

PROCEEDINGS OF THE PUBLIC HEARING FOR M/S. BHARAT PETROLEUM CORPORATION LIMITED FOR EXPANSION OF ETHANOL TANKS – 2 X 250 KL, BIO-DIESEL TANK – 1 X 858 KL & HSD TANKS - 2 X 6000 KL ABOVE GROUND TANKS WITHIN EXISTING INSTALLATION IN PARADEEP DEPOT IN 25.0 ACRES AT- PARADEEP IN JAGATSINGHPUR DISTRICT HELD ON 17.07.2019 AT 11.00 A.M IN-FRONT OF BPCL MAIN GATE, PARADEEP IN JAGATSINGHPUR DISTRICT.

Dr. Kahnu Charan Dhir, Addl. District Magistrate (ADM), Paradip presided over the meeting along with Er. Ramesh Kumar Ekka, Regional officer, State Pollution Control Board, Odisha, Paradeep.

At the outset, Regional officer, State Pollution Control Board, Odisha, Paradip, welcomed the public who were present at the venue for participating in the public hearing and informed about the objectives of the Public Hearing.

He briefly described the objectives of the public hearing as per the EIA Notification S.O. 1533(E), dated 14<sup>th</sup> September 2006 of the Ministry of Environment and Forests & CC, Govt. of India. He informed that the date, time venue for conducting the public hearing of proposed project by M/s. Bharat Petroleum Corporation Ltd. i.e for expansion of Ethanol Tanks – 2 x 250 KL, Bio-Diesel Tank – 1 x 858 KL & HSD Tanks - 2 x 6000 KL above ground tanks within existing installation in Paradeep depot in 25.0 Acres in Jagatsinghpur district to be held on 17.07.2019 at 11.00 A.M in front of BPCL main gate, Paradip in Jagatsinghpur district was advertised in Odiya daily “The Dhariti” on 14.06.2019 and English daily “Times of India” on 14.06.2019. **(Paper clipping are enclosed as Annexure-I).**

On behalf of the project proponent, Shri Kodati Srinivasulu, Chief Installation Manager of M/s. Bharat Petroleum Corporation Ltd. gave a brief presentation about the proposed project of M/s. Bharat Petroleum Corporation Ltd. for expansion of Ethanol Tanks – 2 x 250 KL, Bio-Diesel Tank – 1 x 858 KL & HSD Tanks - 2 x 6000 KL above ground tanks within existing installation in Paradip depot in 25.0 Acres in Jagatsinghpur district. He also briefed about the environmental management, pollution control measures and safety aspects to be undertaken in the proposed project.

ADM, Paradeep invited the public to offer their views on environment related issues of the proposed project.

About 120-130 participants attended the public hearing and out of them about but **104** participants have put their signature in the attendance sheet whose list is annexed as **Annexure-II**. About 10 persons have registered their names to deliver their views during public hearing and the list is annexed as **Annexure-III**.

Statements of the public who participated in the deliberation during public hearing meeting is as follow;

Sl. No.	Name of the Participants and their deliberation
1.	<b><u>Mr. Arakhita Das, Village: Kothi, Panchayat Samiti Member</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• He raised the traffic related issues and urged the authority to manage it properly.</li><li>• He raised the various health related issues in the local village and demanded before the company authority to organize periodical medical camp in periphery villages.</li><li>• He also demanded before the authority to provide scholarship to the local school</li></ul>

	<p>students and carryout the plantation activities in and around the peripheral area under CSR scheme.</p> <p>At the end, he welcomed and supported the proposed project.</p>
2.	<p><b><u>Mr. Sriballava Kar, Village: Paradeepgarh</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• He welcomed &amp; supported the proposed project and stated that there is no displacement of the local people due to this proposed project.</li> <li>• He emphasize that the proposed project is beneficial &amp; stated that company is supplying oil to all districts of the state from one terminal, hence, installation of more tanks is required.</li> <li>• He also urged the company authority to utilize CSR funds for various developmental work for the local people.</li> </ul>
3.	<p><b><u>Sri. Krushna Chandra Das, Paradeepgarh:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• He stated that no one shall be displaced from their land due to establishment of proposed project &amp; hence he has no objection in expansion of the project.</li> </ul> <p>He supported the proposed project.</p>
4.	<p><b><u>Sri. Antaryami Pattanaik, Paradeep.</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• He stated that requirement of oil is increasing day by day in Paradeep area.</li> <li>• He demanded before the authority that company should spend CSR funds in providing safe drinking water, health, education &amp; proper transportation facility to the local people.</li> </ul> <p>At the end he supported the proposed project.</p>
5.	<p><b><u>Sri. Dillip Baliarsingh, Athrabanki:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• He supported the proposed project with a demand before the company authority to provide parking place for tankers &amp; employment to the local people in the proposed project</li> </ul>
6.	<p><b><u>Sri. Satish Chandra Jena, Bauripalanga:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• He expressed his dissatisfaction on traffic related issues due to parking of heavy vehicles on road and near residential areas; therefore school students are facing problems.</li> <li>• He expressed his dissatisfaction and stated that the M/s. BPCL has not done any developmental work for the local people viz; supply of drinking water to the villagers.</li> <li>• He demanded that, the company authority should provide drinking water to the nearby local village, to give employment to the local people and develop the parking place.</li> </ul> <p>He supported and welcomed the proposed project.</p>
7.	<p><b><u>Mr. Sarat Kumar Rout, Nuabazar, Paradeep</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• He expressed his concern over fire safety of the Paradeep area and stated that the M/s. BPCL should take necessary fire safety measures in oil terminals because of ammonia storage, LPG storage units which are located in their premises.</li> </ul>
8.	<p><b><u>Sri. Hemanta Kumar Nayak, Tarinigarh:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• He stated that there is no problem in establishment of the proposed project thus he supported the proposed project.</li> <li>• He demanded before the company authority to supply drinking water to the nearby villages &amp; resolve the road problem issues.</li> </ul>
9.	<p><b><u>Sri. Ayeskant Ray, Nuabazar, Paradip:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• He stated that there was no information with him that this public hearing shall be conducted today.</li> <li>• He expressed his dissatisfaction over the health related problems like skin, heart &amp;</li> </ul>

kidney problem which are rampant in Paradeep area due environmental and water pollution.

