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**WRITTEN SUBMISSION ON BEHALF OF RESPONDENT NO.
01 i.e. M/S ASHIRWAD STONES.**

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1. It is most respectfully submitted that the Hon'ble National Green Tribunal vide its order dated 17.01.2026, passed in the present original application had directed the answering Respondent to file brief written submission with respect to the compliance of CPCB environmental guidelines for stone crushing unit.
2. It is further submitted that the Central Pollution Control Board has published environmental guidelines for stone crusher units in July 2023. Which has to be adhered by every stone crusher unit prior to initiation of stone crushing operation in order to prevent fugitive dust emission. In compliance of the direction of Hon'ble Tribunal vide order dated 17.01.2026, the environmental guidelines and the

compliance status on behalf of the answering Respondent is presented hereinbelow in a tabular form.

Source of emission	Measures to be taken	Status
Unloading of raw material for storage	Water sprinkling with adequately designed nozzle which produce tiny droplets of water should be provided during raw materials unloading.	Water Sprinkling system is installed in the Unit and the same is in working condition.
Unloading of raw material into hopper	<input type="checkbox"/> Three sides and top should be covered and one side may be kept open for vehicular movement. <input type="checkbox"/> Water sprinklers should be provided on approach road	The Three sides and the top of the hopper is covered, and the front side is open for unloading the material.
Primary Crushing/ Jaw Crusher	<input type="checkbox"/> Crusher should be completely enclosed by GI/MS sheets on top and at	The primary crushers as well the Jaw

	<p>least three sides completely from the ground level. One side should have provision of movable sheet/door for movement/maintenance.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> □ Primary crushers/jaw crushers should be covered With tarpaulin/cotton cloth/suitable materials to contain fugitive dust emissions (Figure-1) □ Water sprinkler system with adequately designed nozzle which produces tiny droplets of water should be provided at primary crusher/jaw crusher so that fugitive emissions are contained and amount of water sprayed should be optimized. 	<p>crusher is completely covered from all sides and the water sprinklers system in the Jaw crushers is in the active condition.</p>
Secondary Crushing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> □ Crusher should be completely enclosed by GI/MS sheets on top and at least three sides completely 	<p>The Secondary crushers as well the Jaw</p>

	<p>from the ground level. One side should have provision of movable sheet/door for movement/maintenance.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Dry extraction cum bag filter followed by cyclone to be provided for control of emissions.</p>	<p>crusher is completely covered from all sides and the water sprinklers system in the Jaw crushers is in the active condition.</p>
Screening	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Crusher should be completely enclosed by GI/MS sheets on top and at least three sides completely from the ground level. One side should have provision of movable sheet/door for movement/ maintenance. Door to be kept closed during operation.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Flexible covers where conveyors pass through the screen house should be installed at entries and</p>	<p>The crusher system is completely closed from all the sides and the water sprinkling system is properly working.</p>

	<p>exits of conveyors to screen house.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Dust extraction system connected with bag filter to be provided. <input type="checkbox"/> Provision of water mist sprinkling systems with adequately designed nozzle which produce tiny droplets of water should be made at inlet/outlet of screens. 	
Tertiary Crushing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Crusher should be completely enclosed by GI/MS sheets on top and at least three sides completely from the ground level. One side should have provision of movable sheet/door for movement/ maintenance. Dust extraction system connected with bag filter to be provided. <input type="checkbox"/> Provision of water mist sprinkling system should 	<p>The Tertiary crushers as well the Jaw crusher is completely covered from all sides and the water sprinklers system in the Jaw crushers is</p>

	be made with adequately designed nozzle which produce tiny droplets of water.	in the active condition.
Conveyor Belts	Conveyor belts should be properly covered from node to node with a thick sheet of suitable material along with water sprinkling system with adequately designed nozzle which produce tiny droplets of water.	The Conveyor belts are fully covered and the water sprinkling system is properly working.
Discharge points	Flexible Telescopic chute from top of discharge point to the ground level should be provided (Figure-2 & Figure-2(a)).	Proper Telescopic chute is installed.
Product storage	<input type="checkbox"/> Properly designed telescopic chute of adequate length of suitable material should be provided at ends of conveyor so that dust	Telescopic chute is properly installed.

	<p>generated from this section is contained at source.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> All open stockpiles for aggregates of size above 5 Mm should be kept sufficiently wet by water spraying.<input type="checkbox"/> Stockpiles of aggregates of 5 mm size or less should be covered to ensure that same is not carried away (or whipped out) by wind.	
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