

Proceedings of Environmental Public Hearing held at Proposed Industry Project Site located at Sy.No.s24, 25/4, 25/5, 25/6, 32/1, 32/2. Byalihal Village and Sy.No.s 219, 221, 222/1A, 222/1B, 223/1, 223/2, 224/1, 224/2, 224/3, 224/4, 224/5, B.K.Yeragal Village, Sindagi Taluk, Vijayapura District on 12.06.2019, Wednesday at 11.00 A.M in respect of M/s Sangamnath Sugars Ltd towards proposed establishment of New Sugar Unit with Sugarcane crushing capacity of 10000TCD, Power generation using Co-gen Power Plant of capacity 38MW, 90 KLPD Molasses based Distillery and 3 MW Power generation by installation of Incineration Boiler.

VENUE: Project Site at Sy.No.s24, 25/4, 25/5, 25/6, 32/1, 32/2. Byalihal Village and Sy.No.s 219, 221, 222/1A, 222/1B, 223/1, 223/2, 224/1, 224/2, 224/3, 224/4, 224/5, B.K.Yeragal Village, Sindagi Taluk, Vijayapura District.

The Public Hearing was conducted as per the EIA Notification of MoEF & CC, Government of India, Dt. 14-09-2006 and subsequent amendment dated 01-12-2009

PUBLIC HEARING PANEL:

Shri. Prasanna.H, KAS, Chairman & Additional Deputy Commissioner, Vijayapura District, Vijayapura.	Chairperson
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OFFICERS PRESENT:

1. **Shri. Venkatesh Shekhar**, Senior Environmental Officer, Zonal Office, KSPCB, Kalaburagi.
2. **Shri. Pradeep Mamdapur**, Environmental Officer(I/C), Regional Office, KSPCB, Vijayapura.
3. **Shri. Adamsab**, Assistant Environmental Officer, Regional Office, KSPCB, Vijayapura.
4. **Dr. Anilkumar D. Talageri**, Assistant Environmental Officer, Regional Office, KSPCB, Vijayapura.
5. **Shri. Siddanna T.** Joint Director, Department of Industries Center (DIC), Vijayapura.



**REPRESENTATIVES OF M/S. M/S SANGAMNATH SUGARS LTD PRESENT IN
THE MEETING**

1	Shri. Manjunath R. Kabadi	Proprietor
2	Anand S. Kalyan	Director
3	Shivanand M. Dambal	EIA Consultant, EHS Lab Bangalore
4	Madhu Kumar. C	Environmental Consultant, EHS Lab Bangalore

**The attendance extract of public participated in the Public Hearing is enclosed as
Annexure-1**

As per the Notification issued by the Ministry of Environment and Forests, Government of India, on 14-09-2006, it is a prerequisite to get the Environmental Clearance from the Ministry of Environment and Forests and it is mandatory that an Environmental Public Hearing at the Project Site is held under the chairmanship of Deputy Commissioner or his/her representative not below the Rank of Additional Deputy Commissioner.

M/s Sangamnath Sugars Ltd have proposed to establish New Sugar Unit with Sugarcane crushing capacity of 10000TCD, Power generation using Co-gen Power Plant of capacity 38MW, 90 KLPD Molasses based Distillery and 3 MW Power generation by installation of Incineration Boiler on an area of 97.2 Acres located at Sy.No.s 24, 25/4, 25/5, 25/6, 32/1, 32/2. Byalihal Village and Sy.No.s 219, 221, 222/1A, 222/1B, 223/1, 223/2, 224/1, 224/2, 224/3, 224/4, 224/5, B.K.Yeragal Village, Sindagi Taluk, Vijayapura District. The project provides employment opportunity to about 350 No.s. Source of water for the project is from Bhima River. The proposed site is accessible through SH 16.

The Terms of reference (ToRs) for the project was accorded by Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Govt of India, New Delhi considering as A category as per the EIA Notification, 2006 and its amendments, vide its letter No. J-11011/278/2018-IA II (I) dated 14-10-2018 and informed the project proponent to request the Karnataka State Pollution Control Board to conduct the Public Hearing at the project location. The project proponent has requested vide letter dated 15-03-2019 to the Board to conduct the public hearing as per Notification vide its letter no. PCB/358/17 cat/EPH/HPI/2019-20/991 dated 09-05-2019.

The project proponent has submitted the copies of Executive Summary of the said project in Kannada and English along with draft EIA/EMP report to the Karnataka State Pollution Control Board, Bengaluru as laid down in the procedures of the EIA Notification (as amended on 01-12-2009). The Karnataka State Pollution Control Board has issued Paper Notification in State level leading Kannada daily newspaper '**Vijaya Karnataka**' and leading English daily newspaper '**Deccan Herald**' on 10.05.2019 and also issued Paper Notification in District level local newspaper "**Rajmarg**" on 11-05-2019 regarding the proposed project



by inviting objections/suggestions from the bonafide residents, NGO's, Environmentalists and general public who are affected from the proposed project, either by attending the public hearing/in writing/by e-mail to KSPCB and Chairman & Deputy Commissioner, Vijayapura District of public hearing panel.

