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National Environment Commission

Royal Government of Bhutan



NECS/EACD/Notification/2021/ 1008

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Subject: Notification for inclusion of activity under green category

This has reference to proposals for establishment and operation of plants for manufacturing metal wires and nails by drawing and stretching (eg. barbed wire, chain-link fence, nail, etc.).

Towards this, the National Environment Commission Secretariat (NECS) is pleased to notify that establishment and operation of plants for manufacturing metal wires and nails by drawing and stretching (eg. barbed wire, chain-link fence, nail, etc.) is hereafter listed under green category of projects given its minimal impact and shall be exempted from requiring Environmental Clearance. However, the applicant(s) must fulfill and obtain approvals/ clearances/ development consent from concerned agencies as required under relevant existing legislations.

This is issued in line with the decision of the 65th Environment Assessment and Technical Committee meeting held on May 19, 2021 which is made based on the authority delegated to the NECS by the 42nd National Environment Commission meeting to exempt activity with low risk on the environment from the Environmental Assessment process.

Should you have any enquiries, kindly consult the Environment Assessment and Compliance Division, NEC at 02-331160.

Sincerely,

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