

PROCEEDINGS OF THE PUBLIC HEARING OF A PROJECT PROPOSED BY M/S. ARYAN ISPAT & POWER PVT LIMITED FOR EXPANSION OF EXISTING STEEL PLANT TO INTEGRATED STEEL PLANT AT: BOMALOI VILLAGE, RENGALI TAHSIL IN THE DISTRICT OF SAMBALPUR ON 12.01.2021 AT 12.00 NOON AT BOMALOI GRAM PANCHAYAT OFFICE PREMISES, RENGALI TAHSIL OF SAMBALPUR DISTRICT.

Sri Umakanta Raj, OAS (S), Additional District Magistrate (Revenue), Sambalpur presided over the meeting along with Er. Ramesh Kumar Ekka, Regional Officer, State Pollution Control Board, Sambalpur, Odisha.

At the outset, Er. Ramesh Kumar Ekka, Regional Officer, State Pollution Control Board, Sambalpur welcomed the public present in the meeting. He briefly described the objective of the public hearing conducted as per the provisions of EIA Notification No. S.O. 1533(E) of Dt. 14th September 2006 of the Ministry of Environment and Forests & Climate Change (MOEF & CC), Government of India. He also informed that the date, time and venue for conducting the public hearing meeting of the project proposed by M/s. Aryan Ispat & Power Pvt. Limited, At-Bomaloi, Rengali Tahsil of Sambalpur District for expansion of existing Steel Plant to Integrated Steel Plant at Bomaloi village, Rengali, Dist: Sambalpur on 12.01.2021 At: 12.00 Noon At: Bomaloi Gram Panchayat Office Premises, Rengali Tahsil of Sambalpur district was duly advertised in Odia daily "The Sambad", dtd. 08.12.2020 and English daily "The New Indian Express" dtd. 08.12.2020 (**Paper clipping are enclosed as Annexure-I**).

The Addl. District Magistrate (Revenue), Sambalpur has also briefed about the proposed project and requested the public who were present during the public hearing meeting to express their opinions and views on the proposed project. He also requested the representative of the proposed project to highlight about their proposed project before the public for which the public hearing has been organized.

On behalf of the project proponent, Dr. Arundhati Tej, MD, Environmental Research and Services (India) Pvt. Ltd. Bhubaneswar, Odisha has briefed the following points about the proposed project in the public hearing meeting;

1. She said that, as per the EIA Notification, 2006 it is mandatory to have a Public Hearing for any New/ Expansion/ Modernization project and stated that the company has proposed to have the expansion of existing Steel Plant

- to Integrated Steel Plant at Bomaloi village, Rengali Sambalpur for proposed production of 2,50,000 TPA Steel Complex along with new installation of 1 X 350 TPD DRI, 8 MW WHRB, 41 MW AFBC, 5 X 15 T IF, 1 X 15 T LRF and 2 X 9 MVA SAF with a total project (expansion) cost of Rs.205.225 Crores at the existing Plant premises at village Bomaloi, Rengali Block, Sambalpur.
2. The existing plant with 1,60,00 TPA DRI with 12 MW WHRB, 6 MW AFBC and 7,00,000 TPA Coal Washery is operating with the valid permission of State Pollution Control Board, And now the company is going for its expansion and had applied to the Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change (MoEF&CC) for Environmental Clearance. This EIA/EMP report has been prepared by Environmental Research and Services (India) Pvt. Ltd. Bhubaneswar, Odisha, as per Terms of Reference issued by MoEF&CC.
 3. The total land of 204.56 Acres has been acquired through IDCO. No forest land is involved in the proposed site. Before acquisition of the land /area it was single crop Agriculture land. After acquisition it is identified by IDCO (Orissa Industrial Infrastructure Development Corporation) as Industrial Use.
 4. The Sized Iron Ore, Coal, Coal char, Dolomite, Quartzite, Manganese, Chromite, Manganese slag, Lime, Coke, Bauxite, Waste Gas, Furnace Oil, Water are the main raw material for this project. Iron ore will be transported from mines of Keonjhar and Barbil area by rail and road. Chromite will be sourced from Sukinda area. Coal will be transported from Mahanadi Coal Fields Limited, Sambalpur and Jharsuguda area by railway. Limestone, Dolomite, Quartzite, Manganese. Coke and bauxite will be purchased from local market. Waste. Hot Gas will be made available from own DRI. The makeup water requirement for the plant is 560 M³ per Hr. 450 M³/Hr of water will be taken from Hirakud Reservoir. The necessary permission for drawl of water has been approved by the State Government of Odisha. 75 M³/Hr will be sourced from Ground Water Table with permission already obtained from CGWA and balance 35 M³ / Hr will be met from Rain Water Harvesting Ponds created within the plant premises.
 5. There will be generation of 90 MT per day of Coal Char (Expansion), Fly Ash 700 MT per day and Bottom Ash of 330 Metric Tonnes per day from Fluidized Bed Boiler. All solid waste generated from this plant including slag from FAP will be reused. Coal char will be used as fuel in Fluidized Bed Boiler for power generation. Waste Hot gas from Sponge Iron plant