The draft EIA report and Executive Summary of the project both in Kannada and English were placed at the following places for reference to the general public;

1. Deputy Commissioner's Office, Vijayapura,
2. Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Panchayath, Vijayapura
3. District Industry Centre, Vijayapura,
4. Regional Office, KSPCB, Vijayapura,
5. Regional Office, South Zone, MoEF&CC, Bengaluru,
6. Gram Panchayat of Byalihal Village, Sindagi Taluk, Vijayapura District.
7. Gram Panchayat of B.K.Yeragal Village, Sindagi Taluk, Vijayapura District.
8. Help Desk, KSPCB, Bengaluru for public reference.

Asst. Environmental Officer, KSPCB, Vijayapura Shri. Adamsab, has welcomed Additional Deputy Commissioner, Vijayapura, all the public, the officials of all departments and others and media who were present on the occasion, He has briefed the need for Environmental Clearance from Ministry of Environment & Forest, Government of India & the Environmental Public Hearing as per the EIA Notification. He informed that accordingly publicity was given in the newspapers 30 days in advance and explained the procedure of the Public Hearing and the documents kept for the Public Hearing; at differed places. He has requested the Additional Deputy Commissioner, to preside our the Public Hearing. He has informed the public to present all their submissions either in written or orally, which would be a part of this hearing. Entire proceedings were video graphed & audio.

Accordingly Sri. Madhu Kumar.C, on behalf of M/s. Environmental Health and Safety Consultants Private Limited (Environmental Consultants to the project and are accredited from NABET) explained in detail in power point presentation about the details of the project comprising of location aspects, process details and flow chart, water balance, material balance, environmental baseline study, anticipated environmental impacts and mitigation measures, Environmental Management Plan consisting of proposals to install APCs such as ESP to Boilers (140 TPH & 32 TPH Boilers), Fugitive Dust Control, ETP of 1000 KLD, Condensate Polishing Unit, ZLD System for disposal of Distillery Spent wash involving Evaporation, Concentration and Incineration, Solid & Hazardous Wastes Management, Greenbelt Development Plan, Environmental Monitoring Programme, Project Benefits, Budgetary aspects on implementation of Environmental safeguards and allied.

Kalaburagi Zonal SEO, Sri Venkatesh Shekar who was present in the meeting and informed gathering the public that environmental impact assessment report(Draft executive summary of the project) were kept in the designated places for public reference and briefed about the what company will manufacture the products and what are control measures they have been proposed.

He has also requested that the public may please express any issues related to Environmental problems lightly to be encountered with the proposed project, which are similar in other Sugar & Distillery units located in the nearby areas. There opinions would be recorded both video & audio, so that each of the remarks would be recorded in the in the official proceedings of the Public Hearing for taking further decision by the MoEF.

Accordingly, the following people have expressed there opinion viz.

1. Shri. Melligowda Patil, Yenkanchi Village

He expressed about his happiness towards the project and informed to provide Greenbelt Development Plan, Dust Control measures and install APC measures as stated to protect the environment and the public

2. Shri. Mallanna Managuli, Mannapura Village

He expressed about his happiness towards the project in the region and informed to provide employment opportunities to the locals and also to take care of by implementing all the APC measures stated.

3. Shri. Shivaputra Bagali, B.K.Yeragal Village

He expressed about his happiness towards the project in the region.

4. Shri. Santhosh, B.K.Yeragal Village

He expressed that, the project will help the farmers of the region and sought for speedy implementation.

5. Shri. Shrikanth Malled, Sindagi

He expressed about his happiness towards the project in the region which helps the 8 to 10 villages to supply of the cane to the factory. And we all formers will support the factory.

6. Shri. Malkappa Madivalappa Sungala, B.K.Yeragal Village

He expressed that, this project will benefit the region and also minimizes cane loss to the farmers due to proximity.

7. Shri. Malkappa Gurulingappa Shirsi, B.K.Yeragal Village

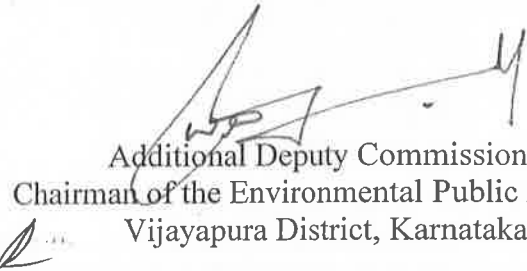
He expressed about his happiness towards implementation of the project in the region.

8. Suggestion letter from Rural Environmental Education Health Awareness Society through mail on 09-06-2019 this is enclosed as Annexure-2.

