

**STATE EXPERT APPRAISAL COMMITTEE (SEAC), ASSAM.**  
**3<sup>RD</sup> FLOOR, STATE POLLUTION**  
**CONTROLBOARD, ASSAM, BAMUNIMAIDAM,**  
**GUWAHATI- 781021**

Minutes of the 61<sup>th</sup> meeting of the State Expert Appraisal Committee (SEAC), Assam held at 11-00 a.m. onwards on 20<sup>th</sup> May 2023 in the Conference Hall of the Pollution Control Board, Assam, Bamunimaidam, Guwahati-781021.

***List of the members present in the meeting:***

<b>Sl no.</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Designation</b>	<b>Signature</b>
1	Sri S. K. Seal Sarma,	Chairman, SEAC	Sd/-
2	Prof. B.P Duarah	Member, SEAC	Sd/-
3	Sri. N.N Deka	Member, SEAC	Sd/-
4	Dr. Gajen Ch Sarma	Member, SEAC	Sd/-
5	Prof. Ratul Mahanta	Member, SEAC	Sd/-
6	Prof. Sarat Phukan	Member, SEAC	Sd/-
7	Prof. P.K Saikia	Member, SEAC	Sd/-

The 61<sup>th</sup> meeting of the State Expert Appraisal Committee (SEAC), Assam held on 20<sup>th</sup> May 2023 from 11-00 a.m. onward in the Conference Hall of the State Pollution Control Board, Assam, Bamunimaidam, Guwahati-21. At the onset, the Chairman Sri S K Seal Sarma welcomes all the members of the Committee present and called the meeting in order. The Chairman initiated the discussion as per the agenda circulated on 18<sup>th</sup> May 2023.

**Points to be discussed:**

- (a) Draft minutes of the 60<sup>th</sup> SEAC meeting held on 6<sup>th</sup> May, 2023 is to be approved.
- (b) Altogether 23 nos. of proposals including presentation on three proposals are included in the agenda to be deliberated for disposal.

**Agenda item- 1. Confirmation of the resolutions adopted the 60<sup>th</sup> meeting of SEAC, Assam.**

**Resolution 59/1:**

The draft minutes of 60<sup>th</sup> State Expert Appraisal Committee (SEAC), Assam's meeting held on 6<sup>th</sup> May, 2023 from 11-00 a.m. onward in the Conference Hall of the State Pollution Control Board, Assam, Bamunimaidam, Guwahati-21 is placed before the Hon'ble Members for their perusal and necessary deliberation. The minutes of the 60<sup>th</sup> meeting is approved unanimously following a brief discussion.



Agenda item- 2.

1. Proposal asking EC for Construction of Residential Apartment "Protech Dharapur" at village Dharapur, Azara under Ramcharani Mouza of Kamrup Metro District, Guwahati proposed by M/S. Aero City Buildcon Private Limited. SEIAA. 3193/2023(SIA/AS/INFRA2/404198/2022).

Resolution 61/2:

The project proposal asking EC for construction of Residential Apartment "Protech Dharapur" at Village Dharapur, Azara under Ramcharani Mouza of Kamrup Metropolitan District, Guwahati proposed by M/S. Aero City Buildcon Private Limited is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail deliberation. Total area of the proposed project is 6712.31 M<sup>2</sup> and Built up area 21430.11 M<sup>2</sup> comes under Schedule 8(a) of Category B2. The proposal was initially deliberated in the 51<sup>st</sup> SEAC meeting held on 16<sup>th</sup> Dec.2022 after field inspection to the proposed site conducted on 10<sup>th</sup> Dec 2022 by the subcommittee of the SEAC, Assam. Necessary documents submitted by the proponent in support of the proposal is examined. The proponent was requested to furnish certain additional information (ADS) on the basis of filed inspection report. Accordingly, the proponent has submitted reply on the ADS and given presentation before the Committee as requested. Subsequently, after presentation the proponent participated in the open deliberation. On the basis of evaluation on the presentation and submitted documents the following shortfalls/inadequacies are identified which need modifications/corrections.

- A. All kind of data related to commercial mentioned need to be removed as the proposal is for residential complex.
- B. Parking area should be identified for residents and visitors separately.
- C. The green area need to exclude parking area. Parking area cannot be considered as Green Area. Detail proposal for tree plantation/ landscaping along with a layout plan to an appropriate scale is required.
- D. Storm water's peak discharge should be included in the "Water Balance Diagram".
- E. Permission for ground water use is required from the Central Ground Water Board. In case of private tanker water supply the relevant permission and agreement document is required.
- F. Area for proposed plantation under green area should be marked clearly. Types of tree for plantation should be selected in consultation with the local Forest department. The plant species preferably be indigenous varieties with evergreen nature and of which 50% are fruit bearing species.
- G. As it is informed that the present project will be developed in a small part of the total plot area, the future development in the contiguous plots if taken place in near future then the Environmental Clearance (EC) need to be taken considering the already develop project along with the future proposed project.
- H. The builder should ensure that the STP work perfectly and they will be held responsible for any fault in the STP during operation.

The proponent is requested to furnish detail documents/ information as discussed above at the earliest for further processing of the proposal.



2. Proposal of EC for "Ambika Ananda (Proposed G+10 Storied Residential Building" at Khanapara, Guwahati under Kamrup Metro District, Assam proposed by Ambika Housing (SEIAA. 3192/2022), (SIA/AS/INFRA2/403302/2023).

