

Ref.: S&E/E.8-I/21

Date: 8th June 2021

The Member Secretary
Tamilnadu Pollution Control Board
76, Mount Road
Guindy
Chennai – 600 032



Respected Sir,

**Sub: Environmental Statement for the year 2020 -2021 for Greenstar
Fertilizers Limited Plants**

We are pleased to submit the Environmental Statement in Form-V (in duplicate) pertaining to our Greenstar Fertilizer plants at Tuticorin for the year ending 31st March 2021.

Thanking you,
For "Greenstar Fertilizers Limited"

(Balu-E. 08/06/2021)
E. Balu
Chief Operating Officer

- cc.: 1.The District Environmental Engineer
Tamilnadu Pollution Control Board
C7 & C9, SIPCOT Industrial Complex
Meelavittan, Tuticorin – 628 008
- 2.The Joint Chief Environmental Engineer
Tamilnadu Pollution Control Board
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**Greenstar Fertilizers Limited**

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ENVIRONMENT (PROTECTION) ACT 1986

ENVIRONMENT (PROTECTION) SECOND AMENDMENT RULES,
1992

FORM-V

(See Rule 14)

Environmental statement for the financial year
ending 31st March, 2021

PART-A

- i) Name and address of the owner / occupier of the industry, operation or process : S. Narayanan
Whole Time Director
2C,Block II, Ramaniyam Abbotsbury,
42, C P Ramaswamy Road,
Alwarpet, Chennai – 600018.
M/s Greenstar Fertilizers Limited,
SPIC Nagar, Tuticorin - 628 005.
- ii) Industry Category : Primary SIC No.2800
(Chemicals and allied products)

Secondary SIC No. 2874
(Phosphatic Fertilizers)
- iii) Production Capacity (Reassessed capacity by MoEF)
 - a) Di-Ammonium Phosphate (DAP) : 6,06,100 MT/annum
 - b) Aluminium Fluoride : 10,000 MT/annum
 - c) Single Super Phosphate : 350 MT/day
- iv) Year of establishment : Sulphuric Acid Plant : 1975
Phosphoric Acid Plant: 1976
DAP Plant Train I: 1977
DAP Plant Train II: 1983
Aluminium Fluoride Plant : 1987
SSP : 2010
- v) Date of the last environmental report submitted : 18.05.2020

PART – B

Water and Raw Material Consumption

i)	Water consumption	:	Average M ³ /Day (Actual)
	Cooling	:	1599.5
	Process	:	260.2
	Domestic	:	178.7

Sl. No.	Name of Products	Water Consumption per unit of products (M ³ /MT)	
		During the previous Financial year 2019 -20	During the current Financial year 2020 -2021
1.	DAP	0.22	1.08
2.	Aluminium Fluoride	11.52	14
3.	SSP	0.14	0.15

ii) Raw Material consumption

Sl. No.	Name of the Raw Material	Name of the Product	Consumption of raw material per unit of output	
			During the previous Financial year 2019 - 2020	During the current Financial year 2020 - 2021
1.	Sulphur	Sulphuric Acid	0.332	0.332
2.	Rock Phosphate	Phosphoric Acid	3.86	3.74
3.	Aluminium Hydroxide	AlF ₃	1.22	1.252
4.	Rock Phosphate	SSP	0.623	0.546

PART - C

Pollution Generated

(Parameters as specified in the consent issued)

