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Date: 22.09.2025

To

The Environmental Engineer, Regional Office, Andhra Pradesh Pollution Control Board, Thotapalem, Vizianagaram, AP.

Dear Sir/ Madam,

Sub: Submission of Environment Statement F.Y. 2024-2025 - Reg.

With reference to the above subject, We, M/s. Sarda Metals & Alloys Ltd., APIIC Industrial Area, Kantakapalli (V), Kothavalasa (M), Vizianagaram District, Andhra Pradesh, are herewith submitting the Environment Statement for the Financial Year 2024-2025 to your good office.

This is for your kind information and records. Please acknowledge same.

Thanking you.

Yours Faithfully

for M/s. Sarda Width & Alloys Ltd.,

V. Surya Blinska and

Dy. General Manager - EHS

(Authorized Signatory)

Encl: As above.



Environment Statement (form-v)

of



M/s. SARDA METALS & ALLOYS Ltd.

Kantakapalli village, Kothavalasa Mandal, Vizianagaram Dist, Andhra Pradesh.

Financial Year 2024-2025



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ENVIRONMENT STATEMENT FORM-V

(See Rule-14)

Environmental Statement for the financial year (2024-2025) ending with 31st March

PART-A

| i | Name and address of the owner/occupier of | Shri Neeraj Sarda | |
|-----|--|--|--|
| | the industry operation or process | Deputy Managing Director, | |
| | | Sarda Metals & Alloys Ltd, | |
| | | APIIC Industrial Park, Kantakapalli Village, | |
| | | Kothavalasa Mandal, | |
| | | Vizianagaram District, Pin code-535240 | |
| ii | Industry category | Red Category | |
| | Primary – (STC Code) | NA | |
| | Secondary – (SIC Code) | NA | |
| iii | Production capacity – Units | Ferro Alloys-1,50,000 MTPA | |
| | | (2 x 33 MVA & 1 x 36 MVA Furnaces) | |
| | | Captive Power Plant : 1 x 80MW | |
| iv | Year of Establishment | 2013 | |
| V | Date of last environmental statement submitted | 18-09-2024 | |

PART-B

1. WATER AND RAW MATERIAL CONSUMPTION

Water consumption Consented Capacity

| Process | Permissible Quantity KLD | Consumption KLD |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------|
| Cooling Tower Makeup | 758 | 554 |
| RO/Feed/DM Feed (Boiler Feed) | 110 | 48.5 |
| Softener Regeneration | 34 | 8 |
| Slag generation | 225 | 218.4 |
| Domestic | 62.84 | 14 |
| Process | 36.7 | 8 |
| Total | 1226.54 | 850.9 |

| | Process water Consumption per unit of Product (KL/MT) | | |
|--------------------------|---|--|--|
| Name of the Product | During the Previous financial year (April'2023 to March'2024) | During the Current financial year (April'2024 to March'2025) | |
| Ferro Alloys | 2.10 | 1.85 | |
| Power Generation (80 MW) | 0.11 | 0.12 | |



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Process/Industrial Cooling water Consumption (in M³) Details

| Year | Cooling Tower Make up | Softener regeneration | Boiler Feed | Domestic |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|----------------|----------|
| Permissible Limit | 2,76,670 | 12,410 | 40,150 | 22,936 |
| Previous FY 2023-2024 | 2,58,380 | 4,706 | 16,992 | 3,261 |
| Current FY 2024-2025 | 2,02,109 | 2,936 | 17,719 | 5,097 |

Specific Water Consumption for Ferro Alloy Division

| Year | Cooling Tower Make up KL | Production in MT | Specific Water Consumption per ton of product KL |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|------------------|--|
| Previous FY 2023-2024 | 2,40,282 | 1,14,412 | 2.10 |
| Current FY 2024-2025 | 1,87,831 | 1,01,689 | 1.85 |

Specific Water Consumption for Captive Power Plant

| Year | Cooling Tower Make up (KL) | Boiler Feed KL | Raw water required for DM water generation. (KL) | Production MW | Specific Water Consumption per MW of product (KL) |
|--------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------|--|------------------|--|
| Previous FY 2023-2024 | 18,098 | 16,992 | 31,171 | 6,20,589 | 0.11 |
| Current FY 2024-2025 | 14,278 | 17,719 | 35,302 | 5,73,055 | 0.12 |



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2. RAW MATERIAL CONSUMPTION

| | | Consumption of raw material per unit of Product -MT | | |
|-----------------------------|---------------------|--|--|--|
| Name of the Raw Material | Name of the Product | During the Previous financial year (April'2023 to March'2024) | During the Current financial year (April'2024 to March'2025) | |
| Mn Ore | | 2.500 | 2.751 | |
| RB3 & RB2-Coal | | 0.609 | 0.730 | |
| Nut Coke | Farma Allaria | 0.263 | 0.229 | |
| Quartz | Ferro Alloys | 0.121 | 0.187 | |
| Dolomite | | 0.005 | 0.006 | |
| Mill Scale | | 0.000 | 0.000 | |

