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Present: The following members were present. (Through hybrid mode Conference)

1.	Dr.G.V.R. Srinivasa Rao, Professor, Civil Engineering Department, Andhra University, Visakhapatnam	Chairperson
2.	Dr.Dinesh Sankar Reddy. Registrar(I/C), Professor of Chemical Engineering, NIT, Tadepalligudem, West Godavari	Member
3.	Prof. G. Gnana Mani, Retd., Professor of Zoology, Andhra University, Visakhapatnam.	Member
4.	Sri Matli. Chandra Sekhar Professor, Head of Department of Civil Engineering, NIT, Warangal.	Member
5.	Prof. C. Sasidhar, Mer Professor, Civil Engineering Dept, JNTU, Anantapur	
6.	Prof. N. Siva Prasad Reddy, Director (Academics), Brindavan Institute of Technology &Science, Kurnool	Member
7.	Prof. K. ThyagaRaju, Professor,Department of Biochemistry, S.V.University, Tirupati.	Member
8.	Dr.M. Sunandana Reddy, Associate Professor, RGM College of Engineering & Technology (Autonomous), Nandyal.	Member
9.	Dr.Kiranmai, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Biotechnology, VikramaSimhapuriUniversity, Nellore, SPSR Nellore District	Member
10.	Prof. D. Bharathi, Member Professor, Dept. of Bio Sciences & Sericulture, Sri Padmavathi Mahila Viswa Vidhyalayam, Tirupati	
11.	Dr. G. Madhavi, Associate Professor, Department of Chemistry, Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati	Member
12.	Dr.Gummalla Prasanthi, Professor, Vijaya Institute of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Vijayawada	Member
13.	Prof. U. Shameem. Chairman, Dept. of Zoology, Andhra University, Visakhapatnam	
14.	Sri. N. V Bhaskara Rao, Chief Environmental Engineer, Andhra Pradesh Pollution Control Board. Vijayawada.	Member Secretary.

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Agenda Item No: 232.19

16.445 Hectares of Dolomite and Lime Stone Quarry of M/s Siva Lakshmi Minerals Survey No. 521,523,643,644/B2 (P) of Malkapuram Village, Dhone Mandal, Nandyala District, Andhra Pradesh - EC - EIA - Reg.

SIA/AP/ MIN/439 788/202

Category: B2 at par with B1 (Minor mineral)

The proposed project is for mining of **Dolomite** in an area of **16.445 Ha**, with a proposed production quantity of **32,130 TPA of Dolomite** with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/plan.

The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (≤250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).

The project proponent and their consultant, M/s. Global enviro labs have attended the meeting and presented their proposal. The SEAC Committee noted that:

- a) The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of erstwhile Prakasam District and the same was reviewed in the SEAC meeting. The present mine lease details are mentioned at S.No. 604 of page No. 112 in the DSR.
- b) The project proponent is having Dolomite and Limestone Quarry in an area of 16.445 Hect. in Survey No. 521,523,643,644/B2 (P) of Malkapuram Village, Dhone Mandal, Nandyala District.
- c) The project proponent obtained standard TOR with public hearing on 08.10.2021 for Mining of Dolomite- 32,130 TPA and Limestone- 5,737 TPA and Public hearing was held on 15.03.2023.
- d) The Mining Department vide proceeding dt. 08.09.2006 accorded permission to commence mining operations for Dolomite and Limestone for period of 20 years with effect from 08.09.2006 to 07.09.2026.
- e) This project proponent has submitted approved mining plan from dt. 27.04.2006 for both Limestone and Dolomite minerals.
- f) The project proponent has furnished letter dt. 16.06.2023 from IBM, Gol, for deletion of Mineral Limestone from the executed Mining lease deed in respect of Malkapuram Limestone and Dolomite Mine over an extent of 16.445 Ha.
- g) The SEAC committee observed that project proponent has carried out mining operations after 15.01.2016 on scrutiny of the KML file. Hence, the committee treated this project as a violation project and directed the project proponent to comply S.O. No 804 dt 14.03.2017.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to raise ADS for submission following:

- The project proponent shall submit revised mining lease/approval from the Mining department by deleting Mineral Limestone from the executed Mining lease deed dated 08.09.2006 as directed by the IBM, GoI vide letter dated 16.06.2023
- The project proponent shall submit the Approved Mining plan only for Dolomite minerals.
- The project proponent shall include the existing crusher in the Approved modified mining plan.
- Credible action to be initiated through concerned regional office, APPCB under section 15 read with section 19 of E(P) Act 1986.
- 5. The project proponent shall submit plan for Restoration of benches and buffer

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- zone in remediation plan and the cost of restoration of benches and buffer zone should be included in Bank guarantee.
- The proponent shall comply with the provisions of the OM No.28.1.2022 and clause No 12 of SOP dated 07-07-2021, duly incorporating the total production during the violation period and submit the calculation of penalties based on the project cost and the total turnover during the violation period.
- 7. The project proponent shall carry assessment of ecological damage, remediation plan and natural and community resource augmentation plan and it shall be prepared as an independent chapter in the environment impact assessment report by the accredited consultants. The collection and analysis of data for assessment of ecological damage, preparation of remediation plan and natural and community resource augmentation plan shall be done by an environmental laboratory duly notified under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, or an environmental laboratory accredited by National Accreditation Board for Testing and Calibration Laboratories, or a laboratory of a Council of Scientific and Industrial Research institution working in the field of environment.
- The project proponent shall ensure implementation of Environmental Management Plan, comprising remediation plan and natural and community resource augmentation plan corresponding to the ecological damage assessed and economic benefit derived due to violation.
- The project proponent shall submit a bank guarantee equivalent to the amount of remediation plan and Natural and Community Resource Augmentation Plan with the State Pollution Control Board.
- 10. The project proponent shall give an undertaking by way of affidavit to comply with all the statutory requirements and judgment of Hon'ble Supreme Court dated the 2nd August 2017 in writ petition (Civil) No.144 of 2014 in the matter of common cause verse union of India and Ors. The undertaking inter-alia includes commitment of the PP not to repeat any such violation in future.
- The project proponent shall submit proof of Bank Guarantee submission as per S.O.No.804 (E) dated 14.03.2017 and payment of penalty amount as per OM dated 07.07.2021.

Agenda Item No: 232.20 M/s. ALPRO POLYMER PRIVATE LIMITED (Manufacturing of Resin) Plot No. 15 B11, Sy.No. 188, Denotified Area, APSEZ, Krishnampalem Village, Rambilli Mandal, Atchuthapuram, Anakapalli District (Earlier Visakhapatnam District), Andhra Pradesh – Environmental Clearance – Reg.

SIA/AP/I ND3/437 184/202 3 Category -B2.

The Proposal of M/s. ALPRO POLYMER PRIVATE LIMITED., is for Environmental Clearance for production of the Phenol Formaldehyde Resin/Urea Formaldehyde Resin/Melamine Urea Formaldehyde Resin/Melamine Formaldehyde Resin - 3,5 Tons/Day (or) 1000 Tons/annum.

The proposed project falls under Item No.5 (f) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - 5(f)- basic organic chemicals, other synthetic organic chemicals, and chemical intermediates.

The project proponent and their consultant, M/s. SV Enviro Labs & Consultants have attended the meeting and presented their proposal. The SEAC committee observed that:

a) M/s. Alpro Polymer Private Limited has proposed to establish a Resin Plant in their existing plywood manufacturing unit at Plot No. 15 B11, Sy.No. 188, Denotified Area, APSEZ, Krishnampalem Village, Rambilli Mandal, Atchuthapuram, Anakapalli District (Earlier Visakhapatnam District), for their captive consumption with an additional investment of Rs. 35 Lakhs.

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- b) The MoEF&CC GoI vide letter dt. 10.04.2019 issued clarification that "manufacturing of resin for captive consumption listed under category B2 and the procedure required for category B2 may be followed for the production of resin not exceeding 1000 tons per annum (4 tons per day) by captive manufacturing and utilization in plywood.
- c) The present proposal is for 3.5 Tonnes /day of resin production and falls under Category B2.
- d) The proponent has obtained CTO from APPCB vide order dated 21.04.2023 for manufacturing of plywood, doors, black boards and Venner with a validity upto 28.02.2024.
- e) APIIC allotted land of about 4000 Sq. mts to the project proponent on lease basis and is valid up to 21.06.2054.
- f) The source of water supply is ground water/APIIC and SEAC noted that Ministry of Jal Shakti Department of Water Resources, River Development & Ganga Rejuvenation, CGWA, GoI has exempted obtaining of NOC for MSME units drawing less than 10 KLD of ground water.
- g) The water consumption for the resin plant is 6.5 KLD (process 1.0 KLD, Cooling tower makeup 0.5 KLD, Gardening 4.0 KLD and Domestic 1.0 KLD) and wastewater generation is only Condensate water of about 0.2 KLD which is proposed to be recycled. 0.8 KLD domestic wastewater is proposed to be disposed into septic tank and soak pit.
- h) The project proponent has proposed to install 6 TPH Trimming/cut waste wood & Bio-Briquettes fired boiler to meet the steam requirement in the plant and has proposed to Multi-cyclone dust collector followed by bag filter to control the flue gas emissions from the boiler.
- The project proponent has proposed to provide the condensers to the process kettle to pass the fumes arising from the kettle during the reaction to control the odor nuisance.
- All production activities are proposed to be carried out in closed conditions to minimize fugitive emissions. The project proponent has proposed to install portable detection system for detection of Phenol, & Formaldehyde in process area.
- k) The proponent has allocated an amount of Rs 7.5 Lakhs as Capital Cost and Rs.4.0 Lakhs as recurring cost for the Environmental Management Plant. The proponent volunteered to allocate funds for providing amenities to the local school / PHCs and development in the Krishnampalem Village as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF& CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended for issue of Environmental Clearance to this proposal for manufacturing of Phenol Formaldehyde Resin/Urea Formaldehyde Resin/Melamine Urea Formaldehyde Resin/Melamine Formaldehyde Resin @ one product at any point of time with production capacity -3.5 Tonnes/day for captive utilization in the manufacturing of plywood only stipulating additional conditions:

- The project proponent shall utilise the Resin produced only for their captive manufacturing and utilization in plywood only.
- The industry shall adopt an appropriate pollution control system to achieve Zero Liquid Discharge (ZLD) and ensure that there will be no discharge from the unit.
- The project proponent shall provide the condensers to the process kettle and to pass the fumes arising from the kettle during the reaction through condensers to control the odour nuisance.
- 4. The project proponent shall carryout all production activities in closed a condition to

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- minimize fugitive emissions. The project proponent shall install portable detection system for detection of Phenol, & Formaldehyde in process area
- The industry shall establish suitable scrubbing system in consultation with the APPCB.
- The industry shall provide an effective solvent recovery system and shall achieve 99% of the solvent recovery as per the guidelines of the APPCB.
- 7. Strict measures shall be taken to control odour with appropriate odour abatement methods. Sub coolers for brine circulation shall be installed to reduce solvent evaporation losses into the atmosphere. All the solvent storage tanks shall be connected to vent condensers with chilled water circulation to minimize the solvent loss. The proponent shall install VOC meter in the plant to monitor.
- The industry shall provide hazardous waste container (drums) cleaning/washing system (Container detoxification)
- The industry shall send hazardous waste to the authorized cement industries/ TSDF/ authorized recyclers by properly maintaining the system.
- The industry shall not use wood as a fuel for Thermic fluid heater/ Boiler without Permission from forest department.
- 11. The Solvents such as Phenol & Formalin shall be stored in the site Premises in the SS storage tank provided as per IS code.
- All the chemicals stored in accordance with their compatibility, dry, well ventilated, with flame proof electrical equipment and lighting.
- Chemical Safety Data Sheets, handling procedure, First Aid measures shall be prepared and displayed for information and safety of the working personnel.
- 14. The industry shall strengthen the nearby water pond and shall not discharge any wastewater into the nearby water pond.