- He stated that the company authority should utilize CSR funds to cover 33% of total plant area for plantation purpose.

At the end he opposed the proposed project.

10. **Sri. Panchanan Behera, Paradeep**

He supported the proposed project with the following demands before company authority;

- A super specialty hospital should be established at Paradeep area.
- The Tankers/trucks should be parked the factory premises.
- The unit should take up plantation programme.
- CSR funds should be utilized for development of infrastructure Govt. School of the Paradeep area.
- Truck parking place shall be repaired and traffic should be regulated.

Summary of the points raised by the participants in the public hearing in English and Odiya (vernacular language) is enclosed as **Annexure-IV( A & B)**.

After the completion of the deliberation, ADM, Paradeep invited the representative of **M/s. Bharat Petroleum Corporation Ltd.** in Jagatsinghpur district to give a brief note on the issues related to the demand and grievances of the participants raised in the public hearing. Summary of the views of the project proponent on issues raised by the participants during public hearing in English and Odiya (vernacular language) is enclosed as **Annexure-V (A& B)**.

After deliberation as above, Regional Officer, State Pollution Control Board proposed vote of thanks to the Chair as well as to the Participants present in the public hearing.

The video recording of the entire proceeding of the public hearing is enclosed as **Compact Disc (CD)**. One written statement was received from the participants on the day of public hearing. A copy of the petition is enclosed as **Annexure-VI**.

*(R.K. 12/02/19)*

**Er. Ramesh Kumar Ekka**  
Regional Officer,  
State Pollution Control Board, Odisha, Paradip  
(Assisted as representative of SPCB, Odisha)

*(K.C. 12/02/19)*

**Dr. Kahnu Charan Dhir**  
Addl. District Magistrate, Paradip  
(Presided and supervised the Public  
Hearing meeting)





# STATE POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD, ODISHA



(Department of Forest & Environment, Govt. of Odisha)  
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No. 5677/

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Date : 13.06.2019

## NOTICE

It is brought to the notice of all concerned that M/s Bharat Petroleum Corporation Ltd. has proposed to have Environmental Assessment for **expansion of ethanol tanks-2x250 KL, Bio-diesel tank-1x858 KL and HSD Tanks-2x6000KL above ground tanks within existing plant installation in Paradeep depot in 25.0 acres at Paradeep in Jagatsinghpur district** to obtain Environmental Clearance from the State Environment Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA), Odisha. The proponent has applied to the State Pollution Control Board, Odisha, Bhubaneswar for a Public Hearing.

By virtue of Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Government of India Notification No. S.O. 1533 (E) Dtd. 14.09.2006, the Board has been authorized to conduct environmental public hearing and as such invites suggestions, views, comments and objections on matters relating to environmental aspects of the proposed project from all the persons including bonafide residents, environmental groups and others located at the proposed site/sites of displacement/sites likely to be affected.

For the above purpose, a person will only mean:

- A. Any person who is likely to be affected by the grant of Environmental Clearance.
- B. Any person who owns his control over the project with respect to which an application has been submitted for environmental clearance.
- C. Any association of persons whether incorporated or likely to be affected by the project and / or functioning in the field of environment.
- D. Any local authority within any part of whose local limits is within the neighborhood, wherein the project is proposed to be located.

Persons as above who desire to submit their views, comments, objections etc. relevant to the project, may do so in writing within 30 days from the date of publication of this notice addressing the same to the Member Secretary, State Pollution Control Board, Odisha through Registered Post. Besides this, persons interested to submit their views relevant to the proposed project in writing or orally may also do so during the public hearing to be conducted on **17.07.2019 at 11.00 A.M in front of BPCL Main Gate, Paradeep, Jagatsinghpur district.**

Persons desirous of participating in the public hearing may go through the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA)/Environmental Management Plan (EMP) of the said project which will be available at the following offices. Copy of the Executive Summary both in English & Odia is also available in the following offices & the same can also be downloaded from the website [www.ospcboard.org](http://www.ospcboard.org) free of cost.

1. District Collector's Office, Jagatsinghpur.
2. District Industries Center, Jagatsinghpur.
3. In the office of the Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Parishad, Jagatsinghpur.
4. In the Head office of the State Pollution Control Board, Odisha, Parivesh Bhawan, A/118, Nilakanthanagar, Unit -VIII, Bhubaneswar -12.
5. Regional Office, State Pollution Control Board, Odisha, Paradeep.
6. Department of Forest & Environment (Environment), Govt. of Odisha, Bhubaneswar.

For any further clarification in the matter, the Regional Officer, State Pollution Control Board, Paradeep or the Member Secretary, State Pollution Control Board, Odisha at Bhubaneswar may be contacted.

Sd/-  
**MEMBER SECRETARY**