

# Government of India Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change Compliance Report 2024 01 Jun(01 Oct - 31 Mar)



# Proposal Details

Proposal Name	Pipeline and Diffuser System for Disposal of Treated waste water at Marine outfall point at District Devbhumi, Dwarka, Gujarat
Name of Entity / Corporate Office	M/s. Tata Chemicals Limited
Village(s)	N/A
District	DEVIDITIMI DWADYA

### **District** DEVBHUMI DWARKA

Proposal No.	IA/GJ/MIS/59359/2016
Plot / Survey / Khasra No.	N/A
State	GUJARAT
MoEF F <mark>ile No.</mark>	F. No: 11-34/2016-IA- III

Category	Only CRZ	
Sub-District	N/A	
Entity's PAN	NA	
Entity name as per PAN	NA	

# **Compliance Reporting Details**

**Reporting Year** 2024

Remarks (if any)

**Reporting Period** 01 Jun(01 Oct - 31 Mar)

# **Details of Production and Project Area**

Name of Entity / Corporate Office M/s. Tata Chemicals Limited

7%	Project Area as per EC Granted	Annual Project Area in Possession
Private	0	0
Revenue Land	o e-Payments	0
Forest	0	0
Others	0	0
Total	0	0

# **Production Capacity**

Sr. no	Product Name	units	Valid Upto	Capacity	Production last year	Capacity as per CTO
1	CRZ Clearance	Others:NA	N/A	NA	NA	

### **Conditions**

## **Specific Conditions**

Sr.No.	Condition Type	Condition Details
1	MISCELLANEOUS	The construction in CRZ areas shall strictly in accordance with the provisions of CRZ Notification, 2011 and as amended from time to time.

PPs Submission: Complied

The construction in CRZ areas will be strictly in accordance with the provisions of CRZ Notification, 2019 and as amended from time to time.

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Statutory compliance

All conditions/recommendations stipulated by the Gujarat Coastal Zone Management Authority (GCZMA) vide its letter no ENV-10-2016-74-E (T Cell), dated 28.06.2016 shall strictly be complied with.

### PPs Submission: Complied

The company is complying with all conditions/recommendations stipulated by the Gujarat Coastal Zone Management Authority (GCZMA); and the compliance of the same has been attached as Annexure - 1.

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Statutory compliance

The clearance is subject to obtaining prior approval of the standing Committee of the National Board of Wildlife, under Wildlife (protection) Act, 1972, before commencement of work.

### PPs Submission: Complied

National Board of Wildlife Clearance has been obtained vide letter No. WLP/32/B/1813-18/2017-18 dated 01.06.2017; Copy of the same is attached as Annexure - 2.

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Statutory compliance

'Consent to Establish' shall be obtained from State Pollution Control Board under the Air (prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 and the Water (prevention and Control of pollution) Act, 1974.

### PPs Submission: Complied

Consent to Establish has been obtained vide CTE-Amendment Order No. 70701 dated 01.10.2015. Extension and amendment of CTE- 107843 dated 02.06.2020 and copy of the same is attached as Annexure - 4.

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**MISCELLANEOUS** 

There shall be no dressing or alteration of the sand dunes, natural features including landscape changes for beatification, recreation and other such purpose.

### PPs Submission: Complied

There are no sand dunes along the proposed pipeline corridor. It is assured that no alteration in natural features including landscape changes for beautification, recreation and other such purpose will be undertaken.

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**MISCELLANEOUS** 

All waste (liquid and solid) arising from the proposed development will be disposed off as per the norms prescribed by State Pollution Control Board. There shall not be any disposal of untreated effluent in to the sea/coastal water bodies.

### PPs Submission: Complied

All waste (liquid and solid) will be disposed off as per the norms of the Gujarat Pollution Control Board and untreated effluent will not be released in to the sea / coastal water bodies.

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7 WATER QUALITY MONITORING AND PRESERVATION Installation of the Sewage Treatment Plant should be certified by an independent expert and a report in this regard should be submitted to the Ministry before the project is commissioned for operation. Treated effluent emanating from STP shall be recycled/reused to the maximum extent possible. Treatment of 100% grey water by decentralized treatment should be done. Discharge of unused treated effluent shall conform to the norms and standards of the State Pollution Control Board. Necessary measures should be made to mitigate the odour problem from STP.

### **PPs Submission:** Complied

Sewage Treatment Plant is already in operation for treatment of all sewage generated from company's existing township. Treated sewage is mainly recycled and reused for flushing purposes within company's township and surplus treated sewage is discharged into Arabian Sea as per prescribed norms. Test sheet of outlet has been attached as Annexure - 10. TCL has appointed an independent expert agency for Operation and Maintenance (O&M). Latest Performance report has been attached as Annexure - 5. To mitigate the odour problems from STP, soak pits and equalization tank are provided before the inlet.

