year of establishment is 2010. The actual date of operation is 27th June, 2012. The unit has connected load of 1000 KVA and the actual electricity consumption is Rs. 5,12,82,342/- in FY 2021-22. The production in last FY (2021-22) is 41,136.110 MT. The unit has exported 500 MT of Reclaimed Rubber Sheet during FY 2021-22. GST of Rs. 8,11,48,929/- was paid by the applicant during 2021-22. The previous permission was given for the import of 12,100 MT of used rubber tyres scrap *vide* letter dated 15th May, 2022 with a validity of 18 months, out of which only 10,700 MT of old and used rubber tyres scrap was imported. The site visit by CPCB was conducted on 2nd June, 2022.

Recommendation: Based on the information/details submitted and GST paid by the applicant, the EC after deliberated upon the proposal, recommended import of 27,755 MT of Old and Used Rubber Tyre Scrap (B3080 and B3140).

2.2. M/s Sahyog Enterprises, Junagadh, Gujarat (new application)

The application pertains to import of 1,44,000 MT of Used rubber tyre scrap. The applicant has furnished Form 5, Process flow chart indicating adequate pollution control Equipment. The Combined Consent to Operate and Authorization No. AW-54619 dated 23rd May, 2022 is valid up to 27th July, 2029. The consented capacity for Crumb Rubber is 12000 MT/Month. The unit has working strength of 16 no. of employees. The actual month and year of operation is July, 2022. The unit has connected load of 500 KVA and 600 KVA through Generator Set. Site visit by CPCB has not conducted yet.

Recommendation: Based on the information/details submitted and GST paid by the applicant, the EC after deliberated upon the proposal, recommended import of 1500 MT of Used Rubber Tyre Scrap (B3140) that may be granted after receipt of site visit report from CPCB stating compliance of SOP without referring the application to the EC.

2.3 M/s Valencia Rubber Tech LLP, Morbi, Gujarat (F. No.23/24/2018-HSMD)

The application pertains to import of 15,000 MT of Old/used rubber tyres scrap/tube scrap for manufacturing of crumb rubber. The applicant has furnished Form 5, Process flow chart indicating adequate pollution control Equipment. The Combined Consent to Operate and Authorization No. W-23147 dated 26th April, 2017 is valid up to 18th April, 2027. The consented capacity for Crumb Rubber is 5000 MT per Month. The unit has working strength of 37 no. of employees. The production and sales in last FY (2021-22) is 18,992.21 MT and 13,994.21 MT respectively. The stock left under last FY (2021-22) is 4,998 MT. The unit has not exported any product. The actual date of operation is 10th May, 2017. The unit has connected load of 525 KVA and the actual electricity consumption is Rs. 40,22,041/- in FY 2021-22. GST of Rs. 1,39,29,464/- was paid by the applicant during 2021-22. The previous permission was given for the import of 18,580 MT used rubber tyres scrap, vide letter dated 02nd February, 2022 with a validity of 18 months, out of which only 14,170 MT of Old/used rubber tyres scrap/tube scrap for manufacturing of crumb rubber was imported. The site visit by CPCB was conducted on 13th July, 2021.

Recommendation: Based on the information/details submitted and GST paid by the applicant, the EC after deliberated upon the proposal, recommended import of 9,520 MT of Old/used rubber tyres scrap/tube scrap for manufacturing of crumb rubber (B3080/B3140).

2.4. M/s Rubtech Reclaim Pvt Ltd, Bharuch, Gujarat (F.No.23/65/2022-HSMD)

The application pertains to import of 12,000 MT of used rubber tyres scrap/tube scrap for manufacturing of reclaim rubber and crumb rubber. The applicant has furnished Form 5, Process flow chart indicating adequate pollution control Equipment. The Consent to Operate and Authorization No. AW-24851 dated 07th March, 2021 is valid up to 30th June, 2024. The consented capacity for: (i) WTR reclaim rubber is 350 MT per month, (ii) Butyl reclaim rubber is 350 MT per month, (iii) Natural reclaim rubber is 350 MT per month and (iv) Crumb rubber/rubber chips/rubber mulch is 6,000 MT per month. The unit has working strength of 21 no. of employees. The production in last FY (2021-22) is 6,983 MT. The unit has not exported any product. The actual date of operation is 12th January, 2016. The unit has connected load of 450 KVA and the actual electricity consumption is 75,22,353.51/- in FY 2021-22. GST of Rs. 71,72,671.56/- was paid by the applicant during 2021-22. The site visit by CPCB was conducted on 18th November, 2021. The previous permission was given for the import of 2,875 MT used rubber tyres scrap/tube scrap for manufacturing of reclaim rubber and crumb rubber vide letter dated 06th May, 2022 with a validity of 18 months.

Recommendation: Based on the information/details submitted and GST paid by the applicant, the EC after deliberated upon the proposal, recommended import of 3,190 MT of used rubber tyres scrap/tube scrap for manufacturing of reclaim rubber and crumb rubber (B3080 & B3140).

2.5. M/s Classic Rubber, Borisana, Gujarat (F. No.23/121/2021-HSMD)

The application pertains to import of 15,000 MT of Used rubber tyres scrap & tubes scrap for manufacturing of Crumb Rubber/Rubber Granules. The applicant has furnished Form 5, Process flow chart indicating adequate pollution control Equipment. The Consent to Operate and Authorization No. GPCB/CCA-MH2479/ID:72306/2820/16515 dated 17th February, 2021 is valid up to 30th September, 2026. The consented capacity for Rubber Gym Sheets is 50,000 Sheets/Month and for Rubber Granulates is 4700 MT/Month. The unit has working strength of 25 no. of employees. The production in last FY (2021-22) is 9916 MT. The unit has not exported any product. The date of establishment is 01/12/2013. The unit has connected load of 175 KVA and the actual electricity consumption is 15,56,718/- in FY 2021-22. GST of Rs. 1,22,55,101/- was paid by the applicant during 2021-22. The site visit by CPCB was conducted on 18th October, 2021. The previous permission was given for the import of 9,850 MT used rubber tyres scrap &

tubes scrap for manufacturing of Crumb Rubber/Rubber Granules vide letter dated 15th March, 2022 with a validity of 18 months.

