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To: All Approval Committee members:-

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Madam/Sir,

Subject:- 123<sup>rd</sup> meeting of the Approval Committee for Dahej –SEZ.

Reference: - Letter No. KASEZ/P&C/5-A/91/07/6600, dated 01-08-2008.

This is to inform you that the 123<sup>rd</sup> meeting of the Approval Committee for Dahej – Special Economic Zone, is scheduled to be held on **Monday, 06<sup>th</sup> January, 2025 at 03:00 PM through Webex Video Conferencing** under the chairpersonship of **Shri Lokesh H.D. ITS, Development Commissioner, Dahej SEZ.** Agenda papers are enclosed herewith.

You are also requested to inform the Officer's Name, Contact Number and email details who will attend the UAC Meeting to this office by return mail.

Yours faithfully,

*A. Satauria*  
03/01/25

(Amardeep Satauria)  
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Agenda for 123<sup>rd</sup> meeting of Unit Approval Committee for Dahej SEZ to be held on Monday, 06<sup>th</sup> January, 2025 at 03:00 PM through Webex Video Conferencing under the Chairpersonship of Shri Lokesh H.D, ITS, Development Commissioner, Dahej SEZ.

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**Ratification of Minutes of 122<sup>nd</sup> UAC Meeting.**

123.1 Fresh Cases for Dahej -SEZ: - NIL

123.2 Deferred cases for Dahej -SEZ: - NIL

123.3 Other cases for Dahej - SEZ: - One

Sr. No.	Name of Applicant/Unit	Proposal/Request
1.	M/s. ONGC Petro additions Limited., Dahej SEZ	Request of M/s. ONGC Petro additions Limited for exit from the SEZ.

Item No. 123.3 Other cases for unit in Dahej -SEZ: -

Item No. 123.03.01 M/s ONGC Petro additions Limited., Dahej SEZ  
Request of M/s. ONGC Petro additions Limited for exit.

M/s ONGC Petro additions Limited was issued Letter of Approval No. KASEZ/P&C/6/28/07-08 dated 17<sup>th</sup> October, 2007. The unit has commenced commercial production w.e.f. 31.08.2015.

M/s. ONGC Petro additions Limited have set up a Greenfield 1.1 MMTPA Petrochemicals Complex (hereinafter referred to as 'Project') in the Special Economic Zone, Dahej, Gujarat. The principal business of OPaL is to manufacture, purchase process, market, distribute, import, export and trade petrochemicals. Petrochemicals products and its by-products.

M/s. ONGC Petro additions Limited have vide their letter dated 13.09.2018 had requested for seeking in-principal approval for exit of the unit (OPaL) from Dahej SEZ. The unit has been granted in-principle approval for exit from Dahej SEZ under Rule 74 of SEZ Rules, 2006 in 98<sup>th</sup> Unit Approval Committee Meeting held on 05.11.2020.

Further Rule 74(1) also provides that a penalty is also required to be imposed in case positive NFE has not been achieved by the Unit. This office had sent the APR's submitted by the firm to the Specified Officer, Dahej SEZ for verification, and is awaited. The unit had not achieved positive NFE for the cumulative block of four years.



Due to reasons briefly mentioned below, the OPaL intends to exit from Dahej SEZ and continue operations as a unit in Domestic Tariff Area (DTA).

1. Increased demand in the domestic market leading to net import situation.
2. Import substitution will save country' foreign exchange outlays.
3. Availability of polymers from domestic sources will help domestic industry.
4. Negative NFE on account of fulfilling domestic demand.
5. Improvement in operating margins of OPaL.

The issue is placed before the UAC for taking a view on the proposal made by the firm.

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