9. Suggestion letter from NEETHAA Swachanda Seva Society through mail on 10-06-2019 this is enclosed as Annexure-3.

The Additional Deputy Commissioner and Chairman, Environmental Public Hearing Committee, Vijayapura while addressing the meeting said that considering permission to proposed project with conditions that the project proponent shall take all precautionary measures during the establishment and operation of the unit by following guidelines/norms/conditions/directions stipulated by KSPCB and Ministry of Environment & Forest, Government of India and other competent authorities. The appeals, suggestions and grievances of the public have been recorded through video and the same would be made into CD's and the proceedings of the meeting as it is would be sent to the Ministry of Environment & Forest, Government of India, New Delhi for further action. Further insisted the project authorities to look into providing employment opportunities (Technical and Non-Technical) to the locals and is also part of their duties. Rendered his thanks to the public who attend the hearing.

Shri. Adamsab, Asst. Environmental Officer, Regional Office, KSPCB, Vijayapura rendered his vote of thanks to the Additional Deputy Commissioner, Vijayapura District and Chairman of the Environmental Public Hearing Panel, Senior Environmental Officer, Zonal Office Kalaburagi, KSPCB and its staff at Vijayapura, Project Authorities, general public, media, other department officers and police authorities who were present in the meeting.



Additional Deputy Commissioner &
Chairman of the Environmental Public Hearing
Vijayapura District, Karnataka

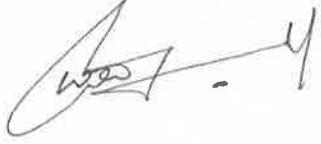


ಮ. ಸಂಗಮನಾಥ ಶುಗರ್ಸ್ ಲಿಮಿಟೆಡ್ ಇವರು ಸರ್ವೆ ನಂ. 24, 25/4, 25/5, 25/6, 32/1, 32/2, ಬ್ಯಾಲಿಹಾಳ ಗ್ರಾಮ ಹಾಗೂ ಸರ್ವೆ ನಂ. 219, 221, 22/ಎ, 222/ಬಿ, 223/1, 224/1, 224/2, 224/3, 224/4, 224/5, ಬಿಕೆ ಯೆರಗಲ್ ಗ್ರಾಮ, ಸಿಂದಗಿ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ವಿಜಯಪುರ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಹೊಸ ಉದ್ದಿಮೆಯನ್ನು 10,000 ಟೆಸಿಡಿ ಸಾಮರ್ಥ್ಯದ ಕಬ್ಬು ಅರೆಯುವ ಘಟಕ, 38 ಮೆಗಾವ್ಯಾಟ್ (ಒಫ) ಸಹವಿದ್ಯುತ್ ಉತ್ಪಾದನಾ ಘಟಕ, 90 ಕೆಎಲ್‌ಪಿಡಿ ಮೋಲಾಸಿಸ್ ಆಧಾರಿತ ಡಿಸ್ಪಿಲರಿ ಮತ್ತು ಇನ್ನಿನೇಷನ್ ಬಾಯ್ಲರ್ ನಿಂದ 3 ಮೆಗಾವ್ಯಾಟ್ (ಒಫ) ವಿದ್ಯುತ್ ಉತ್ಪಾದನಾ ಘಟಕ ಸ್ಥಾಪಿಸಲು ಉದ್ದೇಶಿಸಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಇದರ ಪ್ರಯುಕ್ತ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ಪರಿಸರ ಕುರಿತು ಆಲಿಕೆಯ ಸಭೆ.

ದಿನಾಂಕ: 12-06-2019.

ಸಮಯ: ಬೆಳಿಗ್ಗೆ 11.00 ಗಂಟೆ

ಸ್ಥಳ: ಯೋಜನಾ ಸ್ಥಳ

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ಕ್ರಮ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ	ಹೆಸರು ಮತ್ತು ಪದನಾಮ	ಸಹಿ
1	ಶ್ರೀ, ಶ್ರೀ. ಪುಸನ್ಯ ಹೆಚ್, ಅಪರ ಜಿಲ್ಲಾಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳು, ವಿಜಯಪುರ ವಿಜಯಪುರ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ.	
2	ಶ್ರೀ. ವೆಂಕಟೇಶ ಶೇಖರ, ಹಿರಿಯ ಪರಿಸರ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳು ವಲಯ ಕಛೇರಿ ಕ.ರಾ.ಮಾ.ನಿ.ಮಂ, ಕಲಬುರ್ಗಿ	 12/6/19
3	ಶ್ರೀ, ಪ್ರದೀಪ ಎಸ್. ಮಮದಾಪುರ ಪರಿಸರ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳು (ಪ್ರಭಾರ) ಪ್ರಾದೇಶಿಕ ಕಛೇರಿ ಕ.ರಾ.ಮಾ.ನಿ.ಮಂ, ವಿಜಯಪುರ	 12/6/19

