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Ref. No.: RG/Miscl./SRPL/1

12th January, 2019

The Secretary,
HIRA, West Bengal
Kolkata.

Respected Sir

Re:

Withdrawal of application.

NPR - 00141, SRIJAN INDUSTRIAL LOGISTIC PARK PHASE II

Our client on 31st August, 2018 had made an application for registration of their project under the West Bengal Housing Industry Regulation Act, 2017. However, the project is not recommended to be registered under the West Bengal Housing Industry Regulation Act, 2017 because our client's are Industrial and Logistics which falls under the periphery of industrial category as per the Government Policy of Industry, Commerce and Enterprises Department, Government of West Bengal by their Notification No. 20-CI/O/COM/Singly dated 07.02.2018. A copy of the said notification is annexed hereto and marked with the letter 'A' for your perusal.

It is also pertinent to mention here that an application which is made is only for the use of industrial logistics units and not otherwise. Since industrial project are out of the scope of West Bengal Housing Industry Regulation Act, 2017 inasmuch as the Directorate of Registration and Stamp Revenue, Finance (Revenue) Department, Government of West Bengal has given a special recognition to this project in terms of valuation and also categorized it as an industrial logistics parks of Srijan. A copy of the said document obtained from the website is annexed hereto and marked with the letter 'B' for your perusal.

Hence, it is appropriate as per law for our client to withdraw the application for registration of the project which was unknowingly made before you due to lack of knowledge. Kindly permit them to do so.

Thanking you

For R.N. Ghose & Associates

Advocate

Encl : As above Copy to : Client

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Abanindranath Tagore Sarani (Camac Street), Kolkata-16 Industry, Commerce & Enterprises Department Government of West Bengal Commerce Branch Silpa Sadan

No. 20-CI/O/COM/Singly

dated 07.02.2018

NOTIFICATION

become a Regional Growth Centre; Whereas, the State of West Bengal is considering enhancing its role to

efficiently, is needed; assisting its local manufacturers in getting access to necessary inputs more Whereas, for this purpose, a buoyant logistics sector in West Bengal for

facilitate an organised development of its logistics sector; Whereas, a cohesive policy vis-a-vis logistics sector is felt necessary to

Government. Policy of West Therefore, a policy named "Logistics Park Development and Promotion Bengal, 2018" has been formulated and adopted by this

By order of the Governor,

Sd/-Joint Secretary

No. 20-CI/O/COM/Singly

dated 07.02.2018

Copy forwarded for information for information and necessary action to:

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- 11) Director of Industries, West Bengal.
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Deputy Secretary

Logistics Park Development and Promotion

Policy of West Bengal 2018

Department of Industries, Commerce & Enterprises
Government of West Bengal

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1. Preamble

initiatives like "Come to Bengal" (railways/roads/ports/Waterways/Industrial parks etc.), and vibrant industrial promotion such as, high trajectory of State GDP& its growth rate, infrastructure ramp-ups in recent times performance of the state in the logistics sector can be attributed to various structural positives integrated logistic services. Logistics sector market in the state of West Bengal is expected to West Bengal has come a long way from being a provider of transport services to a facilitator of rate of at least 9 to 10 percent over the next few years. This

growth rate in the state even further. corridor, and ports like Tajpur port are on various phases of their development to boost up the International highway, BCIM corridor, East Coast economic corridor, Kaladan Multi-modal coverage in the country and also shares its highest navigable inland waterways. government in recent times. It is also pertinent to mention that the state has 3^{rd} largest road century driven by visionary industrial infrastructure that is being promoted by the state West Bengal economy is on the cusp of entering into its most robust growth phase of 21st like Eastern Dedicated Freight Corridor, Asian Trilateral highway, BBIN Critical

since interconnectivity across this region is being expanded by multilateral agreements. & Bangladesh. Even some South Eastern Asian Countries also might fuel this phenomenon India with North-Eastern states and neighbouring (South-Asian) economies like Nepal, Bhutan share of India's cargo flowing potential due to its arterial trade routes that link the mainland of strategic locational advantage and potential multi modal capabilities, is poised to see a higher state by enabling timely movement of their perishable produce. West Bengal, endowed with its provide an access to new markets. This will also benefit the huge farming community of the assists its local manufacturers in getting access to necessary inputs more efficiently, and to At this juncture everything is set to kick start a buoyant logistics sector in West Bengal that

