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Date: 09/12/2024

To,  
The Principal Secretary,  
Environment & Climate Change Department,  
Government of Maharashtra,  
Room No. 217 (Annex) New Administration Building,  
Mantralaya, Mumbai-400032.

**Sub:** Environmental Clearance - Proceedings of Public Hearing in respect of **Proposed Project** for Expansion of Existing cement standalone grinding unit from 0.9 Million Ton Per Annum to 6.0 Million Ton Per Annum at existing site only i.e. at Sr. No. 105, 109/1, 109/2, 108/1, 108/2/1, 108/2/2, 108/2, 108/3/1, 78/1, 112/1, 103/2, 107/2, 107/1, 101/2/2, 102, 106/1/1, 106/1/2, 100, 104/1, 104/2, 80/1, 83/2, 108/1/2, 79/3, 101, At- Parli Vaijnath, Tehsil-Parli (V), District-Beed. **Proposed by** M/s. UltraTech Cement Limited, At- Parli Vaijnath, Tehsil-Parli (V), District-Beed, Maharashtra.

**Ref:** Sub-Regional Parbhani submitted proceeding vide dt-11.11.2024, received on 18.11.2024.

Sir,

The Public Hearing for **Proposed Project** for Expansion of Existing cement standalone grinding unit from 0.9 Million Ton Per Annum to 6.0 Million Ton Per Annum at existing site only i.e. at Sr. No. 105, 109/1, 109/2, 108/1, 108/2/1, 108/2/2, 108/2, 108/3/1, 78/1, 112/1, 103/2, 107/2, 107/1, 101/2/2, 102, 106/1/1, 106/1/2, 100, 104/1, 104/2, 80/1, 83/2, 108/1/2, 79/3, 101, At- Parli Vaijnath, Tehsil-Parli (V), District-Beed. **Proposed by** M/s. UltraTech Cement Limited, At- Parli Vaijnath, Tehsil-Parli (V), District-Beed, Maharashtra.

Environmental public hearing Conducted on dtd. 24.10.2024, Time-12.00 Noon. At M/s. UltraTech Cement Limited, At- Parli Vaijnath, Tehsil-Parli (V), District-Beed (Factory Site), Maharashtra. The minutes of the public hearing approved and duly signed by the Public hearing panel along with the proceedings are enclosed.

- Minutes of public hearing duly signed by the Chairman of public hearing panel in (English & Marathi)
- Copy of Office Order
- Video DVD and Photograph of Public Hearing.
- List of participants.
- Newspaper Notices for Environmental Public Hearing in English & Marathi.

This is submitted for further necessary action please.

Yours Sincerely

(Dr. Avinash Dhakne IAS),  
Member Secretary

Encl: As above

Copy submitted for Information to:

The Member Secretary, MPCB, Mumbai.

Copy for information & necessary action to:

- 1) The Regional Officer, Chattrapati Sambhajinagar.
- 2) The Sub Regional Office, MPCB, Parbhani.
- 3) EIC, M.P. C. Board, Mumbai - For information & display of Minutes on website.

Copy to the applicant of the project:

M/s. UltraTech Cement Limited, At- Parli Vaijnath, Tehsil-Parli (V), District-Beed, Maharashtra.

**MINUTES OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL PUBLIC HEARING FOR THE PROPOSED PROJECT FOR EXPANSION OF EXISTING CEMENT STANDALONE GRINDING UNIT FROM 0.9 MILLION TON PER ANNUM TO 6.0 MILLION TON PER ANNUM AT EXISTING SITE i.e. SURVEY NO. 105, 109/1, 109/2, 108/1, 108/2/1, 108/2/2, 108/2, 108/3/1, 78/1, 112/1, 103/2, 107/2, 107/1, 101/2/52, 102, 106/1/1, 106/1/2, 100, 104/1, 104/2, 80/1, 83/2, 108/1/2, 79/3, 101 AT. PARLI (VAIJNATH), TAL. PARLI (VAIJNATH), DIST. BEED BY PROJECT PROPONENT M/S. ULTRATECH CEMENT LIMITED.**

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The Environment Public Hearing for the Proposed Project for Expansion of Existing Cement Standalone Grinding Unit from 0.9 Million Ton Per Annum To 6.0 Million Ton Per Annum at Existing Site i.e. Survey No. 105, 109/1, 109/2, 108/1, 108/2/1, 108/2/2, 108/2, 108/3/1, 78/1, 112/1, 103/2, 107/2, 107/1, 101/2/52, 102, 106/1/1, 106/1/2, 100, 104/1, 104/2, 80/1, 83/2, 108/1/2, 79/3, 101 by project proponent M/s. Ultratech Cement Limited was conducted on 24-10-2024 at 12.00 pm at the project site.