Recommendation: Based on the information/details submitted and GST paid by the applicant, the EC after deliberated upon the proposal, recommended import of 5,450 MT of used rubber tyres scrap & tubes scrap for manufacturing of Crumb Rubber/Rubber Granules (B3080 and B3140).

2.6 M/s Shree Sadanand Rubber Industries, Jhajjar, Haryana (F. No. 23-145/2016-HSMD)

The application pertains to import of 10,000 MT of used rubber tyres scrap & tubes scrap. The applicant has furnished Form 5, Process flow chart indicating adequate pollution control Equipment. The Consent to Operate No. HSCB/CONSENT/:329805021JHACTO8506208 dated 21st January, 2021 is valid up to 31st March, 2026 and Authorization No. HWU/JHA/2021/16840178 dated 23rd November, 2021 is valid up to 31st March, 2026. The consented capacity for rubber chips and granules is 60,000 MT/A. The unit has working strength of 36 no. of employees. The production and sales in last FY (2021-22) are 4,503.07 MT and 3,612.20 MT respectively. The stock left under last FY (2021-22) is 891.50 MT. The unit has not exported any product. The date of establishment of the unit is 01st April, 2016 and the actual date of operation is 14th October, 2016. The unit has connected load of 120 KVA and the actual electricity consumption is 36,25,160/- in FY 2021-22. GST of Rs. 55,08,566/- was paid by the applicant during 2021-22. The previous permission was given for the import of 8500 MT of used rubber tyres scrap & tubes scrap, vide letter dated 04th June, 2021 with a validity of 18 months, out of which only 5400 MT used rubber tyres scrap & tubes scrap was imported. The site visit by CPCB was conducted on 10th April, 2021.

Recommendation: Based on the information/details submitted and GST paid by the applicant, the EC after deliberated upon the proposal, recommended import of 3,040 MT of used rubber tyres scrap & tubes scrap (B3040 and B3140) for manufacturing of rubber chips and Granules.

2.7 M/s RS Rubber Solutions, Ludhiana, Punjab (F.No.23/2/2018-HSMD)

The application pertains to import of 15,000 MT of used rubber tyres scrap/tubes scrap. The applicant has furnished Form 5, Process flow chart indicating adequate pollution control Equipment. The Consent to Operate No. CTOA/Varied/LDH2/2018/8880723 dated 17th December, 2018 is valid up to 30th June, 2023 and Authorization No. HWM/renew/LDH2/2021/16153329 dated 29th June, 2021 is valid up to 28th June, 2026. The consented capacity for Reclaim Rubber Sheet is 200 MT/Month. The unit has working strength of 17 no. of employees. The production and sales in last FY (2021-22) are 11,098 MT and 6,210 MT respectively. The stock left under last FY (2021-22) is 4,888 MT. The unit has not exported any product. The actual year of establishment is 2015 and the actual month of operation is January, 2016. The unit has connected load of 300 KVA and the actual electricity consumption is Rs. 14,12,120/-in FY 2021-22. GST of Rs. 61,87,390/- was paid by the applicant during 2021-22. The previous permission was given for the import of 12,180 MT used rubber tyres scrap/tubes scrap, vide letter dated 27th January, 2022 with a validity of 18 months, out of which only 8,000 MT used rubber tyres scrap & tubes scrap was imported. The site visit by CPCB was conducted on 10th April, 2021.

Recommendation: Based on the information/details submitted and GST paid by the applicant, the EC after deliberated upon the proposal, recommended import of 6,000 MT of used Rubber Tyres Scrap/Tube Scrap (B3080 and B3140) for manufacturing of Rubber Granules, Rubber Chips and Crumb Rubber.

2.8 M/s Delta Rubbertech, Jamnagar, Gujrat (New Application)

The application pertains to import of 20,000 MT of used rubber tyres scrap/tubes scrap. The applicant has furnished Form 5, Process flow chart indicating adequate pollution control Equipment. The Consent to Operate and Authorization No. AWH-55030 dated 08th June, 2022 is valid up to 07th December, 2025. The consented capacity for Crumb Rubber is 49,680 MT PA. The unit has working strength of 33 no. of employees. The production in last FY (2021-22) is 2,655 MT. The unit has not exported any product. The unit has connected load of 350 KVA and the actual electricity consumption is Rs. 13,82,615/- in FY 2021-22. GST of Rs.27,88, 263/- was paid by the applicant during 2021-22. Site visit by CPCB has not conducted yet.

Recommendation: Based on the information/details submitted and GST paid by the applicant, the EC after deliberated upon the proposal, recommended import of 1,240 MT of used Rubber Tyres Scrap/Tube Scrap (B3040 and B3140) that may be granted after receipt of site visit report from CPCB stating compliance of SOP without referring the application to the EC.

2.9 M/s Swarna Rubber Industries LLP, Ludhiana, Punjab (F.No.23/82/2022-HSMD)

The application pertains to import of 10,000 MT of used rubber tyres scrap/tube scrap for manufacturing of reclaim rubber. The applicant has furnished Form 5, Process flow chart indicating adequate pollution control Equipment. The Consent to Operate No. CTOA/Varied/LDH4/2021/15921855 dated 26th August, 2021 is valid up to 31st March, 2026 and Authorization No. HWM/Fresh/LDH4/2021/16376522 dated 02nd October, 2021 is valid up to 01st October, 2026. The consented capacity for Reclaimed Rubber is 100 MT per day. The unit has working strength of 46 no. of employees. The production in last FY (2021-22) is 8,735.66 MT. The unit has not exported any product. The actual date of operation is 26th August, 2021. The unit has connected load of 1200 KVA and the actual electricity consumption is Rs. 1,93,18,365/- in FY 2021-22. GST of Rs.3,33,66,770/-was paid by the applicant during 2021-22. The site visit by CPCB was conducted on 23rd March, 2022.

