

Minutes of the 20<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Approval Committee held under the Chairmanship of Zonal Development Commissioner SEEPZ-SEZ, Mumbai for Sector Specific Special Economic Zone for IT/ITES of M/s. Wipro Ltd.-SEZ, Hinjawadi, Phase-II SEZ, Pune, held on 29.06.2021 via video conferencing.

1	Name of the SEZ	<b>M/s. Wipro Ltd. (Phase II)</b>
2	Sector	IT/ITES
3	Meeting No.	20 <sup>th</sup>
4	Date	<b>29.06.2021</b>

#### Members present

Sr	Name and Designation (S/Shri.)	Department
1	Pravin Chandra Joint Development Commissioner	Pune Cluster-SEZ, Pune
4	Ratnakar Shelake DCIT-TDS	Nominee of Income Tax, Pune
3	Krishnadas Nair, Foreign Trade Development Officer	Nominee of DGFT, Pune
5	Ms. Samiksha Surve, Superintendent	Nominee of Customs, Pune

#### Special Invitee

Sr	Name and Designation	Department
1	Shri B. Ajay Kumar Specified Officer	Pune Cluster-SEZ, Pune

#### Agenda Item No.01: Confirmation of Minutes of the 19<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 05.08.2021

After deliberation, the Committee confirmed the minutes of the 19<sup>th</sup> Unit Approval Committee meeting held on 23.03.2021.

#### Agenda Item No.02: Application submitted by M/s. Wipro Ltd. (Developer) for approval of list of material required for authorized operations

The Committee considered the request of the developer for approval of the list of material valued Rs.23,95,72,517/-required for their authorised operations. The list of the material is duly certified by the Chartered Engineer T. N. Suresh Kumar AM-73162/5 dt.23.02.1993 in terms of Rule 12(2) of the SEZ Rule 2006. Committee was informed that the unit has included Delivery charges of Rs. 15,000/- in the list of material (under the sub-list of fire extinguishers and Signages) and as per the Specified Officer's report, the developer had also included value of 'Professional assessment / design charges of LPG and other incidental charges (in the sub-list of Kitchen Equipment) valued at Rs. 34,83,340/- which appears to be as 'Services' and not goods.

Accordingly, after deliberation, Committee approved the lists of material required for authorized operation, totally valued at Rs. 23,60,74,177/- (excluding the value of above referred two charges) in terms of Rule 12(2) of SEZ Rules, 2006.

**Agenda Item No.03: Monitoring of performance of M/s. Wipro Ltd. Unit IV (LOA No. SEZ/PUNE/1H/2010-11 dated 16.12.2010)**

After deliberation, Committee noted the performance of M/s. Wipro Ltd., Unit IV in terms of Rule 54 of SEZ Rules, 2006 and noted that the unit has achieved

- (i) positive NFE of Rs 5,586.12 Lacs on cumulative basis with an employment of 213 employees during the first block period i.e. FY 2011-12 to FY 2015-16 and
- (ii) positive NFE of Rs 4,336.31 Lacs on cumulative basis with an employment of 51 employees within the period of 4 financial years (FY 2016-17 to FY 2019 20) out of 5 years of the second block period (FY 2016-17 to 2020-21).

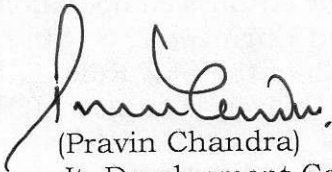
The Committee further observed that the during the FY 2019-20, the unit has provided "Services" in Domestic Tariff Area (DTA) against payment in INR totally amounting to Rs. 409.89 Lacs.

Since providing of "Services" in DTA against INR does not qualify as 'Services' as per definition given in Section 2(z) of the SEZ Act, 2005, Units has violated the provisions of SEZ Act & Rules and hence Committee after deliberation, directed that action be initiated against the unit for violation of various provision of SEZ Act / Rules and under FT (D&R) Act, 1992, by the Development Commissioner.

Meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/-

**(Shyam Jagannathan, IAS)**  
**Chairman-cum-**  
**Development Commissioner**



(Pravin Chandra)  
Jt. Development Commissioner  
SEZ Pune Cluster