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Sub: Minutes of the 5th Technical Committee (TC) Meeting of Capital Subsidy Scheme for Acquisition of Plants & Machinery (CSAPM) – reg.

Dear Sir/s,

The 5th Technical Committee (TC) Meeting of CSAPM was held on 07.12.2022 and 23.12.2022 in the Conference Room of Office of the Jute Commissioner, Saltlake and National Jute Board, Kolkata respectively under the Chairmanship of the Jute Commissioner. The approved minutes is enclosed for your kind reference.

This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

Thanking you,

Yours truly,

Dr. Mahadeb Datta HoD (Tech.)

Encl: As above.

Copy to: The Jute Commissioner, O/o JC, Ministry of Textiles, Govt. of India

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MINUTES OF THE 5^{TH} MEETING OF THE TECHNICAL COMMITTEE (TC) OF CAPITAL SUBSIDY SCHEME ON ACQUISITION OF PLANTS & MACHINERY [CSAPM] -for JDP manufacturers

Date and Time: 7th December' 2022, 04:30 P.M. & 23rd December' 2022, 02:30 PM.

Venue Conference Room, O/o JC, Saltlake & Conference Room of NJB, Kolkata

Attendees Annexure A

The meeting was chaired by the Jute Commissioner. On behalf of NJB, Dr. Mahadeb Datta, Dy. Director (TT) welcomed all the attendee members and representatives from different JDP units present therein. Thereafter the agenda items were taken up for discussion. The list of attendees present physically and virtually is enclosed at Annexure - A.

Agenda 1: Confirmation of the Minutes of the 4th Technical Committee under CSAPM held on 7th November'2022

The minutes of the 4^{th} Meeting of the Technical Committee under CSAPM held on 7^{th} November' 2022, after being duly approved by the Chairman, were circulated to the members vide NJB's communication no. NJB/CSAPM/4th TC-Minutes/2022-23/8257 dated 11.11.2022.

Since, no further correspondence received in this regard, the minutes have been considered as approved by the Committee.

Agenda 2: Action Taken Report on 4th Technical Committee (TC) meeting

The Committee noted the actions taken as per direction of the $4^{\rm th}$ TC meeting.

Agenda 3: Matter related to De-novo Registration under CSAPM & Report of the Sub-Committee

The Committee noted the action taken by Textiles Committee regarding De-novo registration under CSAPM. It was reported that physical verification has been completed in the following 7 nos. of indigenous Core vendors. 2 nos. of following foreign vendors have also applied for de-novo registration.

Sl. No.	l. No. Name of the JDP manufacturing Machine Vendor	
	(Indigenous core Vendor)	
1.	Monarck Engineers	
2.	Drona Engineering	
3	ALS Industries	
4.	R.B.Electronics & Engineering Pvt. Ltd.	
5.	New Bhagwati Vijay Engg. Works	
6.	Cheran Machines India Pvt. Ltd.	
7.	SVR Consultants & Engineers	

Sl. No.	Name of the JDP manufacturing Machine Vendor	
D1. 140.	(Foreign core Vendor)	
1.	HSN Machinery (Qingdao) Ltd.	
2.	Suzhou T.U.E Hi-Tech Co. Ltd.	

The Chairman advised Industries and Industry Association to pursue with the vendors strongly so that the process of vendor registration is expedited.

Further the report of the Sub-Committee after obtaining necessary views from Industries / Industry Associations on relaxation of investment & annual turnover criteria prescribed in the "Guidelines for Vendor Selection" was place before the Technical Committee for deliberation and direction.

• After due deliberation on the report of the Sub-Committee, the Technical Committee opined that the criteria of total investment of Rs. 1 Cr. may remain and to include land, building and other assets along with the investment in major machinery. Regarding average turnover of the vendor, the suggestion of Industry Associations i.e. average turnover of last three years related to manufacturing activities should not be less than Rs.35.00 Lakhs in case of major machinery and the direction of the 1st TC of CSAPM in this regard may also be referred. The Chairman stated that this will give more clear idea about immovable assets as well as solvency of the vendors and their long term engagement with the industry.

The Chairman approved the above.

 Also, it was discussed in the Technical Committee that the licensed manufacturer under MSME Udyam Registration not having its own manufacturing facility, however meeting all other criteria may be considered under De-novo.

The Chairman approved the above.

 The Committee also discussed that the indigenous vendor having A-TUFS registration may also be considered as registered under CSAPM Scheme since both the Schemes are under the same Ministry.