Recommendation: Based on the information/details submitted and GST paid by the applicant, the EC after deliberated upon the proposal, recommended import of 5,824 MT of used Rubber Tyres Scrap/Tube Scrap (B3080 and B3140) for manufacturing of reclaim rubber.

2.10. M/s Shri Mahavir Rubber Industry, Barnala, Punjab (F. No. 23-160/2016-HSMD)

The application pertains to import of 1,12,000 MT of used rubber tyres scrap. The applicant has furnished Form 5, Process flow chart indicating adequate pollution control Equipment. The Consent to Operate No. CTOW/Varied/MOG/2022/18201528 dated 04th April, 2022 is valid up to 31st December 2023 and Authorization No. 2689-90 dated 13th June, 2022 with no mention of validity. The consented capacity for Waste Tyres is 1,12,000 MT per year. The unit has working strength of around 15-20 no. of employees. The production in last FY (2021-22) is 4,918 MT. The unit has not exported any product. The date of establishment is 01st June, 2016 and the actual date of operation is 12th November, 2017. The unit has connected load of 300 KVA in FY 2021-22 and the actual electricity consumption is Rs. 28,20,000/- in FY 2021-22. GST of Rs. 1,51,13,490 /-was paid by the applicant during 2021-22. The previous permissions were given for the import of 8,030 MT used rubber tyres scrap/tubes scrap, vide letter dated 09th June, 2021 & 15th March, 2022 with a validity of 18 months. The site visit by CPCB was conducted on 11th January, 2021.

Recommendation: Based on the information/details submitted and GST paid by the applicant, the EC after deliberated upon the proposal, recommended import of 3,280 MT of used rubber tyres scrap (B3140) for production of rubber chips subject to the

condition that rubber chips shall only be sold to manufacturer of crumb rubber/reclaim rubber.

2.11 M/s Radhe Exim Pvt Ltd, Bhilwara, Rajasthan (F. No. 23-286/2014-HSMD)

The application pertains to import of 15,000 MT of Old/used rubber tyres scrap/tube scrap for manufacturing of crumb rubber. The applicant has furnished Form 5, Process flow chart indicating adequate pollution control Equipment. The Consent to Operate No. is RPCB/ROBHL/GIB-150/2965 vide letter dated 10th October, 2014 and validity is not mentioned and Authorization No. RPCB/HWM/2017-2018/HSW/HSW/244 dated 21st December, 2017 is valid up to 30th November, 2022. The consented capacity for Crumb Rubber is 30,000 MT. The unit has working strength of 36 no. of employees. The production in FY (2018-19) and (2019-20) are 11,629.148 MT and 17,931.931 MT respectively. The unit has not exported any product. The date of establishment is 20th September, 2014 and the actual date of operation is 15th October, 2024. The unit has connected load of 497 KVA and the actual electricity consumption is Rs.1,08,84,205/- during 2019-20. GST of Rs. 90,36,360/- was paid by the applicant during 2019-20. The previous permission was given for the import of 5,730 MT Old/used rubber tyres scrap/tube scrap for manufacturing of crumb rubber vide letter dated 19th February, 2021 with a validity of 18 months.

The matter was first discussed in the 107th Meeting of EC and the EC recommended site visit by CPCB when the plant is in operation. Upon directions of EC, CPCB conducted site visit on 14th February, 2022 and submitted the report stating that unit is complying with SOP. The case was again discussed in 113th Meeting of EC held on 25th & 26th April, 2022 and the EC decided to consider the application in next EC after data of 2020-21/2021-22 is provided, and after satisfactory verification of GST paid w.r.t. production data, export quantity (if any).

Now, applicant has, vide email dated 29th & 30th June, 2022, submitted the following details for FY 2021-22: (i) Production: 21,014.80 MT and (ii) GST Amount: Rs. 4,24,02,902/-. The applicant also informed that they produce rubber chips from 20-30 mm and crumb rubber varying sizes from 10-40 Mesh and supply these to Bicycle and Auto industries.

Recommendation: Based on the information/details submitted and GST paid by the applicant, the EC after deliberated upon the proposal, recommended import of 14,000 MT of Old/used rubber tyres scrap/tube scrap (B3080 and B3140) for manufacturing of crumb rubber.

2.12 M/s Oyster Industries Limited, Silvassa (F. No. 23-88/2015-HSMD)

The application pertains to import of 35,000 MT of Used rubber tyre scrap for manufacturing of crumb rubber. The applicant has furnished Form 5, Process flow chart indicating adequate pollution control Equipment. The Consent to Operate No. PCC/DDD/G5296/WA/AA/SU/12-13//512843 dated 01st November, 2021 is valid up to 30th November, 2022 and Authorization No. PCC/DDD/G5296/WA/AA/SU/12-13//512843 dated 01st November, 2021 is valid up to 30th November, 2022. The consented capacity for Crumb Rubber Chips is 29083 T/annum, Crumb Rubber Powder is 8760 T/annum and Crumb Rubber Granulate is 4380 T/ annum. The unit has working strength of 44 no. of employees. The date of establishment is 10th September, 2012 and the actual date of operation is 09th October, 2013. The unit has connected load of 800 KVA and the actual electricity consumption is Rs. 1,80,21145.48/- in FY 2021-22. The details of GST paid 2021-22 is Output GST: Rs.17,17,53,610 /-, GST Claim: Rs.14,77,62,715 /- and GST paid: Rs.2,39,90,895 /-. The previous permissions were given for the import of 18,940 MT used rubber tyre scrap for manufacturing of crumb rubber vide letters dated 04/10/2021 & 15/03/2022 with a validity of 18 months. The production in last FY (2021-22) is 47,750 MT. The unit has not exported any product. The site visit by CPCB was conducted on 14th July, 2021.