Agenda Item No: 232.21 4.046 Ha of Building Stone, Rough stone & Gravel mine of M/s Venkateswara constructions, Survey No. 708 of Vedurupavuluru Village, Gannavaram Mandal, Krishna District, Andhra Pradesh - EC - Reg.

SIA/AP/ MIN/438 169/202 Category: B2 (Minor mineral).

The proposed project is for mining of Building Stone, Rough stone & Gravel in an area of 4.046 Ha. with a proposed production quantity of Building Stone & Rough Stone - 66,312 m³/Annum & Gravel - 16,578 m³/Annum with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.

The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (\leq 250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).

The project proponent and their consultant, M/s. Global Enviro labs, Hyderabad, have attended the meeting and presented their proposal. The SEAC Committee noted that:

- a) The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of erstwhile Krishna District and the same was reviewed in the SEAC meeting. The SEAC noted that Gravel Mineral was available in Vedurupavuluru village and the same was mentioned at S.NO. 112 of Page No. 106 of DSR.
- b) The project proponent has submitted letter dt. 11.10.2023 issued by District Mines and Geology officer, NTR District stating that the Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Vijayawada identified the minerals Building stone & Rough Stone in Sy No. 708 of Vedurupavuluru Village, Gannavaram Mandal, Krishna District and accordingly this

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- office issued LoI for quarry lease of Building stone, Rough Stone & Gravel in the above subject area. It was also informed that the data regarding the availability of Building stone & Rough stone in the above subject area will be updated in the next DSR.
- c) The Mining Department vide proceeding dt. 19.04.2023 issued LOI for a period of 10 years subject to submission of approved Mining plan, EC and CTE from APPCB within in a period of three years.
- d) As per the approved mining plan dt. 30.06.2023, the total provided mineral reserves are 13,48,740 m3 . The proponent proposed to excavate 82,890 m3/Annum and Life of the mine is 16 years.
- e) The Committee noted that as per the cluster letter issued by the District Mines & Geology Officer, Krishna, vide Letter dated: 24.07.2023, there are no existing quarry leases within the radius of 500 mtrs area. The total cluster area is < 5.0 Ha.
- f) The committee observed that Eluru kalva is existing at about 160m to proposed mine and habitation is about 400m. The SEAC directed the proponent to carry out controlled blasting and also shall avoid usage of canal road for the transportation of mineral.
- g) The project proponent allocated Rs. 7.1 Lakhs as capital cost and Rs. 5.0 Lakhs as a recurring cost budget for the EMP. The proponent volunteered to provide water treatment plant to the Savragudem Thanda village as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue Environmental Clearance for mining of Building Stones & Rough Stone - 66,312 m³/Annum & Gravel - 16,578 m³/Annum with following conditions:

- 1. The proponent shall comply with the proposals furnished in the Environmental management plan.
- 2. The project proponent shall develop greenbelt of 1km along approach roads & village Roadsides.
- The project proponent shall maintain 7.5mt greenbelt in buffer zone and existing buffer zone plantation should not be disturbed.
- 4. The proponent shall take dust suppression measures to meet the CPCB stipulated ambient air quality standards at any point of time.
- The proponent shall carryout suppression of dust generated due to transport vehicles by continuous water spraying using tankers.
- 6. The vehicles carrying the mines material shall be covered with tarpaulin during vehicular movement.
- The project proponent shall not use village road/ canal bund roads for mineral transportation purpose.
- 8. The project proponent shall restrict vehicles movement during the peak hours to avoid accidents.
- The project proponent shall provide trench with rocky bund all around the mine lease boundary.
- 10. The project proponent shall adopt for controlled blasting as the habitation is about 400m towards NE side.

Agenda Item: 232.22

BALAJI EAST by M/s. BASERA FURNISHERS (Construction Multi Storied Residential Building) at Door No. 6-20-20, 6-20-20/1 to 59 & 6-22-13/4/1/1 in TS. No. 125/Part of Waltrair Ward Zone III, GVMC Limits, Visakhapatnam District Andhra Pradesh - EC- Reg.

SIA/AP/I NFRA2/4 47594/2

Category: B2 (Building and Construction Projects)

The Proposal of M/S. Basera Furnishers., is for the construction of Multi storied

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o23 residential building in the name of 'BALAJI EAST' with Built Up area - 21,953.31 Sq.m in total plot area is 3467.93 Sq (or) or 0.86 acres at Door No. 6-20-20, 6-20-20/1 to 59 & 6-22-13/4/1/1 in TS. No. 125/Part of Waltrair Ward, Zone III, GVMC Limits, Visakhapatnam District.

The project falls under Item No. 8(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - Building and Construction Projects (<20,000 Sq.mtrs and >1,50,000 sq. m. of built up area).

The proponent and their consultant, M/s. SV enviro have attended the meeting and presented the case. The SEAC committee observed that:

- a) The project proponent has proposed for Construction of Multi Storied Residential Building project (Cellar floor + 2 Stilt floors + Ground + Upper 9 floors with 40 no.'s of flats and amenities) with Built Up area - 21,953.31 Sq.m and total plot area is 3,467.93 Sq.m at Door No. 6-20-20, 6-20-20/1 to 59 & 6-22-13/4/1/1 in TS. No. 125/Part of Waltrair Ward Zone III, GVMC Limits, Visakhapatnam District.
- b) The project proponent has proposed to construct the Multi Storied Residential building by demolishing the existing G + 4 floors building in the Site.
- c) APCZMA vide Lr. No. 389/CRZ/Bldg/2022-681 Dated: 25.11.2022 stated that the proposed site area is falling outside the CRZ area as per the approved CZMP of Andhra Pradesh.
- d) The project proponent has obtained NOC from Airport Authority of India vide order dated 03.03.2023 and also obtained fire NOC vide order dated 16.09.2022.
- e) The project proponent obtained permission from GVMC Dated: 31.05.2023 for Cellar + 2 Stilt floors + Ground + upper 7 floors by removing the existing old building.
- The Geo-technical investigation was conducted by Andhra University, Visakhapatnam dt. 14.03.2022.
- g) The committee appraised the application from the Environmental point of view only with respect to liquid, solid and air pollution management.
- h) The water source is GVMC Supply, Visakhapatnam, 42.70 KLD water required for the proposal, and total Wastewater Generation – 39.75 KLD. The proponent proposed to provide 50 KLD sewage treatment plant and 37.80 KLD water treated water is proposed to be re-cycled.
- About 143 kgs/day of garbage is expected to be generated for which the proponent proposed to provide garbage chute (Organic waste converter machine) to ensure the disposal as per solid management rules 2016.
- j) The project proponent proposed that Iron waste like staircase railings, metal doors, panels, sheets and TOR steel of about 150 Tons and The building debris (occurred from demolishing the civil structures like columns, slabs, flooring) of 3,000 Tons will be extracted from the demolishment of structure. The Iron waste will be sold to SCRAP Merchants and building debris will be segregated into reusable and Non reusable materials and disposed as per the provisions of Construction & Demolition Waste Rules, 2016.
- k) The project proponent has informed that a setback distance of 8.0 meters will be left on all sides of the building to avoid any damage/effects to the existing structures surrounding their site from their excavation and construction activities.
- The project proponent allocated Rs. 57.50 Lakhs as capital cost and Rs. 9.5 Lakhs as a
 recurring cost budget for the EMP. The proponent volunteered to develop avenue
 plantation in (Waltrair) Visakhapatnam city by indicating their company sign Boards
 as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till it
 grows.

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The Committee, after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC' Notifications & OMs, detailed deliberations, recommended to issue Environmental Clearance with the following additional conditions:

1. The project proponent shall implement the solid waste management as per the Solid Waste Management Rules, 2016 applicable for constructions projects.

2. The parking area shall be in compliance with NBC/MoEF&CC GoI / Local Govt regulations as applicable whichever, is higher.

3. The project proponent shall develop the avenue plantation along the approach roads leading to the proposed project site.

4. The project proponent shall meet the water requirement through ground water /

GVMC supply and shall obtain prior approval from the above authorities.

The project proponent shall provide Sewage Treatment Plant of Capacity 50 KLD. As the treated effluents is proposed for recycle, the suitable disinfection system shall be provided in addition to the STP.

