

**NATIONAL ACCREDITATION BOARD FOR EDUCATION & TRAINING
QUALITY COUNCIL OF INDIA**

Scheme for Accreditation of EIA Consultant Organizations
**Accreditation Committee Meeting for Re-Accreditation held on
October 19, 2021**
Through Video Conference

The following members were present during the meeting:

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| 1. Mr A K Ghose | - Chairman |
| 2. Dr. G. K. Pandey | - Member |
| 3. Dr. P. Ahujarai | - Member |
| 4. Dr. J. S. Sharma | - Member |
| 5. Prof. D. K. Sharma | - Member |
| 6. Dr. Manoranjan Hota | - Member |

Dr. Ranjini Warriar and Prof. Rajesh Khanna expressed their inability to attend the meeting.

Mr. A K Jha - Senior Director, Dr Pawan K Singh- Assistant Director and Ms Kritika Sharma – Accreditation Officer were present in the meeting.

1.0 Cases for Re-Accreditation

The following case was discussed and decisions were taken as noted below.

1.1 Centre for Sustainable Development, Kolkata

The ACO has been assessed as per Version 3 of the Scheme. Result of the Re-accreditation Assessment (RA) is given below:

1.1.1 Category of Approval:

The ACO has scored more than 60% marks hence it is accredited with Cat. A.

1.1.2 Scope of Accreditation:

S. No	NABET Scheme Sectors	Sector Description	Cat.	Sector (MoEFCC Notification dated Sep. 14, 2006 and Amendments)	No.
1.	1	Mining of minerals including opencast / underground mining	A	1 (a) (i)	
2.	3	River Valley projects	A	1 (c)	
3.	4	Thermal power plants	A	1 (d)	

4.	9	Cement plants	A	3 (b)
5.	24	Pulp & paper industry excluding manufacturing of paper from wastepaper and manufacture of paper from ready pulp without bleaching	A	5 (i)
6.	31	Industrial estates/ parks/ complexes/areas, export processing Zones (EPZs), Special Economic Zones (SEZs), Biotech Parks, Leather Complexes	B	7 (c)
7.	34	Highways,	A	7 (f)
8.	35	Aerial ropeways	B	7 (g)
9.	36	Common Effluent Treatment Plants (CETPs)	B	7 (h)
10.	37	Common Municipal Solid Waste Management Facility (CMSWMF)	B	7 (i)
11.	38	Building and construction projects	B	8 (a)
12.	39	Townships and Area development projects	B	8 (b)

Note- FAE requirement (EB- In-house/Empanelled) fulfilling is in process as per clause no. 2 of clarification (to Version 3 of the Scheme) dated Oct. 03, 2017.

1.1.3 Sectors approved for EIA Coordinators (ECs)

a. Assessed as per RA norms – for ECs approved earlier:

S. No.	Name	Earlier approval status (IA/subsequently)		Current approval status (after RA)		Remarks
		Sector	Cat.	Status	Cat.	
In-house						
1	Partha Protim Datta	38	B	Renewed	A	None
		39	B	Renewed	A	
2	Swapan Chakrabarti	9	A	Renewed	A	With alert
		39	B	Renewed	A	

b. Assessed as per IA norms – for new Sectors of approved ECs and fresh ECs proposed:

S. No.	Name	Sectors			Cat.	Remarks
		Applied	Recommended	Approved		
In-house						
1	Sreemoyee Ganguly	38	Yes	Yes	B	None
2	Nidhi Chowdhary	38	Yes	Yes	B	None
		39	Yes	Yes	B	
3	Partha Protim Datta	31	Yes	Yes	B	None
4	Swapan Chakrabarti	1	Yes	Yes	A	With alert
		4	Yes	Yes	A	
		24	Yes	Yes	A	
Empanelled						
5	Pradeep Kumar Chakravarti	36	Yes	Yes	B	With alert
		37	Yes	Yes	B	

6	Samarendra Nath Lahiri	3	Yes	Yes	A	With alert
7	Sajal Majumdar	35	Yes	Yes	B	With alert
8	Santosh Mandal	34	Yes	Yes	A	With alert

1.1.4 Functional Areas (FA) approved for Functional Area Experts (FAEs)

a. Assessed as per RA norms – for FAEs approved earlier:

S. No.	Name	Earlier approval status		Approval status after RA		Remarks
		FAs approved in SA/subsequently	Cat.	Status	Cat.	
In-house						
1	Partha Protim Datta	AP	B	Renewed	B	With alert
		WP	B	Renewed	B	
		LU	A	Renewed	A	With alert
2	Swapan Chakrabarti	SE	B	Renewed	B	
		AP	A	Renewed	A	With alert
		AQ	A	Renewed	A	
3	Subir Kumar Ghosh	NV	A	Renewed	A	With alert
		RH	A	Renewed	A	
4	Nidhi Chowdhary	EB	-	-	-	Absent
5	Sreemoyee Ganguly	AP	B	Renewed	B	With alert
		WP	B	Renewed	B	
Empanelled						
6	Gautam Ghosh	SHW	B	Renewed	B	SW and HW only with alert
		WP	B	Renewed	B	
		Geo	A	Renewed	A	None
HG	A	Renewed	A			
SC	A	Renewed	A			
7	Himadri Guha	AQ	B	Renewed	B	With alert
		NV	B	Renewed	B	
8	Santosh Mandal	Geo	B	Renewed	B	With alert
9	Pradipta Kumar Deb	HG	-	-	-	Absent
10	Pradeep Kumar Chakravarti	WP	B	Renewed	B	With alert

b. Assessed as per IA norms – approved experts for new functional areas and fresh FAEs proposed:

S. No.	Name	Functional Areas			Cat.	Remarks
		Applied	Recommended	Approved		
Empanelled						
1	Himadri Sekhar	EB	Yes	Yes	A	None

S. No.	Name	Functional Areas			Cat.	Remarks
		Applied	Recommended	Approved		
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Note: The following will be communicated to the ACO by NABET-

- Detailed observations and reasons for alerts (if any)
- Results of balance candidates and details of the assessment.

1.2 MITCON Consultancy & Engineering Services Ltd, Pune

The case of MITCON Consultancy & Engineering Services Ltd, Pune was discussed however couldnot be completed due to the paucity of time

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Issued by

(A K Jha)
Senior Director
QCI-NABET

Abbreviations

ACO	: Accredited Consultant Organization
AC	: Accreditation Committee
ANC	: Approval not continued
Cat.	: Category
IA	: Initial Accreditation
EC	: EIA Coordinator
FAE	: Functional Area Expert
RA	: Re-Accreditation
SA	: Surveillance Assessment
FAA	: Functional Area Associates
NC	: Non-conformance
RCA	: Root Cause Analysis
CAPA	: Corrective and Preventive Action