**Resolution 60/3:**

The project proposal asking EC for construction of G+10 Stories Residential Building "Ambika Ananada" at Khanapara, Guwahati under Kamrup Metropolitan District proposed by Ambika Housing is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail deliberation. **Area of the proposed project is 21372.26 M<sup>2</sup> and Built up area 73056.94 M<sup>2</sup> comes under Schedule 8(a) of Category B2.** The proposal was initially deliberated in the 56<sup>th</sup> SEAC meeting held on 4<sup>th</sup> March 2023 after field inspection to the proposed site conducted on 14<sup>th</sup> Feb. 2023 by the subcommittee of the SEAC, Assam. Necessary documents submitted by the proponent in support of the proposal is examined. The proponent was requested to furnish certain additional information (ADS) on the basis of filed inspection report. Accordingly, the proponent has submitted reply on the ADS and given presentation before the Committee as requested. Subsequently, after presentation the proponent participated in the deliberation. **On the basis of evaluation on the presentation and submitted documents the following shortfalls/inadequacies are identified which need modifications/corrections.**

- A. All kind of data submitted as "commercial" need to be removed.
- B. Parking area for resident and visitors be shown separately. The parking area can not be considered as green area.
- C. The proposal estimated 17% green area of the total covered area. Area for proposed plantation under green area should be marked clearly with a layout plan to an appropriate scale. Types of tree for plantation should be selected in consultation with the local forest department. The plant species preferably be indigenous varieties with evergreen nature and of which 50% are fruit bearing species.
- D. Storm water's peak discharge should be included in the Water Balance Diagram.
- E. Necessary permission for ground water use is required from the water provider.
- F. The builder need to ensure that the STP functions perfectly and in case of any fault the builder will be held responsible.
- G. The drainage out let plan, permission need to be submitted. As informed during the presentation that a drain is proposed in the area as shown in the ADS reply, the relevant documents need to be submitted.
- H. Green area need to be indicated clearly in the building plan with statistics.

The proponent is requested to furnish detail documents/ information as discussed above at the earliest for further processing of the proposal.

3. Proposal asking EC for construction of "Residential -Cum- Commercial Building "Centauri Dharapur" at Dharapur, Azara under Ramcharani Mouza of Kamrup Metro District, Guwahati proposed by M/S. RJB Realtors. SEIAA.3393/2023, (SIA/AS/INFRA2/420081/2023).

**Resolution 61/4:**

The project proposal asking EC for construction of Residential-Cum- Commercial Building "Centauri Dharapur" at Vill. Dharapur, Azara under Ramcharani Mouza of Kamrup Metropolitan District, Guwahati proposed by M/S. RJB Realtors is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail deliberation. Total area of the proposed project is 6712.31 M<sup>2</sup> and Built up area 21430.11 M<sup>2</sup> comes under Schedule 8(a) of Category B2. The proposal was initially deliberated in the 57<sup>th</sup> SEAC meeting

held on 18<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 after field inspection to the proposed site conducted on 1<sup>st</sup> March 2023 by the subcommittee of the SEAC, Assam. Necessary documents submitted by the proponent in support of the proposal is examined. The proponent was requested to furnish certain additional information (ADS) on the basis of filed inspection report. Accordingly, the proponent has submitted reply on the ADS and given presentation before the Committee as invited. Subsequently, after presentation the proponent participated in the open deliberation. On the basis of presentation and subsequent deliberation the committee **recommended the project proposal approving to grant EC under the provisions of 2006 Notification and up to date amendment thereon. The proponent shall have to strictly follow the following condition during execution of the project.**

- Each & every measures indicated in the approved DPR as well as EMP should be adhered to strictly in execution of the project.
- Natural water course in the adjacent locality should not be disturbed and its water should not get polluted.
- Effective measures against dust and noise pollution should also be adopted during the operational phase.
- Project boundary should be at least 12 meter away from the mid-line of the adjacent natural water course.

4. Proposal asking EC for "800 Bedded General Hospital at MMCH Campus, Guwahati, Assam proposed by the Executive Engineer Dispur & Guwahati East Territorial Building Division, Fancy Bazar, Guwahati. SEIAA.3 3375/2023, (SIA/AS/INFRA2/419489/2023).

#### **Resolution 61/5:**

The project proposal asking for construction of "800 Bedded General Hospital at MMCH Campus", Panbazar, Guwahati under Kamrup Metropolitan District proposed by the Executive Engineer, Dispur and Guwahati East Tutorial Division, Fancy Bazar Guwahati, Assam is placed before the SEAC for appraisal, review and detail discussion. Proposed Plot area is 27585.29 Sq.m. and Built up area proposed 91172.62 Sq.m., & the proposed project comes under Schedule 8(a) of Category B2. In the 57<sup>th</sup> SEAC meeting held on 18<sup>th</sup> March 2023 the proponent was invited to give detail presentation on the proposed project. Accordingly, the proponent with assistance of their consultant (In Situ Enviro Care, Bhopal) has given detail presentation before the committee and participated in the subsequent discussion. The committee after due deliberation sought certain additional information which the proponent has furnished. In the meeting the proposal was reviewed and held detailed deliberation on the reply submitted by the proponent. **Having thorough deliberation the committee recommended the proposal approving to issue EC as applied. The proponent shall have to strictly adhere to the following condition while constructing the proposed Hospital.**

- (i) All activities approved in the DPR & EMP should be executed as approved therein.
- (ii) Special care should be taken to minimize dust & noise pollution in the constructional /operational phase.
- (iii) Debris etc. should be dumped at the specified site as approved in the DPR.
- (iv) Movement of traffic as well as pedestrians should not get disturb on the public road passing nearby the project site.
- (v) Green belt plantation should be created as per fund year marked for the same and species for green belt plantation be selected in consultation of the local Forest Officials. Plant preferably should be of evergreen nature of indigenous species.