- 6. The proponent shall construct and commission STP along with commissioning of project. The project proponent shall treat the effluents to meet the standards stipulated by MoEF&CC GoI vide notification G.S.R 1265 (E) 13.07.2017 for discharge into water bodies as well as for land disposal/applications.
- 7. Dual plumbing system to be provided for reuse of the treated effluent for flushing and other purposes.
- 8. The project proponent shall install organic waste converter for the treatment and disposal of wet garbage in a scientific manner.
- 9. The proponent shall ensure sustainable environmental management, solid and liquid wastes and implement environmental conditions given at Appendix-XIV of EIA notification 2006 and its amendments thereof.
- 10. The project proponent shall comply with the Environmental conditions specified for construction and building projects in the appendix of MoEF&CC, GoI, S.O No (E) 5733 dt. 14.11.2018
- 11. Solar Energy Systems shall be installed to utilize atleast one third of the route
- The project proponent shall use only LED lights in the common areas and internal roads and shall provide timer-based lighting management in common area, Light levels shall be selected to suit the functional requirements, shall use high efficiency low-e glass type for windows, automatic timer controls for external lighting, ETC for energy conservation.
- 13. The building shall be designed for compliance with earth quake resistance and resisting other natural hazards.
- 14. The proponent shall use only fly ash-based products for construction, such as cement or concrete, fly ash bricks or tiles or clay fly ash bricks, or bricks, blocks or tiles or cement fly ash bricks or blocks or similar products or a combination or aggregate of them as required under MOEF notification S.O. 763(E) dated 14.9.1999 amended thereof.
- 15. The proponent shall construct rainwater harvesting pit and storm water drains for collection, usage and also for groundwater table maintenance within the premises.
- 16. The project proponent shall create a corpus fund to ensure continuous operation of STP and shall comply with the proposals furnished in the Environmental management plan.
- 17. The project proponent shall obtain all statutory permissions if any from all the regulatory departments including Fire Department before starting the construction.
- 18. The project proponent shall not disturb adjacent building foundations and shall

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	obey for undertaking submitted. 19. The project proponent shall provide GI sheets around the compound wall during		
	the construction stage to avoid dust particles arises.		
Agenda Item No. 232.23	9.70 Ha., Silica Sand of Sri R.V. Chakrapani at Sy.No. 521/B(P), 522/A, 522/B(P), 523 & 703(P), Momidi Village, Chillakur Mandal, Tirupati District (Erstwhile SPSR Nellore), Andhra Pradesh – EC Extension - reg.		
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SIA/AP/ MIN/304	Category: B2 at par with B1		
344/202 3.	The representative of the project and their consultant M/s. Pioneer Enviro Laboratories & Consultants Pvt. Ltd. have attended the meeting and presented the proposal. The SEAC committee noted that:		
	a) The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of erstwhile SPSR Nellore District. The same is reviewed in the SEAC meeting and observed that the project was listed in Page No.113 of DSR.		
13	b) The SEIAA, A.P., issued Environmental Clearance to Sri R.V. Chakrapani at Sy.No. 521/B(P), 522/A, 522/B(P), 523 & 703(P), Momidi Village, Chillakur Mandal, Tirupati District (Erstwhile SPSR Nellore), Andhra Pradesh vide order dt. 02.09.2016 for mining of Silica sand 96,250 TPA in an extent of 9.70 Ha and the validity of EC order is for period of 7 years i.e. Upto 01.09.2023.		
	c) The project proponent obtained CTE from APPCB vide order dated 15.10.2016 and also obtained CTO vide order dated 21.11.2016 and the same was auto renewal vide order dated 28.03.2022 for the period upto 01.09.2023.		
	d) Now, the project proponent has applied for extension of EC and also for reduction of mining Quantity of Silica Sand from 96,250 TPA to 91,431 TPA on 20.09.2023.		
	 e) The project proponent has obtained work order vide letter dt. 17.01.2017 for 20 years and the same is valid for a period upto 16.01.2027. 		
	f) As per the approved mining plan dt. 25.03.2022, the total proved mineral reserves are		
	2,74,294 T. The proponent proposed to excavate 91,431 TPA and life of the mine is 3 years.		
	g) The committee verified production and dispatch details furnished by the Mines and Geology Department vide letter dt. 16.09.2023 and it was noted that the production details were furnished upto 16.09.2023.		
	h) The committee noted that as per the S.O.No.221(E) dated 18.01.2021, under para 4, in the said notification, para (ii), "9A. Notwithstanding anything contained in this notification, the period from the 1st April, 2020 to the 31st March, 2021 shall not be considered for the purpose of calculation of the period of validity of Prior Environmental Clearances granted under the provisions of this notification in view of outbreak of Corona Virus (COVID-19) and subsequent lockdowns (total or partial) declared for its control, however, all activities undertaken during this period in respect of the Environmental Clearance granted shall be treated as valid".		
	The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC Notifications, & OMs, MoEF&CC OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue EC Extension for a period upto 02.09.2026 for production capacity of Silica sand 91,431 TPA with a condition that conditions mentioned in the earlier EC remains same.		
Agenda Item No:	5.00 Ha of Mica, Quartz, Feldspar Quarry mine of M/s Sree Minerals, Survey No. 806/P Molakalapundla Village & Sydapuram Mandal SPSR Nellore District, Andhra		
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SIA/AP/ MIN/440	Category: B2 (Minor mineral)		
464/202	The proposed project is for mining of Mica, Quartz, Feldspar in an area of 5.00 Ha. with		
3	a proposed production quantity of Mica - 2,360 TPA, Quartz - 11,799 TPA, Feldspar -		

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21,239 TPA with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.

The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (≤250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).

The project of proponent and their consultant, M/s. HECS have attended the meeting and presented their proposal. The SEAC Committee noted that:

a) The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of erstwhile Nellore District and the same is reviewed in the SEAC meeting. The SEAC noted that the mineral content is available in the nearby village /cluster to the subject mine.

b) The Department of Mines and Geology issued Letter of Intent (LOI) vide order dt. 06.07.2023 for a period of 20 years subject to submission of Approved Mining Plan,

EC and CFE within a period of 3 years from the date of issue of Lol.

c) The Committee noted that as per the cluster letter issued by the District Mines & Geology Officer, SPSR Nellore, vide Letter dated: 09.08.2023, there are 02 existing quarry leases within the radius of 500 mtrs area. The total cluster area is < 5.0 Ha</p>

d) As per the approved mining plan dt. 09.08.2023, the total provided mineral reserves are 40,33,200 Tonnes. The proponent proposed to Mica - 2,360 TPA, Quartz -11,799 TPA, Feldspar - 21,239 TPA and Life of the mine is 68.0 years.

e) The Sydapuram RF is about 155 meters to proposed mine and the project proponent obtained Forest NOC from District Forest Officer, SPSR Nellore District vide order

dated 23.09.2022 stipulating conditions.

f) The project proponent allocated Rs. 10.50 Lakhs as capital cost and Rs. 4.35 Lakhs as a recurring cost budget for the EMP. The proponent volunteered to provide Water Treatment Plant to Molakalapundla village as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine. Also, the project proponent has proposed to provide scholarships to students of Molakalapundla village.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue Environmental Clearance for mining of Mica - 2,360 TPA, Quartz - 11,799 TPA, Feldspar - 21,239 TPA with following conditions:

 The project proponent shall develop greenbelt of 1km along approach roads & village Roadsides.

The project proponent shall maintain 7.5mt greenbelt in buffer zone and existing buffer zone plantation should not be disturbed.

The proponent shall take dust suppression measures to meet the CPCB stipulated ambient air quality standards at any point of time.

 The proponent shall carryout suppression of dust generated due to transport vehicles by continuous water spraying using tankers.

The vehicles carrying the mines material shall be covered with tarpaulin during vehicular movement.

The project proponent shall not use village road/ canal bund roads for mineral transportation purpose.

The project proponent shall restrict vehicles movement during the peak hours to avoid accidents.

The project proponent should not take up blasting during the night time.

The project proponent shall comply conditions stipulated in the Forest NOC

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	dated 23.09.2022.
Agenda Item No: 232.25	8.516 Ha of Quartz mine of M/S. Venkat Bhaskar Minerals, Sy. No. 521/2(6.107Ha), 517/2(0.776Ha), 517/3(0.188 Ha), 518/1(0.694 Ha) & 518/2(0.751Ha) (old Sy. No. 281/P) of Mahadevapalli Village, Chakraypeta Mandal, Y.S.R. District, Andhra Pradesh – EC - EIA – Reg.
SIA/AP/ MIN/440	Category: B2 at par with B1 (Minor mineral)
382/202 3	The proposed project is for mining of Quartz in an area of 8.516 Ha. with a proposed production quantity of Quartz - 78,408 TPA with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.
	The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (≤250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).
	The project of proponent and their consultant, M/s. Ecomen Laboratories Pvt Ltd have attended the meeting and presented their proposal. The SEAC Committee noted that:
	a) The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of erstwhile YSR Kadapa District. The same is reviewed in the SEAC meeting and observed that the mineral content is available in the nearby village /cluster to the subject mine.
	b) The Department of Mines and Geology vide order dt. 07.04.2021 issued letter of Intent to the project proponent for a period of 20 years subject to submission of Approved Mining Plan, EC and CFE within a period of 1 year.
	c) Subsequently, the Department of Mines and vide order dt. 04.08.2023 extended the validity of LoI issued in favour of project proponent for further period upto 07.04.2024 subject to submission of Approved Mining Plan, EC and CFE on or before 06.04.2024.
	d) As per the approved mining plan dt. 25.06.2021, the total provided mineral reserves are 16,59,096 Tonnes. The proponent proposed to excavate Quartz - 78,408 TPA and Life of the mine is 21 years.
	e) The project proponent has obtained Standard TOR with public hearing vide order dated 25.02.2022 with an additional condition that the project proponent shall provide rain water harvesting trenches all around the mine. The Public hearing was conducted on 13.10.2022.
	f) Issues raised in the Public Hearing: water stream flows, refrigerator for storage of foods and control blasting issues are the specific point raised during the public hearing.
	g) Response from the management during the Public Hearing: Sri S Venkata Bhaskar Rao, Project Proponent, thanked the officials' public representatives, villagers and stated that they will take measures as suggested by the gathered villagers and give priority to the villagers in employment at the proposed mine.
	h) The base line data was collected from October 2021 to Dec 2021 and the predominant wind direction is observed to be NE to SW. The maximum concentration of SPM(PM10) is observed to be 62.30 μg/m3. The incremental concentration is 3.81 μg/m3 and GLC of SPM will falls within mine lease area.
	 The project proponent allocated Rs. 15.20 Lakhs as capital cost and Rs. 5.52 Lakhs as a recurring cost budget for the EMP. The proponent volunteered to provide Water Treatment Plant to Mahadevapalli village as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine.
	The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan,

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MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue Environmental Clearance for mining of Quartz - 78,408 TPA with following conditions:

- The proponent shall comply with the proposals furnished in the Environmental management plan and EIA report.
- The project proponent shall develop greenbelt of 1km along approach roads & village Roadsides.
- The project proponent shall maintain 7.5mt greenbelt in buffer zone and existing buffer zone plantation should not be disturbed.
- The proponent shall take dust suppression measures to meet the CPCB stipulated ambient air quality standards at any point of time.
- The proponent shall carryout suppression of dust generated due to transport vehicles by continuous water spraying using tankers.
- The vehicles carrying the mines material shall be covered with tarpaulin during vehicular movement.
- The project proponent shall not use village road/ canal bund roads for mineral transportation purpose.
- The project proponent shall restrict vehicles movement during the peak hours to avoid accidents.
- The project proponent shall comply with the promises/ Assurance made in PH minutes.
- The project proponent shall allocate 1.0 Ha of additional land for Quartz waste disposal.
- 11. The project proponent shall adopt controlled blasting as the high tension power supply line is about 50 meters away from the mine lease area.
- 12. The project proponent shall provide a contour trench of 670 mts (1.2 mts width X 1.2 mts depth) in the Northern direction and also about 330 meters (1.2 mts width X 1.2 mts depth) in southern direction followed by 5 Nos. of rain water storage tanks
- 13. The project proponent shall provide trench with Rocky bund all around the mine lease boundary to prevent surface runoff and silt content entering into the nearby fields.