Ferro Alloy Division

| | Raw Material Consumption-MT | | | | | Product-Tons | |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------|----------|--------|----------|---------------------|--------------|
| Year | Mn Ore | RB3 & RB2-Coal | Nut Coke | Quartz | Dolomite | Mill Scale | Ferro Alloys |
| Previous FY 2023-2024 | 2,86,032 | 69,677 | 30,102 | 13,833 | 567 | 0 | 1,14,412 |
| Current FY 2024-2025 | 2,68,466 | 71,282 | 22,346 | 18,238 | 628 | 17 | 1,01,689 |



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Captive Power Plant

| | | | Consumption of raw material per unit of Product-MT | | |
|--|-----------------------------|---------------------|---|---|--|
| | Name of the Raw Material | Name of the Product | During the Previous financial year (April'2023 to March'2024) | During the Current financial year (April'2024 to March'2025) | |
| | Coal | Power Generation MW | 0.750 | 0.789 | |

Raw material & Specific Consumption

| Month & Year Raw material Consumption Coal Consumption (MT) | | Production Electricity (MW) | Coal Consumption (Tons) per unit (MW) of Out Put of (Electricity Production) |
|--|-------------|-----------------------------------|--|
| Previous FY 2023-2024 | 4,69,704.83 | 6,26,448 | 0.750 |
| Current FY 2024-2025 | 4,52,229.17 | 5,73,055 | 0.789 |

PART-C Pollution discharged to environment/unit of output (Parameter as specified in the consent issued)

| Pollutants | Concentrations of Pollutants discharges (Mass/volume) | | Percentage of variation from prescribed standards With reasons. | |
|---|---|-----------------------------|---|--|
| Water | | | | |
| Achieved Zero liquid discharge and green belt development | and the | e effluent waste water is u | sed for Slag granulation purpose | |
| Air | | | | |
| Ferro | Alloy P | lant (Stack attached to R | ABH) | |
| Particulate Matter 50 (mg/Nm³) | Avg | 34.9 (mg/Nm ³) | Well within the limits as per APPCB | |
| 80MW Capti | ve Powe | r Plant (Stack attached to | Boiler ESP) | |
| Particulate Matter 50 (mg/Nm³) | Avg | 33.9 (mg/Nm³) | | |
| SO ₂ 600 (mg/Nm ³) | Avg | 221 (mg/Nm³) | Well within the limits as per APPCB | |
| NO _x 300 (mg/Nm ³) | Avg | 143 (mg/Nm³) | 1 | |



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PART-D HAZARDOUS WASTE

(As specified under Hazardous Wastes (Management, Handling and Trans boundary Movement) Rules, 2016) and its Amendments thereof)

| | Total Quantity | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|---|--|--|--|--|
| Hazardous Wastes | During the Previous financial year (April'2023 to March'2024) | During the Current financial year (April'2024 to March'2025) | | | |
| Permissible Limit | 2,688 Liters | 2,688 Liters | | | |
| Waste Oil | 1,980 Liters | 2,360 Liters | | | |
| From Pollution Control Equipment | NIL | NIL | | | |

The hazardous waste generated is Used Waste oil under Clause 5.1 of Schedule-1 of HWM rules 2016. The waste oil generated is semi solid in nature and is stored in close iron barrels and disposed to the authorised recycler authorised by APPCB.

PART-E SOLID WASTE Quantity (Tons.)

| Non Hazardous Solid Waste | | Previous FY 2023-2024 | | | Current FY 2024-2025 | | |
|------------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|---|----------|-----------------------------|---|----------|
| Name of the waste | Permissible Limit | Generation | Recycled or re-utilized within the unit | Sold | Generation | Recycled or re-utilized within the unit | Sold |
| GCP Dust | 12,000 | 4,344 | 5,325 | - | 7,783 | 7,059 | - |
| Si Mn Slag | 3,00,000 | 1,12,331 | - | 1,39,238 | 1,22,883 | - | 1,11,724 |
| Fly Ash & Bottom Ash | 90,000 | 96,366 | - | 97,576 | 83672 | - | 84,375 |



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PART-F

Please specify the characterizations (in terms of composition of quantum) of hazardous as well as solid wastes and indicate disposal practice adopted for both these categories of wastes.

