

State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority-Karnataka

(Constituted by MoEF, Government of India, under section 3(3) of E(P) Act, 1986)

<u>Proceedings of 183rd SEIAA Meeting held on 17th February 2020 at Room No. 709, M.S Building, Bangalore.</u>

Members present: -

Dr. K. C. Jayaramu
 Dr. H. B. Aravinda
 Chairman, SEIAA
 Member, SEIAA

3. Sri. Vijayakumar Gogi, IFS - Member Secretary, SEIAA

The Chairman welcomed the members and initiated the discussion. The subjects discussed and the decisions made under each of the agenda point are as follows:

183.1 Proceedings of 182nd SEIAA Meeting held on 3rd February 2020.

The Authority perused the Proceedings of 182nd SEIAA Meeting held on 3rd February 2020 and confirmed.

183.2 Action Taken report on the proceedings of 182nd SEIAA Meeting held on 3rd February 2020

The Authority noted that the actions are being taken on 182^{nd} SEIAA Meeting held on 3^{rd} February 2020.

183.3 Opportunity of being heard:

183.3.1. Quarrying of Ornamental Stone/ Black Granite at Sy. No. 205/2 of Herandapanahalli Village, Kanakapura Taluk, Ramanagara District by Sri H A Sardar Ahmed - Compliance to Order dated 22-1-2020 of the Hon'ble High Court of Karnataka in W. P No. 31898/2019 (GM-RES) - Reg.

This is a new proposal seeking Environmental clearance for quarrying of Ornamental Stone / Black Granite in 3-0 Acres, Patta Land.

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 10th December 2015. The Committee had recommended to SEIAA for issue of Environmental Clearance. The Authority had perused the proposal during the meeting held on 11th January 2016 and decided to issue Environmental Clearance after taking note of the recommendation made by SEAC.

Accordingly, Environmental Clearance was granted vide letter No.SEIAA 1422 MIN 2015 dated 12.01.2016.

The Authority in the meeting held on 2.3.2019 noted that the ACB, Ramanagara is enquiring into a complaint submitted by Shri Dinesh Kallahalli alleging that the proponent have taken Environmental Clearance in a fraudulent way and concealing the vital information especially with regard to the distance from the boundary of Bannerghatta National Park.

The Authority further noted that the proponent Sri H A Sardar Ahmed have provided false and misleading information with regard to requirement of approvals under the provisions of the Forest Conservation Act, 1980 and the Wild life (Protection) Act, 1972 stating that there is no nearby wild life sanctuary or other sensitive areas in the statutory application Form-1 based on which appraisal has been done and Environmental Clearance granted.

The Authority upon verification ascertained that the project site in question is at a distance of less than 1 Km from the boundary of Bannerghatta National Park.

The Authority after discussion opined that it is a case of deliberate concealment and submission of false and misleading information. The Authority therefore decided to cancel the Environmental Clearance granted vide letter No.SEIAA 1422 MIN 2015 dated 12.01.2016 to Shri H A Sardar Ahmed for quarrying of Ornamental Stone / Black Granite at Sy.No.205/2 of Herandapanahalli Village, Kanakapura Taluk, Ramanagara District with immediate effect.

Accordingly Environment Clearance granted vide letter No. SEIAA 1422 MIN 2015, dated 12.01.2016 was revoked vide letter dated 15.03.2019.

The Authority during the meeting held on 4th July 2019 perused the letter dated 28.06.2019 submitted by the proponent requesting to withdraw the order dated 15.03.2019 revoking Environmental Clearance, enclosing the order dated 31.05.2019 of Hon'ble High court of Karnataka in W.P. No. 37789/2016. The Authority noted that the Hon'ble High Court of Karnataka vide order dated 31st May 2019 in W.P. No. 40831/2018 connected with WP 33122/2017 and WP 37789/2016 (GM-MMS) (Shri Sardar Ahmed H.A. is a petitioner in W.P. No.37789/2016) have ordered as follows:

''20. Respondents are directed to consider petitioners' request in accordance with the Notification to be issued pursuant to 33rd ESZ Expert Committee Meeting and pass appropriate orders in accordance with law.''

