

**MINUTES OF THE UNIT APPROVAL COMMITTEE MEETING FOR  
EOUS OF A.P. HELD ON 10.07.2023 AT 11.00 AM THROUGH  
VIDEO CONFERENCE UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF SHRI  
SRINIVAS MUPPAALA, IRSME, DEVELOPMENT COMMISSIONER,  
VSEZ DUVVADA.**

**Members Present**

1. Joint Development Commissioner, VSEZ, Visakhapatnam,  
(Smt. Roshni Aparanji Korati, IAS)
2. Joint DGFT, Visakhapatnam  
(Dr. B. N. Ramesh, ITS)
3. Dy. DGFT, O/o Addl. DGFT, Hyderabad  
Shri B. Punnam Kumar, ITS)
4. Jurisdictional Commissioner of Customs or Nominee  
Shri Y. Srinivasu, Supdt. Customs Preventive, Kakinada

The Development Commissioner, VSEZ welcomed the Members and apprised them briefly about the agenda item placed before the Committee for their consideration.

**Agenda item No.1**

The Approval Committee **ratified** the Minutes of the Meeting of the Approval Committee for EOUs(AP) held on 26.06.2023.

**Agenda item No.2**

Proposal of M/s. Kaleesuwari Refinery and Industry Pvt.Ltd., -100% EOU- for import of Used Cooking Oil (UCO) a prohibited item for import as raw material for manufacture of Bio-diesel and its By-product (Glycerin) from M/s.EET Biofuels Mauritius Ltd., Essar House 10, Frere Felix de valois Street, Port Louis, Mauritius and export back the manufactured Bio-diesel as per the Agreement between them.

The Committee discussed the proposal and examined w.r.t. O/o DGFT, New Delhi permitting earlier for import of UCO by M/s.Kaleesuwari from M/s.British Petroleum Singapore Pvt.Ltd., and export of Bio-diesel manufactured from UCO back to the M/s.British Petroleum with certain conditions.

All the members have concurred to the proposal except Customs Division, Kakinada The Customs Division who vide their e-

/48693/2023

mail dt.10.07.2023 opined that M/s.Kalesuwari Refinery, Kakinada has to obtain an OM w.r.t. to import & exports with M/s.EET Biofuels Mauritius Ltd., in a similar manner as of M/s.M/s.British Petroleum Singapore Pvt.Ltd.,

The committee, after deliberation, approved the above present proposal taking into consideration the views of the Members in favour of the proposal, subject to adhering to all the conditions mentioned in the letter No.01/89/180/01/AM-19/PC-2(A)/Part-I/E-12785/871 dt.13.01.2022 and O.M. No.01/89/180/01/AMN-19/PC-2(A)/Part-I/E-12785/38 dt.08.04.2022 issued by O/o DGFT, New Delhi. The Committee also directed to forward a copy of the minutes to the O/o DGFT, New Delhi and to DoC(EOU) , New Delhi.

Signed by

Muppaala Srinivas

Date: 10/07/2023 (17:56:52)

Development Commissioner &  
Chairman, Unit Approval Committee