The waste oil generated is semi solid in nature is store in a closed iron barrels and kept in a designated place of oil storage shed marking with FORM-8 Labeling of hazardous and other waste and sent to the authorized recycler authorized by APPCB in Form-10 as waste 7 Colour Copy manifest document with TREM CARD Form-9 and the annual returns are filled in Form-4.

| Description | Name of the Form | Frequency period | Quantity | Remarks | | | |
|-------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|--------------|---|--|--|--|
| Permissible Limit | 2,688 Liters | | | | | | |
| Hazardous Waste | FORM-4 | 2023-2024 | 1,980 Liters | | | | |
| Annual Returns | | 2024-2025 | 2,360 Liters | | | | |
| Hazardous Waste | Form-10 (28.08.2023) | 2023-2024 | 1,980 Liters | Sent to M/s. Sri Siva Sai Petro Products | | | |
| Manifest | Form-10 (29.08.2024) | 2024-2025 | 2,360 Liters | Sent to M/s. Sri Venkateswara Lubricants | | | |

The hazardous waste generated is Used Waste oil under Clause 5.1 of Schedule-1 of HWM rules 2016. The waste oil generated is semi solid in nature and is stored in close iron barrels and disposed to the authorized recycler authorized by APPCB.

- 1. Solid waste like Silica manganese slag, Fly ash & Bottom ash being sold to brick manufacturers which is a raw material for making bricks to brick manufacturing industry.
- 2. Dust from dedusting Units like transverse points of coal conveyors and silos reused as fuel.
- 3. The GCP dust generated is being used as feed raw material in making mineral briquette in briquette plant and this mineral briquette is used is mixed with raw material in required ratio in making Ferro alloy product.



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PART-G

Impact of the pollution abatement measures taken on conservation of natural resources and on the cost of production.

- 1. Air cooled condenser installed at Captive power plant to reduce water consumption.
- 2. Developed green belt of 94.11 acres for the total site of 280.96 acres which is more than stipulated standard (33%)
- 3. Briquetting plant recycling GCP dust which being generated in Ferro Alloy gas cleaning plant.
- 4. The effluent waste water generated is used in slag granulation purpose.
- 5. The STP waste water is used in green belt development and sprinkling.

PART-H

Additional measures/investment proposal for environmental protection including abatement of pollution, prevention of pollution.

A New Fog Cannon arrange to arrest suspended dust.





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PART-I

Any other particulars for improving the quality of the environment.

- 1. The company incorporated Integrated Management System for QMS, EMS & OHSAS etc.
- 2. The company accorded with below mentioned certifications by DNV certifying body.
 - A. Quality Management System ISO 9001: 2015
 - B. Environment Management System ISO 14001: 2015
 - C. Occupational Health and Safety Management System ISO 45001: 2018
 - D. Energy Management System ISO 50001:2018

Green belt Development

Green vegetal cover is not only pleasing to the eyes but also beneficial in many ways such as conservation of bio-diversity, retention of soil moisture, recharge of ground water and moderation of micro climate. It has been derived that trees can act as carbon sinks & efficient biological filters; removing significant amounts of particulate pollution and has tremendous potential for improved air quality. The dust capturing phenomenon of plant species is a cost effective technology for reduction of particulate load in urban agglomerations. Rising of green belt at the project site with right types of species can serve as a useful buffer to contain the menace of pollution from different sources. Whatever space is available around the periphery of the plant will be planned to be utilized for green belt and the open spaces within the factory will be converted to green areas in the form of lawns or flowering plants. A wide range of plant species have been planted in and around the premises to help capture the fugitive emissions and noise levels attenuate the noise generated and improve the aesthetics. This wide range covers plants of fast growing type with thick canopy cover, perennial green nature, native origin and a large leaf area index.

Green Belt Developed

2024 -2025 : 16,000 Plants Survival Rate: 98.5 %



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QUALITY, ENVIRONMENT, HEALTH & SAFETY (QEHS) POLICY

We at Sarda Metals & Alloys Ltd. (SMAL) intend to be a QEHS Industry Leader across all our Business activities, through Continual Improvement in Environment Protection and Conservation, Health & Safety Standards and Quality Systems, and thereby exceed Customer satisfaction.

We Strive to:

- Conduct our business sustainably through adoption of world-class, environmental friendly and energy efficient technologies
- Assess, manage and reduce Environmental impact and deal proactively with climate change by
 efficient use of natural resources by reducing, reusing & recycling
- Promote a positive Health and Safety culture within the Organization through effective communication, participation and consultation with Employees, Workers and Business partners
- Identify, monitor and review occupational health and safety hazards and proactively mitigate the risks by adhering to best Health and Safety practices
- Deliver high quality products and services which exceed customer expectations while creating value for all our stake holders
- Adopt innovation in all our business processes for continuous improvement in the management systems
- Setting specific Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) goals to align with our QEHS policy and targets
- Comply with all applicable and prevalent statutory, regulatory and legal requirements and exceed wherever possible
- Facilitate awareness, skill up gradation, knowledge enhancement, training and necessary resources for enabling fulfillment of the above QEHS policy

We will set bold targets, measure and report progress against this policy and periodically conduct Internal and External audits to improve our QEHS standards. This policy shall form an integral part of our business strategy and shall be available to all employees, suppliers, customers, community and other stakeholders.