Agenda 1.110 Ha of Road Metal, Building Stone Mine of Sri.C.Nagarjuna Reddy, Sy. No. Item No: 1862/P of Mannur Village, Rajampeta Mandal, Annamayya District, of Andhra 232.26 Pradesh - EC - Reg. SIA/AP/ The project proponent and also their consultant have not attended the meeting and the MIN/439 committee recommend to raise ADS seeking reasons for not attending the meeting and 848/202 also to place this case only after the project proponent request the SEAC to place their proposal in the SEAC meeting. 1.50 Ha of Road Metal & Building Stone of Sri Ramavath Krishna Naik, Sy.No.1 of Agenda Gangannametta (V), Chinturu (M), Allu Seetharamaraju District, Andhra Pradesh -Item No: 232.27 EC - Reg. SIA/AP/ Category: B2 (Minor mineral) MIN/446 The proposed project is for mining of Road Metal & Building Stone in an area of 1.50 118/202 3 Ha. with a proposed production quantity of Road Metal & Building Stone - 1,00,000 m^3 /annum with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.

The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (\leq 250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).

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The representative of the project and their consultant, M/s. VVN Technologies Pvt Ltd have attended the meeting and presented their proposal. The SEAC Committee noted that:

- a) The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of erstwhile East Godavari. The same is reviewed in the SEAC meeting and observed that the mineral content is available in the nearby village /cluster to the subject mine.
- b) The Department of Mines and Geology granted temporary permit to the project proponent for excavation of 1,00,000 m³ of Road Metal over an extent of 1.5 Ha Sy.No.1 of Gangannametta (V), Chinturu (M), Allu Seetharamaraju District, Andhra Pradesh Subject to submission of Approved Mining Plan, EC and CFE within a period of 3 years.
- c) The Committee noted that as per the cluster letter issued by the District Mines & Geology Officer, Paderu, ASR District, vide Letter dated: 21.09.2023, there is only one Lol (temporary permit) granted over an extent of 1.0 Ha within the radius of 500 mtrs area. The total cluster area is < 5.0 Ha.</p>
- d) As per the approved mining plan dt. 05.09.2023, the total provided mineral reserves are 2,24,946 m³. The proponent proposed to Road Metal & Building Stone - 1,00,000 m³/annum and Life of the mine is 2 years.
- The Burakanakota RF is about 370 meters to proposed mine and the project proponent obtained Forest NOC vide DFO, Chintur letter dated 21.06.2023.
- f) The nearest village is Gangannametta hamlet at about 230 meters from the mine in southern direction and the project proponent was directed to carry out controlled blasting.
- g) Chandravankavagu is passing at a distance about 70 meters from North to East direction from the mine lease area. The project proponent was directed to provide 362 mtrs of garland drain along the north east corner to south east corner for surface runoff protection.
- h) The project proponent allocated Rs. 7.2 Lakhs as capital cost and Rs. 4.65 Lakhs as a recurring cost budget for the EMP. The proponent volunteered to provide Water Treatment Plant to Gangannametta as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue Environmental Clearance for mining of Road Metal & Building Stone - 1,00,000 m³/annum with following conditions:

- The project proponent shall develop greenbelt of 1km along approach roads & village Roadsides.
- The project proponent shall maintain 7.5mt greenbelt in buffer zone and existing buffer zone plantation should not be disturbed.
- The proponent shall take dust suppression measures to meet the CPCB stipulated ambient air quality standards at any point of time.
- The proponent shall carryout suppression of dust generated due to transport vehicles by continuous water spraying using tankers.
- The vehicles carrying the mines material shall be covered with tarpaulin during vehicular movement.
- The project proponent shall not use village road/ canal bund roads for mineral transportation purpose.
- The project proponent shall restrict vehicles movement during the peak hours to avoid accidents.

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- 8. The project proponent should not take up blasting during the night time.
- The project proponent shall comply conditions stipulated in the Forest NOC dated 21.06.2023.
- 10. The project proponent was directed to provide 362 mtrs of garland drain along the north east corner to south east to prevent surface runoff entering into the nearby stream.
- 11. The project proponent shall adopt for controlled blasting as the Gangannametta hamlet is about 230 meters.

Agenda Item: 232.28

M/s. Century Adhesives & Chemicals Ltd. is located at Plot No. 49 (Block-C), Sy.Nos.32P, 33P, 289P, 290P, 291P, 292P, Industrial Park, Konetirajupalem Village, Naidupeta Mandal, Tirupati District, Andhra Pradesh – EC - Reg.

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Category -B2.

The Proposal of M/s. Century Adhesives & Chemicals Ltd., is for Environmental Clearance for production of the Phenol Formaldehyde Resin – 50 TPD and Melamine Formaldehyde Resin – 20 TPD for their captive consumption with an additional investment of Rs. 15.10 crores.

The proposed project falls under Item No.5 (f) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - 5(f)- basic organic chemicals, other synthetic organic chemicals, and chemical intermediates.

The project proponent and their consultant, M/s. SV Enviro Labs & Consultants have attended the meeting and presented their proposal. The SEAC committee observed that:

- a) M/s. Century Adhesives & Chemicals Ltd has proposed to establish a Resin Plant at Plot No. 49 (Block-C), Sy.Nos.32P, 33P, 289P, 290P, 291P, 292P, Industrial Park, Konetirajupalem Village, Naidupeta Mandal, Tirupati District, over an extent of 4.56 acres.
- b) As per the MoEF&CC, GoI notification S.O.No.1533 (E) dated 14.09.2006, the proposed activity falls under 5(f) – Synthetic Organic Chemical Industry with category B1 and the projects located in the notified industrial estates are exempted for public hearing as per OM dated 27.04.2018.
- c) APIIC Industrial Park, Naidupeta allotted an area of 4.56 Acres or 18,470.00 Sq. mtrs on lease basis for a period of 33 years on dated: 06.02.2023. The Naidupeta Industrial Park' has obtained Environmental clearance on 30.07.2017.
- d) As the proposed activity is located in APIIC notified industrial estates and the project proponent was granted TOR without public hearing vide order dated 20.07.2023.
- e) The source of water supply is APIIC supply and the water consumption is 28.0 KLD and wastewater generation from process & washings is 1.5 KLD, cooling tower bleed is 1.0 KLD and Domestic is 1.2 KLD. The process & washings waste water is proposed to be collected and disposed to CETP Naidupet/TSDF/Pre-processing unit.
- f) The project proponent has proposed to provide Sewage Treatment Plant (STP) of capacity 10.0 KLD for the treatment of Cooling tower bleed of and domestic waste water. After treatment the treated waste water proposed to be used for onland for gardening within the premises.
- g) The project proponent has proposed to install 01 no. of Bio-Briquettes/Biomass fired high pressure hot water generator boiler of capacity 10 Lakh K.Cal/hr TPH to meet the steam requirement in the plant and has proposed to Multi-cyclone dust collector followed by bag filter to control the flue gas emissions from the

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boiler

- h) The project proponent has proposed to provide the condensers to the process kettle to pass the fumes arising from the kettle during the reaction to control the odor nuisance.
- All production activities are proposed to be carried out in closed conditions to minimize fugitive emissions. The project proponent has proposed to install portable detection system for detection of Phenol, & Formaldehyde in process area.
- The project proponent has ear marked an area of 6181.55 sq mts for development of greenbelt within the premises.
- k) The project proponent allocated Rs. 1.50 crores as capital cost and Rs. 42.0 Lakhs as a recurring cost budget for the EMP. The proponent volunteered to allocate funds for providing amenities to the local school / PHCs and development in the Konetirajupalem Village as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF& CC' Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended for issue of Environmental Clearance to this proposal for manufacturing of the Phenol Formaldehyde Resin – 50 TPD Melamine Formaldehyde Resin – 20 TPD stipulating additional conditions:

- The Project Proponent shall provide pre-treatment facility for the treatment of process & washings effluents to the inlet standards of CETP Naidupeta.
- The pre-treated waste water shall be transported to CETP regularly duly following online transport manifest in the APEMCL portal.
- The project proponent shall provide STP of capacity 10 KLD for the treatment of cooling tower bleed of and domestic effluents. The treated domestic waste water shall be utilized for onland for gardening within the premises duly complying with the discharge standards issued by the APPCB.
- The project proponent shall provide the condensers to the process kettle and to
 pass the fumes arising from the kettle during the reaction through condensers to
 control the odour nuisance.
- The project proponent shall carryout all production activities in closed a condition to minimize fugitive emissions. The project proponent shall install portable detection system for detection of Phenol, & Formaldehyde in process area
- The industry shall establish suitable scrubbing system in consultation with the APPCB.
- The industry shall provide an effective solvent recovery system and shall achieve 99% of the solvent recovery as per the guidelines of the APPCB.
- 8. Strict measures shall be taken to control odour with appropriate odour abatement methods. Sub coolers for brine circulation shall be installed to reduce solvent evaporation losses into the atmosphere. All the solvent storage tanks shall be connected to vent condensers with chilled water circulation to minimize the solvent loss.
- The proponent shall install VOC meter in the plant to monitor the VOC levels and shall provide connectivity to APPCB website.
- 10. The industry shall provide hazardous waste container (drums) cleaning/washing system (Container detoxification) and the waste water from detoxification facility shall be disposed to CETP Naidupet along with the process & Washings effluents.
- 11. The industry shall send hazardous waste to the authorized cement industries/ TSDF/ authorized recyclers by properly maintaining the system.
- 12. The industry shall not use wood as a fuel for hot water generated/ Boiler without



