

A). List of Activities that the Competent Authorities shall screen and issue Environmental Clearance

Sl.No	Activity	Competent Authority	Remarks
1.	Setting up of Telecommunication towers	Dzongkhag Environment Committee (DEC)/Thromde	Depending on project location i.e. Dzongkhag/Thromde
2.	Construction of Transmission lines (less or equal to 33kV) in one Dzongkhag	DEC	Transmission line that passes through more than a Dzongkhag (NECS)
3.	Construction of Hotels/resorts/rural houses within Dzongkhag Jurisdiction	DEC	
4.	Establishment of Micro brewery	Department of Industry (DOI)	
5.	Road widening activities	DEC	
6.	Development of Housing Estates/Colonies, service apartment	Ministry of Works & Human Settlement (MOWHS)	
7.	Construction of Private road in one Dzongkhag	DEC	NECS if road alignment falls under two or more Dzongkhags
8.	Construction of Farm road and feeder road in one Dzongkhag	DEC	NECS if road alignment falls under two or more Dzongkhags
9.	Road realignment in one Dzongkhag	DEC	NECS if road realignment falls under two or more Dzongkhags
10.	Establishment of Higher Secondary Schools (pvt. or govt.)	DEC	
11.	Establishment of Fuel depots	DOI	
12.	Sand dredging activities	Department of Forests & Park Services (DoFPS)	
13.	Setting up of Ropeways	DoFPS/NECS/ Ministry of Information & Communication (MOIC)	Application to be forwarded to NECS until the CA is finalized.
14.	Establishment of Recreational facilities (parks, gardens)	DEC	NECS if recreational facilities falls under two or more



			Dzongkhags
15.	Setting up and operation of Stone crushing unit	DEC	
16.	Setting up and operation of Hot mix plant/wet mix plant, asphalt plant, concrete batching plant	DEC	
17.	Automobile Services (workshops and water servicing)	DEC	
18.	Solid waste disposal	NECS	Existing CA is DEC
19.	Construction of Irrigation Channel	Department of Agriculture (DoA)	In line with water act and regulation
20.	Construction of Rural Water Supply Scheme (more than 10000l/day)	DEC	
21.	Setting up and operation of Quarry and mining activities	NECS	(irrespective of size)
22.	Flood protection works	MOWHS	
23.	Construction of Lhakhang & chorten	DEC	
24.	Establishment of Saw mills (small and cottage size)	DEC	
25.	Livestock activities such as setting up of Dairy farms, Poultry farms, Fisheries, Piggery, Pasture development, Broiler farm, Slaughter House, Dog pound and Bee keeping	Department of Livestock (DoL)	
26.	Medical services (diagnostic centers and x-ray )	Ministry of Health (MoH)	

*Note: The designated Competent Authority shall forward an application to the Secretariat when a project has numerous components or sub activities requiring individual environmental clearances. In addition, all projects subject to Environmental Impact Assessment shall be forwarded to the Secretariat.*