5. Proposal asking EC for mining of Sand from "Lalacherra Sand Mining Contract Area" under Hilaikandi Forest Division proposed by Sri Purnam Deb. SEIAA.3453/2023, (SIA/AS/MIN/428514/2023).

**Resolution 61/6:**

The project proposal asking EC for mining of Sand from the "Lalacherra Sand Mining Contract Area" under Hilaikandi Forest Division proposed by Sri Purnam Deb is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detailed discussion. Area proposed for the project 4.95 hect. on the river bed and in five different mining blocks showing GPS coordinates. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 22<sup>nd</sup> Nov. 2022 is deliberated allowing to extract 52310 M<sup>3</sup> sand for five years. Recommendation of the concerned DFO communicated vide letter dated 9<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2022 & 28<sup>th</sup> April 2023 is discussed. Detailed deliberation is held and considering the approval of the DGM and reserved estimation of the approved mining plan, the committee **recommended the proposal approving to extract 52310 cu.m. river bed sand from the proposed mining site within a period of 5(five) years with the condition that (i) the maximum mining depth is recommended up to two meters from the existing ground surface and (ii) five meters distance shall have to be kept as non-mining zone between the mining boundary and high rise river banks on both sides. The propone is allowed to extract 10462 cu.m. river bed sand annually strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.**

The Divisional Forest Officer, Hilaikandi Forest Division will ensure due surveillances against occurrence of irregularities during mining operation. He will further ensure demarcation of mining area with pillars and Geo referencing prior to start actual mining operation as mining is not permitted beyond the limit of the same. The DFO is also requested to ensure necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

**Agenda item- 2.**

6. Proposal asking EC for mining of Stone from "Dilli River Stone Mining Permit Area, A (VB), under Charaideo District of Sivasagar Forest Division proposed by the DFO, Sivasagar. SEIAA.3461/2023, (SIA/AS/MIN/427330/2023).

**Resolution 61/7:**

The project proposal asking EC for extraction of river bed stone from the "Dilli River Stone Mining Permit Area, A (VB)" under Charaideo District of Sivasagar Forest Division proposed by the DFO, Sivasagar is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Project area proposed 3.20 hect. located on the river bed. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 8<sup>th</sup> Feb. 2023 is discussed. Recommendation of the concerned DFO communicated vide letter dated 15<sup>th</sup> Feb. 2023 & 26<sup>th</sup> April 2023 is also deliberated. After due deliberation on the approved mining plan and reserve estimation contained therein, the committee recommended the proposal **approving to issue EC for extraction of 20000 cu.m. river bed stone from the proposed mining site within a period of two years with the condition that the (i) maximum mining depth is recommended up to two meters from the existing ground surface & (ii) 5 (five) meter distance from the left high rise bank of the river shall have to keep as non-mining zone to avoid probable river bank erosion. The proponent**

*is allowed to extract 10000 cu.m. river bed stone from the proposed site annually strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.*

The Divisional Forest Officer, Sivasagar Forest Division, Sivasagar is requested to ensure due surveillances against occurrence of irregularities during mining operation. He will further ensure demarcation of mining area on ground fixing pillars and Geo referencing prior to start actual mining operation as mining is not permitted beyond the limit of the same. The DFO is also requested to ensure necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

7. **Proposal asking EC for mining of Sand, Gravel & Stone from "Govt. Permit Area of Pagladiya River North Borikdanga (Bangalisupa) Sand Gravel & Stone Mahal No-2, of Baksa Forest Division under BTC proposed by the DFO, Baksa. SEIAA.3448/2023, (SIA/AS/MIN/428810/2023).**

**Resolution 61/8:**

The proposal requesting EC for mining of river bed Sand, Gravel & stone from the "Govt. Permit Area of Pagladiya River, North Borikdanga (Bangalisupa) Sand Gravel & Stone Mahal No-2", of Baksa Forest Division under BTC proposed by the DFO, Baksa is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Proposed project area is 4.90 hect located on the river bed. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide latter dated 13<sup>th</sup> Feb. 2023 is deliberated. The concerned DFO communicated his recommendation vide latter dated 6<sup>th</sup> Jan. 2023 & 16<sup>th</sup> March 2023 has also been discussed in detailed. Other documents including the gradation analysis report is discussed. Thorough discussion is held and the committee *recommended the proposal approving to extract total river bed Sand, Gravel & Stone 104560 cu.m. (i.e. Sand 33765 cu.m. + Gravel 38120 cu.m. + Stone 32675 cu.m.=104560 cu.m.) within a period of 5 (five) years. The proponent is recommended to extract 6753 cu.m. Sand, 7624 cu.m. gravel & 6535 cu.m. stone (altogether 20912 cu.m.) per year. The proponent shall have to strictly follow all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan during the mining period.*

The Divisional Forest Officer, Baksa Forest Division, Musolpur under BTC is requested to ensure due surveillances against occurrence of irregularities during mining operation. He will further ensure demarcation of mining area on ground fixing pillars and Geo referencing prior to start actual mining operation as mining is not permitted beyond the limit of the same. The DFO is also requested to ensure necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

8. **Proposal asking EC for mining of Sand from "Nisari Sand Permit Area No. 1 (A) (Rev. Portion)" of Nagaon Forest Division proposed by the DFO Nagaon. SEIAA. 3447/2023, (SIA/AS/MIN/427295/2023)**