Agonda	Permission from forest department. 13. The Solvents such as Phenol & Formalin shall be stored in the site Premises in the SS storage tank provided as per IS code. 14. All the chemicals stored in accordance with their compatibility, dry, well ventilated, with flame proof electrical equipment and lighting. 15. The project proponent shall obtain license from PESO for storage tanks provided for the solvents within the premises. 16. Chemical Safety Data Sheets, handling procedure, First Aid measures shall be prepared and displayed for information and safety of the working personnel.		
Agenda Item No: 232.29	6.072 Ha. Kuppam Grey Colour Granite, Road Metal, Building Stone and Dimensional Stone useful for Cubes & Kerbs Of M/s. R.R Stones Private Limited., Sy No. 184 of Muddanapalli Village Santhipuram Mandal, Chittoor District, Andhr Pradesh – Environment Clearance – Reg.		
SIA/AP/ MIN/441 076/202 3	The project proponent and also their consultant have not attended the meeting and the committee recommend to raise ADS seeking reasons for not attending the meeting and also to place this case only after the project proponent request the SEAC to place their proposal in the SEAC meeting.		
Agenda Item: 232.30	2.00 Ha Chittoor Colour Granite (Other than Silver waves, Madanapalli White & Iscon White), Road Metal & Building Stone and Dimensional Stone used for Cubes & Kerbs Quarry Of M/s. R.R Stones Private Limited, Sy. No.: 114, Maldepalli Village, Gudupalli Mandal, Chittoor District, Andhra Pradesh - Environmental Clearance - Reg.		
SIA/AP/ MIN/441 773/202 3	The project proponent and also their consultant have not attended the meeting and the committee recommend to raise ADS seeking reasons for not attending the meeting and the committee recommend to raise ADS seeking reasons for not attending the meeting and the committee recommend to raise ADS seeking reasons for not attending the meeting and the committee recommend to raise ADS seeking reasons for not attended the meeting and the committee recommend to raise ADS seeking reasons for not attended the meeting and the committee recommend to raise ADS seeking reasons for not attended the meeting and the committee recommend to raise ADS seeking reasons for not attended the meeting and the committee recommend to raise ADS seeking reasons for not attended the meeting and the committee recommend to raise ADS seeking reasons for not attended the meeting and the committee recommend to raise ADS seeking reasons for not attended the meeting and the committee recommend to raise ADS seeking reasons for not attended to raise at the committee		
Agenda Item No. 232.31	5.0 Ha., Road Metal mine of Sri N. Viswanath Reddy, at Sy. No. 2707 (New Sy.No.2817) of Sankavaram Village, Kalasapadu Mandal, Y.S.R.Kadapa District, Andhra Pradesh – EC Amendment - reg.		
SIA/AP/ MIN/30 1781/20 23	Category: B2 at par with B1 The representative of the project and their consultant M/s. Ecomen Laboratories Pvt. Ltd., have attended the meeting and presented the proposal. The SEAC committee noted that: a) The SEIAA, A.P., issued Environmental Clearance to Sri N. Viswanath Reddy at Sy. No. 2707 (New Sy.No.2817) of Sankavaram Village, Kalasapadu Mandal, Y.S.R.Kadapa District vide order dt. 08.07.2020 for mining of Road Metal 1,42,750 TPA in an extent of 5.0 Ha and the validity of EC order is for a period of 5.09 years. b) Now the project proponent has applied for change of unit from TPA to m³/annum and also for inclusion of Gravel and EC order dated 08.07.2020. c) The project proponent obtained LoI for inclusion of Gravel as additional mineral from Dy. Director of Mines & Geology, Kadapa, vide order dated 22.11.2022. d) The project proponent has obtained work order vide letter dt. 09.04.2021 for 10 years and the same is valid for a period upto 08.04.2031. e) As per the approved mining plan dt. 19.12.2022, the total proved mineral reserves are 21,63,392 m³. The proponent proposed to excavate 86,870 m³/annum and life of the mine is 3 years. f) The project proponent has not furnished production and dispatch details from Mines & Geology Department and also not furnished six months compliance report. Hence, the committee recommended to raise ADS for submission of production & despatch details from 09.04.2021 to till date.		

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Agenda	The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC Notifications, & OMs, MoEF&CC OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended raise ADS for submission of production & despatch details from 09.04.2021 to till date and also six months compliance report. 40.469 Ha Quartzite, White shale & Yellow Ochre Mine of M/s. Mangalore Mineral		
Item No. 232.32	Traders at Sy. No: 730, Mangapatnam Village, Muddanur Mandal, Kadapa District, Andhra Pradesh - EC Extension - reg.		
SIA/AP/ MIN/302 223/202 3	The project proponent and also their consultant have not attended the meeting and the committee recommend to raise ADS seeking reasons for not attending the meeting and		
Item No.	9.269 Ha. Iron Ore Mine of M/s. Sri Lakshmi Enterprises at Sy.Nos. 214, Gandra Village, Jaggaiahpet Mandal, Krishna District, Andhra Pradesh – EC Extension - reg.		
Agenda Item No. 232.33 SIA/AP/ MIN/30 1889/20 23	The representative of the project and their consultant M/s. Team Labs and Consultants, have attended the meeting and presented the proposal. The SEAC committee noted that: a) The SEIAA, A.P., issued Environmental Clearance to M/s. Sri Lakshmi Enterprises, Sy.Nos. 214, Gandrai Village, Jaggaiahpet Mandal, Krishna District vide order dt. 14.05.2008 for mining of Iron Ore -4779 TPA in an extent of 9.269 Ha and the validity of EC order is for a period of 10.0 years. b) The project proponent obtained Extension of EC vide order dated 06.08.2019 by reducing production capacity of Iron Ore Mine from 4779 TPA to 2000 TPA and the same was valid for a period upto 31.03.2023. However, in the EC extension order dated 06.08.2019 the name of the mineral was mentioned as "Laterite mine - 57,103 TPA" instead of "Iron Ore mine - 2000 TPA" due to typographical error. c) Now the project proponent has applied for extension of EC and also for change of mineral name from laterite mine to Iron Ore Mine in EC extension order dt. 06.08.2019. d) The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of erstwhile Krishna District and the same was reviewed in the SEAC meeting. The present mine lease details are mentioned at S. No 5 of Page no. 118 in the DSR report. e) The project proponent has obtained work order vide letter dt. 26.06.2008 for 20 years and the same is valid for a period upto 25.06.2028. f) As per the approved mining plan dt. 24.04.2023, the total proved mineral reserves are 39350 T. The proponent proposed to excavate 2000 TPA and life of the mine is 19.67 years. g) The project proponent obtained production & dispatch details letter dt. 17.05.2023 issued by the Mines and Geology Department. h) The committee noted that as per the S.O.No.221(E) dated 18.01.2021, under para 4, in the said notification, para (ii), "OA. Notwithstanding anything contained in this notification, the period from the 1st April, 2020 to the 31st March, 2021 shall not be		
	considered for the purpose of calculation of the period of validity of Prior Environmental Clearances granted under the provisions of this notification in view of outbreak of Corona Virus (COVID-19) and subsequent lockdowns (total or partial) declared for its control, however, all activities undertaken during this period in respect of the Environmental Clearance granted shall be treated as valid". i) In view of the above, it is observed that there is a discrepancy in EC order dated 14.05.2008 and Extension of EC order dated 06.08.2019. Hence, the committee		

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	recommended to raise ADS to obtain EC Corrigendum to EC order dated 06.08.2019 for change of "Laterite mine – 57,103 TPA" to "Iron Ore mine – 2000 TPA.
	The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC Notifications, & OMs, MoEF&CC OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to raise ADS to obtain EC Corrigendum to EC order dated 06.08.2019 for change of "Laterite mine – 57,103 TPA" to "Iron Ore mine – 2000 TPA.
Agenda Item No. 232.34	4.853 Ha, Colour Granite of M/s. Stone Plus, Survey No. 41, Ravivalasa Village, Tekkali Mandal, Srikakulam District, Andhra Pradesh- EC Extension - reg.
SIA/AP/	Category: B2 at par with B1
MIN/30 2641/20 23	The representative of the project and their consultant M/s. Team Labs & Consultants, have attended the meeting and presented the proposal. The SEAC committee noted that: a) The SEIAA, A.P., issued Environmental Clearance to M/s. Stone Plus at Survey No. 41, Ravivalasa Village, Tekkali Mandal, Srikakulam District vide order dt. dt.31.08.2021 for mining of Colour Granite – 51,774 m³/annum in an extent of 4.853 Ha and the validity of EC order is for a period of 7.35 years. b) Subsequently, the project proponent has applied for EC-Amendment for reduction of production quantity from mining of Colour Granite – 51,774 m³/annum to 10,354.8 m3/annum and also inclusion of Granite waste as Road Metal and Building Stone in addition of minerals with capacity of Road Metal, Building Stone - 41,419 m3/Annum. c) But, the project proponent has obtained EC-Amendment order dt. 24.07.2023 for
	inclusion of Granite waste as Road Metal and Building Stone in addition of minerals with capacity of Road Metal, Building Stone - 41,419 m3/Annum only. d) Now the project proponent has applied to corrigendum to EC-Amendment order dt. 24.07.2023 for reduction of production quantity from mining of Colour Granite - 51,774 m³/annum to 10,354.8 m3/annum. e) As per the approved mining plan dt. 31.12.2022, the total proved mineral reserves are 2,58,870 M³ and Granite waste (Road Metal and building stone) - 2,07,096 M³. The proponent proposed to excavate Colour granite - 10,354.8 m3/annum and Granite waste (Road Metal and building stone) of 41,419 m3/Annum & life of the mine is 25 years.
	The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC Notifications, & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue EC corrigendum to EC-Amendment order dt. 24.07.2023 for reduction of Colour granite - 10,354.8 m3/annum for a period upto 02.09.2026 with a condition that conditions mentioned in the earlier EC remains same.
Agenda Item No.	12.14 Ha, Silica Sand mine of Sri B. Prasanth, Survey No. 38, Siddhavaram Village, Kota Mandal, Tirupathi District (Erstwhile SPSR Nellore District), Andhra Pradesh-
232.35 SIA/AP/	EC Extension - Reg. Category: B2 at par with B1
MIN/30 2682/20 23	The representative of the project and their consultant M/s. SV Enviro Labs & Consultants., have attended the meeting and presented the proposal. The SEAC committee noted that: a) The SEIAA, A.P., issued Environmental Clearance to Sri B. Prasanth at Survey No. 38, Siddhavaram Village, Kota Mandal, Tirupathi District (Erstwhile SPSR Nellore District), Andhra Pradesh vide order dt. 04.08.2016 for mining of Silica Sand – 114,768 TPA in an extent of 12.14 Ha and the validity of EC order is for a period of 7.17 years.
	b) Now the project proponent has applied for extension of EC on 29.07.2023. c) The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of erstwhile SPSR Nellore District and the same was reviewed in the SEAC meeting. The present mine lease

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details are mentioned at Page no. 114 in the DSR report.

