To,
M/s A.L. Metals Pvt. Ltd.,
F-624, Phase I,
RIICO Industrial Area,
Bhiwadi.


Sirs,

This has reference to your application no. Nil dated 30-01-09 & 16.02.09. seeking environmental clearances for the above project under EIA Notification 2006. The proposal has been appraised as per prescribed procedure in the light of provisions under the EIA Notification 2006 on the basis of the mandatory documents enclosed with the application viz. the questionnaire, EIA, EMP and additional clarifications furnished in response to the observation of the State Level Expert Committee Rajasthan, in its meeting held 25-03-2009.

2. It is interalia noted that the project is Category “B” & Item No.(in the Schedule) 3(a) Plot Area is 1981 Sq. Meters in RIICO Industrial Area of Bhiwadi. Meters in RIICO Industrial Area of Bhiwadi capacity & production is 18,000 TPA of lead ingots from 25000 tons drained and neutralized lead batteries. The cost of project is Rs.43.50 Lacs. Water requirement is 5 KLD for domestic purposes from RIICO Water Supply. SEAC Rajasthan has reported that Project is already established without prior Environmental Clearance.

3. The SEAC Rajasthan after due considerations of the relevant documents submitted by the project proponent and additional clarifications/documents furnished to it have recommended for Environmental Clearance with certain stipulations. The SEIAA Rajasthan after considering the proposal and recommendations of the SEAC Rajasthan hereby accord Environmental Clearance to the project as per the provisions of Environmental Impact Assessment Notification 2006 and its subsequent amendments, subject to strict compliance of the terms and conditions as follows:

Conditions:

i. The production capacity of the industry for Lead Ingots shall not exceed to 18000 Mt/Tons a year from 25000 tons dry and utilized waste batteries.

ii. Only dry waste batteries shall be purchased for processing.

iii. The industry shall obtain proper registration from CPCB for recycling/reprocessing of hazardous waste, maintain proper passbook and shall not commence processing without the registration.

iv. No water shall be consumed in the processing and no wastewater shall be generated.
Industry shall achieve the following stack emission standards and ambient air standards as notified under E.P. Rules, 1986:

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<td>Lead as Pb</td>
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<td>Particulate Matter</td>
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<td>Respirable Particulate Matter</td>
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<td>Sulphur Di-Oxide(SO₂)</td>
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The height of the stack for disbursement of the process emissions shall not be less than 30 Mtrs. from ground level.

The PP shall operate with prior Consent to establish and Consent to operate under the provisions of Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981.

The particulate matter and gaseous emissions (SO₂, NOₓ, CO, CO₂, Pb and metallic oxides etc) from various processes/units/storages should conform to the standards prescribed by the State Pollution Control Board /Central Pollution Control Board or under the Environment (Protection) Rules'1986 from time to time.

At no time, the emissions should go beyond the prescribed standards. In the event of failure of any pollution control system adopted by the units, the unit shall immediately put off operation and shall not restart until the control measures are rectified to achieve the desired efficiency.

Ambient air quality monitoring stations should be set up in the down wind direction as well as where maximum ground level concentration of SPM, SO₂, NOₓ, CO, CO₂, Pb and metallic oxides are anticipated in consultation with RPCB.

Portholes and sampling facilities should be provided for the stacks emissions monitoring as per the CPCB guidelines. Stack emissions should be monitored in consultation with RPCB.

Data on ambient air quality and stack emissions should be submitted to RPCB once in six months.

The total water requirement should be not exceed to 5 KLD for domestic purposes. Water requirement shall be met by RIICO Ltd. water supply system or other sources. No ground water extraction shall be permitted within the premises without prior permission of the CGWA.

The PP should provide separate drainage and outlets with the precaution that, the storm water shall not come into contact with waste battery/waste sludge/lead ingots.

The waste slag of the process is hazardous in nature and, therefore, must be handled/managed as per the provisions of Hazardous Waste (Management, Handling & Trans boundary Movement) Rules, 2008 & authorization is to be obtained from RPCB.
xvi. Handling, manufacture, storage and transportation of hazardous chemicals should
be in accordance with the Manufacture, Storage and Import of Hazardous
Chemicals Rules, 1989 (amended till date).

xvii. Adequate measures for the control of noise should be taken so as to keep the noise
levels below 85 dB in the work environment. Persons working near the machines
should be provided with well-designed ear muffs/plugs and other personnel
protective equipments.

xviii. Suitable alarm system and standard procedure for transmitting the information on
the occurrence of an accident to the proper focal point should be established.

xix. Efforts should be made to increase green belt all around the premises. Native
plant species should be selected for this purpose in consultation with the local
Forest Department. A green belt development plan be prepared and implemented
so as to cover at least 33% area of the plot size.

xx. A qualified person in the field of environment or separate Environmental
Management Cell to be established to implement and carry out various functions
is set up under the control of a Senior Executive who will report directly to the
head of the project.

xxi. It will be ensured that no employee or worker remains on duty within the plant
premises for more than 8 hours per day in one stretch. No residential facilities
(even for security staff) within the factory premises will be provided.

xxii. Periodical medical check up especially for the presence of Lead in the blood of
the workers should be done in six months and records be submitted.

xxiii. The funds earmarked for the environmental protection measures should be kept in
separate account and should not be diverted for other purposes and year wise
expenditure should be reported to the SEIAA, Rajasthan and to Rajasthan State
Pollution Control Board under the rules prescribed for environmental audit.

xxiv. Implementation of the environmental safeguards like fire fighting, water
harvesting etc. along with socio economic measures like group insurance, free
medical facilities, ESI/EPF facilities to the employees are envisaged under the
Environmental Management Plan; relevant details should be submitted to RPCB
at the time of applying for CTE/CTO.
A Voluntary commitment of the Social responsibility activities to be undertaken by the project proponent and the budgeted amount proposed for such activity.

The SEIAA, Rajasthan reserve the right to add new conditions, modify/annual any condition and/or to revoke the clearance if implementation of any of the condition stipulated by SEIAA, Rajasthan or any other competent authorities is not satisfactory. Six monthly compliance status reports on project along with implementation of environmental measures must be submitted to SEIAA and Rajasthan State Pollution Control Board.

Yours faithfully,

(Sankatha Prasad)
Member Secretary
SEIAA Rajasthan

Copy to following for information and necessary action:

1. Secretary, Ministry of Environment and Forest, Govt. of India, Paryavaran Bhavan, CGO Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi. SEAC Rajasthan has reported that Project is already established without prior Environmental Clearance hence MOEF may consider starting legal proceedings for violation against the proponent.

2. Principal Secretary Environment Department, Rajasthan, Jaipur. SEAC Rajasthan has reported that Project is already established without prior Environmental Clearance hence State Government may consider starting legal proceedings for violation against the proponent.


4. Shri R.S. Bhandari, Member, SEIAA Rajasthan, 2- Museum Road, Ram Niwas Bagh, Jaipur.

5. Member Secretary, Rajasthan State Pollution Control Board, Jaipur.

6. Member Secretary, SEAC Rajasthan.

5th Floor, Sector ‘H’, Aliganj, Lucknow-226 020.

8. IA- Division, Monitoring Cell, MoEF, Paryavaran Bhavan, CGO Complex, Lodhi Road, Delhi-110003.

M.S. SEIAA (Rajasthan)