Minutes of 492nd SEAC Meeting Dated 21/09/2020

The 492nd meeting of SEAC was held through video conferencing in view of the Corona Virus Disease (Covid-19) on 21/09/2020. Following members were participate in the online meeting:

1.	Dr. (Prof.) S.N. Singh,	Chairman
2.	Dr. Sarita Sinha,	Member
3.	Dr. Virendra Misra,	Member
4.	Dr. Pramod Kumar Mishra,	Member
5.	Dr. Ranjeet Kumar Dalela,	Member
6.	Dr. Ajoy Kumar Mandal,	Member
7.	Shri Rajive Kumar,	Member
8.	Shri Meraj Uddin,	Member
9.	Prof. S.K. Upadhyay,	Member

The Chairman welcomed the members to the 492nd SEAC meeting which was conducted online.

The SEAC unanimously took following decisions on the agenda points discussed:

1. <u>Building Stone (Khandas, Gitti & Boulder) Mining for Capacity Expansion at Gata No.-735, Khand No.-05, at Village- Daharra, District-Mahoba, U.P., Area -1.012 ha. File No. 5155/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/ 45359/2019</u>

The committee noted that the matter was earlier discussed in 455^{th} SEAC meeting dated 26/02/2020 and directed the project proponent to submit following information:

- 1. Certified compliance report.
- 2. Discrepancy in area & shape in mining plan.

The project proponent submitted their replies vide letter dated 01/09/2020. Hence, the matter was listed in 492nd SEAC meeting dated 21/09/2020. A presentation was made by the project proponent along with their consultant M/s Environmental Research and Analysis.

The committee discussed the matter and observed that the query no. 2 discrepancy in area & shape in mining lease are not resolved by the project proponent. The committee directed the project proponent to submit the query no. 2 for further consideration of the matter.

The matter will be discussed only after submission of online information on prescribed online portal.

2. <u>Building Stone (Khanda, Gitti & Boulder) Mining at Gata No.-643, Khanda No.-17, Village-Goramachhiya, Jhansi., Area-2.306 ha. File No. 4892/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/ 36975/2019</u>

The committee noted that the matter was earlier discussed in 397th SEIAA meeting dated 01/09/2020 and directed is as follows:

"SEIAA noted that SEAC has commented that - "The project proponent through letter dated 04/08/2020 informed that due to some typographical error in the TOR letter dated 20/01/2020, the

salient features of the project under point no. 2 mentioned in file no. 5111 instead of file no 4892. The project proponent requested to make the correction in terms of reference (TOR) letter dated 20/01/2020 and issue the corrected/amended TOR letter." SEIAA gone through file and documents and found that the ToR was granted on the recommendation of SEAC meeting dated 07.11.2019. Hence SEIAA opined to refer back the project to SEAC to ascertain the details for which the project was appraised and add other conditions, if any."

As per the direction of SEIAA the matter was listed in SEAC meeting dated 21/09/2020. The SEAC has appraised the file no. 4892 but due to mistake, the matter of file no. 5111 was pasted in minutes of meeting dated 07/11/2019. The corrected detail of file no. 4892 is being sent again for amendment/correction in TOR letter dated 20/01/2020:

2. Salient features of the project as submitted by the project proponent:

2. Salient features of the project as submitted b	•					
1. On-line proposal No.	SIA/UP/MIN/36975/2019					
2. File No. allotted by SEIAA, UP	489					
3. Name of Proponent		i Sanjay Kuma				
4. Full correspondence address of proponent and					Shri Govind Prasad Gupta F	
mobile no.	1/1, Virangana Nagar, Kanpur Road, Tehsil & District- Jhansi, UP					
5. Name of Project					Stone (Khanda, Gitti, Bould	
					no 643, khand No. 17, Ai	
	2.306 ha. (5.698 Acres) at Village – Goramachhiya, Tehsil &			&		
			ttar Pr	adesh Shri S	anjay Kumar Gupta	
6. Project location (Plot/Khasra/Gata No.)		khand No. 17				
7. Name of Village		amachhiya				
8. Tehsil	Jhar					
9. District	Jhar					
10. Name of Minor Mineral		ınd, Gitty/Bou	lders (Building stor	ne)"	
11. Sanctioned Lease Area (in ha.))6 ha.				
12. Max. & Min mRL within lease area	The	highest level	is 239.	20 mRL		
	the	lowest level is	228.1			
13. Pillar Coordinates (Verified by DMO)		Pillar No		N	Е	
		A		27. 878	78° 40.345'	
		В		° 27.946'	78° 40.406'	
		С		° 27.937'	78° 40.479'	
		D		° 27.914'	78° 40.505'	
		Е	25	° 27.885'	78° 40.507'	
14. Total Geological Reserves	9,28	3,355 m ³				
15. Total Mineable Reserves		l 194 m ³				
16. Total Proposed Production		$,300 \text{ m}^3 (5 \text{ Yea})$	ar)			
17. Proposed Production/year		60 m ³				
18. Sanctioned Period of Mine lease	20 y	/ears				
19. Production of mine/day	77 r	n^3				
20. Method of Mining	Ope	encast semi- m	echani	zed		
21. No. of working days	300					
22. Working hours/day	8 hr	'S				
23. No. of workers	20					
24. No. of vehicles movement/day	10					
25. Type of Land	Gov	t./Non Forest	Land			
26. Depth of Mining	12	m				
27. Nearest metalled road from site	0.5	40 Km				
28. Water Requirement	PUI	RPOSE		REQUIRE	MENT (KLD)	
	Dri	nking		0.20KLD (
	Suppression of dust		ıst	6.5KLD @1.0 L for 1 sqm (2 time a day))
		ntation			@ 5 lit/plant (241)	

	Total 6.941 KLD
29. Name of QCI Accredited Consultant with	Paramarsh (Servicing Environment and Development)
QCI No, period of validity.	118, 01 May 2021
30. Any litigation pending against the project or	No
land in any court	
31. Details of 500 m Cluster Map & certificate	Letter No-287/30-MMC/(2018-19) dated 21.05.2019
verified by Mining Officer	
32. Details of Lease Area in approved DSR	Page No- 3 Table No- 27
33. Proposed CER cost	Project cost –62.5 lacs/annum
	CER – 1.25 lacs (2% of Total Cost)
34. Proposed EMP cost	Capital Cost- 2,41,000
	Recurring cost- 5,76,00
35. Length and breadth of Haul Road	0.540 km and 6m
36. No. of trees to be planted	241

Rest all the other contents mentioned in terms of reference (TOR) letter no. 552/parya/SEAC/4892/2019 dated 20/01/2020 shall remain unchanged.

3. Riverbed Sand /Morrum mine at Gata No.- 03 GA, Khand No.-03, Village-Nandha, Orai, Jalaun., M/s R N S Pvt. Ltd., Area -8.502 ha. File No. 5806/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/55024/2020

A presentation was made by the project proponent along with their consultant M/s Globus Environment Engineering Services. The proponent, through the documents submitted and the presentation made informed the committee that:-

- 1. The environmental clearance is sought for Sand/Morrum Mining at Araji/Gata no.-3-Ga, Khand-03, Village-Nandha, Tehsil-Orai, District-Jalaun, U.P., (Leased Area-8.502 ha), M/s R.N.S. Pvt. Ltd.
- 2. Salient features of the project as submitted by the project proponent:

1.	On-line proposal No.	SIA/UP/MIN/55024/2020					
2.	File No. allotted by SEIAA, UP	5806	5806				
3.	Name of Proponent	M/s I	M/s R.N.S. Pvt. Ltd.				
4.	Full correspondence address of	M/s I	R.N.S. Pvt. Lt	td.			
	proponent and mobile no.			ur, Maunath Bhanjan,	District- Mau, U.P.		
		Mobile no					
		E-mail ID-devnathsingh5418@gmail.com					
5.	Name of Project	River	Sand/Morru	m Mining			
6.	Project Location (Plot.Khasra/Gata	Gata	No. –3-Ga, K	Khand-03, Village –Na	ndha, Tehsil-Orai, District-		
	No.)	Jalau	n, Uttar Prad	esh			
7.	Name of River	Betwa					
8.	Name of Village	Nandha					
9.	Tehsil	Orai					
10.	District	Jalaun					
11.	Name of Minor Mineral	River Sand/Morrum Mining					
12.	Sanctioned Lease Area (in Ha.)	8.502 ha.					
13.	Max. & Min mRL within lease area	High	est mRL is 12	22 & Lowest Is 111 ml	RL		
14.	Pillar Coordinates (Verified by DMO)		Pillars	Latitude	Longitude		
			A	25°47'22.30"N	79°17'31.20"E		
			В	25°47'28.20"N	79°17'29.60"E		
			С	25°47'31.40"N	79°17'27.20"E		
			D	25°47'41.00"N	79°17'27.80"E		
			Е	25°47'33.30"N	79°17'34.50"E		

			F	25°47'23.70"N	79°17'36.60"E			
15.	Total Geological Reserves	25506	0 m^3					
16.	Total Mineable Reserve in LOI/Mine Plan	15303	153036 m ³					
17.	Total Proposed Production	85020	m ³ /year					
18.	Proposed Production /year	85020	m ³ /year					
19.	Sanctioned Period of Mine lease	8.502	ha.					
20.	Production of mine/day	378m³.	/day					
21.	Method of Mining	Openc	ast, Semi-M	echanized				
22.	No. of working days	225						
23.	Working hours/day	8						
24.	No. of worker	24						
25.	No. of vehicles movement/day	37						
26.	Type of Land		evenue land					
27.	Ultimate of Depth of Mining	1.05m	1.05m					
28.	Nearest metalled road from site	940m						
29.	Water Requirement	PURP	OSE		REQUIREMENT (KLD)			
		Drinki	ng		0.72 KLD			
		Suppre	ession of dust	į	3.78 KLD			
		Plantat			0.5 KLD			
		Others	(if any)		-			
		Total			5.0 KLD			
30.	Name of QCI Accredited Consultant	M/s G	lobus enviror	ment engineering ser	vices			
	with QCI No and period of validity.	SL. NO	O. 78, VALII	O TILL 03/04/2021				
31.	Any litigation pending against the project or land in any court	No						
32.	Details of 500 m Cluster Certificate verified by Mining Officer	vide letter no. 1448/khanij-MMC-30 dated 01/09/2020						
33.	Details of Lease Area in approved DSR	8.5021	ha.					
34.	Proposed CER cost	6 lakh						
35.	Proposed EMP cost		project cost-3	crore				
36.	Length and breadth of Haul Road	940m	& 6m					
37.	No. of Trees to be Planted	100						

- 3. The mining would be restricted to unsaturated zone only above the phreatic water table and will not intersect the ground water table at any point of time.
- 4. This project does not attract any of the general conditions applicable on mining projects specified in EIA Notification 14/09/2006.
- 5. The mining operation will not be carried out in safety zone of any bridge or embankment or in ecofragile zone such as habitat of any wild fauna.
- 6. There is no litigation pending in any court regarding this project.
- 7. The project proposal falls under category–1(a) of EIA Notification, 2006 (as amended).

The committee discussed the matter and recommended to issue the terms of reference (TOR) for the preparation of EIA as annexed at annexure-1. The committee also stipulated following additional TOR points:

Additional TOR:

- 1. Revised cluster certificate should be submitted.
- 2. Cadastral map with name of the lease and lease owner is to be submitted.

