Minutes of 113<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Approval Committee for Dahej Special Economic Zone held on Friday, 15.09.2023 at 12:00 Hrs through Video Conferencing under the Chairpersonship of Shri Vijay Kumar, ITS, Senior Development Commissioner, Dahej SEZ.

A. List of participants is annexed as per Annexure-A.

(The quorum is complete as per section 13(5) of the SEZ Act, 2005 read with Notification dated 26.07.2007 of MOCI issued from F. No. 1/1/2006-SEZ, as out of the present, there were four designated members).

B. Ratification of the Minutes of last meeting of the Approval Committee.

As no comments/observations on the minutes of 112<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Approval Committee of the Dahej SEZ held on 18.07.2023 have been received from any member, Minutes of the Meeting as circulated earlier were unanimously ratified.

C. The following cases were discussed as per the Agenda:

Item No. 113.1 Fresh cases for unit in Dahej -SEZ:- One

Item No. 113.1.1 M/s. Meghna Colour Chem Pvt Ltd.,-

Application for setting up unit in Dahej SEZ

PAN No.: AAOCM7002K

Shri Kulwant Sing Rathore - Director of Applicant Company appeared before the committee through WEBEX video conference and explained their proposal in detail for setting up unit in Dahej SEZ.

- I. The proposal is for manufacture and export of Organic Pigments & Inorganic Pigments. Total cost of project is Rs.130.00 Cr and the project will generate employment for 100 persons.
- II. Total export for five years is projected at Rs. 44397.01 Lakhs with outgo of Rs. 4316.27 Lakhs resulting in Net Foreign Exchange earnings of Rs. 40080.74 Lakhs in five years.

The committee after detailed discussion unanimously **approved** the proposal subject to compliance of SEZ Act, 2005 and SEZ Rules, 2006 with the all other statutory Rules and Regulations of GPCB, MoEF etc.

Item No. 113.2

Deferred cases for Dahej -SEZ: - NIL

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Item No. 113.3

Other cases for unit in Dahej -SEZ:-

Item No. 113.03.01

M/s Sarju Impex Limited.,-

Application for amendment of HSN code in existing LoA.

Shri Kishan Dhameja, Chartered Accountant from M/s Sarju Impex Limited appeared before the Committee through WEBEX video conference and explained their request.

M/s Sarju Impex Limited vide their letter dated 08.08.2023 requested for amendment of the product ITC (HS) code in LoA. The unit informed that ITC (HS) chapter head mentioned in their LoA is 84 but the items for authorized operations in current tariff are classified under chapter 73 of ITC (HS).

M/s Sarju Impex Limited vide their letter dated 08.08.2023 requested for amendment in HSN Code is as below:-

Sr No	Items of Manufacture Under Chapter - 73 of ITC (HS)	Unit	Annual Capacity
1	High Pressure CNG & Industrial Gas Cylinders with dully fill with. Medical Oxygen, Carbon Dioxide, Cyclopropane, Ethylene, Hydrogen, Helium, Mixure of Oxygen and Carbon Dioxide, Mixer of Oxygen and Helium, Nitrogen, Nitrous Oxide, Oxygen, Acetylene, Ammonia, Argon, Boron trichloride, Boron trifluoride, Butadiene, Butane, Carbon Monoxide, Chlorine, Chlorine trifluoride, Chlorine pentafluoride, Coal Gas, Cyanogen, Cyanogen chloride, Dichlorodifluoromethane, Dichloromonofluoromethane, Dimethylamine, Ethane, Ethylamine, Ethy chloride, Ethylene, Ethylene Oxide, Fluorine, Hydrogen bromide, Hydrogen chloride, Hydrogen cyanide, Hydrogen fluoride, Hydrogen sulphide, Isobutane, Isobutylene, Krypton, LPG, Methane, Methanethiol, Mythyl acetylene, Methylamine and other gases.	Nos	1,39,200
2	High Pressure CNG & Industrial Gas Cylinders with Neck Ring, Valve, Cap, Cylinder Cascade, Valve Guard, Gas Kit and other accessories & equipment.		
3	Beverage Cylinders with other accessories & equipment.		
4	Fire Fighting Cylinders with other accessories & equipment.		
5	Accumulators with other accessories & equipment.		
6	Medical Cylinders with other accessories & equipment.		
7	Other Breathing accessories & equipment.		