The matter was discussed in 114th Meeting of Expert committee held on 28th June,2022 and the EC told that the production data submitted by the applicant is above the consented capacity for tyre product. Also, the

GST claim is not commensurate with total GST and seems implausible. Accordingly, EC deferred the proposal till the applicant submits the clarification satisfactorily on the same.

The applicant now vide email dated 26th July, 2022 has submitted that total capacity of the unit is 48,180 MT, out of which capacity of rubber product is 42,223 and for Shredded steel scrap is 5,256 MT & for fibre is 701 MT. The production figure shows in CA certificate is 47,750 MT which includes production of steel bead wire and Fibre also. However, the production of Rubber Product is only 41,973 MT which is below the consented capacity of Rubber product which is 42,223 MT. Regarding GST, the applicant submitted that they are also in trading of Steel Scrap, so the total GST of Rs.17,17,53,610/- also includes GST paid on steel Trading. However, the actual GST on Rubber products was Rs. 8,51,08,723.54/- and the GST claim was Rs. 6,11,17,829.54/- & GST paid was Rs.2,39,90,894/-. They have also enclosed CA certificate on GST amount certified.

Recommendation: Based on the information/details submitted and GST paid by the applicant, the EC after deliberated upon the proposal. The committee noted that the input GST claimed on scrap rubber and the GST paid on final product was not commensurate. The representative from the unit claimed that GST of 18 per cent was paid on the scrap imported, which does not seem correct as GST at 5 per cent is leviable on the scrap. Considering this, the committee recommended that initially half of the eligible quantity i.e. half of 27, 980 MT or 13990 tons of Used rubber tyre scrap (B3040) for manufacturing of crumb rubber may be issued and the balance only after a complete verification of production and GST details.

2.13 M/s Phenix Enterprises, Ahemdabad, Gujarat (F. No. 23/30/22-HSMD)

The application pertains to import of 20,000 MT of used rubber tyres scrap/tube scrap for manufacturing of crumb rubber. The applicant has furnished Form 5, Process flow chart indicating adequate pollution control Equipment. The Consent to Operate and Authorization No. AW-50996 dated 18th December, 2021 is valid up to 30th November, 2031. The consented capacity for rubber reclaim/rubber crumb is 8,000 MT/month. The unit has working strength of 37 no. of employees. The date of establishment is 08th December, 2021 and the actual date of operation is 18th December, 2021. The unit has connected load of 425. The actual electricity consumption is Rs.1,05,21,841/- in FY 2021-22. GST of Rs. 1,86,42,190/- was paid by the applicant during 2021-22. The previous permission was given for the import of 1,500 MT used rubber tyres scrap/tubes scrap, vide letter dated 16th February, 2022 with a validity of 18 months. The production in last FY (2021-22) is 4,786.990 MT. The unit has not exported any product. The site visit by CPCB was conducted on 24th January, 2022.

The matter was last discussed in 114th Meeting of Expert committee held on 28th June, 2022 and the EC told that the applicant has not submitted the connected load, electricity consumption and GST paid for the FY 2021-22. Accordingly, EC deferred the proposal till the applicant submits these details.

The applicant now, vide email dated 24th & 25th July, 2022, has submitted that the production for FY 2021-22 is 5,120 MT, Electricity Connected Load is 300 KVA & Solar PV is 1200 KWA and DG Set is 100 KW; Electricity consumption is Rs.23,89,750/-; GST for FY 2021-22 is Rs. 51,35,267/-.

Recommendation: Based on the information/details submitted and GST paid by the applicant, the EC after deliberated upon the proposal, recommended import of 2,280 MT of used rubber tyres scrap/tube scrap (B3080/B3140) for manufacturing of crumb rubber.

2.14 M/s Buy and Sale Company, Ahmedabad, Gujarat (new file)

The application pertains to import of 60,000 MT of used rubber tyre scrap for manufacturing of crumb rubber/rubber granules. The applicant has furnished Form 5, Process flow chart indicating adequate pollution control Equipment. The Consent to Operate No. AWH-41285 dated 15th June, 2019 is valid up to 15th June, 2024 and Authorization No. AWH-41285 dated 29th June 2021 is valid up to 15th June 2024. The consented capacity for Crumb Rubber is 5,000 MT/month. The unit has working strength of 22 no. of employees. The date of establishment is 26th December, 2017 and the actual date of operation is 15th June, 2019. The unit has connected load of 350 KVA and 400 KVA through generator Set. The actual electricity consumption is Rs.12.19 lakhs in FY 2020-21 and DG Power Expenses is 13.27 Lakhs. GST of Rs. 19.36 Lakhs was paid by the applicant during 2021-22. The production in FY (2020-21) and FY (2021-22) are 29,890 MT and 30, 590 MT respectively. The unit has not exported any product.

The matter was last discussed in 111th Meeting of EC and the EC observed that the electricity & power expenses and GST amount paid are quite less in respect of production. The EC therefore, recommended that the case will be considered after receipt of site visit report from CPCB. CPCB has then submitted the site visit report stating that the unit is complying with the SOP. The site visit by CPCB was conducted on 9th February, 2022.

The case was then again discussed in 113th Meeting of EC held on 25th & 26th April, 2022 and the EC told that the electricity bill and GST paid by applicant is extremely low w.r.t. their production. Accordingly, EC deferred the proposal till the verification of electricity bill and GST paid, till next EC.

The applicant was then submitted the details that the amount paid for the electricity bills and DG Power during the year 2021 – 22 is Rs 26.18 Lakhs and amount paid for GST for the year FY 2021 – 2022 is Rs. 19.36 Lakhs They also submitted that their end product is Crumb Rubber Big size 10MM / 12MM / 20MM.