4. Sand/ Morrum Mining from Yamuna Riverbed at Khand No.-10/19 to 10/21, Village-Kataieya, Tehsil- Chayal, District- Kaushambi, U.P., (Leased Area: 10.0 ha), M/s Aman Brick Fiel. File No. 5815/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/56248/2020

A presentation was made by the project proponent along with their consultant M/s Geogreen Enviro House Pvt. Ltd. The proponent, through the documents submitted and the presentation made informed the committee that:-

- 1. The environmental clearance is sought for Sand/ Morrum Mining from Yamuna Riverbed at Khand No.-10/19 to 10/21, Village- Kataieya, Tehsil- Chayal, District- Kaushambi, U.P., (Leased Area: 10.0 ha), M/s Aman Brick Fiel.
- 2. Salient features of the project as submitted by the project proponent:

1.	On Line Proposal No.						
2.	File No. Allotted By SEIAA, UP	5815	SIA/UP/MIN/56248/2020 5815				
3.	Name Of Proponent		man Ri	rick Field			-
J.	Name Of Proponent			ri Javed Ali S/o Shr	i Sahir	Δli	
4.	Full Correspondence Address Of Proponent		Subhash Nagar Saini, P.S. Saini, Tehsil: Sirathu, District- Kaushamb				hambi
٦٠.	And Mobile Number				i ciisii.	Siratifu, District- Kausi	lamoi
5.	Name Of Project		(U.P.), Pin Code: 201 010 Morrum Mining Project				
6.	Project Location (Plot/Khasra/Gata No.)		Khand No. 10/19 to 10/21				
7.	Name of River	Yamun		119 to 10/21			
8.	Name of Village	Kataiey					
9.	Tehsil	Chayal					
10.	District	Kausha					
11.	Name Of Minor Mineral	Morrur	n				
12.	Sanctioned Lease Area	10.0 Ha	ì.				
13.	Mineable Area	9.0 Ha.					
14.	Max. & Min mRL Within Lease Area	Max- 8	0 mRL	; Min- 76 mRL			
15.	Pillar Coordinates (Verified By DMO)	Bound	dary	Latitude (N)		Longitude (E)	
		Poi	nt				
		A		25°16'23.030'	,	81°30'02.987"	
		В		25°16'24.229'	,	81°30'16.196"	7
		C		25°16'16.000'	,	81°30'17.549"	7
		D		25°16'14.458'	,	81°30'03.719"	7
16.	Total Geological Reserve	3,00,000 Cu.m.					
17.	Total Proposed Production as per LOI	75,000	Cu.m լ	per year			
18.	Total Proposed Production in 05 years	3,75,00	0 Cu.n	1			
19.		75,000	Cu.m յ	oer year			
20.	Sanctioned Period Of Mine Lease	05 year					
	,	~278 C					
22.	C		& Ser	ni mechanized			
23.	No. of Working Days	270					
24.			nax (D	ay Time)			
25.	No. of Workers	60					
	No. of Vehicles Movement/Day	12 truc					
	71			on forest			
28.				the ground water tab			
29.	Nearest Metalled Road From Site	Kataiey	a Villa	ige Road– 1.20 Km			
30.	Water Requirement			PURPOSE	REQ	UIREMENT (KLD)	
				ing Water		2.00	
				suppression		9.50	
			Planta	ntion		1.50	

			Others, if any	-	
			Total	13.0	
31.	Name of The QCI Accredited Consultant	GEOGREEN ENVIRO HOUSE PVT LTD			
	With QCI No. And Period Of Validity	NABET/EIA/1720/IA0023			
		Valid t	ill 8 th Oct, 2020		
32.	Any Litigation Pending Against The Project	No			
	Or Land In Any Court.				
33.	Details Of 500m Cluster Map & Certificate	Letter	No 404/Mining Assistant K	Kaushambi dated 21/07/2020	
	Verified By Mining Officer				
34.	Details Of Lease Area In Approved DSR	Page N	lo 51, S. No 26		
35.	Length And Breadth Of Haul Road	250.0 r	n x 6.0 m		
36.	No. of trees to be planted	80 Sap	lings per year		

- 3. The mining would be restricted to unsaturated zone only above the phreatic water table and will not intersect the ground water table at any point of time.
- 4. This project does not attract any of the general conditions applicable on mining projects specified in EIA Notification 14/09/2006.
- 5. The mining operation will not be carried out in safety zone of any bridge or embankment or in ecofragile zone such as habitat of any wild fauna.
- 6. There is no litigation pending in any court regarding this project.
- 7. The project proposal falls under category–1(a) of EIA Notification, 2006 (as amended).

The committee discussed the matter and recommended to issue the terms of reference (TOR) for the preparation of EIA as annexed at annexure-1.

5. <u>Stone Crusher at Khasra No.-414, Village-Aslampur Bartha, Tehsil-Behat, Saharanpur, U.P., Shri Satish Kumar, M/s Chaudhary Screening Plant. File No. 5802</u>

RESOLUTION AGAINST AGENDA NO-05

The project proponent/consultant did not circulate the documents to the members of SEAC. The committee discussed and deliberated that project file should be closed and be opened only after request from the project proponent. The file shall not be treated as pending at SEAC. The committee discussed and deliberated the matter and decided that project will be taken up only after submission of reply.

6. Sand/Morrum Mining at Burma River Bed, Khand No.- 3, Gata No.- 468/14 & 1111, at Village- Dulara & Tolpatara, Tehsil- Kulpahad, District- Mahoba, U.P., Smt. Usha Rajput., Area -10.695 ha. File No. 5023/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/42032/2019

A presentation was made by the project proponent along with their consultant M/s Globus Environment Engineering Services. The proponent, through the documents submitted and the presentation made informed the committee that:-

- 1. The environmental clearance is sought for Sand/ MorrumMining at Khand No.3, Gata No. 468/14 & 1111, Village: Dulara&Tolapatara, Tehsil: Kulpahar, District: Mahoba, U.P., (Leased Area: 10.695 Ha), M/s. Usha Construction.
- 2. The terms of reference in the matter were issued by SEIAA, U.P. Vide letter no. 412/Parya/SEAC/5023/2019, Dated: 27/11/2019.

- 3. The public hearing was organized on 28/08/2020 at Tehsil : Kulpahar Sabhagar, District : Mahoba, U.P.
- 4. Final EIA report submitted on 07/09/2020.
- 5. Salient features of the project as submitted by the project proponent:

	5. Satient features of the project as submitted by the project proponent:						
1.	On-line proposal no.	SIA/UP/MIN/42032/2019					
2.	File no. Allotted by SEIAA, UP	5023					
3.	Name of Proponent	Smt. Ush					
4.	Full correspondence address of		tanjali Shop Near Bus Stan				
	proponent and mobile no.		anwari, Tehsil- Kulpahar,	District-Mahoba (U.P.)			
		Mobile N					
) : ushapanwari19@gmail.	com			
5.	Name of Project		ning Project				
6.	Project Location (Plot. Khsra/ Gata	Khand No.3, Gata No. 468/14 & 1111					
	No.)						
7.	Name of River	Burma					
8.	Name of Village		Folapatara				
9.	Tehsil	Kulpahar	,				
10.	District	Mahoba					
11.	Name of Minor Mineral	Sand					
12.	Sanctioned Lease Area (in Ha.)	10.695 H					
13.	Max. & Min mRL within lease area		177 mRL& Lowest: 181ml				
14.	Pillar Coordinates (verified by DMO)	Pillars	Latitude	Longitude			
		A	25°20'09.10"N	79°28'26.10"E			
		В	25°20'26.10"N	79°28'27.10"E			
		С	25°19'19.66"N	79°28'32.37"E			
		D	25°19'19.44"N	79°28'30.36"E			
15.	Total Geological Reserves	3,20,850 m3					
16.	Total Mineable Reserve in LOI	$22,500 \text{ m}^3/\text{ annum}$					
17.	Total Proposed Production (in five	1,12,500	m ³				
	year)		2				
18.	Proposed Production/ year	22,500 m	3/ annum				
19.	Sanctioned Period of Mine lease	5 Years					
20.	Production of mine/day		ay (180 Tonnes/day)				
21.	Method of mining		Semi-mechanized				
22.	No. of working days	225					
23.	Working hours/ day	08 hours/	·				
24.	No. of workers	50 Manp	ower				
25.	No. of vehicles movement/ day	18 Units					
			d Loading Capacity: 10 To	nnes/Unit)			
26.	Type of Land		vernment Land				
27.	Ultimate of Depth of Mining	0.75 m	T' 1 D 1 1 7 7 7 7 7 7				
28.	Nearest metalled road from site		Link Road, 1.5 Km, South				
29.	Water requirement	PURPOS		REQUIREMENT (KLD)			
		Drinking		0.75 KLD			
		Suppression of dust		0.75 KLD			
		Plantation		21.0 KLD			
		Others (I	t any)	-			
-		Total		22.50 KLD			
30.	Name of QCI Accredited Consultant		S ENVIRONMENT ENGI				
	with QCI No. and period of validity.		te No. NABET/EIA/1821/I	A0034, Valid Till April 03/2021			
31.	Any litigation pending against the	No					
	project or land in any court	GI					
32.	Details of 500m Cluster certificate			Mining Section), Mahoba. Letter			
22	verified by Mining officer		Khanij-MMC-30/2019-20 o	aatea 31-03-2019			
33.	Total Project Cost	101.50 Lakhs					

34.	Proposed CER cost	3.05 Lakhs (@ 3% of the total Project Cost)
35.	Proposed EMP cost	24.84 Lakhs
36.	Length and breadth of Haul Road	Haul Road Length 1500 m & Haul Road Width 7 m
37.	No. of Trees to be Planted	300 Trees per Year

- 6. The mining would be restricted to unsaturated zone only above the phreatic water table and will not intersect the ground water table at any point of time.
- 7. This project does not attract any of the general conditions applicable on mining projects specified in EIA Notification 14/09/2006.
- 8. The mining operation will not be carried out in safety zone of any bridge or embankment or in ecofragile zone such as habitat of any wild fauna.
- 9. There is no litigation pending in any court regarding this project.
- 10. The project proposal falls under category–1(a) of EIA Notification, 2006 (as amended).

The committee discussed the matter and recommended grant of environmental clearance for the project proposal along with general and specific conditions as annexed at annexure-2 & 3 to these minutes regarding mining project. The committee also stipulated following specific conditions:

- 1. Before plantation in a selected area the soil testing should be done and species to be chosen accordingly.
- 2. At the time of operation, project proponent will comply with all the guidelines issued by Government of India/State Govt./District Administration related to Covid-19.
- 3. Environment management in according to environmental status and impact of the project.
- 4. Selection of plants for green belt should be on the basis of pollution removal index.
- 5. No mining activity should be carried out in-stream channel as per SSMMG, 2016.
- 6. Pakka motorable haul road to be maintained by the project proponent.
- 7. A separate Environmental Management Cell with suitable qualified personnel shall be set-up under the control of a Senior Executive, who will report directly to the Head of the Organization.
- 8. Permission from the competent authority regarding evacuation route should be taken.
- 9. Project proponent should ensure survival of tree saplings. Mortality should be replaced from time to time.
- 10. Site Pit photographs should be submitted with date, time and point-coordinate within 15 days.
- 11. One month monitoring report of the area for air quality, water quality, Noise level. Besides flora & fauna should be examined twice a week and be submitted within 45 days for a record.
- 12. Provision for cylinder to workers should be made for cooking.
- 13. The capacity of trucks/tractor for loading purpose will be in tonnes as per Transport Department applicable norms and standard fixed by the Government.
- 14. Provide suitable mask to the workers.
- 15. Approach road kaccha is to be made motarable and tree saplings to be planted on both sides of the road.
- 16. Indigenous plants should be planted according to CPCB guidelines and in consultation with local Divisional Forest Officer.
- 17. The project proponent shall in 2 years conduct detailed replenishment study duly authenticated by a QCI-NABET accredited consultant, and the District Mines Officer.
- 18. Provision for two toilets and hand pumps should be made at mining site.
- 19. Drinking water for workers would be provided by tankers.
- 20. Mining should be done by Bar scalping methods extraction (typically 0.3 -0.6 m or 1 2 ft) as per sustainable sand mining management guidelines 2016.