Mr. Arvind Latkar, Chairman and Additional Collector, Ambajogai was appointed by the Election Commission of India as the Returning Officer for 233 Parli Assembly Constituency and he could not leave his office as the date and time for submission of application form by the candidates was from 11:00 am to 03:00 pm. Hence, he directed to postpone the Public Hearing and to be conducted after 03:00 pm. The Regional Officer, M. P. C. Board, Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar as well as Sub Regional Officer, M. P. C. B. Parbhani were present at 12:00 pm at the location of Public Hearing and informed to the present public that as per the directions of Chairman of the Committee the Public Hearing is to be conducted at 03:00 pm due to his emergency work.

As per Board's Office Order No. E- 163 of 2024 under letter no. BO/JD (WPC)/PH/B-241001- FTS- 0076 dated 01-10-2024, Panel for Public Hearing was formed. Following Panel members were present during the public hearing:

1. **Shri. Arvind Latkar,**  
Additional District Collector, Ambajogai. : Chairman.
2. **Shri. Manish Holkar,**  
Regional Officer,  
M.P.C. Board, Chh. Sambhajinagar. : Member
3. **Shri. S.M. Kurmude,**  
Sub-Regional Officer,  
M.P.C. Board, Parbhani : Convener.

Shri. S. M. Kurmude, Convener and Sub Regional Officer, Sub Regional Office, MPCB, Parbhani welcomed the Hon'ble Chairman of the Public Hearing Panel, officials, public representatives and public present for the hearing and with the permission of the Chairman of the

Public Hearing Committee the public hearing was started, he gave information in brief about Public Hearing on Environment.

Shri. S. M. Kurmude, informed that, the said project falls under category 'B' as per schedule of notification dated 14th September, 2006 of Union Ministry of Environment. Approval is required from the Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change, Government of Maharashtra, Mumbai for the said project, it is mandatory to conduct prior public hearing for the proposed project which are covered in the Schedule of the said Notification. The Project Proponent has submitted the application to conduct public hearing to the Maharashtra Pollution Control Board on 26-07-2024. The public hearing was scheduled on 24-10-2024 time 12.00 p.m. with approval of Hon'ble District Collector Beed. Accordingly, notice was published in newspapers daily Times of India (English) & daily Sakal (Marathi) on dated 22-09-2024. Also, the documents pertaining to the summary of the Environmental Assessment Report of the project (in English and Marathi) were made available for study to the interested public in the area. Accordingly, today's public hearing is being held. The copy of EIA report and executive summary was made available at various local Govt. offices as under-

- 1) District Collector, Beed.
- 2) Zilha Parishad, Beed.
- 3) District Industries Centre, Beed.
- 4) Tahsil Office, Parli (Vaijnath), Tal. Parli (Vaijnath), Dist. Beed.
- 5) Municipal Council, Parli (Vaijnath), Tal. Parli (Vaijnath), Dist. Beed.
- 6) Panchayat Samiti, Parli (Vaijnath), Tal. Parli (Vaijnath), Dist. Beed.
- 7) Sub-Regional Office, Maharashtra Pollution Control Board, Parbhani.
- 8) Regional Officer, Maharashtra MPCB, Plot No. A-4/1, MIDC Chikalhana Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar.
- 9) Maharashtra Pollution Control Board, Kalpataru Point, 2nd,3rd & 4th Floor, Sion Matunga Scheme Road No. 8, Sion (E), Mumbai – 400 022.
- 10) Environment Department, Government of Maharashtra, Mantralaya, Mumbai-32.
- 11) Regional Office, Ministry Environment, Forest & Climate Change, (WCZ), Ground Floor, East Wing, New Secretariat Building, Civil Lines, Nagpur.

Further he clarified that, Board had given 30 days period for submission of any suggestions/Objections/views etc. about the project as per the notifications and Sub-Regional Office, M.P.C. Board Parbhani has received 2 suggestions by email. Also, he informed the public that, participants can raise their objections, comments etc. in oral or writing after presentation of the Public Hearing. After that he requested the project consultant to give presentation about the proposed project.