- will be used in Waste Heat Recovery Boiler for generation of power. Slag and Fly ash will be used for cement and fly ash brick manufacturing.
6. To maintain air quality water spraying will be done to suppress the dust generated during construction activity. Dense plantation will be made around the plant premises. Dust will be controlled using ESP, GCP and Bag Filters and the emission will be less than 50 mg/Nm^3 and 100 mg/Nm^3 as per the provision of norms applicable to individual process. 80 meters high stacks will be installed to disperse gaseous pollutants over a wide area for DRI and AFBC Boiler. Stack height of other stacks will be kept at 30 meter and 45 meter as per the norms. All internal roads will be made pucca. All roads and shop floors will be cleaned regularly. Fugitive dust from coal yard will be controlled using water sprinkling and following guide lines of CPCB and SPCB. Mathematical modeling predicted that the maximum incremental ground level concentration of PM from the project would be $5.24898 \mu\text{g/m}^3$ (24 Hrs Average) with control measures. The ambient air quality standards of surrounding area will remain well within the prescribed air quality standards.
 7. During Unloading and hauling operations and movement of trucks and dumpers will be properly scheduled to minimize construction noise. Vehicular movement on the village roads will be avoided. Silencers at the duct outlets of the fans and air compressors will be done. Wrapping and filling with noise absorption materials will be done in case of noisy equipment. Skirt boards around the Material Handling Plant, workshop area etc will be used as noise shields. In noisy work areas soundproof duty rooms will be provided. The noise level at the plant boundary will be maintained at 75 dB(A) (day time) and 70 dB(A) (night time) standard.
 8. Sedimentation pits with oil separator will be constructed to trap the silt-laden water arising from site offices, canteens and other washing facilities at the construction site. The overflow will be reused for dust suppression. Cooling tower blow down water generated from the plant operation will be reused for ash handling, dust suppression and gardening.
 9. The storm water drain will be kept separate from wastewater drains. The storm water drain will have sedimentation pits and oil-water interceptors. The storm water during rainfall will be discharged into nearby nalla after sedimentation.
 10. Dust emission from the plant will be controlled using ESP, GCP and Bag Filters. Gases will be dispersed using tall stacks. All air emissions will be

kept within the prescribed standards. The incremental air pollution will be accommodated within the air quality standards. Wastewater and solid waste will be reused. Tree plantation will be done around the plant premises. Such measures will help to protect the surrounding ecology.

11. Huge population reside in the project impact area i.e. 10 km radius of the project site. The national ambient air quality standards prescribed level of air pollutants will be followed to protect public health and vegetation. Air quality dispersion modeling predicted that the ambient air quality will remain within the national air quality standards. Entire wastewater generated from the plant will be reused and no wastewater will be disposed into the outside nalla or rivers without treatment. No toxic chemicals or wastes will be handled in the plant. Since the pollution will be within the national standard there will be no risk to public health from this project.
12. The average labour force will be 500 during the construction period. The bulk of labour force will be unskilled and semi-skilled who will be recruited from the surrounding villages. About additional 331 people (Managerial – 4 Nos, Executives – 12 nos., Highly Skilled- 12 nos., Skilled – 60 Nos, Semi & Unskilled – 68 Nos and Contractual – 175 Nos) will get employment in the plant for expansion project for regular operation. About 1500 people will get indirect employment from the plant from its ancillary activities. Several infrastructure facilities like schools, hospitals, roads, recreation, communication, etc will be developed in the area. The overall socioeconomic condition of the area will improve.
13. Necessary provisions would be made for routine monitoring of stack emissions, ambient air quality, noise level, and water quality. Development of schemes for water conservation, rain water harvesting and reuse of treated wastewater as required by the regulations and for monitoring environment management is implemented. The emission levels from the stack and the ambient air quality around the plant premises will be monitored periodically.
14. The proposed project has lots of benefits both direct and indirect. 331 numbers of skilled, semiskilled, unskilled persons will get direct employment from this expansion project in addition to existing employment of 473. During the construction phase, around 500 people on an average are likely to be employed for construction related activity. Several other types of indirect employment opportunity will be developed in the surrounding area due to this project. Transport business, vehicle

drivers and attendants, workshops, grocery and retail, medical, school, coaching centers, technical institutes, hotel and restaurants, self-employed persons like tailors, carpenters, plumbers, electricians, etc will get indirect job opportunity. The infrastructure support services like roads, houses, temples, clubs and guest houses, hotels, community centers, etc will be developed as natural link of development. Per Capita Income will improve. It will reduce Public Expenditure of Government on social Consumption Need. It will add to Government Exchequers in the form of various taxes and returns.

15. Environment Management Plan (EMP) is required to be implemented by the plant management in order to achieve better environmental viability of the project. The EMP will establish a framework for the effective management of environmental impacts and ensure the best overall protection of the environment through appropriate management procedures. Rs.18.865 crores has been earmarked as capital cost of EMP/ Environmental Protection Measures. Environmental Management System (ISO 14000) will be instituted in conjunction with this REIA report. Environmental Management during construction phase will be the responsibility of contractor. AIPPL will introduce requisite provisions in the contract documents and the contractor will develop a contract specific plan and designate staff responsible for pollution control. The Environment Management Cell (EMC) will monitor the contractor's obligation for mitigating the environmental impact during construction phase.

Finally, she explained the peripheral developmental work undertaken by the company authority as follows;

- Repairing of Village Road in Phulchanganer Village, Renovation of Temple in Village.
- Installed Tube Wells in the Village and Supply of Drinking Water during Summer season in the villages.
- Provided three numbers of teachers in three schools in village Phulchanganer and Bomaloi and Dhorpani.
- Development of Foot Ball Ground and providing Kits in the Village and Extended financial help to Village Committee for social and Cultural functions in the villages.

- Free Health Check-up Camps and free distribution of Medicines.
- Steps have been taken for permanent water supply to village Phulchanger by installing water storage well with distribution pipelines.
- Out of total manpower employment of at present is 360. And the local employment is 250 which is around 80% of total employment. After expansion similar trend of employing local people in appropriate areas will be considered. Local contractors are also engaged in various activities.

The Addl. District Magistrate (Revenue), Sambalpur invited the public to offer their views on environmental related issues of the proposed project.

About 250-300 participants have attended the public hearing meeting and out of them 69 participants have put their signature in the attendance sheet whose list is annexed as **Annexure-II**. 42 persons have registered their name to deliver their views during public hearing and out of them 39 persons have delivered their views and list is annexed as **Annexure-III**.