- 21. A buffer/safe zone shall be maintained from the habitation as per mining guidelines.
- 22. Corporate Environmental Responsibility (CER) plan shall be prepared by the project proponent and the details of the various heads of expenditure to be submitted as per the guidelines provided in the recent CER notification No. 22-65/2017-IA.III dated 01/05/2018.
- 23. Health/Insurance card, Medical claim, regular health check-up camps, facilities shall be provided to the regular/temporary/Contractual or any base workers. Copy of receipt shall be produced to the Directorate of Environment along with the compliance report.
- 24. Measure for conservation of water through rainwater harvesting and cleaning and maintenance of natural surface water bodies of the nearby areas may be considered as one of the activity in CER.
- 25. The excavated mining material should be carried and transported in such a way that no obstruction to the free flow of water takes place. Suitable measure should be taken and details to be provided to concern Department.
- 26. Width of the haul road shall be more than 6 meter.
- 27. Submit annual replenishment report certified by an authorized agency. In case the replenishment is lower than the approved rate of production, then the mining activity / production levels shall be decreased / stopped accordingly till the replenishment is completed.
- 7. "Building Stone (Khanda, Gitti & Boulder) Mining" at Gata No.-356, Khand No.- 04, at Village- Dudhaiya, District- Mahoba, U.P., Smt. Sunita Devi., Area -1.619 ha. File No. 4999/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/41376/2019

The project proponent did not appear. The committee discussed and deliberated that project file should be closed and be opened only after request from the project proponent. The file shall not be treated as pending at SEAC. The matter will be discussed only after submission of online request on prescribed online portal.

8. <u>Sand Mining on Kosi River Bed at Gata No.- 90, Village-Bhuvra Aehatmali, Tehsil-Swaar, District- Rampur, U.P., (Leased Area -1.51.00 ha.). File No. 5811/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/171310/2020</u>

A presentation was made by the project proponent along with their consultant M/s Globus Environment Engineering Services. The proponent, through the documents submitted and the presentation made informed the committee that:-

- 1. The environmental clearance is sought for Sand Mining on Kosi River Bed at Gata No.- 90, Village Bhuvra Aehatmali, Tehsil-Swaar, District- Rampur, U.P., (Leased Area -1.51.00 ha.).
- 2. Salient features of the project as submitted by the project proponent:

1. On-line proposal No.	SIA/UP/MIN/171310/2020
2.File no. allotted by SEIAA,UP	5811
3. Name of Proponent	Shri Lakhvindar Singh, Mahendra Singh & Jugendra Singh S/o Shri
	Sarjeet Singh
4. Full correspondence address of proponent and	R/o- Jamna Jamni, Chauhadda, Tehsil- Sadar, Distt- Rampur U.P
mobile no.	
5. Name of Project	"Sand Mining" at bank of Kosi River
6. Project location (Plot/Khasra/Gate No.)	Gata No. 90
7. Name of Village	Bhuvra Aehatmali
9. Tehsil	Swaar
10. District	Rampur

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11. Name of Minor Mineral	Sand Mini	ng				
12. Sanctioned Lease Area (in Ha.)	1.510 Ha					
13. Altitude of the Area		The Highest Point at 216 mRL in North direction.				
		st Point at 213 mRL in				
	Zero Leve	l: 211 mRL				
14. Pillar Coordinates		Sanctio	oned Area			
(Verified by DMO)	Pillars	Latitude	Longitude			
	A	29° 6.446′N		1.728'E		
	В	29° 6.401'N	79°	1.765'E		
	С	29° 6.322'N	79°	1.696'E		
	D	29° 6.394'N	79°	1.672'E		
15. Toposheet No.	640/4 & 5	53K/16	•			
16. Total Geological Reserves	$45,300 \text{ m}^3$					
17. Total Proposed Production (in six months)	$23,000 \text{ m}^3$					
18. Proposed Production	$23,000 \text{ m}^3$	for six months				
19. Sanctioned Period of Mine lease	6 months	State Govt. has given i	ts consent vide lette	r no. 339/खनिज-		
		2019- 2020, दिनाक : 24				
		od of six months having				
	6 months.		, 1	, -,		
20. Production of mine/day		/ day (230.0 MT/ day (1	Bulk Density- 1.8)			
21. Method of Mining		, Semi-mechanized	• /			
22. Drilling & Blasting	No					
23. No. of Working days	180 Days					
24. Working hours/day	8 hours/da	ıy				
25. No. of Workers	20 Manpo	wer				
26. No. of vehicles movement/day	23 Units (Assumed Loading Capa	city: 10 Tonnes/Un	it)		
27. Type of Land	Private La	nd	•			
28 Ultimate Depth of Mining	2.20 m (21	15 – 212.8 mRL)				
29. Nearest metalled road from site	The site is	about 3.08 km away fr	om Kashipur Darhi	yal Link Road		
30. Water Requirement						
	Source	Purpose	Detail	Avg.		
				Demand/Day		
	Portable	Drinking @15	20 workers x 15	0.300 KLD		
	Tanker	lpcd/worker	lpcd	0.300 KLD		
	Tanker	iped/worker	= 300 Lit/day			
		Land reclamation /	75 Trees x 2.5	0.1875 KLD		
		plantation @ 2.5	l/day	0.1070 1222		
		Lit/Tree	= 187.5 Lit/day			
		(@ 50 trees/ha)				
		Mine operation	-	1.00 KLD		
		/others				
		Dust suppression	Haul Road Area	9.94 KLD		
		@1 Lit/Sq.m	= $(710 m)$	7.54 KED		
		(Twice in a day)	Length x 7 m			
		()	Width = 4970			
			m ²) x 1 l/Sq.m			
			= 4970 Lit/day			
			x 2 = 9940			
			Lit/day (twice a			
		Total	day)			
		11.4275 KLD				
31. Name of QCI Accredited Consultant with QCI	GLORUS	ENVIRONMENT EN	GINEERING SERV			
No and period of validity.		No. NABET/EIA/182				
110 and period of variancy.	Continuati	7110. 111 DL 1/LIA/102	1/11/10057, Valid III	1 1 prii 03/2021		

32. Any litigation pending against the project or	No
hand in any court	
33. Details of 500 m Cluster Map & certificate	पत्रांक: 344/ख0लि0, दिनांक: 28/07/2020 issued by Mining Officer
issued by Mining Officer	Rampur.
34. Details of Lease Area in approved DSR	Sr. No. 02, Page No. 27 in DSR, Rampur
35. Total Proposed Project Cost	Rs. 42.63 Lakhs
36. Proposed CER cost	Rs. 85,260/-
37. Proposed EMP cost	Rs. 11.64 Lakhs (Haulage Road repair, Dust Suppression, Plantation,
	Plantation Care & Environmental Monitoring)
38. Length and Width of Haul Road	Approach Road Length 710 m & Width 7 m)
39. No. of Trees to be Planted	75 trees

- 3. The mining would be restricted to unsaturated zone only above the phreatic water table and will not intersect the ground water table at any point of time.
- 4. This project does not attract any of the general conditions applicable on mining projects specified in EIA Notification 14/09/2006.
- 5. The mining operation will not be carried out in safety zone of any bridge or embankment or in ecofragile zone such as habitat of any wild fauna.
- 6. There is no litigation pending in any court regarding this project.
- 7. The project proposal falls under category–1(a) of EIA Notification, 2006 (as amended).

The committee discussed the matter and recommended grant of environmental clearance for the project proposal along with general and specific conditions as annexed at annexure-2 & 3 to these minutes regarding mining project. The committee also stipulated following specific conditions:

- 1. Before plantation in a selected area the soil testing should be done and species to be chosen accordingly.
- 2. At the time of operation, project proponent will comply with all the guidelines issued by Government of India/State Govt./District Administration related to Covid-19.
- 3. Environment management in according to environmental status and impact of the project.
- 4. Selection of plants for green belt should be on the basis of pollution removal index.
- 5. No mining activity should be carried out in-stream channel as per SSMMG, 2016.
- 6. Pakka motorable haul road to be maintained by the project proponent.
- 7. A separate Environmental Management Cell with suitable qualified personnel shall be set-up under the control of a Senior Executive, who will report directly to the Head of the Organization.
- 8. Permission from the competent authority regarding evacuation route should be taken.
- 9. Project proponent should ensure survival of tree saplings. Mortality should be replaced from time to time.
- 10. Site Pit photographs should be submitted with date, time and point-coordinate within 15 days.
- 11. One month monitoring report of the area for air quality, water quality, Noise level. Besides flora & fauna should be examined twice a week and be submitted within 45 days for a record.
- 12. Provision for cylinder to workers should be made for cooking.
- 13. The capacity of trucks/tractor for loading purpose will be in tonnes as per Transport Department applicable norms and standard fixed by the Government.
- 14. Provide suitable mask to the workers.
- 15. Approach road kaccha is to be made motarable and tree saplings to be planted on both sides of the road.
- 16. Indigenous plants should be planted according to CPCB guidelines and in consultation with local Divisional Forest Officer.

- 17. The project proponent shall in 2 years conduct detailed replenishment study duly authenticated by a QCI-NABET accredited consultant, and the District Mines Officer.
- 18. Provision for two toilets and hand pumps should be made at mining site.
- 19. Drinking water for workers would be provided by tankers.
- 20. Mining should be done by Bar scalping methods extraction (typically 0.3 -0.6 m or 1 2 ft) as per sustainable sand mining management guidelines 2016.
- 21. A buffer/safe zone shall be maintained from the habitation as per mining guidelines.
- 22. Corporate Environmental Responsibility (CER) plan shall be prepared by the project proponent and the details of the various heads of expenditure to be submitted as per the guidelines provided in the recent CER notification No. 22-65/2017-IA.III dated 01/05/2018.
- 23. Health/Insurance card, Medical claim, regular health check-up camps, facilities shall be provided to the regular/temporary/Contractual or any base workers. Copy of receipt shall be produced to the Directorate of Environment along with the compliance report.
- 24. Measure for conservation of water through rainwater harvesting and cleaning and maintenance of natural surface water bodies of the nearby areas may be considered as one of the activity in CER.
- 25. The excavated mining material should be carried and transported in such a way that no obstruction to the free flow of water takes place. Suitable measure should be taken and details to be provided to concern Department.
- 26. Width of the haul road shall be more than 6 meter.
- 27. Submit annual replenishment report certified by an authorized agency. In case the replenishment is lower than the approved rate of production, then the mining activity / production levels shall be decreased / stopped accordingly till the replenishment is completed.