**Resolution 61/9:**

The project proposal asking EC for mining of river bed sand from the "Nisari Sand Permit Area No. 1 (A) (Rev. Portion)" of Nagaon Forest Division proposed by the DFO Nagaon is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Proposed project area is 4.24 hect. located on the river bed and



shown in five different mining blocks. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide latter dated 10th April 2023 is discussed in detailed. Recommendation of the DFO, Nagaon communicated vide later dated 2nd Feb. 2023 & 13th April 2023 is deliberated. The quantity recommended for extraction in the approved mining plan is quite less than it is estimated in the reserve quantity against 4.24 hect proposed area. *Detailed discussion is held and the committee recommended to extract 28000 cu.m. river bed sand within a period of 2 (two) years from the four mining blocks comprising 2.84 hect. area barring the 1<sup>st</sup> mining block comprising 1.4 hect. (under GPS coordinates SL. No. 1-4). The proponent is allowed to extract river bed sand 14000 cu.m. annually strictly following all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.*

The Divisional Forest Officer, Nagaon Forest Division, Nagaon is requested to ensure due surveillances against occurrence of irregularities during mining operation. He will further ensure demarcation of mining area **(2.84 Hect. comprising 4 mining blocks barring the 1<sup>st</sup> block comprising 1.4 hect. as discussed in the foregone para)** on ground fixing pillars and Geo referencing prior to start actual mining operation as mining is not permitted beyond the limit of the same. The DFO is also requested to ensure necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

9. **Proposal of EC for mining of Sand & Gravel from "Shimultapu Sand and Gravel Mahal" of Parbatjhora Forest Division under BTC proposed by Sri Pradip Basumatary. SEIAA. 3437/2023, (SIA/AS/MIN/425249/2023)**

#### **Resolution 61/10.**

The project proposal asking EC for mining of Sand & Gravel from the **"Shimultapu Sand and Gravel Mahal"** of Parbatjhora Forest Division under BTC proposed by **Sri Pradip Basumatary** is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Proposed mining area is 4.90 hect located on the bed of river Sonkosh under Porbotjhora Forest Division. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide latter dated 16<sup>th</sup> Feb. 2023 is discussed in detailed. Recommendation of the concerned DFO dated 13<sup>th</sup> March 2023 is also discussed. Reserved estimation in the approved mining plan and gradation analysis report is also deliberated. *The committee after due deliberation recommended to extract 30000 cu.m Gravel and 20000 cu.m. Sand (total 50000 cu.m.) from the proposed mining area within a period of 5 (five) years with the condition that (i) the high rise river banks should not suffer damages due to the proposed mining activities (ii) the maximum mining depth is recommended up to 2 (two) meters from the existing ground surface The proponent is allowed to extract river bed 6000 cu.m. Gravel & 4000 cu.m. Sand from the proposed mine area per year strictly following all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.*

The Divisional Forest Officer, Porbatjhora Forest Division under BTC is requested to ensure due surveillances against occurrence of irregularities during mining operation. He will further ensure demarcation of mining area on ground fixing pillars and Geo referencing prior to start actual mining operation as mining is not permitted beyond the limit of the same. The DFO is also requested to ensure necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.





10. Proposal of EC for mining of Sand, Gravel & Stone from "Govt. Permit Area of Pagladia Barikadong Sand Gravel & Stone Mahal at Pagladiya River Bed" of Baksa Forest Division under BTC proposed by the DFO, Baksa Forest Division Musholpur. SEIAA. 3446/2023, (SIA/AS/MIS/428676/2023).

**Resolution 61/11:**

The project proposal asking EC for mining of Sand, Gravel & Stone from the "Govt. Permit Area of Pagladia Barikadong Sand Gravel & Stone Mahal at Pagladiya River Bed" of Baksa Forest Division under BTC proposed by the DFO, Baksa Forest Division Musholpur is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail deliberation. area of the proposed mining site is 4.9 hect that is located on the river bed. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide latter dated 16th Feb. 2022 is discussed in detailed. Recommendation of the concerned DFO communicated vide letter dated 10<sup>th</sup> Jan 2023 & 1<sup>st</sup> March 2023 is deliberated. Contract period is for seven years and the approved mining plan is recommended for five years of operation. Gradation analysis report of material availability on the proposed mining site is examined and appraised. The report speaks that there is no Boulder except Sand & Gravel in the proposed mining area. Detailed discussion is held and the committee recommended the proposal approving for **extraction of 107500 cu.m. Sand & Gravel i.e. 64150 cu.m. Sand & 43350 cu.m. Gravel from the proposed mining area within a period of 5 (five) years.** The proponent is permitted to extract **river bed Sand 12830 cu.m. and river bed Gravel 8670 cu.m. per year** strictly following all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Baksa Forest Division, Musholpur under BTC is requested to ensure due surveillances against occurrence of irregularities during mining operation. He will further ensure demarcation of mining area on ground fixing pillars and Geo referencing prior to start actual mining operation as mining is not permitted beyond the limit of the same. The DFO is also requested to ensure necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

11. Proposal of E.C for mining of Sand from "Ghaguwa River Sand Mahal Pt.2" under Goalpara Forest Division proposed by the DFO, Goalpara. SEIAA. 3423/2023, (SIA/AS/MIN/424022/2023)

**Resolution 61/12:**

The project proposal asking EC for mining of Sand from the "Ghaguwa River Sand Mahal Pt.2" under Goalpara Forest Division proposed by the DFO, Goalpara is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detailed discussion. Proposed mining area is 2.35 hect. segregated in three individual mining blocks and located on the river bed. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 20<sup>th</sup> Feb. 2023 is deliberated in detailed. Reports of the DFO communicated vide letter dated 22<sup>nd</sup> Nov. 2022 & 28<sup>th</sup> Feb. 2023 is discussed thoroughly. Due deliberation is held and the committee recommended the proposal approving to **extract 50000 cu.m. river bed Sand from the proposed mine site within a period of 5(five) years with the condition that (i) the maximum mining depth is allowed up to two meters from the unmined ground surface & (ii) five-meter distance from the high rise bank of the river on both sides shall, have to keep as non-mining zone.** The proponent is allowed to **extract 10000 cu.m. river bed sand from the proposed mining area per year** strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.