Before that, the representative of the project Shri. K.V. Reddy requested the Environment Public Hearing Committee present on the stage to give time for him to speak in the matter before the presentation. He first welcomed the Chairman of the Environmental Public Hearing Committee and the Additional District collector, Ambajogai Shri. Arvind Latkar, Member of the Environmental Public Hearing Committee and Regional Officer, M.P.C. Board, Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar Shri. Manish Holkar and Convener of the Environmental Public Hearing Committee and Sub Regional Officer, M.P.C. Board, Parbhani Shri. S.M. Kurmude as well as the citizens present here, other officials, journalists etc. Further he said that the family of Ultratech

Cement Limited extended a warm welcome to the public hearing on the environment and expressed their gratitude. He further stated briefly about the production of the said project. He also said that the suggestions and objections raised by the citizens will be noted/implemented satisfactorily.

The Representative of the industry Shri. Dinkar Patil M/s. Ultratech Cement Limited explained about the production of the project i.e. the proposed expansion is in the existing cement standalone grinding unit production from 0.9 million ton per annum to 6.0 million ton per annum capacity in two phases. Expansion of existing cement standalone grinding unit from 0.9 million ton per annum to 3.0 million ton per annum capacity in the first phase and erection of additional cement mill of 3.0 million ton per annum capacity in the second phase. It will not require additional land, it will be installed in the existing land only. Also he has given information in brief along with presentation on various environmental aspects i.e. Environment Impact Assessment and intention behind arranging the Public Hearing, Details about the Project, Project Plan, Environment Status, Details of local Environment and surrounding environment information, Locations of the study area, Air quality in the study area, Raw materials and fuel, Cement production process, storage facilities, construction area, green belt/plantation, Noise levels in the study area, Water quality in the study area, Soil quality in the study area, Bio-diversity, Socio-Economic Environment, Expected impact on the surrounding area, Environment Management Plan, Remedial measures on the various environmental impacts, Social Economic Development Plan (CSR), Budgetary provisions for environmental management, Net gain from the project etc. The information on the above is recorded and noted in brief in the minutes of the public hearing.

After concluding the power point presentation of said project by the Project proponent, Shri. S. M. Kurmude, requested to present public to give their suggestions, notes, thoughts, questions, etc. He then informed that this is an environmental public hearing and the questions in the same matter shall be raised from the public.

After that, following suggestions, notes, thoughts, questions, etc. were raised and reply to the same was given by project consultant/proponent.

Sr. No.	Name and address of the person along with suggestions, views, comments etc.,	Reply given by project proponent / Consultant
1.	Shri. Rajesh Sabne, Editor, Daily Parli Prahar, Res. of Parli (Vajjnath), Tal. Parli (Vajjnath), Dist. Beed firstly stated that our Parli city is already suffering from pollution and diseases. In addition, there is a possibility of increasing pollution due to the increase in the production capacity of the proposed expansion. Also, many citizens are patients of respiratory diseases. For that, the project proponent shall set up a health center for this patient and check the health of the citizens here and provide free treatment. The local citizens here	On this the project proponent Shri. K.V. Reddy, while talking about employment, said that in the existing plant priority has been given to local citizens in which almost 80% of the citizens are from the surrounding villages, Parli city. Also, we are going to give priority to the local citizens in this proposed expansion project. The manpower will be of skilled/unskilled workers. After the starting of construction, workers will be hired as per ability.