9. Sand/Morrum Mining from Yamuna Riverbed at Gata No.-453, Khand No.-01, Village-Laibudwa, Tehsil & District-Balrampur., Shri Parveen Kumar, Area: 4.18 ha. File No. 5812/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/171222/2020

A presentation was made by the project proponent along with their consultant M/s ENV Development Assistance Systems (I) Pvt. Ltd. The proponent, through the documents submitted and the presentation made informed the committee that:-

- 1. The environmental clearance is sought for Sand/Morrum Mining from Yamuna Riverbed at Gata No.-453, Khand No.-01, Village-Laibudwa, Tehsil & District-Balrampur, U.P. (Leased Area: 4.18 ha.).
- 2. Salient features of the project as submitted by the project proponent:

1.	On-line proposal No.	SIA/UP/MIN/171222/2020		
2.	File No. allotted by SEIAA, UP	5812		
3.	Name of Proponent	Shree Praveen Kumar		
		Authorized Signatory-Shri Praveen Kumar		
4.	Full correspondence address of proponent and mobile no.	Shree Praveen Kumar Proprietor- Proprietor- Shri Praveen Kumar S/o Late Rajendra Kumar Village- KothiLalababu, Mo. PurabTola, District- Balrampur Uttar Prades.		
5.	Name of Project	Sand/Morrum excavation		
6.	Project location (Plot/Khasra/Gata No.)	Gata No. 453 (Khand-1)		
7.	Name of River	KharjharNala		
8.	Name of Village	Laibudwa		

9. Tehsil	Balrampur			
10. District	Balrampur			
11. Name of Minor Mineral	Sand/Morrum			
12. Sanctioned Lease Area (in ha)	4.18ha			
13. Mineable Area (in ha)	4.18 ha			
14. Zero level mRL	116mRL			
15. Max. & Min mrl within lease area	120 mRL and 116 mRL			
16. Pillar Coordinates (Verified by DMO)	Sanctioned Area			
	Points	Latitude	;	Longitude
	A	27°34'39.20)"N	82°13'48.10"E
	В	27°34'40.80)"N	82°13'50.10"E
	С	27°34'58.77	7"N	82°13'42.09"E
	D	27°34'57.71		82°13'39.85"E
17. Total Geological Reserves	1,40,004 m ³	21 37 31.11	1 11	02 13 39.03 E
18. Total Mineable Reserves in LOI	83,600m ³ /yea	ar		
19. Total Proposed Production	, ,	ar (4,18,000m ³ in (05 years)	
20. Proposed Production/year	83,600 m ³	ar (+,10,000m m)	os years)	
21. Sanctioned Period of Mine lease	5 years			
22. Production of mine/day	304m ³ /day			
23. Method of Mining	Opencast Semi mechanized			
24. No. of working days	1			
25. Working hours/day	275 days 12 hours			
26. No. Of workers	Approximately 52 labours			
27. No. Of vehicles movement/day	22units			
28. Type of Land	Non – Agricultural, Government Waste Land (Revenue land)			
29. Ultimate Depth of Mining	2.7 m			
30. Nearest metalled road from site	MDR(Tulsipur-Sirsiya- Bilaspur Road)- 9.0 km*(NE)			
31. Water Requirement	PURPOSE REQUIREMENT (KLD)		MENT (KLD)	
	Drinking			0.60
	Suppression	of dust		9.61
	Plantation			0.01
	Others (Store	ed water)		0.10
	Total			10.32 KLD
32. Name of QCI Accredited Consultant with	ENV Development Assistance Systems (I) Pvt. Ltd.			
QCI Noand period of validity.	NABET/EIA/1821/SA 102and Valid till 25/02/2021.			
33. Any litigation pending against the project or land in any court	None			
34. Details of 500 m Cluster Map & certificate	Yes, Cluster certificate issued by DMO Balrampur			
verified by Mining Officer	Letter No.6282/Kha. LiCluster PramanPatra/2020,Balrampurdated 14/08/2020.			
35. Details of Lease Area in approved DSR	-			
36. Proposed CER cost	2% of total project cost i.e. Rs.6,92,503.53/- (Say Rs. 6,93,000/-)			
37. Proposed EMP cost/Total Project Cost	EMP Cost- Rs.28,82,176.8/- (Say Rs. 28,83,000/-) &Total Project Cost- 3,46,25,176.8/- (Say Rs. 3,47,00,000/-)			
38. Length and Width of Haul Road		6000000000000000000000000000000000000		
39. No. of Trees to be Planted	21saplings			
2 The minimum	1 1	1 1 4	1 4	

- 3. The mining would be restricted to unsaturated zone only above the phreatic water table and will not intersect the ground water table at any point of time.
- 4. This project does not attract any of the general conditions applicable on mining projects specified in EIA Notification 14/09/2006.
- 5. The mining operation will not be carried out in safety zone of any bridge or embankment or in eco-

- fragile zone such as habitat of any wild fauna.
- 6. There is no litigation pending in any court regarding this project.
- 7. The project proposal falls under category–1(a) of EIA Notification, 2006 (as amended).

The committee discussed the matter and recommended grant of environmental clearance for the project proposal along with general and specific conditions as annexed at annexure-2 & 3 to these minutes regarding mining project. The committee also stipulated following specific conditions:

- 1. Before plantation in a selected area the soil testing should be done and species to be chosen accordingly.
- 2. At the time of operation, project proponent will comply with all the guidelines issued by Government of India/State Govt./District Administration related to Covid-19.
- 3. Environment management in according to environmental status and impact of the project.
- 4. Selection of plants for green belt should be on the basis of pollution removal index.
- 5. No mining activity should be carried out in-stream channel as per SSMMG, 2016.
- 6. Pakka motorable haul road to be maintained by the project proponent.
- 7. A separate Environmental Management Cell with suitable qualified personnel shall be set-up under the control of a Senior Executive, who will report directly to the Head of the Organization.
- 8. Permission from the competent authority regarding evacuation route should be taken.
- 9. Project proponent should ensure survival of tree saplings. Mortality should be replaced from time to time.
- 10. Site Pit photographs should be submitted with date, time and point-coordinate within 15 days.
- 11. One month monitoring report of the area for air quality, water quality, Noise level. Besides flora & fauna should be examined twice a week and be submitted within 45 days for a record.
- 12. Provision for cylinder to workers should be made for cooking.
- 13. The capacity of trucks/tractor for loading purpose will be in tonnes as per Transport Department applicable norms and standard fixed by the Government.
- 14. Provide suitable mask to the workers.
- 15. Approach road kaccha is to be made motarable and tree saplings to be planted on both sides of the road.
- 16. Indigenous plants should be planted according to CPCB guidelines and in consultation with local Divisional Forest Officer.
- 17. The project proponent shall in 2 years conduct detailed replenishment study duly authenticated by a QCI-NABET accredited consultant, and the District Mines Officer.
- 18. Provision for two toilets and hand pumps should be made at mining site.
- 19. Drinking water for workers would be provided by tankers.
- 20. Mining should be done by Bar scalping methods extraction (typically 0.3 -0.6 m or 1 2 ft) as per sustainable sand mining management guidelines 2016.
- 21. A buffer/safe zone shall be maintained from the habitation as per mining guidelines.
- 22. Corporate Environmental Responsibility (CER) plan shall be prepared by the project proponent and the details of the various heads of expenditure to be submitted as per the guidelines provided in the recent CER notification No. 22-65/2017-IA.III dated 01/05/2018.
- 23. Health/Insurance card, Medical claim, regular health check-up camps, facilities shall be provided to the regular/temporary/Contractual or any base workers. Copy of receipt shall be produced to the Directorate of Environment along with the compliance report.

- 24. Measure for conservation of water through rainwater harvesting and cleaning and maintenance of natural surface water bodies of the nearby areas may be considered as one of the activity in CER.
- 25. The excavated mining material should be carried and transported in such a way that no obstruction to the free flow of water takes place. Suitable measure should be taken and details to be provided to concern Department.
- 26. Width of the haul road shall be more than 6 meter.
- 27. Submit annual replenishment report certified by an authorized agency. In case the replenishment is lower than the approved rate of production, then the mining activity / production levels shall be decreased / stopped accordingly till the replenishment is completed.

10. Sand/Bajri/Boulder mining from Yamuna River bed at Gata No.-03, Village-Kachhpura Beebamau, Tehsil-Jaswantnagar, District-Etawah, U.P., (Leased Area -2.6861 ha.), M/s V.S. Construction and Developers. File No. 5813/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/171219/2020

A presentation was made by the project proponent along with their consultant M/s ENV Development Assistance Systems (I) Pvt. Ltd. The proponent, through the documents submitted and the presentation made informed the committee that:-

- 1. The environmental clearance is sought for Sand/Bajri/Boulder mining from Yamuna River bed at Gata No.-03, Village-Kachhpura Beebamau, Tehsil-Jaswantnagar, District-Etawah, U.P., (Leased Area -2.6861 ha.), M/s V.S. Construction and Developers.
- 2. Salient features of the project as submitted by the project proponent:

1. On-line proposal No.	SIA/UP/MIN/171219/2020			
2. File No. allotted by SEIAA, UP	5813			
3. Name of Proponent		M/s V.S. Construction and Developers		
	Authorized Signatory-Shri Vikram Singh			
4. Full correspondence address of proponent		M/s V.S. Construction and Developers		
and mobile no.	Proprietor- S	Proprietor- Shri Vikram Singh S/o Shri Ram Singh.		
	R/o Professor Colony, PakkaTalab, Bajariya, Etawah, Uttar Pradesh-			
	206001			
5. Name of Project	•	Boulder excavation		
6. Project location (Plot/Khasra/Gata No.)	Gata No. 3			
7. Name of River	Yamuna Riv			
8. Name of Village	Kachhpura E			
9. Tehsil	Jaswantnaga	r		
10. District	Etawah			
11. Name of Minor Mineral	Sand/Bajri/Boulder			
12. Sanctioned Lease Area (in ha)	2.6861ha			
13. Mineable Area (in ha)	2.6861 ha			
14. Zero level mRL	118mRL			
15. Max. & Min mrl within lease area	125mRL and122mRL			
16. Pillar Coordinates (Verified by DMO)	Sanctioned Area			
	Points	Latitude	Longitude	
	A	26°53'08.9"N	78°46'32.5"E	
	В	26°53'04.1"N	78°46'34.2"E	
	C	26°53'04.3"N	78°46'34.8"E	
	D	26°53'00.9"N	78°46'40.9"E	
	E	26°52'59.5"N	78°46'45.7"E	
	F	26°52'59.0"N	78°46'45.6"E	
	G	26°52'58.9"N	78°46'39.2"E	
	Н	26°53'03.5"N	78°46'33.2"E	
	I	26°53'08.3"N	78°46'31.4"E	

17. Total Geological Reserves	67,352m ³			
18. Total Mineable Reserves in LOI	40,292m³/year			
19. Total Proposed Production	40,292 m ³ /year (2,01,460m ³ in 05 years)			
20. Proposed Production/year	40,292m ³			
21. Sanctioned Period of Mine lease	5 years			
22. Production of mine/day	146.51m³/day			
23. Method of Mining	Opencast Semi mechanized			
24. No. of working days	275 days			
25. Working hours/day	12 hours			
26. No. Of workers	Approximately 55 labours			
27. No. Of vehicles movement/day	10 units			
28. Type of Land	Non – Agricultural, Government Waste Land (Revenue land)			
29. Ultimate Depth of Mining	2.0865 m (say 2 m)			
30. Nearest metalled road from site	MDR (Nandgaon Road)- 8.0 km*(SW)			
31. Water Requirement	PURPOSE	REQUIREMENT (KLD)		
	Drinking	0.55		
	Suppression of dust	9.6		
	Plantation	0.007		
	Others (Stored water)	0.10		
	Total	10.257 KLD		
32. Name of QCI Accredited Consultant with	ENV Development Assist			
QCI Noand period of validity.	NABET/EIA/1821/SA 102and Valid till 25/02/2021.			
33. Any litigation pending against the project or	None			
land in any court				
34. Details of 500 m Cluster Map & certificate	Cluster certificate issued by DMO Jhansi			
verified by Mining Officer	Letter No.247/Khanij-Balu/2020), Etawadated 13/07/2020			
35. Details of Lease Area in approved DSR	-			
36. Proposed CER cost	2% of total project cost i.e. Rs.12,16,407.5/-(Say Rs. 12,16,000/-)			
37. Proposed EMP cost/Total Project Cost	EMP Cost-Rs.27,00,362.5/-(Say Rs. 27,00,000/-)			
	Project Cost-Rs.6,08,20,362.5/-(Say Rs. 6 Crore)			
38. Length and Width of Haul Road	Unpaved Length 0.80 km and 6 m width			
39. No. of Trees to be Planted	14 Saplings			

- 3. The mining would be restricted to unsaturated zone only above the phreatic water table and will not intersect the ground water table at any point of time.
- 4. This project does not attract any of the general conditions applicable on mining projects specified in EIA Notification 14/09/2006.
- 5. The mining operation will not be carried out in safety zone of any bridge or embankment or in ecofragile zone such as habitat of any wild fauna.
- 6. There is no litigation pending in any court regarding this project.
- 7. The project proposal falls under category–1(a) of EIA Notification, 2006 (as amended).