It is further noted that the Authority is not respondent in any of these Writ Petitions. However, the Authority opined that the request made by the proponent need to be examined in the light of the provisions of EIA Notification, 2006 and the directions of the Hon'ble High Court of Karnataka. The Authority therefore decided to consider the representation after providing the proponent an opportunity of being heard following the principles of natural justice. Hence, the Authority decided to invite the proponent with all the relevant information to the next meeting of the Authority.

Accordingly, the proponent was called upon to attend the meeting of the Authority vide letter dated 13.08.2019.

The proponent appeared before the Authority on 23.8.2019 and reiterated that the land in question is a patta land and located beyond 100m of the eco sensitive zone

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specified in the draft Notification dated 30.10.2018 and therefore is entitled to undertake the quarrying activity in the above mentioned land. The proponent further submitted a representation to the Authority requesting for two weeks time to enable him to file submission along with material documents. The proponent also requested for an opportunity of personal hearing on the next date. The Authority discussed the issue and decided to provide one more opportunity to the proponent for submission of relevant documents.

The Hon'ble High court of Karnataka have disposed of the W.P. No. 31898/2019 (GM-MMS) vide order dated 22-1-2020 issued following directions:

- (i) Annexure-A which the Communication dated 15th March 2019 issued by the fifth respondent is hereby set aside only on the ground of the breach of principles of natural justice;
- (ii) The communication at Annexure-A shall be treated as a show cause notice;
- (iii) It will be open for the petitioner to file a reply to the show cause notice along with the requisite documents within a period of ten days from today;
- (iv) After giving an opportunity to the petitioner of being heard, the fifth respondent shall pass an appropriate order by recording the brief reasons within a period of three weeks from the date of filing the reply;
- (v) The order passed by the fifth respondent shall be communicated to the petitioner within a period of one week from the date of passing of the order;
- (vi) We make it clear that till the date of communication of the order passed by the fifth respondent to the petitioner, no quarrying operations shall be carried out by the petitioner on the subject land;
- (vii) We make it clear that we have made no adjudication on the merits of the controversy. All contentions of the parties on merits are kept open;
- (viii) In the event, if the order is not passed by the fifth respondent is not communicated to the petitioner within a period of four weeks from the date of filing of the reply, the petitioner is free to move this Court by way of filing an application;

In response to the above said order of the Hon'blle High court, the project authorities have submitted reply on 31.01.2020. The project authorities were invited vide letter dated 10.02.2020 for the meeting to furnish the required information / clarification as an opportunity of being heard in terms of the orders of the Hon'ble High Court of Karnataka. The said letter was sent to the petitioner through RPAD and also through the e-mail: sa582045@gmail.com.

The Authority perused the reply submitted by the petitioner for consideration and decision in accordance with the orders of the Hon'ble High Court of Karnataka.

The Authority noted that the petitioner Shri S.A. Sardar Ahmed, in the W.P. No. 31898/2019 (GM-MMS) remained absent in spite of the opportunity of being heard.

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The Authority after discussion decided to provide one more opportunity of being heard in accordance with the orders of the Hon'ble High Court of Karnataka.

183.3.2. Establishment of Sponge Iron Unit with a capacity of 100 TPD at Sy. No. 6B, 7B & 8B all belonging to Haruvanahalli Village, Hospet Taluk, Bellary District of M/s. Rosvar Iron & Power Pvt. Ltd. - Cancellation of Environmental Clearance issued (SEIAA 37 IND 2007)

The State Level Environmental Impact Assessment Authority during the meeting held on 29th March 2019 noted that Environmental Clearance has been issued vide letter No. SEIAA 37 IND 2007 dated 6th April 2009 for establishment of Sponge Iron Unit with a capacity of 100 TPD at Sy. No. 6B, 7B & 8B all belonging to Haruvanahalli Village, Hospet Taluk, Bellary District. The total land area is 21.4 acres. Water requirement for the proposed unit is 336 m3/day. Gas cleaning plant (GCP), electrostatic precipitator (ESP) etc. shall be provided to control gaseous emissions. Dust from bag filter, ESP and fly ash will be provided to cement & brick manufacturing plants.

