



Environmental Protection Agency

Notice to the Public

Pursuant to Section 11(2) of the Environmental Protection Act, Cap. 20:05, Laws of Guyana, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has screened the application for the grant of an environmental permit for the following proposed project:

EcoTech Global Solutions Inc. – Indoor Agriculture Operation located at Tract ‘ETS’ in the rear of Laluni East of Block 18 Section B Yarowkabra Situate on the eastern side of Soesdyke Linden Highway.

The EPA has determined that this project will not significantly affect the environment, and is therefore exempt from the requirement to conduct an Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA). The reasons for its decision include:

1. The proposed site for the facility has been deemed appropriate for the activity as per lease of State lands for Agricultural purposes provided by the Guyana Lands and Survey (GLSC).
2. Impacts from noise pollution and vibrations will be minor and will be minimized by ensuring all noisemaking machinery and equipment are equipped with relevant silencers/ mufflers, place on an imperious surface and appropriately enclosed.
3. Impacts from Air pollution (dust and noise) will be minimal during construction and operational phases and would be short termed, localized and mitigated.
4. The ionized feeding system for growing plants will aid to manage water usage. The system enables for recycling of water.
5. Hazardous materials or waste will be generated in limited quantities and will be stored within a confined and banded area featuring an impermeable foundation, aiming to effectively confine and mitigate spillage in the event of an occurrence.
6. Wastes originating from the facility will undergo recycling, reuse, and disposal processes that are in compliance with the regulatory directives of the Agency. These approved methods encompass composting and the reuse of organic waste, while inorganic waste will be appropriately disposed on site.

Please be advised that this decision is in no way an indication that this project is approved. The reasons for our decision are available at the following links on our website:

Project Summary Tab

<https://epaguyana.org/download/ecotech-global-s...-project-summary/>

Any person who may be affected by the proposed project may lodge an appeal against the Agency's decision (EIA not required) within thirty (30) days of the publication of this Notice. Appeals against the EPA's decision should be addressed to:

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