The committee discussed the matter and recommended grant of environmental clearance for the project proposal along with general and specific conditions as annexed at annexure-4 to these minutes.

11. <u>Sand Mining from Tons River bed, at Khand No.- 42, Village-From Ganga Tons Sangam to Bhaganpur, Tehsil- Karchhana, District- Prayagraj, U.P., Shri Manoj Kumar Mishra, Area -5.00 ha. File No. 5814/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/171643/2020</u>

A presentation was made by the project proponent. The committee discussed the matter and directed the project proponent to submit following information:

- 1. Geo coordinates table is to be revised.
- 2. Lease map verified by DMO.
- 3. CER is to be revised.
- 4. Cadastral map is to be revised.

The matter will be discussed only after submission of online information on prescribed online portal.

12. <u>Building Stone (Khanda, Gitti & Boulder) Mining at Gata No.-603, Khand No.- 02, Village-Sywari (Siori), Tehsil- Mauranipur, District- Jhansi, U.P., Srimati Saraswati Dubey, Area-1.214 ha. File No. 5819/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/172042/2020</u>

A presentation was made by the project proponent along with their consultant M/s Cognizance Research India Pvt. Ltd. The proponent, through the documents submitted and the presentation made informed the committee that:-

- 1. The environmental clearance is sought for Syawari (Siori) Building Stone, Khanda, Gitti, Boulder Mining project at Gata No 603 (Khand 02), Village- Syawari (Siori), Tehsil Mauranipur, District Jhansi, U.P., (Leased Area 1.214 ha).
- 2. Salient features of the project as submitted by the project proponent:

1.	On-line proposal No.	SIA/UP/MIN/172042/2020				
2.	File No. allotted by SEIAA, UP	5819				
3.	Name of Proponent	Shrimati Saraswati Dubey				
4.	Full correspondence address of proponent	R/o 81 Bajrang colony, Tehsil and District- Jhansi, (U.P.)				
	and mobile No.	Mobile No-				
		Email-				
5.	Name of Project	Sya	Syawari (Siori) Building Stone, Khanda, Gitti, Boulder Mining project			
6.	Project location (Plot/Khasra/Gata No.)	Ga	Gata No 603 (Khand 02)			
7.	Name of River	-				
8.	Name of Village	Syav	Syawari (Siori)			
9.	Tehsil	Mauranipur				
10.	District	Jhansi				
11.	Name of Minor Mineral	Building Stone, Khanda, Gitti, Boulder				
12.	Sanctioned Lease Area (in Ha.)	1.214				
13.	Max & Min mRL within lease area	Max- 212 mRL and Min- 188 mRL				
14.	Pillar Coordinates (Verified by DMO)	Sanctioned Mining Lease Area				
			Pillar No.	Latitude	Longitude	
			A	25°20'9.30"N	79° 5'41.30"E	
			В	25°20'12.00"N	79° 5'43.50"E	
			С	25°20'9.20"N	79° 5'46.60"E	
			D	25°20'6.80"N	79° 5'44.30"E	

15.	Total Geological Reserves	3,86,223 cum			
16.	Total Mineable Reserves in LOI	12,140 cum			
17.	Total Proposed Production	2,40,000 cum			
18.	Proposed Production/year	12,140 cum			
19.	Sanctioned Period of Mine lease	20 years			
20.	Production of mine/day	46.69			
21.	Method of Mining	Open Cast Semi-mechanized Method			
22.	No. of working days	260 days			
23.	Working hours/day	8 hrs			
24.	No. of workers	54			
25.	No. of vehicles movement/day	7			
26.	Type of Land	Government waste land			
27.	Ultimate Depth of Mining	24			
28.	Nearest metalled road from site	.9 km			
29.	Water Requirement	PURPOSE	REQUIREMENT (KLD)		
		Drinking 0.54			
		Suppression of dust 10.72			
		Plantation 0.4			
		Others (if any)	-		
		Total	11.66		
30.	Name of QCI Accredited Consultant with	Cognizance Research India Pvt Ltd.			
	QCI No and period of validity.	1922, validity= 03-02-2022			
31.	Any litigation pending against the project or	No			
	land in any court				
32.	Details of 500 m Cluster Map & certificate	Yes, certified			
	issued by Mining Officer				
	Details of Lease Area in approved DSR	Yes, given in the DSR			
	Proposed CER cost	Rs 1,70,000 /-			
	Proposed EMP cost	Rs 5,06,000 /-			
	Length and breadth of Haul Road	Length: 0.893 km, width: 6 m			
37.	No. of Trees to be Planted	200 plants			

- 3. The mining would be restricted to unsaturated zone only above the phreatic water table and will not intersect the ground water table at any point of time.
- 4. This project does not attract any of the general conditions applicable on mining projects specified in EIA Notification 14/09/2006.
- 5. The mining operation will not be carried out in safety zone of any bridge or embankment or in ecofragile zone such as habitat of any wild fauna.
- 6. There is no litigation pending in any court regarding this project.
- 7. The project proposal falls under category–1(a) of EIA Notification, 2006 (as amended).

The committee discussed the matter and recommended grant of environmental clearance for the project proposal along with general and specific conditions as annexed at annexure-4 to these minutes.

13. <u>Discussion on factual report of Sand/Morrum Mining along Yamuna River Bed in Gata No.-553, 554, at Village- Issopur Khurgan, Tehsil-Kairana, District-Shamli., M/s Devansh Infra, Area-3.96 Ha. File No. 4661/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/30986/2019</u>

The SEAC noted that a letter dated 01/09/2020 of District Magistrate, Shamli has been received through which they have informed that the lease is under water due to rainy season and it is not possible to send the report. The same will be done after rainy season. Hence the factual report as per SSMMG, 2016 is still awaited.

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Annexure-1

Terms of Reference for the Mining Project

- 1) Baseline data of post monsoon period October to December, 2020 should be carried out and submitted.
- 2) Year-wise production details since 1994 should be given, clearly stating the highest production achieved in any one year prior to 1994. It may also be categorically informed whether there had been any increase in production after the EIA Notification 1994 came into force, w.r.t. the highest production achieved prior to 1994.
- 3) A copy of the document in support of the fact that the proponent is the rightful lessee of the mine should be given.
- 4) All documents including approved mine plan, EIA and Public Hearing should be compatible with one another in terms of the mine lease area, production levels, waste generation and its management, mining technology etc. and should be in the name of the lessee.
- 5) All corner coordinates of the mine lease area, superimposed on a High Resolution Imagery/ toposheet, topographic sheet, geomorphology and geology of the area should be provided. Such an Imagery of the proposed area should clearly show the land use and other ecological features of the study area (core and buffer zone).
- 6) Information should be provided in Survey of India Toposheet in 1:50,000 scale indicating geological map of the area, geomorphology of land forms of the area, existing minerals and mining history of the area, important water bodies, streams and rivers and soil characteristics.
- 7) Details about the land proposed for mining activities should be given with information as to whether mining conforms to the land use policy of the State; land diversion for mining should have approval from State land use board or the concerned authority.
- 8) It should be clearly stated whether the proponent Company has a well laid down Environment Policy approved by its Board of Directors? If so, it may be spelt out in the EIA Report with description of the prescribed operating process/procedures to bring into focus any infringement/deviation/violation of the environmental or forest norms/conditions? The hierarchical system or administrative order of the Company to deal with the environmental issues and for ensuring compliance with the EC conditions may also be given. The system of reporting of non-compliances / violations of environmental norms to the Board of Directors of the Company and/or shareholders or stakeholders at large, may also be detailed in the EIA Report.
- 9) Issues relating to Mine Safety, including subsidence study in case of underground mining and slope study in case of open cast mining, blasting study etc. should be detailed. The proposed safeguard measures in each case should also be provided.
- 10) The study area will comprise of 10 km zone around the mine lease from lease periphery and the data contained in the EIA such as waste generation etc. should be for the life of the mine / lease period.
- 11) Land use of the study area delineating forest area, agricultural land, grazing land, wildlife sanctuary, national park, migratory routes of fauna, water bodies, human settlements and other ecological features should be indicated. Land use plan of the mine lease area should be prepared to encompass preoperational, operational and post operational phases and submitted. Impact, if any, of change of land use should be given.
- 12) Details of the land for any Over Burden Dumps outside the mine lease, such as extent of land area, distance from mine lease, its land use, R&R issues, if any, should be given.
- 13) A Certificate from the Competent Authority in the State Forest Department should be provided, confirming the involvement of forest land, if any, in the project area. In the event of any contrary

claim by the Project Proponent regarding the status of forests, the site may be inspected by the State Forest Department along with the Regional Office of the Ministry to ascertain the status of forests, based on which, the Certificate in this regard as mentioned above be issued. In all such cases, it would be desirable for representative of the State Forest Department to assist the Expert Appraisal Committees.

- 14) Status of forestry clearance for the broken up area and virgin forestland involved in the Project including deposition of net present value (NPV) and compensatory afforestation (CA) should be indicated. A copy of the forestry clearance should also be furnished.
- 15) Implementation status of recognition of forest rights under the Scheduled Tribes and other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006 should be indicated.
- 16) The vegetation in the RF / PF areas in the study area, with necessary details, should be given.
- 17) A study shall be got done to ascertain the impact of the Mining Project on wildlife of the study area and details furnished. Impact of the project on the wildlife in the surrounding and any other protected area and accordingly, detailed mitigative measures required, should be worked out with cost implications and submitted.
- 18) Location of National Parks, Sanctuaries, Biosphere Reserves, Wildlife Corridors, Ramsar site Tiger/ Elephant Reserves/(existing as well as proposed), if any, within 10 km of the mine lease should be clearly indicated, supported by a location map duly authenticated by Chief Wildlife Warden. Necessary clearance, as may be applicable to such projects due to proximity of the ecologically sensitive areas as mentioned above, should be obtained from the Standing Committee of National Board of Wildlife and copy furnished.
- 19) A detailed biological study of the study area [core zone and buffer zone (10 km radius of the periphery of the mine lease)] shall be carried out. Details of flora and fauna, endangered, endemic and RET Species duly authenticated, separately for core and buffer zone should be furnished based on such primary field survey, clearly indicating the Schedule of the fauna present. In case of any scheduled- I fauna found in the study area, the necessary plan alongwith budgetary provisions for their conservation should be prepared in consultation with State Forest and Wildlife Department and details furnished. Necessary allocation of funds for implementing the same should be made as part of the project cost.
- 20) Proximity to Areas declared as 'Critically Polluted' or the Project areas likely to come under the 'Aravali Range', (attracting court restrictions for mining operations), should also be indicated and where so required, clearance certifications from the prescribed Authorities, such as the SPCB or State Mining Department should be secured and furnished to the effect that the proposed mining activities could be considered.
- 21) Similarly, for coastal Projects, A CRZ map duly authenticated by one of the authorized agencies demarcating LTL. HTL, CRZ area, location of the mine lease w.r.t CRZ, coastal features such as mangroves, if any, should be furnished. (Note: The Mining Projects falling under CRZ would also need to obtain approval of the concerned Coastal Zone Management Authority).
- R&R Plan/compensation details for the Project Affected People (PAP) should be furnished. While preparing the R&R Plan, the relevant State/National Rehabilitation & Resettlement Policy should be kept in view. In respect of SCs /STs and other weaker sections of the society in the study area, a need based sample survey, family-wise, should be undertaken to assess their requirements, and action programmes prepared and submitted accordingly, integrating the sectoral programmes of line departments of the State Government. It may be clearly brought out whether the village(s) located in the mine lease area will be shifted or not. The issues relating to shifting of village(s) including their R&R and socio-economic