multi modal transportation of goods and services - to meet the future requirements as well. nodal points for various cargo/trade routes, provide storage facilities and also would facilitate entering Public Private Partnerships (PPP). Once developed, these Logistics Parks will act as Park(s)/(LPs) either directly by government or by encouraging private participation or by vibrant logistics infrastructure within the state with a special focus on developing Logistics Policy" to facilitate an organized development of its logistics Sector. This policy aims to build a has taken a decision to formulate and adopt a "Logistics Park Development and Promotion To handle such anticipated rise in the traffic of the cargo, Government of West Bengal (GoWB)

pollution- emission levels that otherwise would be caused by its huge transportation sector. economy. By building efficiency in supply chain logistics this policy also intends to lower the facilitates an increase in the productivity over a long run in almost all sectors of our state sector and to decrease the logistics cost of the manufactured goods in the state. This also This policy is thus being put forward with an intention to remove the difficulties in logistics

2. Vision

creating an efficient network of transportation and storage infrastructure to "To position West Bengal as a globally leading integrated Logistics Hub, by fuel the growth of state's overall economy,"

Mission

ö:: This policy is aimed at developing an optimised logistics network in the state so that it focuses

- ٧ Attracting the foreign and domestic investments to develop state-of-the-art Logistics Park(s) and collateral infrastructure;
- Facilitating its evolution into safe and sustainable logistics hub which will be global in reach, intelligent in nature and comprehensively efficient in its service delivery.
- sectors of economy so that many employment opportunities can be generated; Leveraging the multiplier effects of Logistics sector to drive the overall growth in other

4. Policy Objectives

terminals. Thus, the policy proposes to: state by interlinking its routes, corridors, ports, airports, LP(s), transport hubs and modal This policy aims to create a coherent and interoperable transport and logistics network in the

- 0 asset-light LSPs; Logistics Service Providers (LSPs) of both forms i.e. asset-based as well as Private participation/Public Private Partnership (PPP) and subsequently from development of Logistic Park(s) infrastructure directly by government/ by create an enabling environment in the state to mobilize investments in the
- 0 urban infrastructure in the state; by taking into account existing and upcoming industrial infrastructure and enhance network benefits for the Logistic Park(s) through unified planning
- 0 elucidate the roles and responsibilities of relevant state authorities and private parties in development and operation of LP(s) in the state;

- cooperation and collaboration between state authorities and industry; support the development of LSPs (like 3PL, 4PL) in the state by ensuring
- research areas like telematics etc.; pull, cross-docking, etc.), promoting the use of Artificial Intelligence, logistics data collection, the adoption of multi-modalism in logistics operation models (like drop and foster industry-institute partnerships and promote collaboration in areas like dissemination of the practice, and making advances in

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and to ensure cooperation and collaboration between agencies and authorities of state departments and other relevant authorities from highways, waterways, railways, airports, ports, customs, and inspection authorities to enhance different modal interfaces and devise measures to increase the share of freight movement through Rail and Water;

Validity of the Policy

for a period of as proposed by it. approved by the government of West Bengal by an order in that effect, and they will be valid incentives & concessions as proposed by WBLPC shall come into effect from the date as The 'Logistics Park Development and Promotion Policy in West Bengal' and package of

Logistics Park(s)

added services as described below: forwarding, Inland Container Depots (ICDs) / Container Freight Stations (CFSs) and other value services like warehousing, cold storage, multi modal transport facilities, transportation, freight state. These Logistic Park(s) aimed at facilitating the domestic and foreign trade, providing multiple attributable areas, referred here as Logistics Park(s) or LP(s) in various parts of the GoWB with an intention to promote and develop the Logistic sector, has decided to develop

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facilities, Loading/Unloading platform, Customs Clearance Facilities	Air Freight handling, Water bound container freight handling, Rail Sliding, Truck Terminal, Internal Roads, EXIM	Spaces, Pallets, Pallet Racking system and others Temperature & Humidity Controlled Spaces, Reefer your lives and the system	Cargo Centers, Inbound & Outbound Operations, Humidity Controlled and Non climate controlled in	Description of Infrastructure

Utility/Services S	in logistic Park(s) Value Added Services (VaS) Industry, Went of the Communication of the C	
Weigh Bridge, Central Administration Facility, Office Space, Recreational Centers, Sewage Treatment plant, Power Back up, Power T&D network, Water Storage & Treatment Plant, Captive Solar energy plant, Telecom & IT network, Healthcare Centers, Cafeteria/Restaurant, Workshops, Petrol Pump, Fire fighters, Housing plots etc.	Inventory Management, Quality Check, Planning & Forecasting, Packaging &Labeling, Reverse Logistics, Ancillary units for many industry, Workshops	

