MINUTES OF THE 39th (THIRTY NINTH) MEETING OF APPROVAL COMMITTEE FOR GIDC—AHMEDABAD APPAREL PARK SEZ- KHOKHRA, AHMEDABAD HELD ON WEDNESDAY, 24th June, 2019 AT 15:30 HOURS UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF DR. AMIYA CHANDRA, ZONAL DEVELOPMENT COMMISSIONER, KASEZ, AT KASEZ CITY OFFICE, AMBAWADI, AHMEDABAD-15

List of participants is annexed as Annexure-I

Approved minutes of the previous meeting were confirmed by members of the Unit Approval Committee.

CASE-39-A-01

Subject: - M/s. Artex Apparels, Ahmedahad Apparel Park - SEZ request for Broad-banding of their LOA for manufacture & export of cut piece Fabrics

Shri Chandulal D Mehta, Director and Shri Mahendra Shukla, Deputy Manager, M/s Artex Apparels appeared to represent the case of the unit. They informed to the Approval Committee that:

- 1.1 Their unit was issued the Letter of Approval initially vide F.No. KASEZ/P&C/6/43/07-08/4929 dated 06/8/2007 for undertaking authorized operations namely, manufacture of the items i.e "Readymade Garments."
- 1.2 Subsequently, after consideration of broad-banding request of their unit by the 37th Approval Committee meeting held on 22-01-2019, two additional items namely "cut pieces of fabrics" of 6 lakh meters and "clothing bags" with annual capacity of 50,000 pieces (falls under CTH as mentioned in Annexure 1) were also included in the list of items of manufacture.
- 2.1 Now, they have further requested for addition of some additional items, falls under the Chapter Headings as per Annexure B, in the aforesaid LoA. The said additional items are broadly "cut pieces of fabrics" and "clothing bags" of different kind of raw materials and accordingly falls under the respective CTH as mentioned in the above said Annexure B.
- 2.2 It was further clarified that the total quantity of the items to be manufactured and exports would remain the same i.e. "cut pieces of fabrics" of 6 lakh meters and "clothing bags", with annual capacity of 50,000 pieces, as per the projection submitted before the 37th Approval Committee meeting while considering their earlier broad-banding request as mentioned at above point No 1.2.
- 2.3 It is further submitted by the party that since the final product would be "cut pieces of fabrics" and "clothing bags" to be manufactured from different types of basic material/raw material, the manufacturing process will not be altered but the final product will falls under the respective Tariff Heading as mentioned in Annexure-B.
- 3.1 The Approval Committee under the chairmanship of the Zonal Development Commissioner, Shri Amiya Chandra, asked to confirm whether any of the items falls under the list

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of restricted category items or otherwise. The unit representatives confirmed that all the items proposed to be manufactured are covered under the free category for import and export.

The Committee also enquired whether the imported raw materials/ clothes would be fresh or used, to which the Unit representatives stated that the same will be new only and in no case, old cloth will be imported. The Approval Committee asked for an affidavit confirming the same, to which the Unit Representatives readily agreed.

The Approval Committee agreed upon the proposal of the broadbanding.

Case- 39-B-1

<u>Subject: - Application of M/s. Worldwide Safety (P) Ltd. for inclusion of Additional Items of Manufacturing (Broadbanding) in the existing LoA issued vide F,No. KASEZ/DCO/AAP-SEZ/II/003/2014-15 dated 19/12/2014 valid till 15/01/2022.</u>

Mr Sandeep Kakkar, CEO, M/s Worldwide Safety (P) Ltd. along with his aide, Shri Mayank appeared to represent the case of the unit located at AAP-SEZ, Ahmedabad.