- d) The project proponent has obtained work order vide letter dt. 17.10.2005 for 20 years w.e.f 16.12.2003 to 15.12.2023.
- e) As per the approved mining plan dt 13.10.2020, the total proved mineral reserves are 518966 T. The proponent proposed to excavate 114,768 TPA and life of the mine is 4.5 years.
- f) The project proponent obtained production & dispatch details letter dt. 27.07.2023 issued by the Mines and Geology Department.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC Notifications, & OMs, MoEF&CC OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue EC Extension for a period upto 15.12.2023 with a condition that conditions mentioned in the earlier EC remains same.

Agenda Item: 232.36

472.24 Ha Development of Industrial Park of M/s. JSW Industrial Park Limited, Mushidipalle, Cheedipalem, Chinakhandepalle, Moolaboddavara and Kilthampalem Village, Srungavarapu kota Mandal, Vizianagaram District, Andhra Pradesh - TOR - Reg.

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Category -B1.

The proposal of M/s. JSW Industrial Park Limited is for Terms of Reference for "Development of Industrial Park in Vizianagaram" over an extent of 1166.43 Acres (472.24 Ha) at Mushidipalli, Cheedipalem, Chinakhandepalli, Moolboddavara and Kilthampalem villages of Srungavarapukota Kota (S Kota Mandal), Vizianagaram district with a project cost of Rs. 531.36 Crores.

The project proponent proposed for Development of industrial park only for the industries not attracting the purview of EIA Notification 2006 and Category-A and B Project will not be housed within the industrial Park.

The proposed project falls under Item No. 8(b)of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - 8(b) "Townships and Area development Projects" having covering an area \geq 50.0 ha and or Built-up area \geq 1,50,000 sq mts.

The project proponent and their consultant, M/s. HECS Consultants have attended the meeting and presented their proposal. The SEAC committee observed that:

- a) M/s. JSW Aluminium Limited proposed for setting up of Green Field alumina refinery and Co-generation power plant at Mushidipalli, Cheedipalem, Moolboddavara Chinakhandepallli, and Kilthampalem villages Srungavarapukota kota (S Kota Mandal), Vizianagaram district.
- b) The proposed industrial park consists land use for Industrial use, amenities, parking, logistics, residential area, water storage area, rain water pond, green belt, roads, storm water drains, waste water drains, waste-water treatment plant, Sewage treatment plant, electrical sub-station, power supply line, water supply line, firefighting system, common buildings, common facilities, entry/exit gate, etc.
- c) The project proponent proposed to allot land to the industrial areas namely Textiles & Apparels, Agro & Food Processing, Toy Manufacturing, Coir Industry, Finished Leather Product, Green Energy, Light Engineering, Logistics & Warehousing and others.
- d) The project proponent obtained Environmental Clearance from MoEF&CC, GoI vide order dated 18.12.2007 for setting up of the Green Field Alumina refinery of capacity 1.4 MTPA and Co- generation Plant - 90 MW duly conducting the Public Hearing. The Public Hearing for the project was conducted on 04.06.2007.

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- e) The project proponent has acquired an extent of 1015.39 acres and Government of Andhra Pradesh has allotted land of extent 151.04 acres at par with the Market value vide G.O.Ms.No.892 dated 28.06.2007 as modified vide G.O.Ms.No.178 dt. 13.03.2008. The same land was registered by the Govt of Andhra Pradesh in favor of "M/s. JSW Aluminium Limited" vide conveyance deed No.2723/2008 dated 22.12.2008.
- f) The Government of Andhra Pradesh taken Green Initiative and decided not to go ahead with Bauxite mining in the state vide G.O.Ms.No 45 dated 06.04.206 and hence, the M/s. JSW Aluminium Limited has not executed the Aluminium Refinery project.
- g) The project proponent proposes to use existing land resources in line with New Industrial Policy and proposed to develop Multi-Utility MSME / Industrial Park over an extent of 1,166.43 acres of land located in M.B Vara, Kiltampalem, Cheedipalem, Chinakhandeapalli and Musidipalli Villages originally allocated for the Aluminum Refinery Project.
- h) The Government of Andhra Pradesh vide G.O.Ms.No.14 dated 20.02.2023 accorded permission for change of line of activity from "Aluminium Refinery complex" to "MSME Industrial Park/ any other suitable industries". The deed of rectification was made between the Government and JSW Aluminium Ltd vide document No.3181/2023 dated 31.05.2023.
- i) The Ministry of Corporate Affairs, GoI vide order dated 26.05.2023 changed the name of the Company from "JSW Aluminium Ltd" to "JSW Industrial Park Limited". Also, Government of Andhra Pradesh vide G.O.Rt.No.178 dated 31.10.2023 approved the change of name of the Company from "JSW Aluminium Ltd" to "JSW Industrial Park Limited" and the same uploaded by the project proponent as EDS reply in the portal.
- j) The water required for the industrial park will be sourced from the infiltration well from Gosthani river. The total water requirement for the industrial park is 11584 KLD of which fresh water requirement is 6595 KLD and recycle water is 4992 KLD the details are as follows:
- k) The total waste water generation from the industrial park is 4992 KLD (effluent from individual industries - 2314 KLD; Sewage from industries - 1609 KLD; Sewage from Housing - 1069 KLD). The project proponent has proposed to construct common STP (CSTP) of capacity 3000 KLD and also common ETP (CETP) of capacity 3000 KLD followed by RO systems for the treatment of Domestic and Industrial effluents respectively.
- The effluents generated from the individual industries will be treated in CETP and the treated effluents will be reused as a process water in individual industries. The reject water from RO of CETP is proposed to be use for greenbelt development. The Sewage from individual industries and housing is proposed to be treated in common STP and the treated sewage is proposed to be utilized for development of greenbelt in the industrial park.
- m) The project proponent has proposed to develop Greenbelt in an area of about 385 acres (153.1 acres in the industrial plot area + 25.7 acres in commercial and social infra area of the park) of about 33% the total area of 1166.43 acres.
- n) The committee noted that the Tatapudi Reservoir is existing about 900 meters from the industrial park and the Gandikota reserve forest is also near to the proposed industrial park. The Tatapudi Reservoir is also drinking water source for the Visakhapatnam city and the project proponent was directed to furnish the measures taken to avoid the joining of waste water from the park into the reservoir.

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The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF& CC' Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue Standard TOR without Public hearing with following additional TORs studies:

- 1. The entire land ownership details shall be included in the EIA report.
- The industries to be housed in the industrial park shall comply with the norms as prescribed by the competent authority for treated sewage, treated trade effluents and disposal of the solid waste generated from the process activity.
- If any category A or B type of industry as notified in the EIA Notification 2006, as amended is proposed in the industrial park, the concerned project proponent shall apply for Environmental Clearance as per EIA Notification 2006, as amended.
- The project proponent is advised to retain the trees available at the project site. In case of necessity, if any to remove the trees, the PP shall commit to plant minimum of 10 nos. of trees for every tree that is cut.
- The project proponent shall submit the details of existing water bodies, roads and structures within the project site and impacts shall be included in EIA report.
- The water required for the industrial Park will be sourced from the infiltration well from Gosthani river. The project proponent shall submit the details of water supply source, its estimation and necessary permissions obtained.
- The project proponent shall submit the design details of CETP and common STP proposed for the treatment of waste water generated from the industrial units in the park.
- The project proponent shall explore the possibilities of reusing treated waste water from CETP to the industrial units in the park.
- The project proponent shall explore the construction of affordable house for the workers and the area should be ear marked.
- The space allotment for solid waste disposal and sewage treatment & grey water treatment plant shall be furnished.
- Details of the Solid waste management plan shall be pre pared as per solid waste management rules, 2016 and shall be furnished.
- Details of the E-waste management plan shall be prepared as per E-waste Management Rules, 2016 and shall be furnished.
- Details of the rain water harvesting system with cost estimation should be furnished.
- 14. A detailed storm water management plan to drain out the storm water entering the premises during heavy rains period shall be prepared including main drains and sub-drains in accordance with the contour levels of the proposed project considering the water bodies around the proposed project site & the surrounding development. The storm water drain shall be designed in accordance with the guidelines prescribed by the Ministry of Urban development.
- 15. The proponent shall earmark the greenbelt area with GPS coordinates all along the boundary of the project site, in between blocks in an organized manner and the same shall be included in the layout out plan to be submitted for DTCP approval. The total greenbelt area should be minimum 33% of the total area and the same shall not be used for car parking/OSR.
- 16. Cumulative impacts of the project considering with other infrastructure developments and industrial parks in the surrounding environment within 5 km and 10 km radius shall be furnished.
- 17. The project proponent shall furnish detailed base line monitoring data with prediction parameters for modelling for the ground water, emission, noise and traffic.
- 18. The Tatapudi Reservoir is also drinking water source for the Visakhapatnam city and the project proponent shall furnish the measures taken to avoid the joining of

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	waste water from the park into the reservoir. 19. The proposal for utilization of solar energy shall be included in the EIA/EMP report.
	 The proponent shall furnish detailed EMP as per the MoEF&CC, GoI office Memorandum F.No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated: 30.09.2020 and 20.10.2020.
Agenda Item No: 232.37	Manufacture of Single Super Phosphate (SSP) M/s. Deeaar Agro Chempharms LLP, Survey No: 344-1A1B, K.Rajupalem Village, Ulavapadu Mandal, SPSR Nellore District, Andhra Pradesh – Terms of Reference – Reg.

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The Proposal of M/s. Deeaar Agro Chempharms LLP., is for Terms of Reference for Manufacture of Single Super Phosphate (SSP) 1,20,000 TPA in an extent of 2.91 Acres with a project cost of Rs. 5.1 crores.

