## F. No. J-11011/30/2007-IA II (I) (Pt.)

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M/s Mangalam Cement Ltd.

93, Daashera Scheme, P.O Dadabari, Kota, Rajasthan – 324009.

Subject: Expansion of Cement Plant [clinker (4.96 MTPA to 5.30 MTPA), Cement (6.10 MTPA to 9MTPA), Power (35 to 52.5MW)] by M/s Mangalam Cement Limited, located at Village Morak, Tehsil Ramganj Mandi, District Kota, Rajasthan – Environmental Clearance regarding.

Sir,

This has reference to your online application No. IA/RJ/IND/25375/2014 dated 6<sup>th</sup> June, 2016 along with copies of EIA and EMP report seeking environmental clearance under the provisions of the EIA Notification, 2006 for the project mentioned above. The Ministry had prescribed TORs to the project on 31.12.2014. Amendment in the ToR was issued vide letter dated 15<sup>th</sup> December, 2015. The proposed project activity is listed at S.No. 3(a) in primary metallurgical industry under Category 'A' of the Schedule of EIA notification 2006 and appraised by the Expert Appraisal Committee (Industry) of Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change.

- 2.0 The project of M/s Mangalam Cements Limited is located at Village Morak, Tehsil Ramganj Mandi, District Kota, State Rajasthan. It is proposed to increase the clinker production from 4.06 MTPA to 5.30 MTPA and cement production from 6.10 MTPA to 9.0 MTPA by optimization of unit I& II and upgrading capacity of Unit III and increase of power generation from 35 MW to 52.5 MW. The entire Cement Plant is located in an area of 167 ha. No additional area will be required for expansion. The land is already in possession of M/s MCL since long and hence no R&R is involved. No Forest area is involved. Darrah Wildlife Sanctuary (also known as Game Sanctuary) is located at a distance of 7.5 to 8.0 km in NE direction.
- 3.0 The topography of the area is Flat terrain situated between 24°43'21.73" to 24°42'51.76" N latitude & 75°56'32.29" to 75°57'32.78" E longitude in Survey of India topo sheet No. 45/P/4, at an elevation of 350m AMSL. The ground water table is reported to be 3m to 8m below the land surface during the post-monsoon season and 15m to 22m below the land surface during the pre-monsoon season. Based on results of hydro geological survey conducted in the area, it was observed that ground water occurs in water table condition in weathered sedimentary rock and the area is designated as critically exploited area. No Schedule-I species was sighted in the core zone. It has been mentioned by the project