The Divisional Forest Officer, Goalpara Forest Division, Goalpara is requested to ensure due surveillances against occurrence of irregularities during mining operation. He will further ensure demarcation of mining area on ground fixing pillars and Geo referencing prior to start actual mining operation as mining is not permitted beyond the limit of the same. The DFO is also requested to ensure necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

**Agenda item- 2.**

- 12. Proposal of E.C for mining Sand & Gravel from "Dimow Sand and Gravel Govt. Permit Area" under Dhemaji Forest Division proposed by the DFO, Dhemaji. SEIAA. 3452/2023, (SIA/AS/MIS/427427/2023)**

**Resolution 61/13:**

The project proposal asking EC for mining of Sand & Gravel from the **"Dimow Sand and Gravel Govt. Permit Area"** under Dhemaji Forest Division proposed by the **DFO, Dhemaji** is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Area of the proposed mining site is 2.0 hect located on the river bed. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 27<sup>th</sup> March 2023 is deliberated. NOC issued by the Deputy Commissioner, Dhemaji dated 2<sup>nd</sup> Feb. 2217 is also appraised. Recommendation of the concerned DFO communicated vide letter dated 16<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2022 & 4<sup>th</sup> April 2023 is deliberated. Gradation analysis report examined and found that average percentage of Sand and Gravel is 29 and 59 respectively is available on the proposed mining site. Necessary deliberation is held and the committee recommended the proposal approving to **extract river bed 19800 cu.m. Sand & Gravel i.e. 11800 cu.m. Gravel and 6000 cu.m. Sand from the proposed mining area within a period of two years with the following condition: (i) maximum mining depth is recommended up to two meters from the existing ground surface & (ii). High rise banks of the river should not suffer damages due to the proposed mining activities. The proponent is allowed to extract 9900 cu. m. sand & gravel i.e 6900 cu.m. gravel & 3000 cu.m. sand annually. The proponent shall have to strictly follow all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan during the mining period.**

The Divisional Forest Officer, Dhemaji Forest Division, Dhemaji is requested to ensure due surveillances against occurrence of irregularities during mining operation. He will further ensure demarcation of mining area on ground fixing pillars and Geo referencing prior to start actual mining operation as mining is not permitted beyond the limit of the same. The DFO is also requested to ensure necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

**Agenda item- 2.**

- 13. Proposal of E.C for mining of Sand from "DBR/16/ Buridehing/ Gamon/ Sand MCA, under Dibrugarh Forest Division proposed by the DFO, Dibrugarh. SEIAA.3449/2023, (SIA/AS/MIN/428270/2023)**

**Resolution 61/14:**

The project proposal asking EC for mining of river bed sand from the **DBR/16/ Buridehing/ Gamon/ Sand MCA**, under Dibrugarh Forest Division proposed by the **DFO, Dibrugarh** is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail deliberation. Extent of the proposed mining area is 4.98 hect. located on

the river bed at 600 mtr. downstream of Buridehing dolong (bridge). The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 14<sup>th</sup> Feb. 2023 is discussed in detailed. Recommendation of the DFO, Dibrugarh communicated vide letter dated 24<sup>th</sup> Feb 2023 is examined and appraised. Due deliberation is held and considering the approved mining plan and approval of the DFO, the committee recommended the project proposal approving to **extract 87500 cu.m. river bed sand from the proposed mining area within a period of five years** with the condition that (i) five-meter distance shall have to keep between the mining boundary and high rise banks of the river as non-mining zone. The proponent is permitted to **excavate 17500 cu.m. river bed sand from the mining area in question per year** strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Dibrugarh Forest Division, Dibrugarh is requested to ensure due surveillances against occurrence of irregularities during mining operation. He will further ensure demarcation of mining area on ground fixing pillars and Geo referencing prior to start actual mining operation as mining is not permitted beyond the limit of the same. The DFO is also requested to ensure necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

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- 14. Proposal of E.C for mining of Sand-Gravel & Stone from "Govt. Permit Area of" Barnadi River Sand-Gravel and Stone Mahal No-6" of Baksa Forest Division under BTC proposed by the DFO Baksa. SEIAA.3441/2023, (SIA/AS/ MIN/425063/2023)**

**Resolution 61/15:**

The project proposal asking EC for mining of Sand & Gravel from the "Govt. Permit Area of" Barnadi River Sand-Gravel and Stone Mahal No-6" of Baksa Forest Division under BTC proposed by the DFO Baksa is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail deliberation. Extent of the proposed mining area is 4.99 hect situated on the braided river course of Lokhaitora River bed. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 22<sup>nd</sup> Feb. 2023 is discussed in detailed. Similarly, the recommendation of the DFO, Baksa communicated vide letter dated 9<sup>th</sup> Jan 2023 & 1<sup>st</sup> March 2023 is examined and appraised. Gradation analysis report of the available mining materials in the proposed mining area is deliberated. The committee after thorough discussion recommended the project proposal approving to **excavate 106700 cu.m. river bed Sand & Gravel, i.e 55000 cu.m. Gravel & 51700 cu.m. Sand from the proposed mining area within a period of 5 (five) years**. The proponent shall have to take special measures so that the active banks of the river do not suffer damages due to the proposed mining activities. The proponent is allowed to **extract 11000 cu.m Gravel & 10340 cu.m. Sand from the proposed mining area per year** strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Baksa Forest Division, Musholpur under BTC is requested to ensure due surveillances against occurrence of irregularities during mining operation. He will further ensure demarcation of mining area on ground fixing pillars and Geo referencing prior to start actual mining operation as mining is not permitted beyond the limit of the same. The DFO is also requested to ensure necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.