The proposed project falls under Item No.5 (a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - 5(a)- All single Super Phosphate without H₂SO₄ production and granulation of chemical fertilizers.

The project proponent and their consultant, M/s. AmplEnviron Private Limited have attended the meeting and presented their proposal. The SEAC committee observed that:

- a) The project proponent has proposed to set up single super phosphate manufacturing unit with a production capacity of 1,20,000 TPA using Rock Phosphate and Sulphuric Acid as raw material.
- b) The MoEF&CC, GoI vide Office memorandum dated 24.12.2013 issued guidelines regarding categorization of 'B' category projects listed in schedule to EIA notification 2006 into 'B1' & 'B2' category. As per the office memorandum, the details pertaining to 5(a) are as follows:

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5(a)	Chemical Fertilizers	Single Super Phosphate (SSP) plants involving only the activity of granulation of SSP powder.	Super Phosphate

- c) The SEAC noted that the activity of single super phosphate proposed by the proponent is categorized as 'B1' category as per the MoEF&CC, OM dated 24.12.2013.
- d) The project proponent has proposed to utilize Raw materials of Rock Phosphate of about 68,400 TPA, Sulphuric Acid of about 42,000 TPA. The source of Rock Phosphate is import from Jordon, Syria and Egypt & Sulphuric Acid is with in India (States – AP, TS, TN). The SEAC noted that as per the Ministry of Chemicals & Fertilizers (SSP cell) Gol circular dated 21.09.2022, the import/Purchase of Rock Phosphate for SSP units is permitted.
- e) The source of water is Ground water and the total water requirement is 111 KLD (for the process – 90.0 KLD, Dust suppression – 10. KLD, Greenbelt development – 4.0 KLD and Domestic - 7.0 KLD. The wastewater generation from process is being recycled in

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the scrubber and reused in the SSP pre-mixer.

- f) The Domestic waste water is proposed to be treated in the STP and after treatment, the treated domestic water is proposed to utilized for onland gardening within the premises.
- g) The project proponent has proposed to provide scrubber tower for scrubbing the fluorine emissions from the Den and mixer. The sludge from the scrubber is proposed to be reused as a pillar material.
- h) The project proponent has proposed to develop greenbelt in an area of about 0.9 acres within the premises.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF& CC' Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue Standard TOR with public hearing with following additional TORs:

- 1. The project proponent shall submit EIA and EMP report.
- Land use breakup of the total land of the project site, Government/Private-Agriculture, Forest, Waste lands, water bodies, settlements etc., shall be included in the EIA.
- The project proponent shall submit all process details with mass balance in the EIA report.
- The project proponent shall submit the complete details of 'Zero Liquid Discharge' along with details of the treatment scheme proposed for the waste water.
- Provision for compatible storage of raw materials and finish products shall be studied and shall be discussed in the EIA report.
- 6. Worst case scenario with respect to waste water and waste should be submitted.
- 7. All the MSDS should be provided with EIA report.
- The total quantity of H₂SO₄ (98%) required and the details of the storage facility proposed for the acid.
- The project proponent shall submit permission from Ground water department to draw 110 KLD of water.
- The project proponent shall submit latest photo graphs of project site along with Geocoordinates.
- Storm water management and details of Rain water harvesting proposals.

Agenda Item: 232.38

6.070 Ha Black Galaxy Granite of M/s. Andhra Pradesh Mineral Development Corporation Limited (APMDC), at Sy.No: 55/5, Rajupalem- Laxmipuram village, Chimakurthy Mandal, Prakasam District, Andhra Pradesh - TOR - Reg.

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Category: B2 at par with B1 (Minor mineral)

The proposed project is for mining of Black Galaxy Granite in an area of 6.070 Ha with a proposed production quantity of Black Galaxy Granite- 44,660 m3/Annum with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/plan.

The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (<250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).

The project proponent and their consultant, M/s. Prudhvi Enviro labs, Hyderabad, have attended the meeting and presented their proposal. The SEAC Committee noted that:

- a) The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of erstwhile Prakasam District. The same is reviewed in the SEAC meeting and observed that the mineral content is available in the nearby village /cluster to the subject mine.
- b) The Govt. of Andhra Pradesh vide G.O.Ms.No.120 dated 22.01.2005 issued "No

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objection certificate" to the Director of Mines & Geology to grant quarry lease for galaxy granite over 61.50 acres in Sy No.55/5 of Rajupalem Laxmipuram village, Chimakurthy Mandal in Prakasam District in favor of M/s. APMDCL.

c) The Mining Department vide proceeding dt. 08.05.2023 issued LOI for a period of 20 years subject to submission of Approved Mining plan, EC and CTE from APPCB within

in a period of three years.

d) As per the approved mining plan dt. 10.07.2023, the total provided mineral reserves are 3,66,869 cum. The proponent proposed to excavate Black Galaxy Granite- 44,660 m3/Annum and Life of the mine is 8.0 years.

- e) The Committee noted that as per the cluster letter dated: 21.07.2023 issued by the Divisional Mines & Geology Officer, Ongole, Prakasam District, there are 21 existing quarry leases within the radius of 500 mtrs area. The total cluster area is > 5.0 Ha.
- f) The proposed production capacity of Black Galaxy Granite is 44,600 m3/annum and the dump waste likely to be generated from the mine is 4,01,940 m³/annum for the 5 years period proposed in mining plan.

g) The project proponent has informed that they have proposed to establish stone crushers in the waste dump site with a production capacity of 470 TPD to crush and utilize the stone waste as 40 mm, 25 mm, sand and other road metal purposes.

- h) The SEAC noted the complaint dt. 28.06.2023 received from Venkateswara Granites against this unit stating that "The Pattadars are in possession and enjoyment of the land in AC.15-00 in Sy.No.55 from the year 1970 onwards and as confirmed by the District Courts, High Court of AP & Hon'ble Supreme Court. However, contrary to the facts and Hon'ble Supreme Court of India orders the APMDC it seams approached the above said departments for their clearances stating that the Government has given the land to the APMDC in the year 2005 & claiming the pattadars land as their land is against to all the court orders and facts of this matter."
- i) The complainant has requested the SEAC not to grant the Environment Clearance to the APMDC for the land in which the pattadars are in possession as upheld by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.
- j) The representative of APMDC has informed that the objections raised by the complainant is regarding the owner ship of the subject mine and informed that Hon'ble Supreme Court of India passed orders in SLP (c) No. 10700/2011 and 10701-10703/2011 on 11.01.2023 stating as follows: "..... we make it clear that in view of the findings arrived at on the civil side as confirmed and supported by the evidence, it is clear that the land which has been claimed by the petitioners is totally different and in no way of overlaps with any of the land either taken towards surrender or reserved for the APMDCL..........".
- k) The SEAC directed the project proponent to obtain certificate from the revenue regarding ownership/possession of the land complaints/Petitions filed in the Hon'ble Courts against ownership of the land.
- The project proponent allocated Rs. 60.0 Lakhs as capital cost and Rs. 32.0 Lakhs as a recurring cost budget for the EMP. The proponent has proposed to allocate CER funds of Rs. 5.0 Lakhs/annum for 3 years period as per the MoEF&CC guidelines.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue Standard Terms of Reference for mining Black Galaxy Granite- 44,660 m3/annum with Public Hearing with following additional conditions:

The project proponent shall prepare cluster EIA& EMP.

2. The project proponent shall prepare a plantation plan including no. of species and type of species and area of land allocated for greenbelt.

The project proponent shall submit surface runoff prevention measures plan

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- The project proponent shall submit a transportation plan for mineral transportation.
- 5. The project proponent shall submit granite waste dump management plan.
- The project proponent shall submit certificate from the revenue authorities regarding ownership/possession of the land as there are complaints/Petitions filed in the Hon'ble Courts against ownership of the land at the time of applying for EC

Agenda Item No: 224. 06 & 228.02 & 232.39 23.0 Ha. Mining of M-Sand (Boulders)& Gravel of M/s. JAP Natural Stones at Survey No. 675 (Old Survey No. 425), Chintakunta Village, Muddanur Mandal, YSR District, Andhra Pradesh- Environmental Clearance – EIA Case - Reg.

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Category: B2 at par with B1.(Minor Mineral).

The proposed project is for mining of Boulders for M-Sand& Gravel in an area of 23.0 Ha. with a proposed production quantity of- 4,95,000TPA with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/plan.

The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (<250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).

The project proponent and their consultant M/s. SV Enviro Labs & Consultants., have attended the meeting and presented their proposal. The SEAC committee noted that:

- a) The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of erstwhile Kadapa District. The same is reviewed in the SEAC meeting and observed that the mineral content is available in the nearby village /cluster to the subject mine.
- b) As per the approved modified mining plandt.04.05.2023, the total provided mineral reserves are 59,99,962Tonnes. The proponent proposed to excavate 4,95,000TPA and Life of the mine is 12.12 years.
- c) The project proponent has submitted Modified mining plan by leaving 11.0 Ha as non-mining zone on Southern side and proposes to utilize this area for Grazing and plantation. Also, it was in the modified mining plan it was mentioned that boulders for M-Sand.
- d) The project proponent obtained TOR with public hearing on 07.01.2020 and public hearing was held on 22.09.2022.
- Public hearing details: Damage to wild Animals, Ancient rock painting, crop damages and fodder for cattle are the specific issues raised in the public hearing.
- f) The reply by the proponent for the issues raised in the PH is as follows: Sri.MamillaViajayaBaskhar Reddy, Jammalamadugu, Project Proponent informed that he has obtained qualifications of Diploma in Mining, AMIE Mining and Lateral Mining and B.Tech, at the age of 50 years, due to interest in the field Mining. He informed that, the area he applied for mine lease is devoid of any vegetation or grass and located at a distance of about 2 Km from the ancient pre-historic rock paintings of Chintakunta, moreover the Chintakunta pond mentioned is 500 mtrs downwards from the proposed mine area. He further informed that they will conduct mining activities without obstructing the flow of water stream and controlling dust by providing dust collectors, sprinkling water on tipper movement roads every 2 hours, deploying a competent mine manager. He stated that they will operate the mine with the cooperation of the villagers as their family member following their suggestions. He informed that the management of the proposed mine will remit the Royalties and

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contribute to the income of the State. He further Stated that the management of proposed mine will spend part of the income generated from the mine, to provide water plant, ambulance, school books and other facilities for the villagers. He informed that, use of advanced nano technology blasting, series blasting, delay detonators, water sprinkling on rocks & ramp every 2 hours through water tankers will be undertaken, to control dust emissions. In response to the query raised on the ownership of the proposed mine, he informed that he along with his spouse are the Board of Directors of M/s JAP Natural stones mine and stated that any concerns on the project may be addressed directly to him considering him as their family member so as to find solution amicably in the interest of the surrounding villagers and the environment.