Recommendation: Based on the information/details submitted and GST paid by the applicant, the EC after deliberated upon the proposal, recommended import of 860 MT of used rubber tyre scrap (B3140) for manufacturing of crumb rubber/rubber granules.

2.15 M/s Vinora Industries, Chennai, Tamilnadu (F.No.23-136/2014-HSMD)

The application seeks extension of validity period of previous import permission granted for import of 2,020 MT of used rubber tyres scrap/tube scrap for manufacturing of crumb rubber vide letter dated 22nd February 2021 by at least 6 months. They have mentioned that they have got the DGFT license after 6 months i.e. in July, 2021 and they were able to import only 514.920 MT till now. The validity of the permission is till 21st August, 2022 only. They further mentioned that they were unable to procure the material at desired rate and demand cycle for customer base was at slow pace. Further, they have requested to amend the description of material and allow Truck, Bus and other Radial tyres either in Multiple Cut or in Pressed & baled form as per the 71st Meeting of the Technical Review Committee (TRC) held on 4th February, 2022.

Recommendation: The EC after deliberation on proposal, recommended the extension of validity for 6 months from the date of expiry of the permission, till 21st February, 2023. No request for further extension will be considered.

2.16 M/s SNR Reclamation Pvt Ltd., Ludhiana, Punjab (F.No. 23-86/2015-HSMD)

The application seeks extension of validity period of previous import permission granted for import of 2,350 MT of used rubber tyres scrap/ butyl tube scrap vide letter dated 23rd February 2021 by at least 6 months. They have mentioned that they have could not utilize this permission well in time due to expiry of Authorization in February, 2023 which has now been renewed and valid till 31/03/2027. Further, they have requested to amend the description of material and allow Truck, Bus and other Radial tyres either in Multiple Cut or in Pressed & baled form as per the 71st Meeting of the Technical Review Committee (TRC) held on 4th February, 2022.

Recommendation: The EC after deliberation on proposal, recommended the extension of validity for 6 months from the date of expiry of the permission, till 22nd February, 2023. No request for further extension will be considered.

2.17 M/s Fishfa Rubbers Ltd, Rajkot, Gujarat (F.No.23-80/2014-HSMD)

The application seeks extension of validity period of previous import permission granted for import of 13,150 MT of used rubber tyres scrap/tube scrap for manufacturing of reclaim/crumb rubber vide letter dated 18th February, 2021 & 9th February, 2022 by 1 year. They have mentioned that they have got the 2nd MoEF permission almost after 1 year and also due to Russia and Ukraine war worldwide supply chain was disturbed. Also the international sea freight is on higher side. Further, they have requested to amend the description of material and allow Truck, Bus and other Radial tyres either in Multiple Cut or in Pressed & baled form as per the 71st Meeting of the Technical Review Committee (TRC) held on 4th February, 2022.

Recommendation: The EC after deliberation on proposal, recommended the extension of validity for 6 months from the date of expiry of the permission, till 17th February, 2023. No request for further extension will be considered.

2.18 M/s Citrine Resources Pvt Ltd, Raigad, Maharashtra (F. No. 23/34/2018--HSMD)

The application pertains to import of 60,000 MT of Old/used rubber tyres scrap for manufacturing of crumb rubber. The applicant has furnished Form 5, Process flow chart indicating adequate pollution control Equipment. The Consent to Operate No. MPCB/SRO-Raigad-1/Consent/2012001112 dated 28th December, 2020 is valid up to 31st January, 2024 and Authorization No. MPCB/SRO-Raigad-1/Consent/2012001112 dated 28th December, 2020 is valid up to 31st January, 2024. The consented capacity for Rubber Chips/mulch is 60,000 MTA. The unit has working strength of 30 no. of employees. The production in last FY (2021-22) is 6,187.730 MT. The unit has not exported any product. The actual date of operation is 10th April, 2018. The unit has connected load of 150 KVA and 350 KVA through generator set. The power and fuel expenses is Rs. 14, 24,216/- in FY 2021-22. GST of Rs. 99,63,203.00/- was paid by the applicant during 2021-22. The previous permission was given for the import of 7330 Old/used rubber tyres scrap for manufacturing of crumb rubber vide letter dated 05th October, 2021 with a validity of 18 months. The site visit by CPCB was conducted in September, 2018.

Recommendation: Based on the information/details submitted and GST paid by the applicant, the EC after deliberated upon the proposal, recommended import of 4,126 MT of Old/used rubber tyres scrap for manufacturing of crumb rubber (B3140). The 50% of the quantity recommended above (2,063 MT) may be granted now and the rest 50% (2,063 MT) may be granted after submission of site visit report by CPCB stating compliance of SOP without referring the application to the EC.

2.19 M/s Aaradhya Eco Green Industries LLP, Palagarh, Maharashtra (F. No. 23/105/2018-HSMD)

The application pertains to import of 40,000 MT of Old/used rubber tyres scrap for manufacturing of crumb rubber/ chips/ Mulch (B3080). The applicant has furnished Form 5, Process flow chart indicating adequate pollution control Equipment. The Consent to Operate No. SRO-TARAPUR-1/CONSENT/1805000202/CC-CO32 dated 05th May, 2018 is valid up to 30th April, 2027 and Authorization No. SRO-TARAPUR-1/CONSENT/1805000202/CC-CO32 dated 05th May, 2018 is valid up to 30th April, 2027. The consented capacity for Rubber Chips/Rubber Mulch is 58,000 MTA. The unit has working strength of 19 no. of employees. The date of establishment is 18th August, 2017. The production in last FY (2021-22) is 8,315.036 MT. The unit has not exported any product. The unit has connected load of 200 HP and the actual electricity consumption is Rs. 15,31,914/- in FY 2021-22. GST of Rs.1,48,53,904/- was paid by the applicant during 2021-22. The previous permission was given for the import of 4,511 MT Old/used rubber tyres scrap for manufacturing of crumb rubber/chips/Mulch, vide letter dated 05th October, 2021 with a validity of 18

months, out of which only 3,510 MT Old/used rubber tyres scrap for manufacturing of crumb rubber/chips/Mulch was imported. The site visit by CPCB was conducted on 11th September, 2018.