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

Sl. No.	Name of the Participants and their deliberation on the proposed project.
1.	<p>Sri Satyanarayan Agrawal, Lapanga, Vice Chairman Rengali Block: He welcomed the project and said that it is an old industry established in 2006. He further stated that some will support the public hearing some will not. Some land losers get money from industry some didn't, some villagers get jobs some didn't. Those who don't get any benefit from the industry they should talk with the government and should think about the benefit of larger mass. However, if the integrated steel plant will be established 330 numbers of jobs should be given to the local people. He further said that the villagers are not demanding GM post but they should be given jobs as per their qualifications. He further added that ADM should constitute a committee in which in which local representatives and industry representatives should decide about the employment for the land losers. If there are no qualified people in the family then by R&R policy money should be given to the family for continuing its livelihood. It's an adivasi area so the industry shouldn't lie about its commitment. There should be</p>

	<p>peripheral development of the area. The development done by the industry till date is insufficient. The industry should provide a marriage mandap for the local people. The industry is paying Rs. 3000 to the teacher which is very less amount, teachers should be paid reasonable. The industry should provide hospitals for the local people, at least a first aid center. The industry has provided an ambulance so they are grateful. However, the amounts spend on CSR activity till date towards the local area is not satisfactory. The local people are giving their lands so jobs should be given to their sons and daughters also. He further stated that if 400 nos. of jobs will be given to the local people then he will support the project. He stated that M/s. Aditya Aluminium is spending its CSR fund in Puri, M/s. Shyam Metallic & Power Limited is spending there CSR fund in Sambalpur, but first the industries should sort out the local area problems. He further stated that in RPDAC meeting 75 % of the CSR fund of the industry should be spend for the local area development and 25 % should be spend on rest area where government decides. The industry should focus on employment of the local people.</p>
2.	<p>SriKulamaniBagarti, Pipalkani: He welcomed the project.</p>
3.	<p>Sri SanjitKisan, Phulchanger: He made an allegation against the company authority for not informing the public before conducting the public hearing meeting. He further added that the industry has not provided street lights, pond and safe drinking water in the local village. He stated that, in rainy season the drinking water supplied by the industry is muddy and not fit for drinking purposes. The industry has taken the pond of the village, but not provided a new pond to the village. The developmental work done by the company authority till date in the local area is not insufficient.</p>
4.	<p>Smt. SaraswatiMirdha, Phulchanger: She made an allegation against the industry and stated that firstly the industry doesn't even recognize the villagers now then how they will believe that the industry will fulfill all its commitment. In SOG group teachers are paid very less by the industry. The industry is not providing drinking water. In Phulchanger village there are only 40 nos. of family but still the industry has failed to solve theirbasic problems, like provision of safe drinking water supply. The industry has informed about this public hearing meeting just day before the meeting so how will the village women will join from far distanceand also there is no proper road connecting to their village. She further added that water is life but still the industry has not provided drinking water to their village. Since 2006 the industry has not done anything for the village. She stated that whatever grievances they have given to the industry, the grievance letter is thrown to the dustbin and not a single problem of the village has been addresses till date. The industry has provided drinking water pipeline only in two points for the village. The industry has not provided drinking</p>

	<p>water, street light. She stated that even the industry threatens that if she will be against the project then she will lose her job. She stated that this public hearing should be conducted in Phulchanger village as it is the nearest village from the industry and most affected by the industry. The industry should provide an employment to the local villagers. She stated that the industry has not done any developmental work till date since 2006. If the industry don't provide an employment to the villagers how the villagers will survive. They should be provided with an employment for their livelihood. She stated that not only she but all the 6 nos. of SOG have similar grievances. The teachers are not paid minimum wages for their livelihood and also the salary the industry is giving is not on time. However, all the pollution load is on the village but the industry never focus on development of their village. There is no village road. Neither M/s. Aditya Aluminium nor M/s. Aryan Ispat and Power Projects Limited has constructed the village road. She stated that she has no hope and no faith in the industry. She urged before the company authority to do some developmental work for her village people.</p>
5.	<p>Sri Lingaraj Behera, Phulchanger: He stated that the previous speaker (Smt. Saraswati Mirdha, Phulchanger) has raised the various issues of their village and urged before the company authority to fulfill the demands of the local people. He further informed that the industry has acquired maximum land illegally from him for the sake of industry. He approached to court and won the case against the industry and Sub-Collector ordered the Tahasildar to return the land to him. The Tahasildar ordered RI to follow the court order. He stated that like him other many villagers are suffering. The industry is bought his land in name of Roshanlal who is a schedule caste and then the land is transferred to industry name. He further stated that as per OLR 23 A SC & ST people of other state, the company authority shouldn't take land from other state. He demanded before the company authority to settle all this above-mentioned matter.</p>
6.	<p>Sri Bhakti Kisan, Bomaloi: He made an allegation against the industry for not providing a hospital facility for the local people. He informed that, the local people are affected by the pollution caused by the industry. The industry is expanding its project, but the villagers are getting coal mixed water for drinking and bathing purposes, hence, they are suffering from different diseases like lung diseases, polio, etc. Even the cattle are getting affected. He made an appeal before the company authority to made an agreement with the local village members to address their issue and same shall be fulfilled by the company authority.</p>
7.	<p>Sri Kalia Munda, Bomaloi: He made an allegation against the industry for not providing village road, Health Care facility for the local people and informed that village pond and agricultural fields are getting polluted due to operation of an industry. He added that, the local people were</p>