- g) The Base line data was collected from Dec, 2020 to Feb, 2020. The predominant wind direction is observed to be East to West.
- h) The maximum concentration of SPM is observed to be 67μg/m3. The incremental concentration is 3.43 μg/m3. The GLC of SPM will fall at 0.94 Km in West direction of the mine.
- The proponent volunteered to provide Ambulance to Muddanur and Digital class rooms to primary school in Chintakunta Village as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine.
- This proposal was earlier appraised in the 212th SEAC meeting and the recommended to raise ADS for following:
 - Modified mining plan after demarcating 11.0 Ha as non-mining area and shall be used for Grazing and plantation.
 - ii. Convert Mining of mineral from M-sand to Boulders for M- sand.
- Accordingly, the project proponent has submitted modified mining dt. 04.05,2023 through ADS reply on 10.05.2023.
- The project has furnished the ADS reply and the proposal was earlier appraised in the 224th SEAC meeting. The committee noted that the project proponent has proposed to leave 11.0 Ha as non-mining zone towards southern side to facilitate for cattle grazing and for development of green belt. The project proponent has submitted the approved modified mining plan dated: 04.05.2023 incorporating the above.
- m) The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, Modified mining plan, ADS reply MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs, EIA report, PH minutes and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue Environmental clearance with following additional conditions:
 - The proponent shall comply with the proposals furnished in the Environmental management plan and EIA report.
 - The project proponent shall develop greenbelt of 1000 plants along approach roads & village Roadsides.
 - The project proponent shall maintain 7.5mt greenbelt in buffer zone and existing buffer zone plantation should not be disturbed.
 - The project proponent shall carryout the mining with proper benches.
 - The proponent shall take dust suppression measures to meet the CPCB stipulated ambient air quality standards at any point of time.
 - The proponent shall carryout suppression of dust generated due to transport vehicles by continuous water spraying using tankers.
 - The vehicles carrying the mines material shall be covered with tarpaulin during vehicular movement.
 - The project proponent shall not use village road/ Canal bund roads for mineral transportation purpose.
 - The project proponent shall carryout mining with proper benches.
 - 10. The project proponent shall restrict vehicles movement during the peak hours to

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avoid accidents.

- The project proponent shall comply assurance/ promises given in the public hearing.
- 12. The project proponent shall leave 11.0 Ha towards southern side as the non-mining zone and shall utilize the non-mining zone for cattle grazing and development for greenbelt.
- 13. The project proponent shall provide 700m trench with rocky bund on southern side to prevent surface runoff and shall strengthen the southern side water pond.
- 14. The project proponent shall not dump any waste in the water pond.
- 15. The project proponent shall adopt for controlled blasting and shall take all measures for protecting ancient rocks paintings if any in the area.
- This proposal was placed in the 221st SEIAA, A.P meeting and the decision of SEIAA is as follows:

"Refer to SEAC to constitute a subcommittee to examine the objections raised in the public hearing, protection of prehistoric rock paintings in the hillock, water body, wildlife and other objections and recommendations may be forwarded to SEIAA within 30 days".

- Accordingly, the SEAC has constituted Subcommittee and the subcommittee inspected site on 22.10.2023 and uploaded the report in parivesh portal.
- p) The proposal along with report of the sub-committee was placed in 230th SEAC meeting. The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs, EIA report, PH minutes and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue Environmental Clearance for mining of Boulders for M-Sand& Gravel- 4,95,000 TPA duly mentioning conditions stipulated at Serial No. m. with following additional condition:
 - The project proponent shall protect water ponding existing on Southern side.
 - The project proponent shall protect pre-historic rock paintings were located about distance of 1.42 km.
 - The project proponent shall allocate an amount of Rs. 15 lakhs for mitigation and conservation measures in consultation with the local forest Department as committed in the EIA report.

Agenda Item No: 230.32 & 232.40 3.835 Ha. Road Metal of M/s SRK Constructions and Projects Private Limited, at SY.NO.186 of Darsitimmakkapalli Village, C.S.Puram Mandal, Prakasam District, Andhra Pradesh – EC – Reg.

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Category: B2 (Minor mineral)

The proposed project is for mining of **Road Metal** in an area of **3.835 Ha**. with a proposed production quantity of **2,01,182 TPA** with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/plan.

The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (≤250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).

The project of proponent and their consultant, M/s. AMPL Enviro have attended the meeting and presented their proposal. The SEAC Committee noted that:

a) The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of erstwhile Prakasam District. The same is reviewed in the SEAC meeting and observed that the mineral content is available in the nearby village /cluster to the subject mine.

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- b) As per the approved mining plan dt. 11.07.2023, the total provided mineral reserves are 22,83,199 T. The proponent proposed to excavate Road Metal - 2,01,182 TPA and Life of the mine is 11 years.
- c) The Committee noted that as per the cluster letter issued by the Divisional Mines & Geology Officer, Markapuram, vide Letter dated: 20.06.2023, there are no quarry leases & LOIs issued mines within the radius of 500 mtrs area. The total cluster area is < 5.0 Ha.</p>
- d) This proposal was earlier appraised in 230th SEAC meeting and the SEAC recommended to raise ADS for submission LOI in favour of M/s. SRK Constructions & Project Pvt Ltd. Accordingly, the project proponent has furnished ADS reply with LOI dated 19.05.2023 issued by District Mines & Geology Officer, Ongole for a period of 10 years subject to submission of approved Mining plan, EC and CTE from APPCB within in a period of three years.
- e) Again, this proposal was appraised in the 232nd SEAC noted that nearest habitation is about at a 700 meters away from the subject mine and directed the project proponent that they shall not cause any damage to the agricultural lands abutting the subject mine.
- f) The project proponent allocated Rs. 5.3 Lakhs as capital cost and Rs. 5.02 Lakhs as a recurring cost budget for the EMP. The proponent volunteered to provide water treatment plant & Health camps with supply of medicine to the Darsitimmakkapalli village as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue Environmental Clearance for mining of Road Metal - 2,01,182 TPA with following conditions:

- The proponent shall comply with the proposals furnished in the Environmental management plan.
- The project proponent shall develop greenbelt of 1km along approach roads & village Roadsides.
- The project proponent shall maintain 7.5mt greenbelt in buffer zone and existing buffer zone plantation should not be disturbed.
- The proponent shall take dust suppression measures to meet the CPCB stipulated ambient air quality standards at any point of time.
- The proponent shall carryout suppression of dust generated due to transport vehicles by continuous water spraying using tankers.
- The vehicles carrying the mines material shall be covered with tarpaulin during vehicular movement.
- The project proponent shall not use village road/ canal bund roads for mineral transportation purpose.
- The project proponent shall restrict vehicles movement during the peak hours to avoid accidents.
- The project proponent shall provide trench with rocky bund all around the mine lease boundary.

Agenda Item No: 221.08 & 232.41 Development of Industrial Park over an extent of 911.77 Acres (368.98 Ha) at Survey Nos.453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 457, 459, 460, 461, 471, 522, 523, 524, 530, 531 & 535 over an extent of 369.95 Ha (911-77 Acers) in Meedivemula Village, Orvakallu Mandal, Kurnool District, Andhra Pradesh by M/s. APIIC Meedivemula Industrial Park - Environmental Clearance - Reg.

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MINUTES OF THE 232nd MEETING OF STATE EXPERT APPRAISAL COMMITTEE (SEAC), A.P. HELD ON - 30th & 31st October, 2023 AT VIJAYAWADA, A.P.

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The Andhra Pradesh Industrial Infrastructure Corporation, (APIIC) proposed to develop Industrial Park at Meedivemula village, Orvakal Mandal, Kurnool district, Andhra Pradesh with an extent of 368.98 Hectare (911.77 Acres).

The project falls under Item No. 7 (c) Industrial estates/parks/complexes/areas, export processing Zones (EPZs), Special Economic Zones (SEZs), Biotech Parks, Leather Complexes.

The proponent and their consultant, M/s. ECOMEN Labs have attended the meeting and presented the proposal.

- The proposal was appraised in the earlier 221st SEAC meeting and committee observed that:
 - a) The project proponent has obtained auto TOR with Public hearing on 10.11.2021 and public hearing conducted on 28.06.2022.
 - b) The APIIC has proposed to develop Meedivemula industrial park for the Bulk drugs and intermediates, Drug formulations, Electrical Equipment, Fabricated Metal Products, Machinery & Equipment, Instruments & Equipment, Non-metallic mineral products viz., Stones & Slabs, Glass Cutlery; Ceramic Tiles, Paver Block and Fly Ash Bricks manufacturing units.
 - c) The committee observed that the "Bulk drugs and intermediates" falls under category A project list. During the course of meeting the committee opined that the said industrial park falls under Category A project list and as per the EIA notification 2006, "If at least one industry in the proposed industrial estate falls under the Category A, entire industrial area shall be treated as Category A, irrespective of the area". and shall be appraised by the Expert Appraisal Committee (EAC) at central Level as category A project.
 - d) The committee directed the proponent to apply under Category A project at Central Level as the "Bulk drugs and intermediates" falls under category A project.
- 2. The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC' Notifications & OMs, detailed deliberations and recommended to reject the proposal and directed the proponent to apply under Category A project at Central Level as the "Bulk drugs and intermediates" Manufacturing units proposed in the Industrial Park falls under category A project.
- The project proposal was placed in 218th SEIAA meeting and SEIAA Agreed with the recommendations of SEAC to reject the proposal.
- 4. The SEIAA vide letter dated 24.07.2023 rejected the EC application and directed the proponent to apply under category A at central level as the "Bulk drugs and intermediates" Manufacturing units proposed in the Industrial Park falls under category A project.
- The Vice Chairman and Managing Director, APIIC vide letter dated 25.10.2023 requested the SEIAA/SEAC to forward the project for its appraisal at central level with a request to consider technical studies minutes of the public hearing as it has taken 2 years period.
- 6. The request of the APIIC was placed in the 232nd SEAC meeting and the Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC' Notifications & OMs, request letter of APIIC dated 25.10.2023, detailed deliberations and recommended to request the SEIAA, AP to address a letter to the MoEF&CC, GoI to consider the project for appraisal at central level.

Member Secretary
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