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15. Proposal asking EC for mining of Ordinary earth from "Mairapur Earth Mining Permit Area, Kamrup East Forest Division Basistha, Guwahati proposed by Sri Anil Das. SEIAA3454/2023, (SIA/AS/MIN/ 413487/2022).

Resolution 61/16:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of ordinary earth from the "Mairapur Earth Mining Permit Area" under Kamrup East Forest Division, Basistha, Guwahati proposed by **Sri Anil Das** is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail deliberation. area of the proposed project is 0.78 hect. located on the patta land covering Dag No. 292 of Patta No. 112 at Mairapur under Polashbari Revenue Circle. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 30<sup>th</sup> April 2023 is discussed in detailed. The DGM, Assam approved to extract 30000 cu.m. ordinary earth within a period of one & half year. Recommendation of the DFO, K E Division forwarded on 12<sup>th</sup> April 2023 & 11<sup>th</sup> May 2023 is also discussed. Necessary land records including registered land agreement is examined and appraised. Detailed discussion is held and the committee considering the approval of the DGM, Assam recommended the proposal approving to excavate **30000 cu.m. ordinary earth** from the proposed mining area **within a period of one & half (1 1/2) year** from the date of issue of the EC. The proponent shall have to strictly follow all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan during the mining period.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Kamrup East Forest Division, Basistha, Guwahati is requested to ensure due surveillances against occurrence of irregularities during mining operation. He will further ensure demarcation of mining area on ground fixing pillars and Geo referencing prior to start actual mining operation as mining is not permitted beyond the limit of the same. The DFO is also requested to ensure necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

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16. Proposal asking EC for mining of Ordinary Earth and Stone from "Mairapur Village Patta Land Ordinary Earth and Stone Mining Permit Area (Block-2), Kamrup East Forest Division proposed by Smt. Jonali Das. SEIAA.3459/2023, (SIA/AS/MIN/ 428114/2023).

Resolution 61/17:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of ordinary earth and stone from the "Mairapur Village Patta Land Ordinary Earth and Stone Mining Permit Area (Block-2)" under Kamrup East Forest Division, Basistha proposed jointly by **Smt. Jonali Das** and **Smt. Nilima Boro** is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Proposed project area is 1.0 hect situated on the patta land covering Dag. No. 602, 599 under patta No. 38 & 71 at village Mairapur of Polashbari Revenue Circle. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 19<sup>th</sup> Jan 2023 is discussed in detailed. Report of the concerned DFO relating to the proposal and JVR are examined. On examining the documents, it is revealed that the plots of land classified as agricultural land. Copy of the Jamabandi pertaining to Dag.No. 602 & patta No. 38 has been submitted but land records of Dag. No.599 & patta No. 71 has not been furnished. Figure of the area shown in the Trace map and figure shown in the Google map do not match each other. Detailed discussion is held and the committee requires the following document/ information for further processing of the proposal.

- (i) *Fresh trace map showing the proper Dag Nos. & signed by the competent Revenue Authority.*
- (ii) *Non agriculture land certificate pertaining to the proposed patta land from the Revenue Authority.*
- (iii) *Jamabandi copy of the patta land under Dag No. 599 of patta No. 71.*
- (iv) *Registered land agreement between the lease and lessor.*

The Divisional Forest Officer, Kamrup East Forest Division, Basistha, Guwahati is requested to ensure due surveillances against occurrence of irregularities during mining operation. He will further ensure demarcation of mining area on ground fixing pillars and Geo referencing prior to start actual mining operation as mining is not permitted beyond the limit of the same. The DFO is also requested to ensure necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

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17. Proposal asking EC for mining of Stone from "Naupani Kaiphoi Anglong P.P. Land Stone Quarry, under Karbi Anglong East Division proposed by Sri Jiten Engjai. SEIAA.3219/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/ 407462/2023).

**Resolution 61 /18:**

The project proposal asking EC for mining of stone from the "Naupani Kaiphoi Anglong P.P. Land Stone Quarry", under Karbi Anglong East Forest Division, Diphu proposed by Sri Jiten Engja is placed before the SEAC for appraisal, review and detail deliberation. proposed project area is 0.58 hect located on patta land covering Dag. No. 285 of Patta No. 54 in village Napani under Phuloni Revenue Circle. The particular proposal was discussed earlier in the SEAC meeting and sought some additional information pertaining to the proposal. The proposal and reply on ADS was deliberated in the 55<sup>th</sup> SEAC meeting and again sought clarification relating to the approach road leading to the project site. Finally, the proponent had submitted requisite reply on ADS which was deliberated in the 61<sup>st</sup> SEAC meeting. Prior to this necessary land documents, DGM, s approval, recommendation of the concerned DFO & LOI issued by him are examined and reappraised. The committee after due deliberation **recommended the proposal approving to extract 30000 cu.m. stone from the proposed mining area within a period of two years' subject to the following condition.**

- *All the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan shall have strictly be followed by the proponent during the mining period.*
- *Natural water source over the area should not suffer damage and its water not get pollute.*

*The proponent is recommended to extract 15000 cu.m. stone from the proposed mine site annually as applied.*

The Divisional Forest Officer, Karbi Anglong East Forest Division, Diphu is requested to ensure due surveillances against occurrence of irregularities during mining operation. He will further ensure demarcation of mining area on ground fixing pillars and Geo referencing prior to start actual mining operation as mining is not permitted beyond the limit of the same. The proposed mining area is restricted to Dag. No 285 of Patta No. 54 at Napani Village under Phuloni Revenue Circle and not beyond that. The DFO is also requested to ensure necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent during mining operation.