7. Proposed Logistic Park(s) in West Bengal

7.1 Logistic Park(s) Location and Conceptualization

hinterland, existing industrial infrastructure, and planned upcoming urban infrastructure. of catchment areas and their contribution to state GDP, origin-destination cargo flow in the locations in the state, for the development of Logistic Park(s) (LPs) by taking into consideration GoWB, whenever necessary - with the help of private developers, will identify the prospective

GoWB, at its own discretion, may aim to promote and develop such project(s) in view of public project(s) is/are found to be commercially unviable, but socially or strategicaliy desirable, the participation or by making necessary Public Private Partnerships (PPP). Even in cases where such either a direct execution of the projects by the government itself, or by encouraging Private which are available, to the extent possible. While executing such projects GoWB may prefer GoWB is also aiming to encourage the development of LP(s) infrastructure in all the routes

7.2 Development of Logistic Park(s)

department of Industry, Commerce and Enterprises. regards to LPs and other Logistics related issues will be routed to the WBLPC through the representations from relevant state departments for that purpose. All communications with (WBLPC), for the purpose of developing the LP(s) in the state. The WBLPC will include GoWB proposes to set up a committee, called as West Bengal Logistic Park Committee



- Overseeing the process for identification of prospective locations and confirming them as the case may be. and/or vetting the locations as proposed by private developers to sanction approvals -
- = activities for development of LP(s) if it feels appropriate; the feasibility assessments, master planning and related preparatory
- = land usage; b) specifications and standards; c) Functioning strategies and methodology; d) Incentives and penalties; e) Facilities and services in LP; f) Outline of Blue print; d) Mitigation mechanism for the identified project(s); as necessary. Making suggestions and guidelines for any/all of the following a) LP Infrastructure and Trunk Infrastructure requirements; h) validate Investment Details and i) Risk Sharing and
- IV. Recommending the trunk Infrastructure to LPs.
 V. Making guidelines and overseeing the situation was a situation.
- Making guidelines and overseeing the situation with regards to all kinds of Private and intervention to the extent possible. PPP engagements, agreements, execution and their operations, but with the minimal
- ≤ institutions, as may be deemed necessary from time to time. Coordinating between relevant state and non-state entities, academic and research
- **≦** subject matter related to the development of LP(s) Reviewing the status of the implementation of various projects of this Policy and/or the
- ≦. Making any other recommendations either to GoWb or its various departments on matters to logistics sector.
- Ξ Any other related assignments as recommended by the state government from time to

7.3 State's Role:

trunk infrastructure will include approach roads, drainage facilities, street lights, water will also suggest various incentives that may be provided to the cause of developing a robust logistics parks and hubs across the state. The trunk infrastructure that connects works related to their execution will be coordinated and supervised by the WBLPC. The each approved Logistics Park will be provided by the State Government and all the the departments concerned to take appropriate action whenever it deems fit. WBLPC and such others. In case of disputes also, WBLPC will adjudicate the cases and directs help the projects by easing out the practical difficulties in processes like land conversion lacking coordination between various departments of the state. The WBLPC will also WBLPC will also help the projects by removing various difficulties that may arise out of provide handholding mechanisms to assist a speedy execution of these projects. The Participants in getting various statutory approvals as the case necessitates. And also will Govt. of West Bengal, through WBLPC will help the Private Partners or Private

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supply, Electricity/Energy connection, and any other requisite facility as recommended by the WBLPC from time to time;

Incentives that may be available for the Sector

WBLPC in due course of the time. Fiscal and Non Fiscal incentives which it may feel necessary to encourage the sector of Government of West Bengal, on recommendations of WBLPC may provide various kinds of Logistics in the state. However, detailed promises would be made in consultations with the

Capacity Building

chain management. In this regard, GoWB proposes to take the following measures: accorded by GoWB on arranging for and conducting training sessions on logistics and supply With focus on making the state's working personnel industry ready, high priority will be

- Development of educational programmes and research in areas of improving logistics and transportation efficiency and standardization of the industry;
- = in professional institutes, polytechnics, vocational education institutes in the state; Introduction of curricula and courses suited to the Logistics and Transportation industry
- ≡ Supporting collaboration with renowned foreign colleges with West Bengal state colleges/universities in areas of Logistics and Transportation planning;
- Ξ. Promoting start-ups in the domain of Logistics and Transportation in the state focusing on upcoming advanced areas in the sector, and
- < Education department of GoWB. Formulating technical courses on logistics administrator in consultation with Technical

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