The unit further informed that the products under HSN code 7311 does not fall under restricted item.

The Approval Committee after detailed discussion unanimously **approved** the request for amendment of the product ITC (HS) code in existing LoA subject to compliance of SEZ Act 2005, SEZ Rules 2006 and all other relevant Rules and Regulations. All other terms and conditions mentioned in the Letter of Approval shall remain unaltered.

Item No. 113.03.02

M/s HLE Engineers Pvt Ltd.

Application for addition of trading activity in the existing LoA.

Shri Hari Nair, AGM from M/s HLE Engineers Pvt Ltd appeared before the Committee through WEBEX video conference and explained their request.

M/s HLE Engineers Pvt Ltd Dahej-SEZ, vide their letters dated 04.09.2023 & 11.09.2023 requested for addition of trading activities in the existing Letter of Approval.

Sr	Product	ITC (HS)	Qty in MT
No.		Code	
1	Aclonifen	38089390	1900
2	Soda Ash	28362010	3000
3	Oleyamine	29211190	2500
4	Caustic Soda Flakes	28151110	1500
5	Catalyst	38151990	180

The Approval Committee after detailed discussion unanimously **approved** the request for Inclusion of additional items for trading activity in the existing LoA, subject to clearance / NOC from GPCB. The approval is further subject to compliance of SEZ Act 2005, SEZ Rules 2006 and all other relevant Rules and Regulations. All other terms and conditions mentioned in the Letter of Approval shall remain unaltered.

Item No. 113.03.03

M/s Sun Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd,-Application for Broad Banding / Inclusion of additional item for manufacturing in the existing LoA.

Shri Jagdish Jain, Plant Head & Shri Mahesh Tailor, DGM Indirect Taxation from M/s Sun Pharmaceutical Industries Limited appeared before the Committee through WEBEX video conference and explained their request.

M/s Sun Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd Dahej-SEZ, vide their letter dated 09.09.2023 requested for broad-banding/ inclusion of following additional item for export of manufacturing in the existing Letter of Approval.

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Sr	Name of the Finished Product	ITC	(HS)	Annual
No.		Code		Production
				Capacity
1	Ammonium Salt of polymer containing benzene polycarboxylic acids (BP-C2)	2917		144 MT/PA

The Approval Committee after detailed discussion unanimously **approved** the request for Inclusion of additional item of export for manufacturing in the existing LoA, subject to clearance / NOC from GPCB. The approval is further subject to compliance of SEZ Act 2005, SEZ Rules 2006 and all other relevant Rules and Regulations. All other terms and conditions mentioned in the Letter of Approval shall remain unaltered.

#### Item No.113.03.04 Monitoring of Performance of Dahej SEZ Units

The Approval Committee monitored the Annual Performance Reports (APRs) of following units of Dahej SEZ duly audited & certified by Chartered Accountants appointed by the units and export-import data verified by Specified Officer, Dahej SEZ. The details are as under;

#### Year 2016-17 & 2017-18 (Second Block of Five Years)

Sr. No.	Name of the SEZ Unit	Date of Commencement of Production/ Service activity	Months of operation as on 31.03.2018	Net Foreign Exchange Earning for the year (Rs. in lakhs)		Cumulative Net Foreign Exchange Earning
				2016-17	2017-18	(Rs. in lakhs)
1.	M/s. Roxul	15.04.2011	83 months	4354.82	2553.48	6908.30
	Rockwool					
	Insulation India		,			
	Pvt. Ltd.					

