

Results of Environmental Review

- (1) Reference Number
13-059
- (2) Project Name
Construction of a plastic producing factory
- (3) Project Site
Jubail, Saudi Arabia
- (4) Project Outline
Construction of a plastic producing factory
- (5) Category
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- (6) Reason of Categorization
This project is not expected to have significant negative environmental impacts, although it falls into the large-scale petrochemical sector under the Environmental Guidelines.
- (7) Environmental Permission / Approval by the Environmental Authority
The Royal Commission for Jubail and Yanbu administers projects in Jubail industrial area. Although there is no approval of the EIA (Environment Impact Assessment), it requires to receive an Environmental Permit to Construct, submitting Permit Application Package to the Royal Commission. The project proponent is expected to receive a permit in August 2014.
- (8) Pollution Prevention
Appropriate measures are being taken regarding air quality, water quality and noise to meet domestic and international standards. Other measures for pollution prevention are being taken.
- (9) Natural Environmental Considerations
The project site is located in the existing industrial complex. There is no natural protection area or habitat for rare species near the premises.

(10) Social Considerations

The project site is located in the existing industrial complex. No involuntary relocation is required. There is no cultural heritage near the premises.

(11) Applied International Standards

World Bank Safeguard Policies

(12) Monitoring

The project proponent will conduct monitoring of air quality, water quality and noise in accordance with local regulations. The monitoring results will be reported to the environmental authority.

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