Recommendation: Based on the information/details submitted and GST paid by the applicant, the EC after deliberated upon the proposal, recommended import of 5,540 MT of Old/used rubber tyres scrap for manufacturing of crumb rubber/chips/Mulch (B3080) subject to the condition that rubber chips shall only be sold to manufacturer of crumb rubber/reclaim rubber. The 50% of the quantity recommended above (2,770 MT) may be granted now and the rest 50% (2,770 MT) may be granted after submission of site visit report by CPCB stating compliance of SOP without referring the application to the EC.

2.20 M/s Tranformex Ferrous Pvt Ltd, Vadodara, Gujarat (F.No.23/6/2018-HSMD)

The application pertains to import of 20,000 MT of used Rubber Tyre Scrap/Tubes Scrap(B3080/3140). The applicant has furnished Form 5, Process flow chart indicating adequate pollution control Equipment. The Consent to Operate and Authorization No. AW42839 dated 05th September, 2020 is valid up to 30th June, 2025. The consented capacity for Crumb Rubber is 36,000 MTA. The unit has working strength of 27 no. of employees. The production and sales in last FY (2021-22) are 11,800.21 MT and 9,020.21 MT respectively. The stock left under last FY (2021-22) is 2780 MT. The unit has not exported any product. The unit has connected load of 225 KWA and the actual electricity consumption is Rs. 10,91,088.93/- in FY 2021-22. GST of Rs.90,47,205.77/- was paid by the applicant during 2021-22. The previous permission was given for the import of 3,300 MT used Rubber Tyre Scrap / Tubes Scrap, vide letter dated 08th December, 2020 with a validity of 18 months, out of which only 1,650 MT used Rubber Tyre Scrap / Tubes Scrap was imported.

This matter was last discussed in 99th Meeting of EC held on 3rd, 4th, 8th & 9th June, 2020 and the committee recommended that 50% of the total quantity recommended (3,300 MT) may be granted after submission of site visit report by SPCB without referring the application to the committee. Thereafter, Gujarat SPCB has, vide email dated 16th June, 2022, submitted the inspection report. Thereafter, the applicant vide email dated 29th July, 2022 has requested to consider the new application and dispose the previous 50% quantity approval as 18 months has already been passed after first permission letter.

Recommendation: Based on the information/details submitted and GST paid by the applicant, the EC after deliberated upon the proposal, recommended import of 5,870 MT of used Rubber Tyre Scrap / Tubes Scrap (B3080/B3140).

AGENDA NO. 3. IMPORT OF ANODE BUTTS (B2090)/ TITANIUM POWDER (B1031)/SPENT CATALYST

3.1. M/s Alchemy Corp, Belgaum, Karnataka (new application):

The application pertains to import of 12,000 MT of Anode Butts (B2090). The applicant has furnished Form 5, justification for import, chemical analysis report of the waste to be imported from accredited laboratory, process flow chart indicating adequate pollution control equipment and acknowledgement for receipt of copy of application from concerned State Pollution Control Board (SPCB) / Pollution Control Committee (PCC). The consolidated Consent to Operate(CTO) No. AW-329720 dated 10th February, 2022 is valid till 30th June, 2026 and Authorization Order No. 330231 dated 09th March, 2022 which is valid till 30th June, 2026. The consented capacity for Pre-processing of Used Anode butts is 1000 MT/Month. The unit has work strength of 16 nos. of employees. The previous permission was given for the import of 5,000 MT vide letter dated 29th April, 2021.

The matter was discussed in 113th Meeting of EC held on 25th & 26th April, 2022 and the EC decided to consider the application only after verification of requisite pollution control measures/equipment by CPCB. Till then, matter was deferred. Then, CPCB vide email dated 22nd July, 2022 has informed that the unit has facilities for processing the anode butt in an environmentally sound manner.

Recommendation: Based on the inspection report submitted by CPCB, the EC recommended import of 6,000 MT of Anode Butts (B2090).

3.2. M/s Lohum Cleantech Pvt Ltd, Gautam Budh Nagar, Uttar Pradesh (New Application)

The application pertains to import of 1400 T of Lithium Ion Battery for Recovery & Recycling (B1090). The applicant has furnished Form 5, justification for import, chemical analysis report of the waste to be imported from accredited laboratory, process flow chart indicating adequate pollution control equipment and acknowledgement for receipt of copy of application from concerned State Pollution Control Board (SPCB) / Pollution Control Committee (PCC). The consolidated Consent to Operate(CTO) No. 15559065 dated 02nd June, 2022 is valid till 31st December, 2024 and Authorization Order No. 15559065 dated 02nd June, 2022 which is valid till 31st December, 2024. The consented capacity for NiCO₃/GRAPHITE/GRAPHINE/CoSO₄/Li₂CO₃ is 600 MT/Month. The unit has work strength of 292 nos. of employees.

Recommendation: The EC recommended import of 1,400 MT of Lithium Ion Battery (B1090) for recovery & recycling that may be granted after receipt of site visit report from CPCB stating compliance of SOP without referring the application to the EC.

3.3. M/s Meril Health Care Private Limited, Valsad, Gujarat (F.No.23/68/2021-HSMD)

The application pertains to import of 2.65 MT of Medical Grade Titanium Powder for manufacturing of Knee & Hip Implants (B1031). The applicant has furnished Form 5, justification for import, chemical analysis report of the waste to be imported from accredited laboratory, process flow chart indicating adequate pollution control equipment and acknowledgement for receipt of copy of application from concerned State Pollution Control Board (SPCB) / Pollution Control Committee (PCC). The consolidated Consent to Operate(CTO) No. AWH-102449 dated 24th June, 2019 is valid till 31st March, 2024 and Authorization Order No. AWH-102449 dated 24th June 2019 which is valid till 31st March, 2024. The consented capacity for Bone Plate, Bone Screw, Nail is 58,000 Nos per month, Hip Implant is 5,000 Nos per month, Instruments for Hip is 25 Nos per month, Instruments for Knee is 25 Nos per month and Knee Implant is 15,000 Nos per month. The unit has work strength of 187 nos. of employees. The previous permission was given for the import of 900 KG vide letter dated 07th January, 2022 with a validity of 18 months.