#### Year 2019-20 (Second Block of Five Years)

Sr.	Name of the SEZ	Date of	Months of	Net Foreign	Cumulative Net
No.	Unit	Commencemen	operation as	Exchange Earning	Foreign Exchange
		t of Production	on 31.03.2020	for the year	Earning
		/ Service		(Rs. in lakhs)	(Rs. in lakhs)
		activity			•
				2019-20	
2.	M/s. Firmenich	26.05.2010	118 Months	37722.00	237429.00
	Aromatics				
	(Production) India				
	Pvt. Ltd.				

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## Year 2020-21 (Third Block of Five Years)

Sr.	Name of the	Date of	Months of	Net Foreign Exchange	Cumulative
No.	SEZ Unit	Commencement	operation as on	Earning for the year	Net Foreign
		of Production/	31.03.2021	(Rs. in lakhs)	Exchange
		Service activity			Earning
				2020-21	(Rs. in lakhs)
2.	M/s. Firmenich	26.05.2010	130 Months	26315.00	26315.00
	Aromatics				
	(Production)				
	India Pvt. Ltd.				

### Year 2020-21 & 2021-22 (First Block of Five Years)

Sr. No.	Name of the SEZ Unit	Date of Commencement of Production/ Service activity	Months of operation as on 31.03.2022	Net Foreign Exchange Earning for the year (Rs. in lakhs)		Cumulative Net Foreign Exchange Earning
				2020-21	2021-22	(Rs. in lakhs)
3.	M/s. Tatva	24.04.2017	59 months	13391.04	15159.00	40411.69
	Chintan Pharma					
	Chem Pvt. Ltd.					

# Year 2020-21 & 2021-22 (Second Block of Five Years)

Sr. No.	Name of the SEZ Unit	Date of Commencement of Production / Service activity	Months of operation as on 31.03.2022	Net Foreign Exchange Earning for the year (Rs. in lakhs)		Cumulative Net Foreign Exchange Earning
			1	2020-21	2021-22	(Rs. in lakhs)
4.	M/s. Bitumode International Private Limited (Now M/s. Arham Biochem Private Limited)	29.03.2016	72 months	00.00	00.00	00.00

# Year 2022-23 (First Block of Five Years)

Sr.	Name of the	Date of	Months of	Net Foreign Exchange	Cumulative
No.	SEZ Unit	Commencement	operation as on	Earning for the year	Net Foreign
		of Production/	31.03.2023	(Rs. in lakhs)	Exchange
		Service activity			Earning
	,			2022-23	(Rs. in lakhs)
5.	M/s. Macson	20.11.2018	52 Months	65.98	2246.58
	Color Chem				
	Private Limited				

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The units at Sr. No.1, 2, 3 & 5 have achieved positive Net Foregin Exchange Earnings during the periods under review and the committee noted the same.

The unit at Sr. No. 4 i.e. M/s. Bitumode International Private Limited (Now M/s. Arham Biochem Private Limited) have not exported during the periods under review and therefore, explanation from the unit will be asked. Further, Specified Officer, Dahej SEZ was asked to find out the units in Dahej SEZ which have not made export, inspect the sites and inform the reasons for the same.

(Kundan Kumar)

Assistant Development Commissioner

Annexure-A

List of Participants of 113<sup>th</sup> Approval Committee Meeting of Dahej SEZ held on 15.09.2023:-

01	Shri Vijay Kumar, ITS	Chairperson
	Senior Development	
	Commissioner	
02	Shri Rahul Singh, ITS	DGFT, RA Ahmedabad
03	Shri Kishore Vaghamshi	GPCB- RO- Bharuch
04	Shri Rajeev Chhabra	AC- Income Tax, Circle-(2)(1)(1) Vadodara
05	Shri B.G. Vasava	DIC- Bharuch
06	Shri Mohan Singh Parmar, SO, Dahej SEZ.	Special Invitee
07	Shri Kundan Kumar, ADC, Dahej -SEZ	Coordinator
08	Shri Niraj Shah & Shri	Representatives, Dahej SEZ Limited
	Bhupendrasinh Vala	