	fully depending upon the forest for its survival in the past, but the industry has acquired both agriculture and forest land due to which they have lost their livelihood. Further, he stated that that villagers have lodged complained many times against the industry for pollution and other village related issues before the district administration but, their complaints are still unattended.
8.	Sri Gopal Krushna Panda, Dhoropani: He demanded before the company authority to provide safe drinking water to the nearby local village and construct a village road. He made an allegation against the company authority for neglecting the village Phulchanger. He urged before the company authority to provide an employment to the local youth in the proposed project. He also raised the local area pollution due to operation of the industry.
9.	Sri Krushna Chandra Dash, Lapanga: He welcomed the proposed project and urged before the district administration to solve their land dispute. He alleged the industry for causing pollution to the local area for which local people traveling in two-wheeler are facing difficulties in NH. He urged before the district administration to strict to the norms to solve this problem in a day. He also stated that the district administration has not solved the land issue since last 15 years.
10.	Smt. Dutiya Kishan, Bomaloi: Not delivered
11.	Sri Himanshu Patra, Bomaloi: He welcomed the proposed project.
12.	Sri Kailash Kishan, Bomaloi: He welcomed the proposed project.
13.	Sri Bibek Mirdha, Bomaloi: He stated that employment is given to the people who are referred by the government and industry officials. He further stated that jobs should be given to the local people on basis of their qualifications and on merit basis.
14.	Sri Mitrabhanu Rabna, Bomaloi: He welcomed the proposed project.
15.	Sri Barun Kisan, Phulchanger: He stated that he is working in the industry but the industry should listen to the girl that addressed earlier here in this meeting. The village school is 5-6 km away so how small class 1 students will attained the school travelling such a long distance in this polluted environment. He stated that he is telling against the industry and the industry will definitely take action against him. Here the village children even sneeze and dust comes out of the nose. It signifies that heavy dust emission is done by the industry. The industry representatives stated that lakhs of rupees has been spend on peripheral development has been done by the industry. The industry has not provided drinking

	<p>water to the villagers. In rainy season dust water is supplied as drinking water and when villagers complained about it the industry never addressed their complaint. He stated that he is an employee but payment is very less. The industry recruits their relatives and provide them with food facilities in the industry canteen however, we village people are deprived of such facility. The industry has not done any development work for the local area but has spent money for development of other area. The industry has not provided any good road for the village. The village should be relocated due to pollution hazard and rise in temperature during summer. The two wheelers are feeling dizziness due to rise in temperature. He further stated that he may lose his job as he is telling against the industry but the children are inhaling dust pollution because of the industry. Finally, he urged before the district administration to relocate the Phulchangervillage to suitable location.</p>
16.	<p>Sri Sanatan Dalei, Bomaloi: Not delivered</p>
17.	<p>Sri Subal Kisan, Bomaloi: He welcomed the proposed project for local people employment</p>
18.	<p>Sri Sanjit Kisan, Bomaloi: He welcomed the project.</p>
19.	<p>Sri Achut Kisan, Phulchanger: He welcomed the project.</p>
20.	<p>Sri Nilamani Kisan, Bomaloi: He welcomed the new project, because they have already given land to the company. They don't have any option to stop the project. But here request to District Administration as well as Company Representative to list out Employment to land losers w.e.f. 2006 to 2021. He also stated that M/s Aryan Ispat and Power Private Limited Is a small Plant but now onwards if extension will made then it will come in full fledge. Again he request to District Administration and Company Representatives to go-ahead for new project they don't have any objections, but after the completion of project the company should provide employment to land loser. If not so, then they will go for severe Strike with burn-fire broke of assets to the company. No District Administration or Company Representative could stop for creating violation. Again he welcomed the new project.</p>
21.	<p>Sri Chandramani Kisan, Bomaloi: He alleged against the company authority for not doing any developmental work for local people since last 15/16 years. However, he welcomed the proposed project with a demand before company authority to provide an employment to his son in the project.</p>
22.	<p>Sri Pabitra Kisan, Phulchanger: He stated that if there will be expansion of the industry then more development of the local area will be done by the industry. However, he demanded before the company</p>

authority to provide safe drinking water supply to village Phulchanger.

23. **Sri Kamal Chhuria, Bomaloi:**

He expressed his dissatisfaction towards an industry for utilization of CSR funds and said that as the representative of the unit claimed to be undertaken 5-6 CSR fun related works but, industry has not mentioned where they have done. He pointed out only expenses that made, whereas that CSR activities will not fulfill the public expectation. They have to increase the CSR fund to develop the area and also permanent job to land loser's family, but still, it is pending.

Proposal for extension of 2nd Plant of company plans to entrust 70% local people for job whether it will be permanent or daily basis job then extension will made success, if other than local people employed than local peoples suffer.

One of sister of that village, told that Phulchanger village is in between Aditya Birla and Aryan Ispat, many of the Phulchanger villagers are affected by the both company. There are 40 numbers of families, Company has ensured to solve their basic needs, but failed to fulfill it. The Company is unable to give benefits to 40 numbers of family. All people delivered their views that they welcome to new project, If people are welcome new project but there will be a written statement/ agreement by the company that 1) it will provide permanent job to local people 2) new development to local area 3) Medical facilities of local area 4) School Garden as per capability of company will made agreement for whatever they will do. The employments should 70% of local people of land loser. A written agreement for CSR activities fund, company will provide a chart for future activities for extension of project that company committed to do. By chat activation if written, public will know the works schedule, status weather done or not, only promised to do but goes in air.

After public hearing they will take all signatures of people, submit at Collector office then send to State level then Central level and said that people of all local area agreed for extension of project but they do not have visited the area, they put their signature easily. After signatures company start their project.

This is for all that mistake done in first time, In 2nd time the Rolling Mill will extent the pollution. For this pollution, how much tree planted to make green belt, how much tree plantation has done by the Aryan ispat in last 16 years, where to dump the ash, ash dumping for the Rolling Mill plant, there is no fixed area/ ash pond for dumping. People don't understand that dumping ash inside plant then that mixed with ground level water, that will be used by the villagers, By using that water to people welcome new diseases like TB, heart diseases, paralysis and will die. Company start their business, earn much money and the local villager will face all.