After detailed discussion, the Chairman approved the proposal and opined that in such case the concern vendors need to just forward filled format along with the fees towards registration to Textiles Committee, Mumbai under intimation to NJB.

Regarding proposal received to consider certificate from "China Council for Promotion
of International Trade China chamber of International Commerce" in place of
"Embassy Certificate" was discussed in length. The Chairman advised that NJB may
write a letter to the O/o Textiles Commissioner seeking for details in this regard.

Subsequently, Textiles Committee, Mumbai was also directed to forward the revised recommendations on the vendor list along with maximum basic eligible price-list to NJB at the earliest.

Agenda 4: Proposal for considering the "Authorization Letter" in place of "Agency Agreement" received from M/s ECO Jute Pvt. Ltd.

The proposal for considering the "Authorization Letter" in place of "Agency Agreement" received from M/s ECO Jute Pvt. Ltd. was not approved by the Committee.

Agenda 5: <u>Inclusion of Machinery in the list of eligible core & non-core machinery</u>

The following vendor under core machinery was approved by the Committee for inclusion under CSAPM eligible list of core machinery and incorporating into online system and details to be forwarded to Textiles Committee for consideration under Denovo registration.

Sl. No.	Туре	Category of Machine	Manufacturer /Agent
1.		Vertical Drying Machine	Swastik Textile Engineers Pvt. Ltd.
2.	Core Machinery	Straight Knife Cutting Machine	Eastman-C.R.A. (Hong Kong) Ltd.
3.		Jigger Dyeing	Vintech Engineering

And the following type of Machines (Core & Non-core) was approved for inclusion under the Scheme.

Sl. No.	Type of Machine	Name of the Machine	
1.		GSM Cutting Machine	
2.	Core	Sanforising Machine	
3.		Raising Machine	
4.		Weigh Bridge	
5.	Non-Core	Stretch Wrap Packing	
6.		Vacuum Sealing	

It was also stated that during De-novo registration if any of the vendor found ineligible, the vendor name will be automatically removed from the vendor enlistment list.

Agenda 6: Any other issues with the permission of the Chair

There being no other issues, the meeting ended with a vote of thanks to and from the Chair.

A. Following officials attended the meeting held on 07.12.2022:

1	Shri Moloy Chandan Chakrabortty, IDAS - The Jute Commissioner & Chairman of the TC	O/o the Jute Commissioner
2	Sh. Abu Riyaz Zaffar, Secretary (attended virtually	y) IJMA
3	Sh. Siddharth Lohariwal, Chairman (attended virtually	r) JPDEPC
4	Sh. Sajan B. Nair, Member Secretary (attended virtually	y) Jute Shippers Council
5	Sh. Anil Kariwala, Director	Kariwala Industries
6	Sh. A.K.Roy Chowdhury, Dy. Director	JPDEPC
7	Sh. R. Chandran, Dy. Director (attended virtually) O/o Textiles Committee
8	Dr. Mahadeb Datta, Dy. Director (TT)	National Jute Board
9	Sh. Soumyadipta Datta, AD(JM)	O/o the Jute Commissioner
10	Sh. P. Das, TI	NJB

B. Invitee members from Industry:

1	Sh. Siddharth Lohariwal	(attended virtually)	M/s ECO Jute Pvt. Ltd.
2	Sh. Sanjay Mall		M/s Times Fiberfill Pvt. Ltd.
3	Sh. Anil Kariwala		Kariwala Industries
4	Sh. Vikash Dujari	(attended virtually)	M/s Hitaishi Creative Ent. Pvt. Ltd.
5	Sh. Sunil Singh	(attended virtually)	M/s Varra Craft ,
6	Sh. D. Nandi	(attended virtually)	M/s Gloster Ltd.
7	Sh. Nikhil Singh	(attended virtually)	M/s Phoenix Overseas Ltd.

B. Following officials attended the meeting held on 23.12.2022:

1	Shri Moloy Chandan Chakrabortty, IDAS - The Jute Commissioner & Chairman of the TC		O/o the Jute Commissioner
2	Sh. Abu Riyaz Zaffar, Secretary	(attended virtually)	IJMA
3	Sh. A.K.Roy Chowdhury, Dy. Director (attended virtually)		JPDEPC
4	Sh. Sajan B. Nair, Member Secretary	(attended virtually)	Jute Shippers Council
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