1st Nov,2024 Visakhapatnam Neural Sarda NEERAJ SARDA Dy.Managing Director



QUALITY, ENVIRONMENT, HEALTH & SAFETY (QEHS) POLICY

మేము, శారదా మెటల్స్ ఎంద్ అల్లాయిస్ లిమిటెడ్ పర్యావరణ రక్షణ మరియు పరిరక్షణ, ఆరోగ్యం మరియు భద్రత ప్రమాణాలు మరియు నాణ్యతా వ్యవస్థలో నిరంతర మెరుగుదల ద్వారా, మా వ్యాపార కార్యశలాపాల్లో QEHS ఇండట్టీ లీడర్ గా ఉందాలని, మరియు తద్వారా కష్టమర్ల సంతృష్తి పొందాలని మా ఉద్దేశ్యం.

మా ప్రయత్నం :

- ప్రపంచస్వాయి పర్యావరణ అనుకూల వాతావరణాన్ని మరియు సమర్ధవంతమైన ఇంధన సాంకేతిక పరిజ్ఞానాన్ని అనుసరించి నిలకడతో కూడిన వ్యాపారాన్ని కొనసాగిస్వాము
- పునరుత్పత్తి మరియు పునర్వినియోగం ద్వారా మరియు సహజ వనరులును సమర్ధవంతంగా ఉపయోగించి వాతవరణం లో వచ్చే మార్చులను ముందుగానే వ్యవహరించి పర్వావరణ మీద దాని ప్రభావాన్ని అంచనా వేసి తగ్గించగలము
- ఉద్యోగులు, కార్మికులు, మరియు వ్యాపారభాగస్వాములతో సంప్రదించి సంస్థలోఉపయుక్తమైన సానూకూల, ఆరోగ్య మరియు భదతా సంస్పతిని బ్రోతృహిసాము
- వృత్తివరమైన ఆరోగ్య మరియు భద్రత ప్రమాదాలను ముందుగానే గుర్తించి, పర్యచేక్షించి, సమీక్షించి ఉత్తమ ఆరోగ్య మరియు భదర విధానాలకు అణుగుణంగా పని చేసాము
- కస్టమర్ల అంచనాలను మించిన అధిక నాణ్యమైన ఉత్పత్తులు మరియు సేవలను అందించడం ద్వారా మా వాటాదారులందరి నమ్మకాన్ని తగిన విలువను పొందగలము
- మా వ్యాపార కార్యకలాపాలలో, మేనేజ్మెంట్ వ్యవస్థల నిరంతర అభివృద్ధి నిమిత్తము క్రౌత్త ఆవిష్కరణలకు యత్నించగలము.
- QEHS పాలసీ మరియు లక్ష్మాలకు అనుగుణంగా నిర్ధిష్ట పర్యావరణ, సామాజిక మరియు పాలనా (ESG) లక్ష్మాలను నిర్దేశించగలము
- సాధ్యమైనంతవరకు అన్ని చట్టసంబంధిత నియమ నిబంధనలకు మరియు చట్టపరమైన నియంత్రణలకు అణుగుణంగా ఉందగలను
- పైన పేర్కొన్న QEHS విధానం నెరవేర్కధానికి అవగాహన నైపుణ్యం పెంపు, జ్ఞాన, విస్తరణ, శిక్షణ మరియు అవసరమైన వనరులను అందించగలము

మేము, మా ఉన్నత లక్ష్మాలను సాధించదానికి ప్రమాణాలను, కొలమానాలను విధించి, అభివృద్ధిని నివేదిస్తూ QEHS ప్రమాణాలను మెరుగుపరచదానికి అంతర్గత మరియు బాహ్య ఆడిటిలను కాలానుగుణంగా నిర్వహిస్తాము. ఈ విధానం మా వ్యాపార వ్యూహంలో అంతర్భాగంగా ఉంటుంది మరియు అందరు ఉద్యోగులకు , పంపిణీదారులకు , కస్టమర్లకు సమాజానికి మరియు ఇతర వాటాధారులకు అందుబాటులో ఉంటుంది.

1^ణ నవంబరు,2024 విశాఖపట్ుం New కారడా నీరజీ శారడా పిప్పూటీ మేనేజింగ్ డైరెక్టర్



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