Though the Industries like Aditya Birla, Bhushan installed ESP. They only show up that they have ESP. M/s Aryan ispat in last 16 years weather installed ESP, if so, the

	company has not run the ESP , if it is running properly then no pollution will made. However they must have agreement then he welcomed the new project.
24.	Sri DurgaMirdha, Phulchanger: He welcomed the project.
25.	Sri Suresh Kisan, Phulchanger: He demanded the following before the company authority; Provision of safe drinking water supply to the village, provide an employment opportunity to the local people in the proposed projectre-open the closed village school for the village students and finally urged before the district administration to relocate the Phulchanger village to suitable location.
26.	Sri SatrughnaKisan, Bomaloi: He informed that there is no water pond in their village , hence the villagers are facing problem in bathing. He further added that due to operation of M/s. Aditya Aluminium and M/s. Aryan Ispat& Power Projects Limited on both sides of the village the villagers arefacing dust pollution. Further, he alleged that M/s. Aditya Aluminium has encroached the road connecting to their village.
27.	Smt. Rina Rout, Bomaloi: She welcomed the project.
28.	Smt. Sumitra Oram, Tileimal: She welcomed the project.
29.	Sri Ramesh Chandra Barik, Dhhoropani: He urged before the district administration to visit Phulchanger village and verify the facts of the villager's issues which are being raised in the public hearing meeting and issues should be resolved thereafter.
30.	Sri Subash Chandra Biswal, Rengali: He stated that, this is 2nd round proposal for integrated plant. This will link w.e.f. 2006. No extension project has been made from 2006. They don't have objection for new project but as said by different speakers it came in front that company will provide employment to land losers as per their qualification and ability. Herequest to District Administration to make arrangement for employment in priority basis. One of sister told that there is no provision for drinking water, water is life and they request to company representative to make arrangement of water supply to villagers in first priority (except RWS scheme basis) Company will look after the benefits to local people. He welcomed the new project.
31.	Sri ChatrubhujaJhankar, Dhhoropani: He urged before the company authority to resolve the problem of Phulchanger village in

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	<p>priority basic, then to Bomaloi Panchayat then solve the other problems of this area which have not yet been done till date. Whatever the company representative assured to do but if not done by the company then District Administration will deal done with pressure. Only promise to do the job will not work, it must be done by force. Land loser must get employment. Employment must be in permanent basis. Something should be done for the farmers as they lost their farming land. If job is not provided according to their assurance, then people will get down for Strike.</p>
32.	<p>Smt, Thakini Oram, Tileimal: She welcomed the project with a demand before the company authority to undertake developmental work in the local area.</p>
33.	<p>Sri Prafulla Patra, Bomaloi: He welcomed the new project in first phase also welcomed the new project of 2nd round. He became a member of RPDAC. That time Collector Sambalpur has committed to shift the Phulchanger village to other place, he personally visited the village for rehabilitation. He specially inquired the village situation. The villagers of Phulchanger village refused to go to other place. Said this is their motherland "Vitamati", they don't want to relocate, they objected lots not to go other way. In land matter, He said he is very much attached with Aryan Ispat since 2004. Company procured land from Government. Government has a rule that company will purchase land in their own personnel names. Then 2012-13 or 2013-14 Government has new rule to declare 4(1) for the same land. At that time value of land is 80,000 to 1,00,000 but that land again increased to 3.5 lakh. They oppose that company already paid 80,000 to 1,00,000 and rest amount 2.5 lakh should be paid to land loser. Company has agreed but not given the differentiate amount. There is a special power of RPDAC Meeting Committee to solve the problems. They forget to do so, RPDAC meeting not taken in last 4 years, but as per rule it should be done within 6 months. However He welcomed the new project.</p>
34.	<p>Smt. Premasula Bhoi, Lapanga: She welcomed the project.</p>
35.	<p>Smt. Greshi bag, Bomaloi: She welcomed the project.</p>
36.	<p>Smt. Brunda Oram, Tileimal: She welcomed the project.</p>
37.	<p>Sri Sushanta Mirdha, Phulchanger: He welcomed the project but on a condition that the industry should complete all commitment and an agreement copy of the public hearing meeting should be given to the</p>

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	Phulchanger village. The industry should fulfill all as committed in this meeting.
38.	<p>Sri Shesadev Pradhan, Tileimal:</p> <p>He said that he already Welcome first round of public hearing and also welcome the second round of public hearing. Aryan Ispat proposed expansion for new project for Steel Plant. This will increase the local area development. Company will look after, not to spread pollution in the area, whatever the instrument to be required it will be check the pollution.</p> <p>And in Phulchanger village, there are lots of demands1. Company supplied drinking water to the village but it is not sufficient to the villagers. There must be overhead -tank in the village for permanent solution of drinking water2. Also for proposed Road to the village, road must be repaired in urgent basis, which is between Aditya Birla and Aryan Ispat. This road was constructed by Aryan Ispat.3. Employment to young mass of Phulchanger village as per their qualification and ability. Also employment to Lapanga ,Bomaloi villagers and also for villager up to 11 kilometres radius Water is main problem of Phulchanger village. Company will take necessary step to check the water problem. If villagers get pure water then no diseases will arises. Peripheral development must be taken for Phulchanger village as well as Lapanga and Bomaloi. Company have given 4 nos. teachers to local villages schools, salary of teachers should be increased.Development of local area like Phulchanger village, Bomaloi village demanded Pond in Phulchanger&Bomaloi village should be developed. Past days, they have a meeting by SHG group of Phulchanger village with company representatives for regular development as well basic needs like drinking water.</p> <p>He welcomed the new project.</p>
39.	<p>Sri PintuBehera, Lapanga:</p> <p>He welcomed the project with a condition that local people should be developed by the industry.</p>
40.	<p>Smt. Sabita Munda, Bomaloi: Not delivered</p>
41.	<p>Sri BedabyasaBehera, Lapanga:</p> <p>He expressed his dissatisfaction and stated that, the local people have been displaced and rehabilitated from Hirakudwater reservoir where they have lost their land twice or thrice, but still they do not have any employment as per government rule 2006.If a person stays at Phulchanger village and give 100% their land then theyhave tooffer the job as per Orissa rehabilitation rules 2006 point 5. He further informed that, everywhere pollution has spread due to operation of industry and also scarcity of water in the locality since 2003. In this connection, local people have already intimated through written to the district administration but their complaint has not yet attended.</p>

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42.	Sri Prasanna Behera, Tileimal: He stated that their village is located in between two industry, therefore he urged before the district administration not to allow any more industry to establish in Bomalai Panchayat area.
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Summary of the points raised by the participants in the public hearing are being read out by the Regional Officer, State Pollution Control Board, Sambalpur and same in English and Odiya (vernacular language) is enclosed as **Annexure-IV (A & B)**.