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18. Proposal asking EC for mining of Sand and Gravel from "Upper Subansiri Tamuli Sand and Gravel Govt. Permit Area" under Dhemaji Forest Division proposed by the DFO, Dhemaji. SEIAA.3462/2023, (SIA/AS/MIN/ 427336/2023).

Resolution 61/19:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of Sand & Gravel from the "Upper Subansiri Tamuli Sand and Gravel Govt. Permit Area" under Dhemaji Forest Division proposed by the DFO, Dhemaji is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail deliberation. Proposed mining area is 3.0 Hect. situated on the river bed. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 21<sup>st</sup> Jan 2023 is discussed in detailed. The approved mining plan recommended to extract 45000 cu.m. of sand and gravel for two years as well as the DGM, Assam also approved accordingly. The gradation analysis report submitted herein speaks that the proposed area contains 59 % boulder in addition to 30 % Gravel and 9% sand. Detail deliberation is held and considering the approved mining plan and recommendation made in the Mining Plan *recommended the proposal approving to extract 19472 cu.m. sand & gravel (i.e 4494 cu.m. Sand and 14978 cu.m. Gravel) from the proposed mining area within a period of two years with the condition that the active bank of the river should not suffer damages due to the proposed mining activities. The proponent is recommended to extract 2247 cu.m. Sand & 7489 cu.m. Gravel annually strictly following all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.*

The Divisional Forest Officer, Dhemaji Forest Division, Dhemaji is requested to ensure due surveillances against occurrence of irregularities during mining operation. He will further ensure demarcation of mining area on ground fixing pillars and Geo referencing prior to start actual mining operation as mining is not permitted beyond the limit of the same. The DFO is also requested to ensure necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

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19. Proposal asking EC for mining of Sand & Gravel from "Choraikhosra Champabati River Sand & Gravel Mahal, of Chirang Forest Division under BTC proposed by Sri Alangber Basumatary. SEIAA.3460/2023, (SIA/AS/MIN/ 429237/2023).

Resolution 61/20:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of Sand & Gravel from the "Choraikhosra Champabati River Sand & Gravel Mahal" of Chirang Forest Division under BTC proposed by Sri Alangber Basumatary is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Allotted area of the project is 2.56 hect whereas minable area is estimated 2.46 hect & located on the bed of river Champabati. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide latter dated 1<sup>st</sup> April 2023 is deliberated. Recommendation of the concerned DFO communicated vide letter dated 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2023 & CHD, BTC's approval dated 17<sup>th</sup> March 2023 is examined and discussed. Gradation analysis report is also examined. The committee after due deliberation recommended the proposal approving to extract *12500 cu.m Sand & Gravel (ie. Sand 10000 cu.m and & 2500 cu.m. Gravel) from the propose mining area within a period of 5(five) years with the condition that the maximum mining depth is recommended up to two meters from the existing ground surface. The proponent is allowed to extract*

**2000 cu.m. Sand and 500 cu.m. Gravel from the proposed mine site per year strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.**

The Divisional Forest Officer, Chirang Forest Division, Kajalgaon under BTC is requested to ensure due surveillances against occurrence of irregularities during mining operation. He will further ensure demarcation of mining area on ground fixing pillars and Geo referencing prior to start actual mining operation as mining is not permitted beyond the limit of the same. The DFO is also requested to ensure necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

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- 20. Proposal asking EC for mining of Sand & Gravel from "Tilakgaon Champa River Sand & Gravel Mahal" of Chirang Forest Division under BTC proposed by Sri Amar Narzary. SEIAA.3451/2023, (SIA/AS/MIN/ 429236/2023).**

**Resolution 61/21:**

The project proposal asking EC for mining of Sand & Gravel from the "**Tilakgaon Champa River Sand & Gravel Mahal**" of Chirang Forest Division under BTC proposed by **Sri Amar Narzary** is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Allotted area of the project is 3.82 hect whereas minable area is estimated 3.72 hect & located on the bed of river Champabati. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide latter dated 30<sup>th</sup> March 2023 is deliberated. Recommendation of the concerned DFO communicated vide letter dated 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2023 & CHD, BTC's approval dated 30<sup>th</sup> March 2023 is examined and discussed. Gradation analysis report is also examined. The committee after due deliberation recommended the proposal approving to **extract 12000 cu.m Sand & Gravel (ie. Sand 10000 cu.m and & 2000 cu.m. Gravel) from the propose mining area within a period of 5(five) years with the condition that the maximum mining depth is recommended up to two meters from the existing ground surface. The proponent is allowed to extract 2000 cu.m. Sand and 400 cu.m. Gravel from the proposed mine site per year strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.**

The Divisional Forest Officer, Chirang Forest Division, Kajalgaon under BTC is requested to ensure due surveillances against occurrence of irregularities during mining operation. He will further ensure demarcation of mining area on ground fixing pillars and Geo referencing prior to start actual mining operation as mining is not permitted beyond the limit of the same. The DFO is also requested to ensure necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

