

**No. CEA - B 51502**

**NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL ACT NO. 47 OF 1980
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION LICENCE ISSUED UNDER SECTION 23B**

M/s. Tellipalai Co-Operative Hospital Society Limited, K.K.S Road, Tellipalai situated within the area of authority of the Valikamam North Pradeshiya Sabha, Kankesanthurai is hereby authorized to discharge / deposit effluents / waste and or emit noise/vibrations/air emissions which may arise as a result of the operation of the said industry/process, in accordance with the standards and criteria prescribed by the National Environmental (Protection and Quality) Regulations No.1 of 2008, published in the gazette No. 1534/18 dated 01.02.2008 amended by gazette No. 2264/17 dated 27.01.2022 and the National Environmental (Noise Control) Regulation No. 01 of 1996, published in the gazette No. 924/12 dated 23.05.1996.

This licence shall be in force from **02.03.2022 to 01.03.2023** unless it is earlier cancelled or suspended.

This licence is subject to the general terms and conditions stated overleaf and to the additional terms and conditions stated below.

Noise Control

01. Noise level at the boundary of the Hospital during the operation should be maintained at or below 55dB (A) during day (between 0600 hrs and 1800 hrs) and at or below 45dB (A) during night. (1800 hrs and 0600 hrs).

Water Pollution Control

02. All effluent arising from the operation of the Hospital shall be disinfected and collected into a properly designed sealed pit and disposed with the consultation of Valikamam North Pradeshiya Sabha, Kankesanthurai. Such effluent shall not be released into freely environmental at any time.

Air Pollution Control

03. Appropriate control mechanism should be adopted to control air emissions arising from Hospital activities.

Solid Waste Management

04. 4.1 Solid waste such as polythene, plastic, paper shall not be disposed of into any water body or at a site where it is likely to enter a water body.
- 4.2 All the solid waste other than clinical waste generated shall be collected into a central place within the premises and shall be removed and disposed at regular intervals in an environmentally safe and nuisance free manner in consultation with the Valikamam North Pradeshiya Sabha, Kankesanthurai.
- 4.3 Clinical waste/Infectious waste generated from the hospital should be separated from the normal garbage.
- 4.4 All the infectious solid waste shall be disposed at regular intervals after disinfection in an environmentally safe and nuisance free manner with consultation with RDHS.
- 4.5 According to the Gazette Extraordinary No 2034/33 dated 01/09/2017 polythene or any polythene product which is twenty (20) microns or below in thickness shall not be used for the industrial / domestic activities and Provided that polythene or any polythene product of twenty (20) microns or below in thickness may be permitted to be used with the prior written approval of the Authority for the purposes specified in the Schedule.
- 4.6 According to the Gazette Extraordinary No 2034/36 dated 01/09/2017 burning openly or cause to, allow or permit the open burning of refuse or other combustible matters inclusive of plastic is prohibited within the industrial premises or surroundings.
- 4.7 The provision of the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2211/50 and 2211/51 dated 21.01.2021 published under section 23W of the National Environmental Act No. 47 of 1980 as amended shall be adhered to.
05. According to the Part II of Gazette Extraordinary No.1534/18 dated 01.02.2008 shall obtain separate Licence for the management of waste under the scheduled VIII, No.28 of Part II waste from specific sources.