After the completion of the deliberation process the Addl. District Magistrate (Revenue), Sambalpur invited the representatives of M/s. Aryan Ispat & Power Pvt. Limited to give a brief note on the issues related to the demand and grievances of the participants raised in the public hearing meeting.

On behalf of the project proponent, Dr. Arundhati Tej, MD, Environmental Research and Services (India) Pvt. Ltd. Bhubaneswar, Odisha has responded on the issues raised by the participants during public hearing. Same in English and Odiya (vernacular language) are also given in **Annexure-V (A & B)**. The video recording of the entire proceeding of the public hearing is enclosed as **Compact Disc (CD)**.

After the above-mentioned deliberation, the Addl. District Magistrate (Revenue), Sambalpur has announced the completion of public hearing over the proposed project and the Regional Officer, State Pollution Control Board has proposed the vote of thanks to the Chair as well as to the Participants present during the public hearing.

The meeting ended with vote of thanks to the Chair.



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State Pollution Control Board, Odisha, Sambalpur
(Assisted as representative of SPCB, Odisha)

Regional Officer
State Pollution Control Board
Regional Office, Sambalpur



Sri Umakanta Raj, OAS (S)
Addl. District Magistrate, Sambalpur
(Presided and supervised over the Public
Hearing meeting)

Additional District Magistrate
Sambalpur



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ବିଜ୍ଞାପନ

ଏତଦ୍ୱାରା ସମସ୍ତଙ୍କ ଅନୁମତି ନିମନ୍ତେ ଜଣାଇ ଦିଆଯାଉଅଛି ଯେ ମେସର୍ସ ଆର୍ଯ୍ୟାନ୍ ଇସ୍ପାତ ଓ ପାଖିର ପ୍ରାଇଭେଟ୍ ଲିମିଟେଡ୍, ଓଡ଼ିଶାର ସମ୍ବଲପୁର ଜିଲ୍ଲା, ରେଙ୍ଗାଳା ଚହସିଲ ଅନ୍ତର୍ଗତ ବାମଲୋଇ ଗ୍ରାମ ଠାରେ ବର୍ତ୍ତମାନ ସ୍ଥିତ ଇସ୍ପାତ କାରଖାନାର ସମ୍ପ୍ରସାରଣ କରି ଇଣ୍ଡିଗ୍ରେଟେଡ୍ ଇସ୍ପାତ କାରଖାନା ସ୍ଥାପନ କରିବା ନିମନ୍ତେ ପରିବେଶୀୟ ମଞ୍ଜୁରୀ ପାଇଁ "ସର୍ବସାଧାରଣ ଶୁଣାଣି" ତା.୨୧.୦୪.୨୦୨୦ରିଖ ଦିବା ୧୧:୦୦ ଘଟିକା ସମୟରେ ସମ୍ବଲପୁର ଜିଲ୍ଲା, ରେଙ୍ଗାଳା ଚହସିଲ ଅନ୍ତର୍ଗତ ବାମଲୋଇ ଗ୍ରାମପଞ୍ଚାୟତ କାର୍ଯ୍ୟାଳୟ ପ୍ରାଙ୍ଗଣରେ ହେବାକୁ ଧାର୍ଯ୍ୟ ହୋଇଥିଲା । ଉକ୍ତ ଶୁଣାଣିର ବିଶେଷ ତଥ୍ୟ ବିଭିନ୍ନ ସମ୍ବନ୍ଧପତ୍ର ଯଥା: "The New Indian Express" ଏବଂ "ସମ୍ବାଦ"ରେ ତା.୧୯.୦୩.୨୦୨୦ରିଖରେ ବିଜ୍ଞାପନ ପ୍ରକାଶ କରାଯାଇଥିଲା । କିନ୍ତୁ Covid-19 ମହାମାରୀର ପ୍ରତିବନ୍ଧକ ଯୋଗୁଁ ତା.୨୧.୦୪.୨୦୨୦ରିଖ ଦିନ ହେବାକୁ ଥିବା ସର୍ବସାଧାରଣ ଶୁଣାଣିକୁ ସ୍ଥଗିତ ରଖାଯାଇଅଛି । ଉକ୍ତ ସର୍ବସାଧାରଣ ଶୁଣାଣି ତା.୧୨.୦୧.୨୦୨୧ରିଖ ଦିବା ୧୨:୦୦ ଘଟିକା ସମୟରେ ସମ୍ବଲପୁର ଜିଲ୍ଲା, ରେଙ୍ଗାଳା ଚହସିଲ ଅନ୍ତର୍ଗତ ବାମଲୋଇ ଗ୍ରାମପଞ୍ଚାୟତ କାର୍ଯ୍ୟାଳୟ ପ୍ରାଙ୍ଗଣରେ ହେବାକୁ ପୁନଃନିର୍ଦ୍ଧାରିତ ହେଇଛି ।

