

2016
STATE URBAN DEVELOPMENT AGENCY
NOTE SHEET

File No. SUDA-290/2016

Sub: Proposal of Darvesh-1909 for Waste to Renewable Energy Project in West Bengal.

It may kindly be recalled that Mr. Talib. H. Darvesh, Vice President – Darvesh 1909 vide their letter dated 17.10.2016 (placed at CP-2 to CP-4) expressed interest to the Hon'ble MIC, MA & UD Departments, Government of West Bengal informed that their technical & commercial team have visited the dumping site at Dhapa, Kolkata for the waste to energy project with the Make in India team, where they observed that the current facilities being used are not being able to deliver the desired results as expected by the Government and it requires a substantial Capital Investment in infrastructure development and importing of highly advanced PATENTED technological equipments.

For this, he has proposed for the Project - Material Recoverable Facility (MRF) and the Generation of Renewable Energy with the Socio Economic Benefits like Employment Generation, Reduction of Landfills, Green & Clean City, Better Health Conditions, Reduction of Pollution & Odour, Government shall be appreciated by AAM AADMI for promoting better living conditions, Generation of Clean Energy, Saving Ground Water, Fertile Soil from Contamination and Public Awareness for cleaner Surroundings.

He has further stated that Darvesh-1909 is committed to do this substantial investment into the renewable energy sector to generate / produce and supply clean energy through the Make in India initiative by Hon'ble Prime Minister of India. He has also requested for some support, consideration and approvals as placed at CP-5 to CP-6 for making the project feasible in long run.

He has further requested for consideration and approval of his proposal so that they could be able to fast track their investment and sign a MOU with the State of West Bengal for starting production into 2-3 years of signing of MOU.

As per direction of the Secretary, Municipal Affairs Department (placed at CP-1), Director, SUDA had sent the abovementioned proposal of Darvesh-1909 to the Commissioner of Howrah Municipal Corporation 09.11.2016 for comments.

In reply, the Commissioner, HMC vide e-mail dated 12.11.2016 (placed at CP-8) has sent the following comments against the points of support, consideration and approvals requested by Darvesh-1909 as placed at CP-5 to CP-6.

For the project to be feasible in the long run Howrah Municipal Corporation will give the following support / forwarding of proposal to the concerned Department of Govt. of West Bengal for the project of renewal of energy by DARVESH 1909.

1. Municipal Waste contract of 25 years between Howrah Municipal Corporation & Darvesh ensuring free delivery of 1200 tons waste per day by Howrah Municipal Corporation to the above dumping site + accumulated garbage of 2000 ton per day.
2. Darvesh shall charge no Tipping fees to Howrah Municipal corporation for 25 years.
3. Darvesh shall give subsidised power rates to the Electricity Distribution board for 25 years (subject to discussion).
4. As regarding cash rebates, the matter will be referred to the concerned department of State Government for Rs 5/- per Kg or Rs 5000/- per metric ton on compost production for a period of 25 Years in this waste to Energy plant.
5. Power purchase agreement will be signed with State Electricity Distribution Authority with a Lien on Escrow account for a period of 25 years backed with a counter guarantee of the state government for the entire electrical and thermal power being generated by this project subject to approval of concerned Department of the Government of West Bengal.

6. As regarding substantial investment in the scheme the State Government will be requested for 5 years moratorium and 25 years repayment period as a scheme has been classified as an infrastructure project.
7. Registration of the Dumping Site to Darvesh at no cost and exemption of additional charges will be placed before the Government of West Bengal for consideration. Dumping sites will be leveled for building the infrastructure by Howrah Municipal Corporation.
8. As regarding buying the compost, Government will be requested to issue necessary orders to the neighboring industries for buying the compost from Darvesh.
9. The application for NOC by Darvesh will be duly forwarded to State Pollution Control Board for approval.
10. The Government will be requested by Howrah Municipal Corporation to issue necessary assurance for continuous site operation without any hindrance.
11. The proposal of subsidized rates of Power & Water for this project to start production of energy / power will be forwarded to the State Government for consideration.
- 12 & 13. are to be considered by the Government of West Bengal.

Placed for kind information and direction.

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17.11.16

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Notes above may kindly be perused.
The matter may be referred to the
M.A. department for ^{decision and} guidance on
future course of action.

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Director, SUDA

As stated above, proposal of Jarvesh-1909
for Waste to Energy Project in West Bengal and
comment received from Howrah Municipal
Corporation may be seen. Further guidance and
decision of State Govt. in this regard is solicited.

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Secretary / M.A. Dept
& Chairman SUDA

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