

Guideline for Scheme for Assistance for Environment Protection Measures:(GR No. GID/102020/326811/G, dtd 01.09.2020)

Scheme-2: Scheme for assistance to encouraging “Green Practices and environmental audit to MSMEs”

1. GR No:

Govt. of Gujarat, Industry & Mines Department, Resolution No: GID/102020/326811/G, Date: 01.09.2020[[Click Here to see GR](#)]

2. Operative Period

This scheme has come into force from 07.08.2020 and will remain in force for a period of five years, i.e. 06.08.2025.

3. Eligible Institution to get benefit under this scheme is as under:

Any existing enterprise of MSME(i.e. an enterprise which has filed EM Part II or Udyog Aadhaar or Udhyam Registration or IEM with the concerned authority and is in production)who intends to adopt green practices in its enterprise.

4. Eligible Activities

1. Periodic Environmental audits except those required to be carried out under the provisions of Act and Rules or direction of Court of law.
2. Installation of online Continuous Stack Emission Monitoring system (CSEMS), online effluent quality monitoring system with connectivity to GPCB / CETP project for onetime.
3. Industrial building of more than 2,000 sq. m. built up area which obtained green rating under Indian Green Building Council (IGBC /LEED) or GRIHA for onetime.
4. Setting up of Environment Management System including setting up of Environment Management Laboratory
5. Purchase of new equipment/ system related to safety, occupational health or for environment compliances for common use of industries located in cluster of minimum 10 units.
6. Industries practicing at least 50% waste water recovery through Zero liquid Discharge as certified by GPCB.

5. Quantum of Assistance

The following quantum of assistance shall be provided:

Sr. No.	Eligible Activity	Quantum of Assistance per project
1	Periodic Environmental audits except those required to be carried out under the provisions of Act and Rules or direction of Court of law	Up to 75% of fees of audit services with a ceiling of Rs.50,000/Audit whichever is less, once during the operative period of the scheme.
2	Installation of online Continuous Stack Emission Monitoring system	Upto 25% of cost of system or Rs.5lacs, whichever is less, once

	(CSEMS), online effluent quality monitoring system with connectivity to GPCB / CETP project	during the operative period of the scheme.
3	Industrial building of more than 2,000 Sq. m. built up area which obtained green rating under Indian Green Building Council (IGBC /LEED) or GRIHA	Upto 50% of consulting charges or Rs. 2.5 Lacs, whichever is less.
4	Setting up of Environment Management System including setting up of Environment Management Laboratory	Upto 50% of cost of Equipment, ceiling of Rs. 10 Lacs, once during the operative period of the scheme.
5	Purchase of new equipment/ system related to safety, occupational health or for environment compliances for common use of industries located in cluster of minimum 10 units.	Upto 35% of cost of Equipment/system ceiling of Rs.35 lacs per cluster.
6	Industries practicing at least 50% waste water recovery through Zero liquid Discharge as certified by GPCB	Upto 50% onetime capital subsidy on relevant equipment/system or Rs. 75lacs, whichever is less, once during the operative period of the scheme.

The quantum of assistance under activity Sr. no. 1, 2 & 3 will be sanctioned and disbursed by concerned District Industries Centre and activity at Sr. 4, 5 & 6 will be sanctioned by State Level Empowered Committee and assistance will be disbursed by Industries Commissionerate.

6. Application Form AF-EPM-02([Click Here](#))

7. Check List CL-EPM-02([Click Here](#))

8. Procedure

- The applicant enterprise has to apply to concerned DIC for Activities 1, 2 & 3 and has to apply to Industries Commissionerate office for Activities 4, 5 & 6 in prescribed Application Form AF-EPM-02 with relevant documents as per Check List CL-EPM-02 within 6 months from the date of completion of the activity/project.
- On receipt of all requisite documents/information, IC Office/ DIC will scrutinize the application.
 - Eligible Fixed Capital Investment means the capital investment made in plant and machinery, equipment and civil work, etc. during the operative period of the scheme.
- Officials from IC/DIC will visit the project site to verify the assets, expenditure incurred and benefits envisaged & submit the report to IC office/ DIC.
- For Activities 1, 2 & 3, application will be sanctioned by concerned DIC.

- For Activities 4, 5 & 6, the application is to be put up before the State Level Empowered Committee for decision.
 - After the decision of State Level Empowered Committee, IC Office will convey the decision.
- The applicant will submit the claim with all relevant document and details of expenditure to concerned DIC (for Activities 1, 2 & 3)/IC office (for Activities 4, 5 & 6) and disbursement of the assistance will be made as per availability of grant.

[Note: This guideline is issued for smoother and hassle free implementation of project and decision of the SLEC will be final and binding to the applicant.]

9. Please contact for further information -

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