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8 WATER QUALITY
MONITORING AND
PRESERVATION

The project proponent shall ensure that no ground water drawal is carried out within CRZ areas without prior approval of the Central Ground Water Authority. It shall also be ensured that untreated wastewater is not discharged outside the project premises. Wastewater generated shall be treated in STP and is reused for landscaping, flushing and HVAC cooling purposes. The project proponent should also make alternate arrangement for situation arising due to malfunctioning of STP. There shall be regular monitoring of the results of standard parameters of the effluent discharged from STP under intimation to the SPCB.

### PPs Submission: Complied

Tata Chemicals Ltd. assures that ground water will not be withdrawn within CRZ areas. Untreated wastewater will not be discharged outside the project premises. Domestic wastewater generated in the township is being/will be mainly recycled and reused for flushing purposes within company's township and surplus treated sewage is discharged into the Arabian Sea as per prescribed norms. Regular monitoring of treated sewage is being/will be conducted by the environmental laboratory of expert agency appointed for Operation and Maintenance of STP. Monitoring Results of ground water quality (last 6 months) has been enclosed as Annexure - 6.

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9 WATER QUALITY 9 MONITORING AND PRESERVATION Soil and ground water samples will be tested to ascertain that there is no threat to ground water quality by leaching of heavy metals and other toxic contaminants.

### PPs Submission: Complied

As the project falls in coastal area, Soil testing is not applicable due to availability of sand; however, company conducts monitoring of solids; results enclosed as Annexure - 9. Ground water monitoring results for heavy metals and other toxic contaminants has been attached as Annexure - 6.

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10 WASTE MANAGEMENT

Disposal of muck during Construction phase should not create any adverse effect on the neighboring communities and be disposed taking the necessary precautions for general safety and health aspects people, only approved sites with the approval of competent authority.

### **PPs Submission:** Complied

The waste generated during the construction phase will be disposed following the applicable regulations and with the approval of the competent authority.

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11 WASTE MANAGEMENT

Any hazardous waste generated during construction phase, should be disposed off as per Hazardous and Other wastes (Management and Transboundary Movement) Rules, 2016.

### **PPs Submission:** Complied

Hazardous waste generated if any, during the construction phase will be disposed as per Hazardous and Other Wastes (Management and Transboundary Movement) Rules, 2016.

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WASTE MANAGEMENT

Solid waste management shall be collected, treated disposed in accordance with the Solid Waste Management Rules, 2016.

**PPs Submission:** Complied

Solid waste generated will be collected, treated if required and disposed in accordance with the Solid Waste Management Rules, 2016.

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**MISCELLANEOUS** 

As per of CSR activity, the project proponent shall identify schemes on need-based assessment and implemented in select villages in the project area in consultation with the village Panchayat and the District Administration, Separate budget for community development activities and income generating programmes shall be earmarked.

### PPs Submission: Complied

As a responsible corporate, CSR is an ongoing activity of TCL. CSR activities are being conducted by NGO, Tata Chemicals Society for Rural Development (TCSRD) setup by TCL.TCSRD conducts regular need-based assessment in surrounding villages and implement CSR activities as per requirements. Government & other stakeholders are consulted regularly for implementation of the CSR projects which include income generation schemes particularly targeted towards weaker section of the society and details of CSR activities is attached.

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WATER QUALITY MONITORING AND PRESERVATION Treated waste water conforming to GPCB norms shall only be discharged; it shall be ensure that regular monitoring results of the treated waste water discharge conducted by an independent agency shall be submitted to the GPCB and the regional office of Ministry.

### PPs Submission: Complied

Monitoring results of treated wastewater discharge is conducted by an independent agency are attached as Annexure - 8. Treated wastewater monitoring is being conducted. Results are also being submitted to GPCB & RO Ministry along with half yearly compliance report.

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Statutory compliance

As committed by the project proponent, a comprehensive survey of the wildlife and vegetation shall be carried out at every 5 year in buffer areas and shall be submitted to concerned authority.

### PPs Submission: Complied

Comprehensive survey of wildlife and vegetation will be conducted every 5 years in buffer areas and reports will be submitted to the Regional Office of the Ministry and the Forest Department, Government of Gujarat. TCL has appointed CSIR-CSMCRI, Bhavnagar for study of prevailing marine environment. A team of scientists completed field study in September, 2023. The report of the study is under preparation by the institute.