ଭାରତ ସରକାର ପରିବେଶ, ଜଙ୍ଗଲ ଏବଂ ଜଳବାୟୁ ପରିବର୍ତ୍ତନ ମନ୍ତ୍ରାଳୟର ପରିବେଶୀୟ ମଞ୍ଜୁରୀ ନିମନ୍ତେ ଅଧିସୂଚନା ସଂଖ୍ୟା ଏସ.ଡି.୧୫୩୩ (ଇ), ତା.୧୪.୦୯.୨୦୦୭ ଅନୁଯାୟୀ ରାଜ୍ୟ ପ୍ରଦୂଷଣ ନିୟନ୍ତ୍ରଣ ବୋର୍ଡ, ଓଡ଼ିଶା, ଭୁବନେଶ୍ୱରକୁ ସର୍ବସାଧାରଣ ଶୁଣାଣି କରିବା ର କ୍ଷମତା ପ୍ରଦାନ କରିଛନ୍ତି । ଏଥି ନିମନ୍ତେ ବୋର୍ଡ, ସର୍ବସାଧାରଣଙ୍କ ସମେତ ପ୍ରକୃତ ଅଧିବାସୀ, ପରିବେଶୀୟ ସଂସ୍ଥା ଏବଂ ପ୍ରସାବିତ ପ୍ରକଳ୍ପ ସ୍ଥାପନ ହେଉଥିବା ସ୍ଥାନରେ ଜନବର୍ଗ, ପ୍ରକଳ୍ପ ଯୋଗୁଁ ଉଦ୍ଭବ ହେଉଥିବା ବାସିନ୍ଦା, ପ୍ରକଳ୍ପ ଯୋଗୁଁ ପ୍ରଭାବିତ ହେଉଥିବା ବାସିନ୍ଦାମାନଙ୍କ ଠାରୁ ପ୍ରକଳ୍ପ ସ୍ଥାପନ ଯୋଗୁଁ ପରିବେଶୀୟ ପ୍ରଭାବ ସମ୍ବନ୍ଧୀୟ ପ୍ରଶ୍ନ, ମତାମତ, ମତ୍ତତ୍ତ୍ୱ ଓ ଆପତ୍ତି ପତ୍ର ଆହ୍ୱାନ କରୁଛନ୍ତି । ଏଥି ନିମନ୍ତେ ବ୍ୟକ୍ତିର ଅର୍ଥ କେବଳ ନିମ୍ନମତେ ବୁଝାଯାଉଛି :

- (କ) ପରିବେଶୀୟ ମଞ୍ଜୁରୀ ଦ୍ୱାରା ପ୍ରଭାବିତ ହେଉଥିବା ବାସିନ୍ଦାଙ୍କୁ ଥିବା ଯେ କୌଣସି ବ୍ୟକ୍ତି ।
- (ଖ) ପ୍ରକଳ୍ପ ସମ୍ବନ୍ଧିତ ପରିବେଶୀୟ ମଞ୍ଜୁରୀ ପାଇଁ ଆଗତ ନରଖଣ୍ଡ ପରିପ୍ରେକ୍ଷୀରେ ତହିଁ ଉପରେ କର୍ତ୍ତୃତ୍ୱ ଜାହିର କରିପାରୁଥିବା କୌଣସି ବ୍ୟକ୍ତି ବିଶେଷ ।
- (ଗ) ପରିବେଶ କ୍ଷେତ୍ରରେ କାର୍ଯ୍ୟ କରୁଥିବା ଜିମ୍ମା/ଏବଂ ପ୍ରସାବିତ ପ୍ରକଳ୍ପ ଦ୍ୱାରା ପ୍ରଭାବିତ ହେଉଥିବା (ପଞ୍ଜିକୃତ ବା ଅଣପଞ୍ଜିକୃତ) ଯେ କୌଣସି ବ୍ୟକ୍ତି ସମ୍ବନ୍ଧୀୟ ସଂସ୍ଥା ।
- (ଘ) ପ୍ରକଳ୍ପ ବିତ ପ୍ରକଳ୍ପର ଇତ୍ୟାଦି ସାମଗ୍ରିକ ନିକଟବର୍ତ୍ତୀ ଅଞ୍ଚଳରେ ଯେ କୌଣସି ସ୍ଥାନୀୟ କର୍ତ୍ତୃପକ୍ଷ ।

ଉପରୋକ୍ତ ବ୍ୟକ୍ତିମାନେ ସେମାନଙ୍କର ପ୍ରସ୍ତାବ, ମତାମତ, ମତ୍ତତ୍ତ୍ୱ ଏବଂ ଆପତ୍ତି ଇତ୍ୟାଦିକୁ ସମସ୍ୟ ସବିଧ, ରାଜ୍ୟ ପ୍ରଦୂଷଣ ନିୟନ୍ତ୍ରଣ ବୋର୍ଡ ଓଡ଼ିଶାକୁ ନିଖୁତ ଆକାରରେ ଏହି ବିଜ୍ଞାପନ ପ୍ରକାଶନର ୩୦ ଦିନ ମଧ୍ୟରେ ରେଜିଷ୍ଟ୍ରି ଡାକ ଯୋଗେ ଜଣାଇ ପାରିବେ । ଏହା ଛଡ଼ା ଉକ୍ତ ପ୍ରକଳ୍ପ ଉପରେ ନିଖୁତ ବା ମୌଖିକ ଭାବେ ମତାମତ ଦେବା ପାଇଁ କଲ୍ଲୁକ ବ୍ୟକ୍ତିମାନେ ତା.୧୨.୦୧.୨୦୨୧ରିଖ ଦିବା ୧୨:୦୦ ଘଟିକା ସମୟରେ ସମ୍ବଲପୁର ଜିଲ୍ଲା, ରେଙ୍ଗାଳା ଚହସିଲ ଅନ୍ତର୍ଗତ ବାମଲୋଇ ଗ୍ରାମପଞ୍ଚାୟତ କାର୍ଯ୍ୟାଳୟ ପ୍ରାଙ୍ଗଣରେ ଧାର୍ଯ୍ୟ ସର୍ବସାଧାରଣ ଶୁଣାଣି ସମୟରେ ମଧ୍ୟ ଉପସ୍ଥାପନ କରିପାରିବେ । ଉକ୍ତ ସର୍ବସାଧାରଣ ଶୁଣାଣି କ୍ରମେ ଉଦ୍ଭବ ହେଉଥିବା ସରକାରଙ୍କ ପରିବେଶ, ଜଙ୍ଗଲ ଏବଂ ଜଳବାୟୁ ପରିବର୍ତ୍ତନ ମନ୍ତ୍ରାଳୟ ଦ୍ୱାରା ପ୍ରଦତ୍ତ Covid-19 ମହାମାରୀ ପ୍ରତିବନ୍ଧକ ମାର୍ଗଦର୍ଶିକା ନ.୨୨-୨୫-IA.III, ତା.୧୪.୦୯.୨୦୨୦ରିଖ ତଥା ଓଡ଼ିଶା ସରକାରଙ୍କ ଅନୁଯାୟୀ କାର୍ଯ୍ୟାଳୟ କରାଯିବ ।