Recommendation: The EC recommended import of 2.65 MT of Medical Grade Titanium Powder (B1031) for manufacturing of Knee & Hip Implants.

3.4 M/s Eurecat India Catalyst Services Pvt Ltd, Bharuch, Gujarat (F. No. 23-129/2015-HSMD)

The application pertains to import of 2,000 MT of Spent Catalyst /Waste Catalyst containing Alumina, Zeolite, Ni, Cd, Co, Cu, Zn, AS, V, Mo, Pt, Pd, W and precious metals (B1120/B1130/A2030). The applicant has furnished Form 5, justification for import, chemical analysis report of the waste to be imported from accredited laboratory, process flow chart indicating adequate pollution control equipment and acknowledgement for receipt of copy of application from concerned State Pollution Control Board (SPCB) / Pollution Control Committee (PCC).

The consolidated Consent to Operate(CTO) No. AWH-94340 dated 11th January, 2021 is valid till 03rd March, 2023 and Authorization Order No. AWH-94340 dated 11th January, 2021 which is valid till 03rd March, 2023. The consented capacity for (i) Regenerated Catalyst is 2,000 MTA and (ii) Rejuvenated

Catalyst- 1,000 MTA. The unit has work strength of 32 nos. of employees. The previous permission was given for the import of 2,000 MT vide letter dated 16/04/2021 with a validity of 18 months.

Recommendation: The EC recommended import of 2,000 MT of Spent Catalyst /Waste Catalyst containing Alumina, Zeolite, Ni, Cd, Co, Cu, Zn, AS, V, Mo, Pt, Pd, W and precious metals (B1120/B1130/A2030) for recycling/ recovery purpose. The import of Spent Catalyst (A2030) is allowed subject to the Prior Informed Consent (PIC) of exporting country.

3.5. M/s Greenliving, Vishakapatnam, Andhra Pradesh (F.No.23/71/2017-HSMD)

The applicant has requested for the extension of validity period of previous permission granted for import of 1,000 MT of used Anode Butts vide letter dated 27th July, 2020 by 1 year. They have mentioned that they have not imported any quantity due to COVID lockdowns & resultant disruption of global supply chains.

Recommendation: After deliberation on proposal, the committee observed that the permission expired in Jan 2022 itself and no import was made against it. Application of extension is made after 6 months from the expiry of the permission, so extension would not be possible. Hence the applicant may be advised to apply again for import permission.

AGENDA ITEM NO. 4: IMPORT/ EXPORT OF USED ELECTRICAL AND ELECTRONIC ASSEMBLIES/ E-Waste (PCBs) (B1110)

4.1. M/s Radio Design India Pvt Ltd, Gurgaon, Haryana (New Application)

The application pertains to import of 173 nos. of Used Equipment (EEAs) from Scotland for setting up facilities and not to be re-exported back (B1110). The applicant has furnished Form 5, justification for export, chemical analysis report of the waste to be exported from accredited laboratory, acknowledgement for receipt of copy of application from concerned State Pollution Control Board (SPCB) / Pollution Control Committee (PCC). As per CEC, the Manufacturing year is 1980-2020, the refurbishment not mentioned and the residual life is 7-29 years. The unit is expected to provide employment to more than 600 persons.

The case was last discussed in 114th Meeting of Expert committee held on 28th June, 2022 and the EC told that the applicant has not provided the name of the equipment. Also, some of the equipment is too old. The EC therefore recommended that applicant may submit the name of all the equipment, weight, list of equipment which is too old, name of OEM and method of disposal after end of life. Till then, matter was deferred.

The applicant now vide email dated 11th July has submitted the aforementioned details.

Recommendation: The EC after deliberation on proposal, recommended import of 160 nos. (out of total 173 nos.) of used test equipment whose manufacturing year is after 1990 from Scotland for testing purpose subject to the condition that this equipment will be disposed of after the end of life as per the prevailing Hazardous and Other Wastes (Management and Transboundary Movement) Rules, 2016 and E-waste (Management) Rules, 2016.

4.2. M/s Wipro GE- Healthcare Pvt Ltd, Bangalore, Karnataka (F.No.5-26/2014-HSMD)

The application pertains to import of 1,21,52,201 nos. (30889.1 Tons) of Refurbished/repaired medical spare parts (B1110) to be imported for providing warranty/ contract support to customers and equivalent no. of defective spare parts will be exported back. The applicant has furnished Form 5, justification for export, chemical analysis report of the waste to be exported from accredited laboratory, acknowledgement for receipt

of copy of application from concerned State Pollution Control Board (SPCB) / Pollution Control Committee (PCC). The previous permission was given for the import of 21,92,747 nos. vide letter dated 12th March, 2021 with a validity of 18 months. The unit is expected to provide employment to 900 field engineers. The re-export of items is 31,154 Nos.

Recommendation: The EC noted that these items will be imported for providing maintenance services in respect of machines supplied by the applicant. All the items are repaired/refurbished and will be used in place of defective components. The equivalent no. of defective components will be exported. The Committee therefore recommended import of 1,21,52,201 nos. (weight: 30889.1 Tons) of refurbished/repared medical spare parts from Singapore, France, USA, Japan and Republic of Korea subject to the condition that equivalent number of defective components will be re-exported annually.

