



## **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:

**Endeavour Inc. – Aggregate Storage Facility (Sand, Loam and Stone) with Docking Area and Fuel Storage- Lot “D” being a part of a piece of land marked letter “B” of eastern half of plantation Orangestein, East Bank Essequibo**

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. Impacts from dust and gaseous emissions will be low-medium, short-term, and mitigable. Dust suppression will be achieved through wetting of work areas, maintaining vegetative buffers, and implementing erosion control measures. Equipment will be maintained with sound suppression devices, and operations will be restricted to daytime hours.
2. Impacts from noise and vibration will be moderate, short-term, and localised. Controls will include regular equipment maintenance, installation of mufflers, and ensuring workers use appropriate Personal Protective Equipment (PPE).
3. Impacts to water quality will be low, short-term, and mitigable. Protective berms and revetments will be installed to control sediment runoff into the adjacent Essequibo River.
4. Impacts from solid and hazardous waste will be moderate but short-term, and mitigable. Waste receptacles will be placed on site with regular collection and disposal by an approved disposal company. Fuels and waste oils will be stored in sealed containers within bunded areas to prevent soil and water contamination.

**Please be advised that this decision is in no way an indication that this project is approved.**

### **Project Summary Tab**

**<https://epaguyana.org/download/endeavour-inc-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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