



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 following applications for the grant of environmental permits for the following proposed projects:

- 1. GTK Truck Repair and Construction Lumber Yard - Operation of a Lumber Yard (Without Processing) located at 127 Baljeet St., No. 78 Village, Corentyne, Berbice.**
- 2. Khemraj Ramesh (Bodo) Lumber Yard - Operation of a Lumber Yard (Without Processing) located at Lot 8, Section 'B,' Grant 1651, Crabwood Creek, Corentyne, Berbice.**

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

a) Noise and vibration levels will be minimal and emanate mainly from trucks, loading and offloading lumber and will be mitigated by:

- a. Limiting loading and offloading activities to between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. Mon-Sat.
- b. Regular maintenance of machinery.
- c. Enforcing speed limits to reduce noise from engines and tyre friction.

b) Waste will be adequately managed by:

- a. Storing waste in designated garbage receptacles provided on-site.
- b. Maintaining waste receptacles in good condition to prevent overflow and accumulation.
- c. Disposing of waste through an authorised waste collection service.

Please be advised that this decision is in no way an indication that these projects are approved.

The reasons for our decision are available at the following links on our website:

Project Summary Tab

1. <https://epaguyana.org/download/gtk-lumber-yard-project-summary/>
2. <https://epaguyana.org/download/bodo-lumber-yard-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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