4.3. M/s Solankili Logistics Management Pvt Ltd., Chennai, Tamilnadu (new application)

The application pertains to export of 124 nos. of Used EEAs (Server Rack) (B1110) to USA. The applicant has furnished Form 5, justification for export, chemical analysis report of the waste to be exported from accredited laboratory, acknowledgement for receipt of copy of application from concerned State Pollution Control Board (SPCB) / Pollution Control Committee (PCC). The Insurance Policy No. 6500034564 dated 02/03/2022 with the validity of 90 days. The applicant refers to SPCB letter mentioning non-requirement of CTO and Authorization. The unit is expected to provide employment to 22 nos. of employees.

Recommendation: The EC after deliberated upon the proposal, recommended export of 124 nos. of Used EEAs (Server Rack) (B1110).

AGENDA ITEM NO. 5: EXPORT OF SPENT CATALYST (B1130/B1150) / OTHER WASTE (B2030)

5.1. M/s World Resources Company, Indian Branch, Chennai, Tamilnadu (F.No.23-95/2009-HSMD)

The application pertains to export of 500 MT of Galvanic Sludge (A1050) from India to Germany for recycling/recovery/reprocessing purpose. The applicant has furnished Form 5, justification for export, chemical analysis report of the waste to be exported from accredited laboratory, and acknowledgement for receipt of copy of application from concerned State Pollution Control Board (SPCB) / Pollution Control Committee (PCC). Insurance Policy Certificate No. CL 162411913 dated 05th March, 2022 is valid up to 05th August, 2024. The Authorization Order No. BO/RO(HQ)/HWM/Authorisation/2013-B-710 dated 17th February, 2014 is valid up to 17th June, 2016. However, they have submitted the copy of acknowledgement of renewal. The annual capacity as per the Authorization for Galvanic Sludge is 4543 MT/A. The unit has 5 nos. of employees. The previous permission was given for the export of 2500 MT vide letter dated 30th August, 2011 till the validity of Authorization.

Recommendation: The EC recommended export of 500 MT of Galvanic Sludge (A1050) for recycling/recovery/reprocessing purpose subject to submission of renewed Authorization from State Pollution Control Board & with stipulation that Prior Informed Consent (PIC) of importing country is obtained.

5.2. M/s Tonchi Exports Pvt Ltd, New Delhi (F. No. 23/47/2018-HSMD)

The application pertains to export of 100 MT of Spent Automobile Catalyst (Metallic/Ceramic) (B1010/B1150/B2030) from India to Singapore, United Kingdom, South Korea, China and Japan. The applicant has furnished Form 5, justification for export, chemical analysis report of the waste to be exported from accredited laboratory, and acknowledgement for receipt of copy of application from concerned State Pollution Control Board (SPCB) / Pollution Control Committee (PCC). Marine Cargo Open Policy No. 31140121220200000003 dated 25th July, 2022 is valid up to 24th July, 2023. The Authorization Order No. DPCC/HWM/2018/3788-379 dated 11th September, 2019 is valid up to 24th September 2023. The annual capacity as per the Authorization for Waste/Spent of Automobile Catalyst (Metallic/Ceramic) is 100 MT/A. The unit has 5 nos. of employees. The previous permission was given for the export of 100 MT vide letter dated 27th July, 2020 valid till 31st July, 2021.

Recommendation: The EC recommended export of 100 MT of Spent Automobile Catalyst (Metallic/Ceramic) (B1010/B1150/B2030) from India to Singapore, United Kingdom, South Korea, China and Japan for recycling/recovery/reprocessing purpose.

5.3. M/s Aspire Overseas, Banaskantha, Gujarat (new application)

The application pertains to export of 60 MT of Cleaned Spent precious metal bearing catalyst (B1130) from India to Germany. The applicant has furnished Form 5, justification for export, chemical analysis report of the waste to be exported from accredited laboratory, and acknowledgement for receipt of copy of application from concerned State Pollution Control Board (SPCB) / Pollution Control Committee (PCC). Marine Cargo Open Policy No. 6500042666 dated 14th April, 2022 whose validity is not mentioned. The Authorization Order No. AW-54174 dated 06th May, 2022 is valid up to 24th September, 2023. The annual capacity as per the Authorization for Fly Ash Ceramic Honeycomb is 5 MT/ Month. The unit has 5 nos. of employees.

Recommendation: The EC recommended export of 60 MT of Cleaned Spent precious metal bearing catalyst (B1130) India to Germany for recycling/recovery/reprocessing purpose.

5.4. M/s Pearl Impex, Moradabad, U.P. (new File)

The application pertains to export of 50,000 MT of Induction Furnace Dust (A4100) from India to Saudi Arabia. The applicant has furnished Form 5, justification for export, chemical analysis report of the waste to be exported from accredited laboratory, and acknowledgement for receipt of copy of application from concerned State Pollution Control Board (SPCB) / Pollution Control Committee (PCC). Marine Policy No. 2002/E/239912505/00/000 dated 16/02/2022 valid upto 15/02/2023. The Authorization Order No.17446/UPPCB/Moradabad(UPPCBRO)/ HWM/MORADABAD /2022 dated 19th July 2022 is valid up to 14th July, 2027. The annual capacity as per the Authorization (Schedule-III (PartA-4100) for Induction Furnace Dust is 50,000 MT per annum.

The matter was last discussed in 112th Meeting of EC held on 25th & 28th February, 2022 and the EC told that the applicant want to export Induction Furnace Dust (A4100) which is a Hazardous Waste as per the HOWM Rules, 2016. The EC, therefore, recommended to take Authorization from Uttar Pradesh Pollution Control Board for consideration of application of export. Till then, the matter was deferred.

The applicant vide email dated 19th July, 2022 has submitted the Authorization under HWM Rules, 2016.

Recommendation: The EC after deliberated upon the proposal, recommended export of 5000 MT of Induction Furnace Dust (A4100) from India to Saudi Arabia that may be granted after verification of process, requisite pollution control measures/equipment by CPCB and with stipulation that Prior Informed Consent (PIC) of importing country is obtained.
