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Ref: APL/Udupi/P-II/ENV/EC/MoEFCC/236/11/2023
Date: 27.11.2023

To,
Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forest
Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change,
Integrated Regional Office (Southern Zone)
Kendriya Sadan, Koramangala,
Bangalore – 560 034

Sub: Submission of Six-Monthly EC compliance report for Expansion by addition of 2x800 MW (Phase-II) at Udupi Thermal Power Plant

Ref: Environmental Clearance No: **J-13012/12/2015-IA.I (T) Dated: 01.08.2017**
CRZ Clearance No: **J-13012/12/2015-IA.I (T) Dated: 26.02.2018**

Dear Sir,

We are submitting herewith compliance to conditions laid down in the Environment Clearance (EC) for proposed expansion by addition 2x800 MW Udupi TPP.

A.	Specific Condition	Compliance Status
xiii	Skill mapping of the Project Affected People (PAF) be carried out on a long-term basis for their livelihood generation. A report is to be submitted within 3 months to the Ministry from the date of issuance of environmental clearance	Complied Skill Mapping Study of the Project Affected People (PAF) is already completed, and report has already been submitted to MoEFCC on 26.03.2018. Report has already been submitted along with previous compliance report.
B.	General Condition	
x	The project proponent shall advertise in at least two local newspapers widely circulated in the region around the project, one of which shall be in the vernacular language of the locality concerned within seven days from the date of this clearance letter, informing that the project has been accorded environmental clearance and copies of clearance letter are available with the State Pollution Control Board/Committee and may also be seen at the Website of MoEF&CC at http://envfor.nic.in .	Complied Environment Clearance copy has been advertised in three local newspapers. Copy of advertisement is already submitted along with previous compliance report.

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xi	A copy of the clearance letter shall be sent by the proponent to concerned Panchayat, Zila Parisad / Municipal Corporation, urban local Body and the Local NGO, if any, from whom suggestions/representations, if any, were received while processing the proposal. The clearance letter shall also be put on the website of the Company by the proponent.	Environment Clearance Letter has already been forwarded to Deputy Commissioner, Joint Director of District Industrial Center, Local Village Panchayat Offices, Zila Panchayat, Municipal Corporation, Local NGOs.
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Half yearly compliance of EC & CRZ clearance, condition wise will be submitted once construction and project development activities are started after PPA from the Government.

KSPCB has granted the Consent for Establishment (CFE) No: CTE-304934 dated 20.01.2018. As per the NGT order dated:14.03.2019 EC dated:01.08.2017 granted for UPCL for expansion by addition of 2X800 MW was suspended for one year and NGT order dated:31.05.2022, the MoEFCC is directed to consider the carrying capacity study report submitted before this Tribunal by the State of Karnataka which was conducted through the Environmental Management and Policy Research Institute, Department of Forest, Ecology and Environment, Government of Karnataka and that must be forwarded to the Expert Appraisal Committee (EAC) and the Expert Appraisal Committee (EAC) after considering the same, issue further/additional ToR incorporating the studies to be conducted on the basis of the recommendations made by the modified Expert Committee appointed by this Tribunal and also the carrying capacity study report submitted by the State of Karnataka and direct the project proponent to conduct a detailed EIA Study through an accredited agency and submit a report along with the application for grant of Environmental Clearance for expansion on the basis of the observations made by this Tribunal in this Judgment and Judgment dated 14.03.2019 and thereafter, on receipt of such EIA Report, the same will be forwarded to the EAC by the MoEFCC and thereafter, considering the same, the EAC shall make proper appraisal as contemplated under Stage-IV of EIA Notification, 2006 & subsequent amendments and if they decided to recommend the project, then recommend by incorporating the conditions which are required for the purpose of protecting environment applying the principle of "Precautionary Principle" and "Sustainable Development" and its impact on environment and the remedial measures to be taken in this regard.

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Udupi TPP has filed Civil Appeal bearing no. 6701/2022 against the NGT Order Dated:31.05.2022 in Hon'ble Supreme Court. The matter is still sub judice.

For your kind information & record please.

Thanking you,
Yours sincerely,
for **Adani Power Limited, Udupi**

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Santosh Kumar Singh".

(Santosh Kumar Singh)
Authorized Signatory

CC:

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