- 1. He informed to the members of the Unit Approval Committee that in the present Letter of Approval, the items of manufacturing, approved by the UAC are "Seamless Knitted Gloves and Seamless Knitted dipped gloves in plastic (HSN Code: 61169300)".
- 2. The party representative then informed that the SEZ based unit now plans to include two "Additional Items" of Manufacturing in the present Letter of Approval issued vide F.No. KASEZ/DCO/AAP-SEZ/II/003/2014-15 dated 19/12/2014, which is valid till 15/01/2022 and requested to allow Synthetic knitted dipped gloves (HSN Code: 61161000) and Synthetic knitted sleeves (HSN Code: 61178090), in the present LoA. The proposed items are in huge demand in the international market and that the existing machinery installed in the factory premises is sufficient for the manufacturing of the said two additional items.
- 3. Thereafter the Unit Representatives showed the products to the Approval Committee. They informed that the items are in the Free list and the raw materials like P.E-Fibre and Spandax bare yarn will be imported. There is <u>no requirement to import any Capital Goods</u>. Also the party representative stated that the sleeves are normally used in automobile industry to prevent any cut to the hand as the finished products are cut resistant.
- 4. The Approval Committee also took a note that at present the party has got a positive NFE of Rs. 11.73 crores.

5. Thereafter, the Approval Committee agreed upon the proposal of the broadbanding.

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Subject: - Request by M/s. Norquest Brands Pyt. Ltd. for permitting the classification of Cotton
Rags in Charter 12 Bags in Chapter 42, rather than Chapter 63, and submission of supporting documents, as decided in the 38th Approved Co. in the 38th Approval Committee of the AAP-SEZ meeting held on 24th April, 2019

The said agenda was deferred for the next Approval Committee meeting by the Committee as no authorized representative was present to submit the case of the Unit.

Subject: - Offer-Cum-Allotment of Part of Plot No. 10 (office) & Plot No. 47/1 (Garden) at Apparel Park SEZ to M/s. Reliance Jio Infocomm Ltd. for installation of mobile towers

The said agenda was deferred for the next Approval Committee meeting by the Committee as the authorized representative was not present to submit the case of the Unit.

Subject: - APR Review- Monitoring of Performance of SEZ units in GIDC's AHMEDABAD APPAREL PARK -SEZ, in respect of performance up to the monitoring year 2017-18.

The executive summary of Annual Performance Reports (APRs) - Cumulative Review up to the monitoring year 2017-18 (as on 31-03-2018) given in Annexure, in terms of Rule-54 of the SEZ Rules, 2006, were submitted for consideration and monitoring/review for 8 units.

The Approval Committee noted the positive export performance of the 7 Units operational in AAP-SEZ, Ahmedabad and took cognizance of 0 NFE of M/s. Prithvi Hitex Creation Pvt. Ltd. and directed to issue a SCN in this regard.

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Subject: - Submission of Half Yearly Performance Report & Quarterly Performance Report by the Developer- M/s Gujarat Industrial Development Corporation- Ahmedabad Apparel Park SEZ, Ahmedabad and its Monitoring of the same in terms of Rule 12(6) of the SEZ Rules, 2006

The Half Yearly & Quarterly Performance Reports submitted by the Developer of the Ahmedabad Apparel Park SEZ, Khokhra, Ahmedabad- M/s Gujarat Industrial Development Corporation, from Oct'2012 to Mar'2018 were put up before the Approval Committee for consideration & acceptance, in terms of Rule- 12(6) of the SEZ Rules, 2006. The Approval Committee noted the same.

(Dr. Amiya Chandra)
Chairman of the Approval Committee
& the Development Commissioner,
KASEZ, Gujarat

## <u>ANNEXURE-1</u>

The following members were present in the Approval Committee in 38th (thirty eighth) meeting for GIDC -Ahmedabad Apparel park SEZ- khokhra, Ahmedabad held on 24th April, 2019: -

Chairman of the Approval		
01.	Dr. Amiya Chandra	Committee and the Zonal
01.		Development Commissioner,
	, .	KASEZ
		Nominee for the Director-SEZ,
02.	Shri S. D. Shende.	DOC, MOC&I, New Delhi
		District Collector, Ahmedabad
03.	Dr. Vikrant Pandey	Jt. Commissioner, Income Tax,
04.	Shri, N J Vyas, IRS	Representative of the Principal
	<u> </u>	Commissioner of Income Tax.
1		Representative, DIC, Ahmedabad
05	Ms. Nirali Ganatra	, ,
	Ms Sameeksha Jain	Assistant Manager,
06	Shri Suresh G. Rana	Developer(GIDC), Ahmedabad,
		Nominee of the Developer GIDC
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