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**MISCELLANEOUS** 

Mudflat restoration plan with specific focus on waders and other water birds of the affected region be developed and implemented through concerned authority.

### PPs Submission: Complied

The Treated Wastewater Pipelines system is being laid on trestles to minimize impact on sea bed. After completion of the treated wastewater pipeline project, the corridor will be cleared of debris and left-over construction materials and restored to its original gradient. After commissioning of the project, Mudflat restoration plan with specific focus on waders and other water birds of the affected region shall be developed and implemented through concerned authority.

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Statutory compliance

Baseline for Marine and coastal biodiversity of Poshitra Bay should be developed and monitored bi-annually with specific focus on sea grass beds, and endemic species Sakuraeolis gujaratica and

Anteaeolidiella poshitra. The data shall be submitted to the regional office of the Ministry and the concerned agency in the State. PPs Submission: Complied Baseline survey has been conducted by NIO and TCL submitted study report to the Ministry along with application for CRZ clearance. After commissioning the treated wastewater disposal pipeline Date: scheme, marine and coastal biodiversity of Poshitra Bay will be studied with specific focus on sea 30/04/2024 grass beds, and endemic species Sakuraeolis gujaratica and Anteaeolidiella poshitra. TCL has appointed CSIR-CSMCRI, Bhavnagar for study of prevailing marine environment. A team of scientists completed field study in September, 2023. The report of the study is under preparation by the institute. The clearance is also subject to obtaining prior approval for 18 Statutory compliance diversion of forest land (mangrove) as may be applicable, under Forests (Conservation) Act, 1980, before commencement of work. Date: PPs Submission: Complied 30/04/2024 Final Approval for diversion of forest land has been obtained vide letter No. 6 - GJC 071/2018-BHO/I/5866/2021 dated 23.09.2021; Copy of the same is attached as Annexure - 3. A 2% of the cost of the project shall be apportioned for marine and coastal biodiversity protection and conservation measures, to be spent by the project proponent towards fulfilling its Corporate 19 Statutory compliance Environmental Responsibility (CER) during the currency of the project. Proper record and account of measures taken should be maintained and should also be submitted to the CZMA every six months. PPs Submission: Complied Date: Tata Chemicals Ltd. has deposited Rs. 11.45 Crore (5% of the project cost) to Account of Gujarat 30/04/2024 Marine National Park & Marine Sanctuary Conservation Society for habitat improvement and Wildlife conservation as per the condition no. 4 of Wildlife Clearance (Gujarat Govt. letter No. WLP/32/B/1813-18/2017-18 dated 01.06.2017). Storage of raw material and camp with sanitation facilities for the 20 **MISCELLANEOUS** construction labour shall be set up beyond sanctuary limits. Date: PPs Submission: Complied 30/04/2024 It is being ensured that storage of raw material and camp with sanitation facilities for the construction labour has been set up beyond sanctuary limits. The pipeline shall be laid on trestles to minimize impact on sea bed 21 **MISCELLANEOUS** and aquatic life. Date: **PPs Submission:** Complied 30/04/2024 The construction of pipeline is under implementation and is being laid on trestles, designed suitably and executed to minimize negative impacts on seabed and marine life. General Conditions

Sr.No.	<b>Condition Type</b>	Condition Details	
1	MISCELLANEOUS	Adequate provision for infrastructure facilities includ supply, fuel and sanitation must be ensured for constru- during the construction phase of the project to avoid an the environment.	ction worker
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	ucture facilities including water, f he construction phase of the proje	fuel and sanitation is being made available to the workers ect.	30/04/2024
2	Statutory compliance	Full support shall be extended to the officer of this Ministry/Regional office by the project proponent duri of the project implementation by furnishing requisite cought and action taken reports in respect of mitigation other environmental protection activities required to be	locuments/data n measures and
TCL wi		ers of the Ministry / Regional Office during inspection of equisite documents / data and action taken reports in respect amental protection activities.	Date: 30/04/2024
3	MISCELLANEOUS	The Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Cha other competent authority may stipulate any additions existing ones, if necessary in the interest of environme shall be complied with.	or modify the
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4	MISCELLANEOUS	The Ministry reserves the right to revoke this clearar conditions stipulated are not complied with to the satis Ministry.	
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5	MISCELLANEOUS	In the event of a change in project profile or change implementation agency, a fresh reference shall be mad Ministry.	
In the e	ubmission: Complied vent of a change in project profile ference to the Ministry.	e or change in the implementation agency, TCL will make a	Date: 30/04/2024
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