Sl. No.	Pollutants	Quantity of Pollutants discharged mass/day	Concentration of pollutants discharged in mass/volume	Percentage of variation from prescribed standards with reasons
I	<u>WATER:</u>	No Effluent Generation		
II	<u>AIR:</u>			
1)	Sulphuric Acid Plant: SO ₂	442.48 Kg/day	334.6 mg/NM ³	No deviation from prescribed standards. The Sulphuric Acid plant is converted to DCDA Process
	Acid Mist	5.974 Kg/day	4.5 mg/NM ³	No deviation from prescribed standards
3)	Phosphoric Acid Plant:			
	Fluoride -TCA III	7.3 Kg/day	1.85 mg/NM ³	No deviation from prescribed standards
	Fluoride HH Off Gas Stack	3.56 Kg/day	2.65 mg/ NM ³	No deviation from prescribed standards
	RG Mill Particulate matter	20.8 Kg/day	48.1 mg/NM ³	No deviation from prescribed standards
4)	DAP Plants:			
	Particulate Matter	44.69 Kg/day	8.92 mg/NM ³	No deviation from prescribed standards
	Fluoride	19.836 Kg/day	3.535 mg/NM ³	No deviation from prescribed standards
	Ammonia	170.41 Kg/day	34.72 mg/NM ³	No deviation from prescribed standards
5)	AIF3 Plant			
	Particulate Matter	4.32 Kg/day	45 mg/NM ³	No deviation from prescribed standards
	SO ₂	10.3 Kg/day	472.1 mg/NM ³	No deviation from prescribed standards
6)	SSP			
	Particulate Matter	14.8 Kg/day	41.2 mg/NM ³	No deviation from prescribed standards
	Fluoride	3.06 Kg/day	8.5 mg/NM ³	No deviation from prescribed standards

PART- D
(Hazardous Wastes)

(as specified under Hazardous Wastes (Management and Handling) Rules, 1989)

Sl. No.	Hazardous Wastes	Total Quantity (MT)			Closing Stock & Mode of collection/ Treatment & Disposal
		Quantity generated during 2019 - 20	Quantity generated during 2020 - 21	Characteristics	
1.	Solid spent Catalyst: (Sulphuric Acid Plant)				
	HW Category 17.2 Sulphuric Acid Plant Converter Catalyst	10.327	3.5	V ₂ O ₅ - 3% w/w	Nil
2.	HW Category 17.1 Process acidic residue, filter cake, dust	Nil	Nil	Solid	Nil
3.	Used or Spent oil HW Category : 5.1	0.84 KL	14.53 KL	Oil	1.9 KL

PART - E

BY PROCUDT

S.No	BY PRODUCT	Total quantity (MT)	
		Generated during the previous financial year 2019 - 2020	Generated during the current financial year 2020 - 2021
1.	From Process: Phosphogypsum generated from Phosphoric Acid Plant	826740	603900
	Gypsum Sold	927366.51	819298.71
2.	From Process: Silica generated from Aluminium Fluoride Plant	4370	3809
	Silica sold	6290.24	5242.08
SOLID WASTE : Nil			

PART - F

Please specify characterization (in terms of concentration and quantum) of hazardous as well as solid wastes and indicate disposal practice adopted for both these categories of wastes.

As specified in PART D and PART E

We have become a member of **Industrial Waste Management Association- membership No; 1459.**

Hazardous waste authorization also obtained from TNPCB.

PART – G**Impact of the pollution control measures on conservation of natural resources and on the cost of production:**

Greenstar Fertilizers Limited firmly believes that industrial productivity and environmental protection are to co-exist. With the strong environmental concern and commitment, Greenstar Fertilizers Limited has taken great strides in prevention of pollution and protection of the precious environment. The various pollution control and monitoring measures have been helpful to bring about an overall improvement of the quality of water, air and land in the nearby environment. We have implemented several measures for waste minimization / pollution prevention.