ପ୍ରକଳ୍ପ ବିତ ପ୍ରକଳ୍ପ ବିଷୟରେ ବିଶଦ ଭାବରେ ଜାଣିବା ପାଇଁ ପରିବେଶୀୟ ପ୍ରଭାବ ମୂଲ୍ୟାୟନ ବିବରଣୀ (Environmental Impact Assessment) ଏବଂ ଏହାର ନିର୍ଦ୍ଦେଶ ସାରାଂଶ (Executive Summary) ଓଡ଼ିଆ ଏବଂ ଇଂରାଜୀ ଭାଷାରେ ନିମ୍ନଲିଖିତ ସ୍ଥାନ ମାନଙ୍କରେ ମିଳିପାରିବ ।

- ୧. ଜିଲ୍ଲା ପାଳିକା କାର୍ଯ୍ୟାଳୟ, ସମ୍ବଲପୁର । ୨. ଜିଲ୍ଲା ଶିଳ୍ପ କେନ୍ଦ୍ର, ସମ୍ବଲପୁର । ୩. ଜିଲ୍ଲାପରିଷଦ ମୁଖ୍ୟ ନିର୍ବାହୀ ଅଧିକାରୀ, ସମ୍ବଲପୁର । ୪. ମୁଖ୍ୟ କାର୍ଯ୍ୟାଳୟ, ରାଜ୍ୟ ପ୍ରଦୂଷଣ ନିୟନ୍ତ୍ରଣ ବୋର୍ଡ, ଓଡ଼ିଶା, ପରିବେଶ ଭବନ, ଏ/୧୧୮, ନୀଳକଣ୍ଠ ନଗର, ଭୁବନେଶ୍ୱର-୭୫୧୦୧୨ । ୫. ଆଞ୍ଚଳିକ କାର୍ଯ୍ୟାଳୟ, ରାଜ୍ୟ ପ୍ରଦୂଷଣ ନିୟନ୍ତ୍ରଣ ବୋର୍ଡ, ଓଡ଼ିଶା, ସମ୍ବଲପୁର । ୬. ଜଙ୍ଗଲ ଓ ପରିବେଶ ବିଭାଗ, ଓଡ଼ିଶା ସରକାର, ଭୁବନେଶ୍ୱର ।

ଡାକ୍ତର ବ୍ୟତୀତ ପରିବେଶୀୟ ପ୍ରଭାବ ମୂଲ୍ୟାୟନ ବିବରଣୀର ନିର୍ଦ୍ଦେଶ ସାରାଂଶ (Executive Summary) ଓଡ଼ିଆ ଏବଂ ଇଂରାଜୀ ଭାଷାରେ ଉକ୍ତ ପ୍ରଦୂଷଣ ନିୟନ୍ତ୍ରଣ ବୋର୍ଡ, ସମ୍ବଲପୁରର ସ୍ୱେଚ୍ଛାସେବୀ ସ୍ୱାଧିକାରୀଙ୍କୁ www.ospcboard.org ରୁ ମଧ୍ୟ ମିଳିପାରିବ । ଏ ବିଷୟରେ ଅଧିକ ସୂଚନା ପାଇଁ ପଦ୍ମ ପ୍ରଦୂଷଣ ନିୟନ୍ତ୍ରଣ ବୋର୍ଡ, ଓଡ଼ିଶା ଓ ଆଞ୍ଚଳିକ କାର୍ଯ୍ୟାଳୟ, ସମ୍ବଲପୁରରେ ଆଞ୍ଚଳିକ ପ୍ରଦୂଷଣ ନିୟନ୍ତ୍ରଣ ବୋର୍ଡର ମୁଖ୍ୟ କାର୍ଯ୍ୟାଳୟରେ ସମସ୍ତ ସୂଚନା ସହ ଯୋଗାଯୋଗ କରାଯାଇପାରେ ।

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The Secretary dt: 08/12/2020

Annexure 1

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STATE POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD, ODISHA

(Department of Forest & Environment, Govt. of Odisha)
Paribesh Bhawan, A/118, Nilakanthanagar, Unit-VIII, Bhubaneswar - 751012



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Date 17.11.2020/

NOTICE

It is brought to the notice of all concerned that the State Pollution Control Board, Odisha issued an advertisement in the newspapers "The New Indian Express" and "Sambad" on 19-03-2020 to conduct the public hearing in respect of M/s Aryan Ispat & Power Pvt. Ltd. on 21.04.2020 at 11-00 A.M at Bomaloi Gram Panchayat Office Premises, Rengali tahsil of Sambalpur district for expansion of existing Steel Plant to Integrated Steel Plant at Bomaloi village, Rengali Tehsil in the district of Sambalpur. But due to COVID- 19 pandemic restriction the public hearing scheduled above could not be conducted. The same public hearing is now rescheduled to be held on 12-01-2021 at 12.00 Noon at "Bomaloi Gram Panchayat Office Premises, Rengali tahsil of Sambalpur district.

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 12-01-2021 at 12.00 Noon at "Bomaloi Gram Panchayat Office Premises, Rengali tahsil of Sambalpur district. Public hearing shall be conducted strictly observing guidelines contained in COVID - 19 pandemic restrictions issued by the MoEF&CC, Govt. of India vide OM No.22-25-IA.III, dated 14.09.2020 as well as Govt. of Odisha.

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 free of cost.

1. District Collector's Office, Sambalpur.
2. District Industries Center, Sambalpur.
3. In the office of the Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Parishad, Sambalpur.
4. In the Head office of the State Pollution Control Board, Odisha, Parivesh Bhawan, A1118, Nilakanthanagar, Unit - VIII, Bhubaneswar - 12.
5. Regional Office, State Pollution Control Board, Odisha, Sambalpur.
6. Department of Forest & Environment (Environment), Govt. of Odisha, Bhubaneswar

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

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Sd/-
MEMBER SECRETARY

At New Indian Express on 8.12.20