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- 21. Proposal asking EC for mining of Sand Gravel & Stone from "Govt. Permit Area of Chandrapur Sand Gravel & Stone Mahal at Mora Pagladiya River Bed of Baksa Forest Division under BTC proposed by DFO Baksa. SEIAA.3458/2023, (SIA/AS/MIN/ 428821/2023).**

**Resolution 61/22:**

The project proposal asking EC for mining of river bed Sand, Gravel & Stone from the "**Govt. Permit Area of Chandrapur Sand Gravel & Stone Mahal at Mora Pagladiya River Bed**" of Baksa Forest



Division under BTC proposed by DFO Baksa is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail deliberation. extent of area of the proposal is 4.90 hect located on the river bed of Mora Pagladia river. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide latter dated 14<sup>th</sup> Feb. 2023 is discussed in detailed. Recommendation of the concerned DFO communicated vide latter dated 6<sup>th</sup> Feb. 2023 & 16<sup>th</sup> March 2023 is examined and appraised. Gradation analysis report of the materials availability on the project area is also examined and deliberated. Necessary deliberation is held and the committee recommended the project proposal approving to **extract 104385 cu. m minable materials (i.e 32620 Cu. m Sand, 39145 Cu.m. Gravel and 32620 Cu.m. Stone) from the proposed mining area on the river bed within a period of 5 (five) years with the condition that the high rise banks of the river should not suffer damages due to the proposed mining activities. The proponent is permitted to extract 6524 Cu.m. Sand; 7829 Cu.m. Gravel and 6524 cu.m. Stone (total 20877 cu.m.) from the river bed (proposed mining area) per year strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.**

The Divisional Forest Officer, Baksa Forest Division, Musholpur under BTC is requested to ensure due surveillances against occurrence of irregularities during mining operation. He will further ensure demarcation of mining area on ground fixing pillars and Geo referencing prior to start actual mining operation as mining is not permitted beyond the limit of the same. The DFO is also requested to ensure necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

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22. Proposal asking EC for mining of Sand from "Jhanji Bonai MPA" under Jorhat Forest Division proposed by Sri Biswajit Sarma. SEIAA.3317/2023, (SIA/AS/MIN/422066/2023).

**Resolution 61/23:**

The project proposal asking EC for mining of river bed Sand from the "Jhanji Bonai MPA" under Jorhat Forest Division proposed by Sri Biswajit Sarma is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail deliberation. proposed mining area is 1.40 hect located on the river bed. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 6<sup>th</sup> Jan -223 is deliberated in detailed. Recommendation of the DFO Jorhat Division communicated vide letter dated 10<sup>th</sup> March 2023 is also discussed thoroughly. Necessary NOC issued by the Executive Engineer, Jorhat Water Resources Division vide letter No. JWRD/W-2/Pt.-III/2816 dated 22<sup>nd</sup> Nov. 2022 is examined and appraised. Due deliberation is held and the committee **recommended the proposal approving to extract 2000 cu.m. river bed sand from the proposed mining area within a period of One (1) year with the following conditions:**

- (i) Mining is recommended only on the river bed leaving a distance of five (5) meter from the both the high rise banks of the river.
- (ii) Maximum mining depth is allowed up to two (2) meters from the unmined ground surface.
- (iii) Embankment maintained by the Water Resources department should not get damage due to the proposed mining activities as well as transportation of mining materials.
- (iv) All conditions laid down in the NOC issued by the WR Department as stated above and contained in the approved mining plan should strictly be followed during the period of mining operation.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Jorhat Forest Division, Jorhat is requested to ensure due surveillances against occurrence of irregularities during mining operation. He will further ensure demarcation of mining area on ground fixing pillars and Geo referencing prior to start actual mining operation as mining is not permitted beyond the limit of the same. The DFO is also requested to ensure necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

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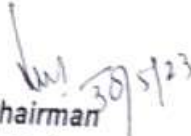
**23. Proposal asking EC for mining of Ordinary earth from "Haropara P.P. Land Ordinary Earth Mining Permit Area" under Kamrup West Forest Division proposed by Sahanur Ali. SEIAA.3419/2023, (SIA/AS/MIN/ 421827/2023).**

**Resolution 61/24:**

The project proposal asking EC for mining of ordinary earth from the "**Haropara P.P. Land Ordinary Earth Mining Permit Area**" under Kamrup West Forest Division proposed by **Sahanur Ali** is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 7<sup>th</sup> Feb. 2023 is examined and deliberated. Recommendation of the concerned DFO vide letter dated 7<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2022 & 4<sup>th</sup> March 2023 is also discussed in detailed. Necessary permission/NOC for mining has been issued by the ADC, Kamrup vide letter dated 1<sup>st</sup> Nov. 2022 is examined. On scrutiny the required land records, it is revealed that the patta land under Dag. No. 418 of Patta No. 73 in village Haropara under Polashbari Revenue Circle is an ezmalli pata in the name of three pattadars and necessary land agreement record has not been furnished. Due discussion is held and the **committee requires proper Registered Land agreement between the pattadars and proponent for further processing of the project proposal.**

The proponent is requested to upload/ furnish the requisite land agreement being ADS as stated above at his earliest for taking further needful action.

The meeting is ended with vote of thanks from the Chair.

  
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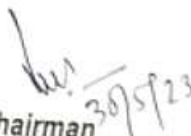
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**Dated Guwahati, the 30<sup>th</sup> May. 2023.**

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