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	<p>should be given priority in employment and the company should try to engage them permanently. It is also requested that; the said company should take appropriate measures to prevent pollution and try to take care of the health of the citizens.</p>	
2.	<p><b>Shri. Chetan Arvind Soundale, councilor, Parli (Vaijnath), Tal. Parli (Vaijnath), Dist. Beed</b> firstly he welcomed and thanked to the Chairman of Public Hearing Panel and additional District Collector Shri. Lathkar Saheb, the officers of the Pollution Control Board, Regional Officer, Shri. Holkar Saheb, Sub Regional Officer Shri. Kurmude Saheb and all the citizens present here. Further he said that, Parli city is known not only in the country but also in the world as one of the 12 Jyotirlinga city. Also, this city is known as an industrial city. I thank and welcome you for setting up M/s. Ultratech Cement Limited in this area. He further said that, there have been public hearings on the environment in the past, but there is doubt as to how much the suggestions received have been implemented. Also, the director of the project Shri. K. V. Reddy said that, there is possibility to increase air pollution by 2 microns, he said that appropriate measures and proper care of the environment will be taken. To prevent this city from becoming known as a polluted or dusty city, he suggested the following points/suggestions to the project proponent-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. It is necessary for all the citizens here to know the total cost of the proposed project.</li> <li>2. The annual CSR fund of the project should be used for social development, social commitment and about 20 to 25 nos. of social activities shall be carried out per year.</li> </ol>	<p><b>On this the project proponent Shri. K.V. Reddy</b> said that, the industry has taken note of your suggestions and a detailed plan will be prepared accordingly. M/s. Ultratech Cement Limited family assures you that, as per your suggestion we will make changes and it will be strictly followed. About the cost of the project, he said that the total cost of the project is Rs. 600 crores. Out of which Rs. 60 crores will be implemented for the Environment Management Schemes such as bag filter, STP, noise control systems, tanker facility for sprinkling water, tree plantation and other aspects to help reduce the pollution. We also assure you that, the said plant will be operated in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Government of India and the Maharashtra Pollution Control Board.</p> <p>Earlier he said about tree plantation that, a plan has been prepared for green belt development. In this, plantation of trees will be done by discussing with the villagers on the side of the road as well as in the surrounding villages.</p> <p>Social work will be done by the industry with CSR funds as you said, the company will try to make the educational school as a digital school. Also, he assured the citizens that for any problems and difficulties in the surrounding villages, after holding a meeting with the villagers, and said work will be completed according to their opinion.</p> <p>He further said about the health of the citizens and setting up a hospital that a hospital is already functioning in the industry. The doctors are present 24 hours in this, the worker's health is being checked from time to time. Also, the industry conducts free health check-up camps in the surrounding villages. The villages in which the camp has not been organized for the</p>



<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3. In accordance with the promotion of the industry, employment will be created here, local citizens shall be given priority in employment and efforts should be made to provide permanent employment.</li> <li>4. Recently, the amount of dust has increased due to traffic in the city. Proper measures shall be taken to avoid dust in your company.</li> <li>5. Due to the dust pollution in the factory, the health of the citizens is being affected. The workers of the company, children in the area, the senior citizens have respiratory diseases, eye disorders, skin diseases. Earlier we had demanded one hospital. Again, now we demand that a well-equipped hospital should be established in this area to care the health of the citizens in terms of social development. Also, Ultratech, Tata, Birla companies have always contributed in keeping the commitment. So, we are sure that you will help definitely. Also, proper measures shall be taken to prevent dust pollution.</li> <li>6. To reduce dust pollution in the surrounding area as well as in the city, dust collection machinery should be provided to the municipal council through this project.</li> <li>7. The number of trees proposed in the said project should be stated. Also, work should be done to make Parli city a paradise with the help of Social Forestry Department.</li> <li>8. We request you to cooperate in making our Kedari Maharaj Vidyamandir Education School in Parli a digital school.</li> </ol>	<p>last 2 years should be informed to us, after discussing with the villagers, we will conduct the health camps in the coming year.</p> <p>Earlier, he said that water is not used in the said manufacturing process, so no wastewater will be generated. The water used for domestic purposes will be treated in STP and treated wastewater used for gardening in own premises. Acoustic enclosure will be installed to prevent noise pollution. Also, proper care is taken for the safety of the workers we are providing them with personal protective equipment like helmet, gloves, ear plugs etc. An online monitoring system has been installed and connected to the servers of MPCB &amp; CPCB.</p>
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	<p>9. The Maharashtra Pollution Control Board office should visit the said industry time to time to ensure that the conditions and regulations are being followed or not.</p> <p>10. In order to check the air quality in the city, the project shall install a display board of online monitoring system in the center of the city. So that the citizens of the area will understand the extent of pollution.</p> <p>He further said that, there is no doubt that they will follow all these instructions strictly.</p>	
3.	<p><b>Shri. Narayan Gaikwad, Res. of Parli (Vaijnath), Tal. Parli (Vaijnath), Dist. Beed</b> said that, the said project is necessary because it will provide employment to the local poor citizens. The only request is that the project proponent should take appropriate measures to avoid dust pollution. Also, congratulations and thanks to the project proponent.</p>	<p><b>On this the project proponent Shri. K.V. Reddy</b> said that, water sprinkling will be done to prevent dust generation in the industry. Also, fly ash is transported in closed tankers. If there are still any problems in fly ash transportation, appropriate measures will be taken as per your suggestions.</p>
4.	<p><b>Shri. Sachin Marathe, Res. of Parli (Vaijnath), Tal. Parli (Vaijnath), Dist. Beed</b> first congratulated for this new project and further said that, the project proponent shall plant trees in large scale and plan should be prepared for afforestation so that it will help prevent future air pollution and it will also benefit us during monsoon.</p>	<p><b>On this the project proponent Shri. K.V. Reddy</b> said that, around 7 hectares of the existing site, plantation of trees has been done on all four sides of the factory, apart from this we are going to plant trees wherever there is free space.</p>
5.	<p><b>Shri. Dnyaneshwar Baliram Kakade, Res. of Parli (Vaijnath), Tal. Parli (Vaijnath), Dist. Beed</b> said that, in this project the local citizens of the area, new boys, girls shall give priority in employment and the new workers shall be trained for skill development and requested to give employment in the company.</p>	<p><b>On this the project proponent Shri. K.V. Reddy</b> said that we are giving priority employment to local citizens in this proposed expansion project. Also, skill development training will be given to new workers. Also, employment will be given according to suitability of their work. These workers will surely benefit as they will be given an opportunity to work in a big company in the family of M/s. Ultratech Cement Limited.</p>

