

Minutes of the 21st (twenty-first) meeting of the Approval Committee for sector specific Ahmedabad Apparel Park – Special Economic Zone developed by Gujarat Industrial Development Corporation (GIDC) on 07-01-2016, at 1130 hours under the Chairmanship of Shri Upendra Vasishth, ndc Zonal Development Commissioner, Kandla Special Economic Zone, in the conference room of the Developer, GIFT-SEZ, Gandhinagar.

List of participants is annexed as Annexure-I

A) Other cases:-

21-A-01) Request of M/s. Stitchwell Garments, AAP-SEZ, Ahmedabad for broad-banding of existing LOA for inclusion of new items of manufacture and export:-

Shri Shahil Fozdar, Partner, and Shri R. R. Dave, Consultant of the applicant company, appeared before the Committee for personal interview, and explained the proposal for broad-banding to include new items i.e. made-ups (Textiles & Articles of Textiles) for manufacture and export to the existing LOA.

The Approval Committee had observed from the proposal of the above referred applicant, that request is for broad-banding of existing Letter of Approval (LOA) for manufacture and export of 'apparels' to include new items under "Textiles and Articles of Textiles" on the basis of Government of India Notification No. G.S.R. 784 (E), dated 28-09-2010, regarding substitution of words "Apparels" to "Textiles & Articles of Textiles" amending the Annexure-II to the SEZ Rules, 2006.

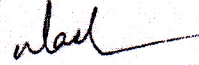
The Committee had noted that the above Notification No. G.S.R. 784 (E), dated 28-09-2010, is for amendment of Annexure-II of Notification No. G.S.R. 54 (E), dated 10-02-2006 (SEZ Rules, 2006), which is issued for the purpose of minimum requirement of land for sector specific SEZ. However, the Formal Approval and original Notification No. S.O. 543 (E), dated 10-04-2007, issued in favour of M/s. Gujarat Industrial Development Corporation (GIDC), the developer of sector specific SEZ for Apparel at Ahmedabad is not amended.

The Committee was of the opinion that requests from SEZ unit for broad-banding of LOA from 'apparel' to "Textiles & Articles of Textiles" cannot be considered at the present stage, as the Developer-GIDC's Notification for sector specific SEZ for apparel is not yet amended to the said effect.

Thus, the Approval Committee decided to defer the request of M/s. Stitchwell Garments, AAP-SEZ, Ahmedabad, and to seek clarification from the Department of Commerce (DOC) on the above said aspects for the JDC (i/c), KASEZ, Ahmedabad shall refer the matter and also advised the Developer-GIDC to take-up the matter with the DOC appropriately for the requisite amended/enabling Notification in respect of "Textiles & Articles of Textiles", so as to consider the requests for such items. The Committee also noted that no authorized representative of the Developer-GIDC was present during the meeting, and directed the developer to ensure attendance.

**21-A-02) Monitoring of 'Annual Performance Reports'
of SEZ units under the SEZ Rules:-**

The Approval Committee noted the positive export performance of 05 (five) SEZ units namely 1) Artex Apparels; 2) Dheeraj Exports; 3) Komal Textfab Pvt. Ltd; 4) Kruti Garments Pvt. Ltd; and 5) Tarasafe International Pvt. Ltd., of Ahmedabad Apparel Park – SEZ, upto the monitoring year 2014-15, based on the CA certified APRs of the respective SEZ units.



(Upendra Vasishth)
Chairman of Approval Committee,
& Zonal Development Commissioner,
Kandla Special Economic Zone.

The following members were present:-

ANNEXURE-I

01.	Shri Upendra Vasishth, Zonal Development Commissioner, KASEZ.	Chairman
02.	Shri Anand Jagtiani, JDC (i/c), KASEZ, Ahmedabad.	Nominee of the Director-SEZ, DOC, MOC&I.
03.	Shri N. B. Nangas, Assistant DGFT, Ahmedabad.	Nominee of the Jt. DGFT, Ahmedabad.
04.	Shri Pradeep Sharma, Assistant Commissioner of Central Excise, Ahmedabad-I.	Nominee of the Commissioner of Central Excise, Ahmedabad.
05.	Shri R. J. Jadeja, Deputy Collector (East), Ahmedabad.	Nominee of the District Collector Ahmedabad.