## F. No. J-12011/39/2010-IA.I

Government of India Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change (Impact Assessment Division)

> Indira Paryavan Bhavan 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Vayu Wing Aliganj, Jor Bagh Road New Delhi – 110 003

Dated: 27th September, 2021

To,

Shri Deepak Saigal
The General Manager (Civil)

M/s Ratle Hydroelectric Power Corporation Limited,
Room no. 8, Block no. 02, NHPC regional office,
JDA Commercial Complex no. 01, Narwal
Jammu – 249 0974 (Jammu and Kashmir)

Sub: Ratle Hydroelectric Project (850MW) located at Village Drabshala, District Kishtwar, Jammu & Kashmir - Transfer of Environment Clearance from M/s GVK Ratle Hydro Electric Project Pvt. Ltd. to M/s Ratle Hydroelectric Power Corporation Ltd. - reg.

Sir,

The undersigned is directed to refer your online application no. IA/JK/RIV/218510/2021 dated 3<sup>rd</sup> September, 2021 and documents submitted for transferring the Environmental Clearance (EC) dated 12<sup>th</sup> December, 2012 of Ratle Hydroelectric Project (850MW) located at Village Drabshala, District Kishtwar, Jammu & Kashmir from "M/s Ratle Hydroelectric Project Pvt. Ltd." to "M/s Ratle Hydroelectric Power Corporation Ltd."

- 2. It has been noted that the Environmental Clearance was granted to Ratle Hydroelectric Project (850MW) located at Village Drabshala, District Kishtwar, Jammu & Kashmir vide Ministry's letter dated 12th December, 2012 to M/s GVK Ratle Hydroelectric Project Pvt. Ltd.
- 3. Presently, it has been informed that the company ownership has been transferred from M/s GVK Ratle Hydro Electric Project to M/s Ratle Hydroelectric Power Corporation Ltd. (CIN: U40105JK2021GOI012380).
- 4. The documents as submitted by the applicant are listed as under:

i. 'No Objection Certificate' submitted by Jammu and Kashmir State Power Development Corporation (JKSPDC).

ii. Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) dated 3<sup>rd</sup> February, 2019 signed between Hon'ble Governor of Jammu & Kashmir State through Commissioner/ Secretary to Government, Jammu and Kashmir State Power Development Corporation Limited (JKSPDC) and NHPC on Non- Judicial Stamp.

iii. Certificate of Incorporation dated 1st June 2021 signed by Asst. Registrar of

Companies of M/s Ratle Hydroelectric Power Corporation Ltd.

iv. Undertaking on non-judicial stamp vide certificate no. IN-JK21215012518114T dated 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2021 by M/s Ratle Hydroelectric Power Corporation Ltd. as stated below:

Ratle Hydroelectric Power Corporation Ltd. (RHPCL), a Joint Venture Company of NHPC and JKSPDC, undertakes to comply, w.e.f. 01.06.2021 (date of taking over of the company) to all conditions stipulated in the environment clearance letter of MoEF&CC no. J-12011/39/2010-IA.I dated 12<sup>th</sup> December, 2012 in favor of the previous owner.

- 5. The Ministry has examined the application. In view of the above, the Ministry hereby accords approval for grant of Transfer of Environmental Clearance transfer as proposed from "M/s GVK Ratle Hydroelectric Project Pvt. Ltd." to "M/s Ratle Hydroelectric Power Corporation Ltd." subject to following additional conditions:
- (i) Any change in scope of work will attract the provisions of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 and Environmental Impact Assessment Notification, 2006 in conjunction with the subsequent amendments/ circulars.

(ii) All conditions stipulated in the EC letter No. J-12011/39/2010-IA.I dated 12th

December, 2012 shall remain unchanged.

(iii) The project proponent shall be liable, if any, for any act of violation of the EP Act, 1986/ EIA Notification 2006/ subsequent amendments and circulars which it has inherited during the transfer.

(iv) The project proponent shall be liable for compliance of all court directions, if any.

6. The name of the addressee with respect to above mentioned project in the Environmental Clearance dated 12<sup>th</sup> December, 2012 shall be substituted by the following:

M/s Ratle Hydroelectric Power Corporation Limited,

Room no. 8, Block no. 02, NHPC regional office, JDA Commercial Complex no. 01, Narwal Jammu – 249 0974 Jammu and Kashmir

7. This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

Yours faithfully,

(Yogendra Pal Singh) Scientist 'E'

## Copy to:

- 1. The Secretary, Ministry of Power, Shram Shakti, Bhawan, Rafi Marg, New Delhi-
- 2. The Secretary, Ministry of Jal Shakti, Shram Shakti Bhawan, Rafi Marg, New Delhi -3.
- 3. The Chief Engineer, Project Appraisal Directorate, Central Electricity Authority, Sewa Bhawan, R.K. Puram, New Delhi- 110 066.

- 4. The Secretary, Department of Power, Government of Jammu and Kashmir, Civil Secretariat, Jammu, Jammu & Kashmir.
- 5. The Secretary, Department of Forest, Environment & Wildlife Management, Government of Jammu and Kashmir, Civil Secretariat, Jammu, Jammu & Kashmir.
- The DDG of Forests (Central), Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Regional Office (NZ), Bays No. 24-25, Sector 31 A, Dakshin Marg, Chandigarh -160030.
- 7. The Member Secretary, Jammu and Kashmir State Pollution Control Board, Parivesh Bhawan, Forest Complex, Gladni, Narwal, transport Nagar, Jammu, Jammu and Kashmir 180 004.
- 8. NIC Cell for uploading in MoEFCC's website.

9. Guard File.

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