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6.	<b>Shri. Om Balasaheb Munde, Res. of Parli (Vaijnath), Tal. Parli (Vaijnath), Dist. Beed</b> requested the management of M/s. Ultratech Cement Limited to organize a cricket league game by using CSR funds. He also congratulated the project proponent for their future progress.	<b>On this the project proponent Shri. K.V. Reddy</b> said that you should let us know when and where you want to organize the games M/s. Ultratech Cement Limited management will help for the same.
7.	<b>Shri. Vaibhav Rajdar, Res. of Parli (Vaijnath), Tal. Parli (Vaijnath), Dist. Beed</b> asked that water scarcity problems occur in the city during summer. The said project proponent requests to provide tankers during water scarcity problems and to plant trees around the city.	<b>On this the project proponent Shri. K.V. Reddy</b> said that the instructions given by you are been noted by the management of M/s. Ultratech Cement Limited.
8.	<b>Shri. Manish Holkar, Member and Regional Officer, M.P.C.Board, Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar</b> said that M/s. Ultratech Cement Limited consent was granted Board on December 2023. In the said consent Rs. 5 lakh bank guarantees were forfeited regarding air pollution. After that the factory should state what measures have been taken to control air pollution and what is its current status.	<b>On this the project proponent Shri. K.V. Reddy</b> said that the said plant is taken over from M/s. India Cement last 3 to 4 months before by M/s. Ultratech Cement Limited. After forfeiting the bank guarantee from the Board the factory has spent Rs. 50 lakhs in 4 months for work of bag Filter to avoid dust pollution.
9.	<b>Shrimati. Devinanda Sunil Suryavanshi, Res. of Parli (Vaijnath), Tal. Parli (Vaijnath), Dist. Beed</b> asked that, if there is any provision to help to the Bachat Gat for woman's progress through the said project.	<b>On this the project proponent Shri. K.V. Reddy</b> said that, the instructions given by you noted by the management of M/s. Ultratech Cement Limited.
10.	<b>Shri. Ram Prasad Sharma, Journalist, Daily Parshwabhami, Res. of Parli (Vaijnath), Tal. Parli (Vaijnath), Dist. Beed</b> said that, the nearby farmers are complaining that the crops in their fields are being damaged due to the dust of the said factory in this regard, the company shall give compensation for the loss or which measures will be taken in this regard.	<b>On this the project proponent Shri. K.V. Reddy</b> said that, adequate compound walls have been constructed on all four sides of the existing plant to prevent dust from damaging the surrounding agriculture and under the Green Belt Development Project large trees have been planted on the side of the factory so that the dust emitted is constrained within the factory premises and does not go outside. Also, no harmful chemicals are used and no use of water



		in the industry process in this plant. Whatever water will use for the employees and workers will be treated in STP plant and treated effluent will be used for gardening in the premises. After this, if there is damage to the surrounding agriculture, it will be inspected by the company.
11.	<b>Shri. Anjaneya Nagenhalli, Environmentalist, Praivartan Samudhay, Karnataka,</b> extended his best wishes and support to the project management. Also said that, the company shall plant 33% trees for green belt development and drinking water facilities shall provide to the surrounding villages.	<b>On this Shri. S. M. Kurmude, Sub Regional Officer, Parbhani</b> said that your suggestions have been noted.
12.	<b>Shri. Mohan Jagdish Pardeshi, Daily Parshwabhami, Res. of Parli (Vaijnath), Tal. Parli (Vaijnath), Dist. Beed</b> said that, under the company's CSR fund, camps shall be organized for eye check-up and operations for the senior citizens and trees shall planted on both sides of the road.	<b>On this Shri. S. M. Kurmude, Sub Regional Officer, Parbhani</b> said that your suggestions have been noted.