- 1) An ambient air quality has been monitored online and it has been displayed at the factory gate entrance area which shows the pollutant data for the general public.
- 2) SA plant stack SO₂ online monitoring is done and transmitted to care air centre, TNPCB from May 2013. DAP I and II Plants Ammonia analyzers were lined up to care air centre from February 2016.
- 3) Startup scrubber commissioned and lined up with SO₂ Stack to reduce SO₂ emission to environment.
- 4) Bio mass used in stand by steam generation unit (biomass boiler) as a conservation of Fossil fuels.
- 5) Major part of treated effluent from SPIC is reused in Greenstar Plant to conserve raw water.
- 6) Ambient HF was monitored through online analyzer and the connectivity was lined up to care air center, TNPCB from August 2018.
- 7) HF Analyzers were installed in DAP and PA Plant Stacks and Data is being transmitted to Care air Centre, TNPCB since December 2019.
- 8) Installed Remote calibration facility for SA plant SO₂ Analyzer from July 2020 onwards.
- 9) We have obtained ISO 45001 and ISO 14001.
- 10) PM analyzers were installed in RG Mill Stack and Data is being transmitted to Care air Centre, TNPCB since November 2020.
- 11) HF analyzer was installed in SSP plant stack and Data is being transmitted to Care air Centre, TNPCB since February 2021.
- 12) PM analyzers were installed in DAP- I, DAP- II and SSP Plant Stacks and Data is being transmitted to Care air Centre, TNPCB since January 2021.

5) Overall cost towards effluent neutralization and statutory requirements towards environment protection was Rs.113.359 lakhs. The break-up details is given:

<u>Cost for Neutralization:</u>		<u>Rs.in Lakhs</u>
Direct	Chemicals for Phosphatic Plants	1.879
Indirect	Salary and Statutory Fees	111.48
Total Cost of Neutralization and statutory requirements		Rs.113.359 Lakhs

PART – H

Additional measures/investment proposal for environmental protection, abatement of pollution and prevention of pollution

1) We are maintaining the green belt more than 33% of all over area inside factory and nearby township. Totally 1972 trees have been planted in the year 2020 - 21.

Cost incurred for green belt development for the year 2020 - 2021 is 3 lakhs.

2) We have incorporated the dry mode of gypsum conveying system instead of gypsum slurry mode to impervious gypsum dyke.

3) As per CPCB guidelines Gypsum ponds are converted into impervious lined ponds. Construction activities are under progress and the status reports of stage I and Stage II construction of the same was submitted to the Board on 20.07.2020 and 22.10.2020 respectively.

PART - I
Miscellaneous

Any other particulars in respect of environment protection and abatement of pollution till March 2021.

- 1) Green Belt Development Programme is continuously carried out to improve the quality of the environment.
- 2) **WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY CELEBRATIONS:**
Environment Quiz and Essay, Environment Day Pledge, World Environment Day 2020 theme given by UNEP, "Time for nature" was circulated in intranet for the benefit of employees.
Plantation of New Saplings:
World Environment day was celebrated on June 5th, in the presence of DEE and AE, TNPCB-Tuticorin and 100 saplings were planted and about 1972 trees were planted during the year 2020-2021.
- 3) Regular refresher training programme is conducted for employees on Safety and Environment. "Environment management in Greenstar Fertilizers Limited" is one of the topic in the above training Programme.
- 4) Monitoring of stack emission and ambient air and water quality is being done regularly.
- 5) Maintenance department is carrying out regular checking and scheduled maintenance of all the pollution control devices.
- 6) Production & Administration departments taking care of housekeeping.
- 7) Dedicated Horticulture section is taking care of tree plantation and green belt development. Every year we are growing new trees.
- 8) A Part of treated effluent water generated from SPIC Ltd., is being used for Green Belt development inside the Factory premises.
- 9) Plastic Waste Management Internal Committee was formed on 18.12.2019 and various measures were taken to curtail plastic waste pollution.
- 10) Environment Monitoring was carried out around the Phosphogypsum stack by CVR lab and the report was submitted to TNPCB.
- 11) As a part of reliability improvement scrubber pump discharge in SSP Plant, inlet of both primary and secondary scrubbers line were modified from PVC to PP.

Signature :

*(E. Balu - E.
08/06/2021)*

Name and address of the person submitting the Environmental statement report

E. Balu
Chief Operating Officer

On behalf of Name and Address of the Unit

M/s Greenstar Fertilizers Limited
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