- aspects should be discussed in the Report.
- One season (non-monsoon) [i.e. March-May (Summer Season); October-December (post monsoon season); December-February (winter season)]primary baseline data on ambient air quality as per CPCB Notification of 2009, water quality, noise level, soil and flora and fauna shall be collected and the AAQ and other data so compiled presented date-wise in the EIA and EMP Report. Site-specific meteorological data should also be collected. The location of the monitoring stations should be such as to represent whole of the study area and justified keeping in view the pre-dominant downwind direction and location of sensitive receptors. There should be at least one monitoring station within 500 m of the mine lease in the pre-dominant downwind direction. The mineralogical composition of PM10, particularly for free silica, should be given.
- 24) Air quality modeling should be carried out for prediction of impact of the project on the air quality of the area. It should also take into account the impact of movement of vehicles for transportation of mineral. The details of the model used and input parameters used for modeling should be provided. The air quality contours may be shown on a location map clearly indicating the location of the site, location of sensitive receptors, if any, and the habitation. The wind roses showing pre-dominant wind direction may also be indicated on the map.
- 25) The water requirement for the Project, its availability and source should be furnished. A detailed water balance should also be provided. Fresh water requirement for the Project should be indicated.
- 26) Necessary clearance from the Competent Authority for drawl of requisite quantity of water for the Project should be provided.
- 27) Description of water conservation measures proposed to be adopted in the Project should be given. Details of rainwater harvesting proposed in the Project, if any, should be provided.
- 28) Impact of the Project on the water quality, both surface and groundwater, should be assessed and necessary safeguard measures, if any required, should be provided.
- 29) Based on actual monitored data, it may clearly be shown whether working will intersect groundwater. Necessary data and documentation in this regard may be provided. In case the working will intersect groundwater table, a detailed Hydro Geological Study should be undertaken and Report furnished. The Report inter-alia, shall include details of the aquifers present and impact of mining activities on these aquifers. Necessary permission from Central Ground Water Authority for working below ground water and for pumping of ground water should also be obtained and copy furnished.
- 30) Details of any stream, seasonal or otherwise, passing through the lease area and modification / diversion proposed, if any, and the impact of the same on the hydrology should be brought out.
- 31) Information on site elevation, working depth, groundwater table etc. Should be provided both in AMSL and bgl. A schematic diagram may also be provided for the same.
- 32) A time bound Progressive Greenbelt Development Plan shall be prepared in a tabular form (indicating the linear and quantitative coverage, plant species and time frame) and submitted, keeping in mind, the same will have to be executed up front on commencement of the Project. Phase-wise plan of plantation and compensatory afforestation should be charted clearly indicating the area to be covered under plantation and the species to be planted. The details of plantation already done should be given. The plant species selected for green belt should have greater ecological value and should be of good utility value to the local population with emphasis on local and native species and the species which are tolerant to pollution.
- 33) Impact on local transport infrastructure due to the Project should be indicated. Projected increase in truck traffic as a result of the Project in the present road network (including those outside the Project

- area) should be worked out, indicating whether it is capable of handling the incremental load. Arrangement for improving the infrastructure, if contemplated (including action to be taken by other agencies such as State Government) should be covered. Project Proponent shall conduct Impact of Transportation study as per Indian Road Congress Guidelines.
- 34) Details of the onsite shelter and facilities to be provided to the mine workers should be included in the EIA Report.
- 35) Conceptual post mining land use and Reclamation and Restoration of mined out areas (with plans and with adequate number of sections) should be given in the EIA report.
- Occupational Health impacts of the Project should be anticipated and the proposed preventive measures spelt out in detail. Details of pre-placement medical examination and periodical medical examination schedules should be incorporated in the EMP. The project specific occupational health mitigation measures with required facilities proposed in the mining area may be detailed.
- 37) Public health implications of the Project and related activities for the population in the impact zone should be systematically evaluated and the proposed remedial measures should be detailed along with budgetary allocations.
- 38) Measures of socio economic significance and influence to the local community proposed to be provided by the Project Proponent should be indicated. As far as possible, quantitative dimensions may be given with time frames for implementation.
- 39) Detailed environmental management plan (EMP) to mitigate the environmental impacts which, should inter-alia include the impacts of change of land use, loss of agricultural and grazing land, if any, occupational health impacts besides other impacts specific to the proposed Project.
- 40) Public Hearing points raised and commitment of the Project Proponent on the same along with time bound Action Plan with budgetary provisions to implement the same should be provided and also incorporated in the final EIA/EMP Report of the Project.
- 41) Details of litigation pending against the project, if any, with direction /order passed by any Court of Law against the Project should be given.
- 42) The cost of the Project (capital cost and recurring cost) as well as the cost towards implementation of EMP should be clearly spelt out.
- 43) A Disaster management Plan shall be prepared and included in the EIA/EMP Report.
- 44) Benefits of the Project if the Project is implemented should be spelt out. The benefits of the Project shall clearly indicate environmental, social, economic, employment potential, etc.
- 45) Besides the above, the below mentioned general points are also to be followed:
 - a) Executive Summary of the EIA/EMP Report
 - b) All documents to be properly referenced with index and continuous page numbering.
 - c) Where data are presented in the Report especially in Tables, the period in which the data were collected and the sources should be indicated.
 - d) Project Proponent shall enclose all the analysis/testing reports of water, air, soil, noise etc. using the MoEF&CC/NABL accredited laboratories. All the original analysis/testing reports should be available during appraisal of the Project.
 - e) Where the documents provided are in a language other than English, an English translation should be provided.
 - f) The Questionnaire for environmental appraisal of mining projects as devised earlier by the Ministry shall also be filled and submitted.
 - g) While preparing the EIA report, the instructions for the Proponents and instructions for the

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- Consultants issued by MoEF&CC vide O.M. No. J-11013/41/2006-IA.II(I) dated 4th August, 2009, which are available on the website of this Ministry, should be followed.
- h) Changes, if any made in the basic scope and project parameters (as submitted in Form-I and the PFR for securing the TOR) should be brought to the attention of MoEF&CC with reasons for such changes and permission should be sought, as the TOR may also have to be altered. Post Public Hearing changes in structure and content of the draft EIA/EMP (other than modifications arising out of the P.H. process) will entail conducting the PH again with the revised documentation.
- i) As per the circular no. J-11011/618/2010-IA.II(I) dated 30.5.2012, certified report of the status of compliance of the conditions stipulated in the environment clearance for the existing operations of the project, should be obtained from the Regional Office of Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, as may be applicable.
- j) The EIA report should also include: (i) surface plan of the area indicating contours of main topographic features, drainage and mining area, (ii) geological maps and sections and (iii) sections of the mine pit and external dumps, if any, clearly showing the land features of the adjoining area.

GENERAL CONDITIONS PRESCRIBED BY SEIAA/SEAC, UP FOR SAND/MORUM MINING PROPOSALS

General Conditions:

- 1. This environmental clearance is subject to allotment of mining lease in favour of project proponent by District Administration/Mining Department.
- 2. Forest clearance shall be taken by the proponent as necessary under law.
- 3. Any change in mining area, khasra numbers, entailing capacity addition with change in process and or mining technology, modernization and scope of working shall again require prior Environmental Clearance as per the provisions of EIA Notification, 2006 (as amended).
- 4. Precise mining area will be jointly demarcated at site by project proponent and officials of Mining/Revenue department prior to starting of mining operations. Such site plan, duly verified by competent authority alongwith copy of the Environmental Clearance letter will be displayed on a hoarding/board at the site. A copy of site plan will also be submitted to SEIAA within a period of 02 months.
- 5. Mining and loading shall be done only within day hours time.
- 6. No mining shall be carried out in the safety zone of any bridge and/or embankment.
- 7. It shall be ensured that standards related to ambient air quality/effluent as prescribed by the Ministry of Environment & Forests are strictly complied with. Water sprinklers and other dust control majors should be applied to take-care of dust generated during mining operation. Sprinkling of water on haul roads to control dust will be ensured by the project proponent.
- 8. All necessary statutory clearances shall be obtained before start of mining operations. If this condition is violated, the clearance shall be automatically deemed to have been cancelled.
- 9. Parking of vehicles should not be made on public places.
- 10. No tree-felling will be done in the leased area, except only with the permission of Forest Department.
- 11. No wildlife habitat will be infringed.
- 12. It shall be ensured that excavation of minor mineral does not disturb or change the underlying soil characteristics of the river bed /basin, where mining is carried out.
- 13. It shall be ensured that mining operation of Sand/Moram will not in any way disturb the, velocity and flow pattern of the river water significantly.
- 14. It shall be ensured that there is no fauna dependant on the river bed or areas close to mining for its nesting. A report on the same, vetted by the competent authority shall be submitted to the RO, PCB and SEIAA within 02 months.
- 15. Primary survey of flora and fauna shall be carried out and data shall be submitted to the RO, PCB and SEIAA within six months.
- 16. Hydro-geological study shall be carried out by a reputed organization/institute within six months and establish that mining in the said area will not adversely affect the ground water regime. The report shall be submitted to the RO, PCB and SEIAA within six months. In case adverse impact is observed /anticipated, mining shall not be carried out.
- 17. Adequate protection against dust and other environmental pollution due to mining shall be made so that the habitations (if any) close by the lease area are not adversely affected. The status of implementation of measures taken shall be reported to the RO, UPPCB and SEIAA and this activity should be completed before the start of sand mining.
- 18. Need-based assessment for the nearby villages shall be conducted to study economic measures which can help in improving the quality of life of economically weaker section of society. Income generating projects/tools such as development of fodder farm, fruit bearing orchards, vocational training etc. can form a part of such program me. The project proponent shall provide separate budget for community development activities and income generating programmes.

- 19. Green cover development shall be carried out following CPCB guidelines including selection of plant species and in consultation with the local DFO/Horticulture Officer.
- 20. Separate stock piles shall be maintained for excavated top soil, if any, and the top soil should be utilized for green cover/tree plantation.
- 21. Dispensary facilities for first-aid shall be provided at site.
- 22. Self environmental audit shall be conducted annually. Every three years third party environmental audit shall be carried out.
- 23. The District Mining Officer should quarterly monitor compliance of the stipulated conditions. The project proponent will extend full cooperation to the District Mining Officer by furnishing the requisite data/information/monitoring reports. In case of any violations of stipulated conditions the District Mining Officer will report to SEIAA.
- 24. The project proponent shall submit six monthly reports on the status of compliance of the stipulated environmental clearance conditions including results of monitored data (both in hard & soft copies) to the SEIAA, the District Officer and the respective Regional Office of the State Pollution Control Board by 1st June and 1st December every year.
- 25. A copy of the clearance letter shall be sent by the proponent to concerned Panchayat, Zila Parisad/ Municipal Corporation and Urban Local Body.
- 26. Transportation of materials shall be done by covering the trucks / tractors with tarpaulin or other suitable mechanism to avoid fugitive emissions and spillage of mineral/dust.
- 27. Waste water, from temporary habitation campus be properly collected & treated before discharging into water bodies the treated effluent should conform to the standards prescribed by MoEF/CPCB.
- 28. Measures shall be taken for control of noise level to the limits prescribed by C.P.C.B.
- 29. Special Measures shall be adopted to protect the nearby settlements from the impacts of mining activities. Maintenance of Village roads through which transportation of minor minerals is to be undertaken, shall be carried-out by the project proponent regularly at his own expenses.
- 30. Measure for prevention & control of soil erosion and management of silt shall be undertaken. Protection of dumps against erosion, if any, shall be carried-out with geo textile matting or other suitable material.
- 31. Under corporate social responsibility a sum of 5% of the total project cost or total income whichever is higher is to be earmarked for total lease period. Its budget is to be separately maintained. CER component shall be prepared based on need of local habitant. Income generating measures which can help in upliftment of poor section of society, consistent with the traditional skills of the people shall be identified. The programme can include activities such as development of fodder farm, fruit bearing orchards, free distribution of smokeless Chula etc.
- 32. Possibility for adopting nearest three villages shall be explored and details of civic amenities such as roads, drinking water etc proposed to be provided at the project proponent's expenses shall be submitted within 02 months from the date of issuance of Environment Clearance.
- 33. The funds earmarked for environmental protection measures should be kept in separate account and should not be diverted for other purpose. Year wise expenditure should be reported to the Ministry of Environment and Forests and its Regional Office located at Lucknow, SEIAA, U.P and UPPCB.
- 34. Action plan with respect to suggestion/improvement and recommendations made and agreed during Public Hearing shall be submitted to the District mines Officer, concern Regional Officer of UPPCB and SEIAA within 02 months.
- 35. Environmental clearance is subject to obtaining clearance under the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 from the competent authority, if applicable to this project.
- 36. The proponent shall observe every 15 day for nesting of any turtle in the area. Based on the observations so made, if turtle nesting is observed, necessary safeguard measures shall be taken in consultation with the State Wildlife Department. For the purpose, awareness shall be created amongst the workers about the nesting sites so that such sites, if any, are identified by the workers during operations of the mine for taking required