Shri. Manish Holkar, Regional Officer, M.P.C Board Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar and Member of Environment Public Hearing, instructed the project proponent that in the power point presentation of the project as well as the EIA draft it is wrongly indicated the calorific value of coal (fuel) required and the said EIA draft shall be corrected.

Shri. S. M. Kurmude, Sub Regional Officer, M.P.C. Board, Parbhani and Convener of the Environmental Public Hearing said that, as per the instruction given by Shri. Holkar Saheb shall corrected in the EIA draft. He further mentioned that Sub Regional Office, M.P.C. Board, Parbhani and during the public hearing total no's of eight suggestions/objections have been received they are as follows-

1. Shri Sunanda Reddy, Environmentalist, Telangana received suggestion dated 10/10/2024.
2. Shri. Rajabhau Maroti Aghav, Sarpanch, Gram Panchayat Office Sardgaon, Tal. Parli (Vaijnath), Dist. Beed received suggestion dated 23/10/2024.
3. Shri. Sanghmitra Babasaheb Munde, Sarpanch, Gram Panchayat Office Lonarwadi, Tal. Parli (Vaijnath), Dist. Beed received suggestion dated 24/10/2024.
4. Shrimati. Urmila Bandu Gutte, Sarpanch, Gram Panchayat Office Kasarwadi, Tal. Parli (Vaijnath), Dist. Beed received suggestion dated 24/10/2024.
5. Shri. Ashok Shriram Lokhande, Parli (Vaijnath), Tal. Parli (Vaijnath), Dist. Beed received objection dated 24/10/2024.


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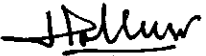
6. Shri. Balasaheb Lokhande, Parli (Vajjnath), Tal. Parli (Vajjnath), Dist. Beed received objection dated 24/10/2024.
7. Shri. Anjaneya Nagenhalli, Environmentalist, Samagra Pravaryan Samudhay, Karnataka received suggestion dated 24/10/2024.
8. Shri. Rangrao Kokonda, Environmentalist, Save Earth, Telangana received suggestion dated 24/10/2024.

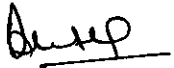
All the above suggestions/objections have been noted and are enclosed herewith.

Shri. Arvind Latkar, Additional District collector, Ambajogai and Chairman of the Environmental Public Hearing said that this environmental public hearing is conducted on 24/10/2024 for M/s. Ultratech Cement Limited for their proposed expansion of existing cement standalone grinding unit from 0.9 million ton per annum to 6.0 million ton per annum capacity project and he welcomed the officers of Pollution Control Board, local citizens and project management staff present here. The present citizens raised their suggestions/objections and that are been recorded and noted in the minutes in brief and will be sent to the government authorities. Project proponent shall follow all the instructions strictly. He then briefly reviewed the issues raised by the said citizens also he directed to the project proponent to utilize a CSR fund with collaboration with local NGO's, Municipal Council and Nearby Grampanchayat, and same shall be unitize for providing battery operated dust collector machines, Water Sprinklers etc. Which can help in reduction of air pollution in the surrounding Also, the Maharashtra Pollution Control Board shall visit the said factory from time to time to ensure that the terms and conditions of the consent are being followed or not. Further he asked, if anyone else has any questions, opinions, comments, suggestions, they are welcome. However, no one raised any questions. After that, he finally thanked the participants and announced that the environmental public hearing of the proposed project was over.

The Public Hearing ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

  
**(S.M. Kurmude)**  
 Convener  
 And  
 Sub-Regional Officer,  
 MPCB, Parbhani

  
**(Manish Holkar)**  
 Member  
 And  
 Regional Officer,  
 MPCB, Chh. Sambhajinagar

  
**(Arvind Latkar)**  
 Chairman  
 And  
 Additional District Collector,  
 Ambajogai