22.04.2022

**Chairman / Director General / Authorized Officer
Central Environmental Authority**

T. Subashini
Director (Act.)
Central Environmental Authority
Northern Provincial Office
Kilinochchi.

GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. The licence shall be valid for such period as may be specified in the license, provided it shall not be for more than a period of three years from the date of issue. An application for renewal of the licence shall be made at least three month prior to the date of expiry of the licence.
2. The holders of the licence shall permit the Director General or any other officer duly authorized in writing by him at any time to enter the premises in respect of which the licence is issued to examine and inspect any equipment or Industrial plant; and
 - (a) to take samples of any pollutants that are emitted, discharged or deposited from or by such equipment or industrial plant;
 - (b) to examine books, records or documents relating to the performance or use of such equipment or industrial plant or relating to the emission, discharge or deposition from such industrial plant;
 - (c) to take photographs of such equipment or industrial plants as he considers necessary or make copies of any books, records or documents seen in the course of such examination; and
 - (d) to take sample of any fuel, substance or material used, in such trade, industry or process carried on in or on such premises.
3. The Holder of the licence shall comply with any requirement communicated from time to time by the Authority as regards:
 - (a) the use of any techniques or installations in the production process, handling and storage of goods, material, fuel and waste products with a view to minimizing environmental pollution and hazards; and
 - (b) any additional technical measures for preventing or mitigating environmental pollution and hazards;
4. The holder of the licence shall ensure that monitoring of environmental pollution or other acts that the authority considers necessary to protect the environment, including the following are done:
 - (a) measurements, calculation, registration of sample to determine actual level of pollution and risk of exposure;
 - (b) recording and sorting of date and reporting to the Authority;
 - (c) issuing written instruction to persons employed with regard to handling of hazardous material and installations to protect the environment;
 - (d) assigning duties and responsibilities to management and staff with regard to protection of the environment; and
 - (e) ensuring that persons referred to in (c) above, and charged with duties and responsibilities referred to in (d) above are properly qualified person.
5. This licence is valid only for the type and nature of the industry/process/operation as stated in the preliminary application and to the information submitted by the licence.
6. Any alteration or extension made to the industry, process or operation should be indicated forthwith to the Authority.



General Conditions

06. Precautions should be taken to prevent the occurrence of fire and adequate measures shall be adopted to extinguish an accidental fire in consultation with the Fire Service Department.
07. Cleanliness and good housekeeping practices shall be adopted within the premises and prevent any mosquito breeding sites within the hospital.
08. Health and safety of workers shall be ensured as stipulated in the factories Ordinance.
09. Installation and operation of any machinery other than those stated in the renewal application received on **18.01.2022** should not be carried out without obtaining prior approval of the Central Environmental Authority.
10. Any expansion to the Hospital or change in Health Clinic process shall be effected only with prior approval of the Central Environmental Authority.
11. Any additional conditions stipulated by the Central Environmental Authority as and when required for controlling any kind of pollution arising from the operations of the Hospital shall be strictly adhered to.
12. The Environmental Protection Licence issued for this hospital should not be considered as an approval for carrying out this hospital/ process at this location. It is only a permit for the discharge of effluents/emissions or emitting of noise levels according to stipulated standards. The written approval of the **Valikamam North Pradeshiya Sabha, Kankesanthurai** should be obtained for the operation of the hospital at this location.
13. This Environmental Protection Licence is issued only with respect to this **Tellipalai Co-Operative Hospital Society Limited** situated at **K.K.S Road, Tellipalai**.
14. This Environmental Protection Licence is issued to carry on only the permitted activities stated therein; it shall not and is not intended to confer the recipient thereof any right to assert ownership to the land where the permitted activities are carried on.
15. If this licence is suspended, cancelled or hold validity by the Central Environmental Authority or suspended due to any filing actions, the original of this licence shall be submitted to the Deputy Director General, Environmental Pollution Control of the Central Environmental Authority by the owner of this licence.
16. The Central Environmental Authority reserves the right to suspend or cancel this licence in the event that since the issue of this licence, the receiving environment has been altered or changed due to natural factors or otherwise or where the continued discharge, deposition or emission of waste into the environment will or could affect any beneficial use adversely.
17. When any kind of litigatory action is filed or and pending in any court of law regarding the land or ownership of the land in which the industry is located, immediate steps shall be taken to inform this Authority and in such circumstance it shall be consider as the licence is automatically cancelled.
18. This licence is granted on the basis that all information provided by the applicant is true and accurate. If at any time it is found that any information furnished by the applicant in the Environmental Protection Licence (EPL) Application Form is incorrect, this Authority reserves the right to cancel the licence.

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