- safeguard measures. In this regards the safety notified zone should be left so that the habitat/nesting area is undisturbed
- 37. The project proponent shall undertake adequate safeguard measures during extraction of river bed material and ensure that due to this activity the hydro geological regime of the surrounding area shall not be affected.
- 38. The project proponent shall obtain necessary prior permission of the competent Authorities for withdrawal of requisite quantity of water (surface water and groundwater), required for the project.
- 39. Appropriate mitigative measures shall be taken to prevent pollution of the river in consultation with the State Pollution Control Board. It shall be ensured that there is no leakage of oil and grease in the river from the vehicles used for transportation.
- 40. Vehicular emissions shall be kept under control and regularly monitored. The vehicles carrying the mineral shall not be overloaded.
- 41. Provision shall be made for the housing of construction labour within the site with all necessary infrastructure and facilities such as fuel for cooking, mobile toilets, mobile STP, safe drinking water, medical health care, crèche etc. (MoEF circular Dated: 22-09-2008 regarding stipulation of condition to improve the living conditions of construction labour at site).
- 42. Personnel working in dusty areas should wear protective respiratory devices and they should also be provided with adequate training and information on safety and health aspects. Occupational health surveillance program of the workers should be undertaken periodically to observe any contractions due to exposure to dust and take corrective measures, if needed.
- 43. A copy of the clearance letter shall be sent by the proponent to concerned Panchayat, Zila Parishad/ Municipal Corporation, Urban Local Body and the Local NGO, if any, from whom suggestions/ representations, if any, were received while processing the proposal. The clearance letter shall also be put on the website of the Company by the proponent.
- 44. The environmental statement for each financial year ending 31st March in Form-V as is mandated to be submitted by the project proponent to the concerned State Pollution Control Board as prescribed under the Environment (Protection) Rules, 1986, as amended subsequently, shall also be put on the website of the company along with the status of compliance of environmental clearance conditions and shall also be sent to the Regional Office of the Ministry of Environment and Forests, Lucknow by e-mail.
- 45. The green cover development/tree plantation is to be done in an area equivalent to 20% of the total leased area either on river bank or along road side (Avenue Plantation).
- 46. Debris from the river bed will be collected and stored at secured place and may be utilized for strengthen the embankment.
- 47. Safety measures to be taken for the safety of the people working at the mine lease area should be given, which would also include measure for treatment of bite of poisonous reptile/insect like snake.
- 48. Periodical and Annual medical checkup of workers as per Mines Act and they should be covered under ESI as per rule.

Annexure-3

Specific Conditions for Sand Moram Mining:

- 1. The project proponent shall ensure that if the project area falls within the eco-sensitive zone of National park/ Sanctuary prior permission of statuary committee of National board for wild life under the provision of Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 shall be obtained before commencement of work.
- 2. If in future this lease area becomes part of cluster of equal to or more than 25 ha. then additional conditions based on the EIA shall be imposed. The lease holder shall mandatorily follow cluster conditions otherwise it will amount to violation of E.C. conditions. If the certificate related to cluster provided by the competent authority is found false or incorrect then punitive actions as per law shall be initiated against the authority issuing the cluster certificate.
- 3. The Environmental clearance will be co-terminus with the mining lease period.
- 4. Project falling with in 10 KM area of Wild Life Sanctuary is to obtain a clearance from National Board Wild Life (NBWL) even if the eco-sensitive zone is not earmarked.
- 5. To avoid ponding effect and adverse environmental conditions for sand mining in area, progressive mining should be done as per sustainable sand mining management guidelines 2016.
- 6. Geo coordinates should be verified by Director, DGM/District Magistrate/Regional Mining Officer/NHAI and should be submitted to SEIAA/SEAC, Secretariat as earliest.
- 7. In case it has been found that the E.C. obtained by providing incorrect information, submitting that the distance between the two adjoining mines is greater than 500mt. and area is less than 25ha, but factually the distance is less than 500 mt and the mine is located in cluster of area equal or more than 25ha, the E.C issued will stand revoked.
- 8. The project proponent shall in 2 years conduct detailed replenishment study duly authenticated by a QCI-NABET accredited consultant, and the District Mines Officer which shall form the basis for midterm review of conditions of Environmental Clearance.
- 9. The mining work will be open-cast and manual/semi mechanized (subject to order of Hon'ble NGT/Hon'ble Courts (s)). Heavy machine such as excavator, scooper etc. should not be employed for mining purpose. No drilling/blasting should be involved at any stage.
- 10. It shall be ensured that there shall be no mining of any type within 03 m or 10% of the width which-ever is less, shall be left on both the banks of precise area to control and avoid erosion of river bank. The mining is confined to extraction of sand/moram from the river bank only.
- 11. The project proponent shall undertake adequate safeguard measures during extraction of river bank material and ensure that due to this activity the hydro-geological regime of the surrounding area shall not be affected.
- 12. The project proponent shall adhere to mining in conformity to plan submitted for the mine lease conditions and the Rules prescribed in this regard clearly showing the no work zone in the mine lease i.e. the distance from the bank of river to be left un-worked (Non mining area), distance from the bridges etc. It shall be ensured that no mining shall be carried out during the monsoon season.
- 13. The project proponent shall ensure that wherever deployment of labour attracts the Mines Act, the provision thereof shall be strictly followed.
- 14. The project proponent will provide personal protective equipment (PPE) as required, also provid adequate training and information on safety and health aspects. Periodical medical examination of the workers engaged in the project shall be carried out and records maintained. For the purpose, schedule of health examination of the workers should be drawn and followed accordingly.
- 15. The critical parameters such as PM10, PM2.5, SO2 and NOx in the ambient air within the impact zone shall be monitored periodically. Further, quality of discharged water if any shall also be monitored [(TDS, DO, pH, Fecal Coliform and Total Suspended Solids (TSS)].
- 16. Effective safeguard measures, such as regular water sprinkling shall be carried out in critical areas prone to air pollution and having high levels of particulate matter such as loading and unloading point and all transfer points. Extensive water sprinkling shall be carried out on haul roads.
- 17. It should be ensured that the Ambient Air Quality parameters conform to the norms prescribed by the Central Pollution Control Board in this regard.
- 18. The extended mining scheme will be submitted by the proponent before expiry of present mining plan.

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- 19. Four ambient air quality-monitoring stations should be established in the core zone as well as in the buffer zone for monitoring PM10, PM2.5, SO2 and NOx. Location of the stations should be decided based on the meteorological data, topographical features and environmentally and ecologically sensitive targets and frequency of monitoring should be undertaken in consultation with the State Pollution Control Board.
- 20. Common road for transportation of mineral is to be maintained collectively. Total cost will be shared/worked out on the basis of lease area among users.
- 21. Proponent will provide adequate sanitary facility in the form of mobile toilets to the labours engaged for the project work.
- 22. Solid waste material viz., gutkha pouchs, plastic bags, glasses etc. to be generated during project activity will be separately storage in bins and managed as per Solid Waste Management rules.
- 23. Green area/belt to be developed along haulage road in consultation of Gram Sabha/Panchyat.
- 24. Natural/customary paths used by villagers should not be obstructed at any time by the activities proposed under the project.
- 25. Digital processing of the entire lease area in the district using remote sensing technique should be done regularly once in three years for monitoring the change of river course by Directorate of Geology and Mining, Govt. of Uttar Pradesh. The record of such study to be maintained and report be submitted to Regional office of MoEF, SEIAA, U.P. and UPPCB.
- 26. A copy of clearance letter will be marked to concerned Panchayat / local NGO, if any, from whom suggestion / representation has been received while processing the proposal. The clearance letter shall also be put on the website of the company.
- 27. State Pollution Control Board shall display a copy of the clearance letter at the Regional office, District Industry Centre and Collector's office/Tehsildar's Office for 30 days.
- 28. The project authorities shall advertise at least in two local newspapers widely circulated, one of which shall be in the vernacular language of the locality concerned, within 7 days of the issue of the clearance letter informing that the project has been accorded environmental clearance and a copy of the clearance letter is available with the State Pollution Control Board and also at web site of the SEIAA at http://www.seiaaup.in and a copy of the same shall be forwarded to the Regional Office of the Ministry located in Lucknow, CPCB, State PCB.
- 29. The MoEF/SEIAA or any other competent authority may alter/modify the above conditions or stipulate any further condition in the interest of environment protection.
- 30. Concealing factual data or submission of false/fabricated data and failure to comply with any of the conditions mentioned above may result in withdrawal of this clearance and attract action under the provisions of Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.
- 31. Any appeal against this environmental clearance shall lie with the National Green Tribunal, if preferred, within a period of 30 days as prescribed under Section 11 of the National Environment Appellate Authority Act, 1997.
- 32. Waste water from potable use be collected and reused for sprinkling.
- 33. During the school opening and closing time vehicle movement will be restricted.
- 34. A width of not less than 50 meter or 10% width of river can be restricted for mining activities from river bank. A condition can be imposed that mining will be done from river activities from river bank.

Annexure-4

General and Specific Conditions for Gitti, Patthar & Boulder Mining Projects:-

A. General Conditions:

- 1. This environmental clearance is subject to allotment of mining lease in favour of project proponent by District Administration/Mining Department.
- 2. Forest clearance shall be taken by the proponent as necessary under law.
- 3. Any addition of the mining area, change of Khasra numbers, enhancement of capacity, change in mining technology, modernization and scope of working shall again required prior environmental clearance as per EIA notification, 2006.
- 4. No change in the calendar plan including excavation, quantum of mineral and waste shall be made.
- 5. Mining will be carried out as per the approved mining plan. In case of any violation of mining plan, the Environmental Clearance given by SEIAA will stand cancelled.
- 6. Four ambient air quality monitoring stations shall be established in the core zone as well as in the buffer zone for RSPM, SPM, SO₂, NO_x monitoring. Location of the stations should be decided based on the meteorological data, topographical features and environmentally and ecologically sensitive targets and frequency of monitoring should be undertaken in consultation with the State Pollution Control Board. The monitored data for criteria pollutants shall be regularly up loaded on the company's website and also displayed at website.
- 7. Data on ambient air quality (RPM, SPM, SO₂, NO_x) should be regularly submitted to the Regional office, MoEF, GoI, Lucknow and the State Pollution Control Board / Central Pollution Control Board once in six months.
- 8. Ambient air quality at the boundary of the mine premises shall confirm to the norms prescribed in MoEF notification no. GSR/826(E) dt. 16.11.09.
- 9. Fugitive dust emissions from all the sources shall be controlled regularly. Water spraying arrangement on haul roads, loading and unloading and at transfer points shall be provided and properly maintained.
- 10. Measures shall be taken for control of noise levels below 85 dBA in the work environment. Workers engaged in operations of HEMM, etc. shall be provided with ear plugs / muffs and health records of the workers shall be maintained.
- 11. Industrial waste water (workshop and waste water from the mine) should be properly collected, treated so as to conform to the standards prescribed under GSR 422 (E) dated 19th May, 1993 and 31st December, 1993 or as amended from time to time. Oil and grease trap shall be installed before discharge of workshop effluents.
- 12. Personnel working in areas shall be provided with protective respiratory devices like mask and they shall also be imparted adequate training and information on safety and health aspects.
- 13. Special measures shall be adopted to prevent the nearby settlements from the impacts of mining activities.
- 14. The transportation of the materials shall be limited to day hours time only.
- 15. Provision shall be made for the housing the labourers within the site with all necessary infrastructure and facilities such as fuel for cooking, mobile toilets, safe drinking water, medical health care, crèche etc. The housing may be in the form of temporary structures to be removed after the completion of the project.
- 16. A separate Environmental Management Cell with suitable qualified personnel shall be set-up under the control of a Senior Executive, who will report directly to the Head of the Organization.

