

On 30-Nov-2009 CWDL had sought the Ministry of Environment & Forests requesting an amendment to the CRZ clearance of 26-Oct-2006 for necessary modification in the specific clearance condition for laying the 1600mm diameter HDPE intake and outfall pipelines on the seabed with concrete armor blocks protecting the pipelines

The following is the information available from the MoEF web-site.

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The Minutes of the 84th Meeting of the Expert Appraisal Committee for Building Construction Projects, Coastal Regulation Zone, Infrastructure Development and Miscellaneous projects held on 27th & 29th January, 2010 at Conference Hall, at Van Vigyan Bhawan, Sector V, R.K. Puram, New Delhi.

5.20 Amendment to the CRZ Clearance issued for setting up of 100 MLD seawater desalination plant on DBOOT basis for CMWSSB in Kattupalli Village, Ponneri Taluk, Tiruvallur District, Tamil Nadu by M/s. Chennai Water Desalination Ltd. (F.No.11-59/2005-IA-III)

The issue of amendment to the CRZ clearance which was issued on 26.10.2006 was discussed by the EAC in its meeting held on 21st & 23rd December, 2009. After deliberation committee decided to recommend the issue of amendment with a condition that the reason for enhancing the diameter of the pipe from 1400 mm to 1600 mm should be obtained and informed to the Committee.

The details submitted by the project proponent were informed to the Committee.

The Committee recommends to amend the CRZ Clearance issued earlier on 26.10.2006.

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| 8. | Dr. Chittrarajagopalan | Member |
| 9. | Mr. V.K. Mathur | Member |
| 10. | Shri Bharat Bhushan | Member Secretary |

Special Invitees:

11. Ms. Mili Mazumdar, Ex-Member, EAC for Construction Committee.
12. Dr. B.M. Patil, Chief Research Officer, CWPRS, Pune.

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5.1 Amendment to the CRZ clearance issued for setting up of 100 MLD seawater desalination plant on DBOOT basis in Kattupalli Village, Ponneri Taluk, Tiruvallur District, Tamil Nadu by M/s. CMWSSB [F.No.11-59/2005-IA-III]

The CRZ clearance was issued on 26.10.2006. Project proponent has stated that the project is in completion stage and there are certain minor changes in the project proposal as per site conditions.

The project was appraised by the EAC in its meeting held on 27th ? 28th August, 2009 and the additional points are raised.

The details submitted by the project proponent were discussed by the Committee and it was suggested to include the following condition:

- (i) Flow meter shall be installed at the outlet to monitor the recharge and report may be submitted to Tamil Nadu Pollution Control Board.

The Committee recommends the proposal for CRZ Clearance with the above condition in the Clearance letter for strict compliance by the project proponent subject to submission of the reasons for increasing the diameter of HDPE submarine pipeline from 1400 mm to 1600 mm. The Ministry may examine the details and inform the Committee in the subsequent meeting.

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