- 17. The Project Proponent shall inform to the Regional Office, MoEF, GoI, Lucknow and State Pollution Control Board regarding date of financial closures and final approval of the project by the concerned authorities and the date of start of land development work.
- 18. The funds earmarked for environmental protection measures shall be kept in separate account and shall not be diverted for other purpose. Year wise expenditure shall be reported to the MoEF, GoI, Lucknow and State Pollution Control Board
- 19. The Regional Office, MoEF, GoI, Lucknow and State Pollution Control Board shall monitor compliance of the stipulated conditions. A complete set a documents including Environment Impact Assessment Report, Environmental Management Plan, Public hearing and other documents information should be given to Regional Office of the MoEF, GoI, Lucknow and State Pollution Control Board
- 20. A copy of the environmental clearance shall be submitted by the Project Proponent to the Heads of the Local Bodies, Panchayat and Municipal Bodies as applicable in the matter.
- 21. The Project Proponent shall advertise at least in two local newspapers widely circulated, one of which shall be in the vernacular language of the locality concerned, within 7 days of the issue of the clearance letter informing that the project has been accorded environmental clearance and a copy of the clearance letter is available with the State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA).
- 22. The Project Proponent has to submit half yearly compliance report of the stipulated prior environmental clearance terms and conditions in hard and soft copy to the SEIAA,U.P. on 1st June and 1st December of each calendar year.
- 23. The SEIAA may alter/modify the above conditions or stipulate any further condition in the interest of environment protection.
- 24. Concealing factual data or submission of false/fabricated data and failure to comply with any of the conditions mentioned above may result in withdrawal of this clearance and attract action under the provisions of Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.

B. Specific Conditions:

- 1. At the time of operation, project proponent will comply with all the guidelines issued by Government of India/State Govt./District Administration related to Covid-19.
- 2. This environmental clearance does not create or verify any claim of applicant on the proposed site/activity.
- 3. This environmental clearance shall be subject to valid lease in favour of project proponent for the proposed mining proposals. In case, the project proponent does not have a valid lease, this environmental clearance shall automatically become null and void.
- 4. The Environmental clearance will be co-terminus with the mining lease period/Mining Plan.
- 5. Explosive cannot be stored on the site.
- 6. A comprehensive EIA including mining areas within 15 K.M. to assess impact of the mining activity on the surrounding area shall be undertaken and report submitted to this Authority within one year.
- 7. No two pits shall be simultaneously worked i.e. before the first is exhausted and reclamation work completed, no mineral bearing area shall be worked.
- 8. After exhausting the first mine pit and before starting mining operations in the next pit, reclamation and plantation works in the exhausted pit shall be completed so as to ensure that reclamation, forest cover and vegetation are visible during the first year of mining operations in the next pit. This process will follow till the last pit is exhausted. Adequate rehabilitation of mined pit shall be completed before any new ore bearing area is worked for expansion.
- 9. Adequate buffer zone shall be maintained between two consecutive mineral bearing deposits.
- 10. Sprinkling of water on haul roads to control dust will be ensured by the project proponent.
- 11. Green belt development shall be carried out considering CPCB guidelines including selection of plant species and in consultation with the local DFO / Agriculture Department. Herbs and shrubs shall also form a part of afforestation programme besides tree plantation. The company shall involve local people

- for plantation programme. Details of year wise afforestation programme including rehabilitation of mined out area shall be submitted to the Regional Office, MoEF&CC, GoI, Lucknow every year.
- 12. Blast vibrations study shall be conducted and a observation report submitted to the Regional office, MoE&CC, GoI, Lucknow and UPPCB within six months. The report shall also include measures for prevention of blasting associated impact on nearby houses and agricultural fields.
- 13. Controlled blasting techniques with sequential blasting shall be adopted. The blasting shall be carried out in the day time only.
- 14. Appropriate arrangement for shelter and drinking water for the mining workers has to be ensured at the mining site.
- 15. Maintenance of village roads used for transportation of minerals are to be done by the company regularly at its own expenses. The roads shall be black topped.
- 16. Rain water harvesting shall be undertaken to recharge the ground water source.
- 17. Status of implementation shall be submitted to the Regional Office, MoEF&CC, GoI, Lucknow and UP Pollution Control Board within six months and thereafter every year from the next consequent year.
- 18. Measures for prevention and control of soil erosion and management of silt shall be undertaken. Protection of dumps against erosion shall be carried out with geo textile matting or other suitable material, and thick plantations of native trees and shrubs shall be carried out at the dump slopes. Dumps shall be protected by retaining walls.
- 19. Self environmental audit shall be conducted annually. Every three years third party environmental audit shall be carried out.
- 20. Trenches / garland drains shall be constructed at foot of dumps and coco filters installed at regular intervals to arrest silt from being carried to water bodies. Adequate number of Check Dams and Gully Plugs shall be constructed across seasonal/perennial nallahs, if any flowing through the ML area and silts arrested. De- silting at regular intervals shall be carried out.
- 21. Garland drain of appropriate size, gradient and length shall be constructed for both mine pit and for waste dump and sump capacity shall be designed keeping 50% safety margin over and above peak sudden rainfall (based on 50 years data) and maximum discharge in the area adjoining the mine site. Sump capacity shall also provide adequate retention period to allow proper settling of silt material. Sedimentation pits shall be constructed at the corners of the garland drains and desilted at regular intervals.
- 22. Ground and surface water, if any in and near the core zone (within 5.0 km of the lease) shall be regularly monitored for contamination and depletion due to mining activity and records maintained. The monitoring data shall be submitted to the Regional Office, MoEF, GoI, Lucknow and U.P. Pollution Control Board regularly. Further, monitoring points shall be located between the mine and drainage in the direction of flow of ground water shall be set up and records maintained.
- 23. Fugitive dust generation shall be controlled. Fugitive dust emission shall be regularly monitored at locations of nearest human habitation (including schools and other public amenities located nearest to sources of dust generation as applicable) and records submitted to the Regional Office, MoEF&CC, GoI, Lucknow and U.P. Pollution Control Board regularly.
- 24. Baseline data for ambient air quality shall be generated and maintained and RSPM level in ambient air in the nearby human habitation (villages) shall also be monitored along with other parameters.
- 25. Corporate Environmental Responsibility (CER) shall be by the project proponent and the details of the various heads of expenditure to be submitted as per the guidelines provided in the recent CER notification No. 22-65/2017-IA.III dated 01/05/2018. Work to be executed with installation of five hand pumps for drinking water, solar light in villages of streets, construction of two numbers of toilets at the primary school with name displayed and address and details of beneficiary and gram pradhan along with phone number, photographs should be submitted to Directorate as well as to the District magistrate / Chief Development officers.
- 26. Transportation of minerals shall be done by covering the trucks with tarpaulin or other suitable mechanism so that no spillage of mineral/dust takes place.
- 27. Occupational health and safety measures for the workers including identification of work related health hazards, training on malaria eradication, HIV, and health effects on exposure to mineral dust etc. shall be

- carried out. Periodic monitoring for exposure to respirable mineral dust on the workers shall be conducted and records maintained including health records of the workers. Awareness programme for workers on impact of mining on their health and precautionary measures like use of personal equipments etc. shall be carried out periodically. Review of impact of various health measures shall be conducted followed by follow up action wherever required.
- 28. The project proponent will ensure for providing employment to local people as per requirement, necessary protection measures around the mine pit and waste dump and garland drain around the mine pit and waste dump.
- 29. Top soil / solid waste shall be stacked properly with proper slope and adequate safeguards and shall be utilized for backfilling (wherever applicable) for reclamation and rehabilitation of mined out area. Top soil shall be separately stacked for utilization later for reclamation and shall not be stacked along with over burden.
- 30. Over burden (OB) shall be stacked at earmarked dump site(s) only and shall not be kept active for long period. The maximum height of the dump shall not exceed 20 m, each stage shall preferably be of maximum 10 m and overall slope of the dump shall not exceed 35°. The OB dump shall be backfilled. The OB dumps shall be scientifically vegetated with suitable native species to prevent erosion and surface run off.
- 31. Monitoring and management of rehabilitated areas shall continue until the vegetation becomes self sustaining. Compliance status shall be submitted to the Regional Office, Ministry of Environment & Forests, GoI, Lucknow and U.P. Pollution Control Board on six monthly basis.
- 32. Slope of the mining bench and ultimate pit limit shall be as per the mining scheme approved by Indian Bureau of Mines.
- 33. Permission for abstraction of ground water shall be taken from Central Ground Water Board. Regular monitoring of ground and surface water sources for level and quality shall be carried out by establishing a network of existing wells and constructing new piezometers during the mining operation. The monitoring shall be carried out four times in a year i.e. pre-monsoon (April-May), monsoon (August), post-monsoon (November) and winter (January) and the data thus collected shall be regularly sent to MoEF&CC, Central Ground Water Authority and Regional Director, Central Ground Water Board.
- 34. The waste water from the mine shall be treated to conform to the prescribed standards before discharging in to the natural stream. The discharged water from the Tailing Dam, if any shall be regularly monitored and report submitted to the Regional Office, Ministry of Environment & Forests, GoI, Lucknow, Central Pollution Control Board and the State Pollution Control Board.
- 35. Hydro geological study of the area shall be reviewed by the project proponent annually. In case adverse effect on ground water quality and quantity is observed mining shall be stopped and resumed only after mitigating steps to contain any adverse impact on ground water is implemented.
- 36. Vehicular emissions shall be kept under control and regularly monitored. Vehicles used for transportation of minerals and others shall have valid permissions as prescribed under Central Motor Vehicle Rules, 1989 and its amendments. The vehicles transporting minerals shall be covered with a tarpaulin or other suitable enclosures so that no dust particles / fine matters escape during the course of transportation. No overloading of minerals for transportation shall be committed. The trucks transporting minerals shall not pass through wild life sanctuary, if any in the study area.
- 37. Prior permission from the Competent Authority shall be obtained for extraction of ground water, if any.
- 38. A final mine closure plan, along with details of Corpus Fund, shall be submitted to the Regional office, Ministry of Environment & Forests, GoI, Lucknow and U.P. Pollution Control Board 5 years in advance of final mine closure for approval.
- 39. Project Proponent shall explore the possibility of using solar energy where ever possible.
- 40. Commitment towards CER has to be followed strictly.
- 41. Regular health check-up record of the mine workers has to be maintained at site in a proper register. It should be made available for inspection whenever asked.
- 42. Project Proponent has to strictly follow the direction/guidelines issued by MoEF&CC, CPCB and other Govt. Agencies from time to time.
- 43. The blasting will be done only after getting the permission from the Mining Department.