The Authority also noted that, upon submission of an application by one Shri Srinivasa Rao Kodali, the Hon'ble NGT in O.A. No. 26/2018 have directed the SEIAA and KSPCB to take action against the industry in accordance with law for the noted violation. The Authority took note of the said Orders of the Hon'ble NGT and decided to issue notice to Show Cause why the Environmental Clearance granted vide letter No. SEIAA 37 IND 2007 dated 06.04.2009 should not be cancelled for the non compliance of EC conditions. The Authority also decided to authorise the Member Secretary to initiate action for cancellation of the above mentioned EC if no satisfactory explanation is received within 15 days and to file report of compliance to the Hon'ble NGT.

Accordingly, notice dated 30.03.2019 was issued to M/s Rosvar Iron & Power Pvt. Ltd to show cause as to why the Environmental Clearance granted in their favour for establishment of Sponge Iron Unit with a capacity of 100 TPD at Sy. No. 6B, 7B & 8B, Haruvanahalli Village, Hospet Taluk, Bellary District vide letter No. SEIAA 37 IND 2007 dated 6th April 2009 of the Authority should not be cancelled/kept in abeyance for the non-compliances observed herein above, on or before 15th of April 2019. The proponent vide letter dated 12.4.2019 have submitted response and have requested not to take any adverse action against the industry as they undertake to comply with all the observations made during the inspection on priority.

The Authority during the meeting held on 4.5.2019 noted that the Hon'ble NGT vide order dated 25.03.2019 considered the compliance uploaded on 15.03.2019 and have decided to consider the matter on 8th May 2019.

The Authority further noted that the State Pollution Control Board in the meantime have held the personal hearing with the representatives of the industry on 12.4.2019 and have provided six months time to the industry for completion of all the pending works to comply the conditions of the consent. The KSPCB also have stated

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that final decision on the matter will be based on the outcome of the SEIAA in respect of Environmental Clearance.

The Authority perused the reply submitted by the proponent in response to the show case notice and noted the following response/clarification.

SI. No.	Non-compliance observed	Response/ clarification provided by the proponent
i.	The industry has been established and operating in a land which is not converted for industrial purpose.	The industry has been established with all the relevant clearances including approval from Karnataka Udyoga Mitra – State Level Single Window Clearance Committee under section 109 of KLR Act.
		Submission of conversion order was delayed due its pendency before the Karnataka Appellate Tribunal and the same is sub judice.
ii.	The industry is established in violation of siting guidelines i.e., distance criteria with respect to NH and SH is not maintained.	The industry was established as per the guidelines. However, in the year 2015-16 the National Highway No. 13 was extended with the existed two way track widened into four way track and was renumbered as National Highway No-50. Owing to the said widening the distance
		between the National Highway to the main gate is 425.46 meters and the distance between the National Highway-50 and the chimney is 726.045 mtrs. Location of Heavy machinery inside the premises is above the required 500m from the National Highway. Therefore, the project site meets the siting guidelines.
iii.	Additional kiln of 1 X 100 TPD capacity has been erected without Environmental Clearance from SEIAA and CFE from the Karnataka State Pollution Control Board.	During the inspection only 1 X 100 TPD kiln was operating. Regarding 2 nd kiln installation, it is not operational and the installation is incomplete. It does not have auxiliary ESP, power connection, etc.

The Authority noted that as per the guidelines of CPCB, the location of Sponge Iron Plant should be at least 500 m away from National Highway and State Highway. Whereas, as per the clarification provided by the proponent, the distance between the National Highway to the main gate is 425.46 meters and the distance between the National Highway-50 and the chimney is 726.045 mtrs. Therefore, the Authority opined that exact distance of the sponge iron plant from the National Highway is not

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forthcoming clearly to establish whether it meets the required siting guidelines or not. Further, the Authority, opined that the non compliance with regard to conversion of project site from Agricultural to Non-Agricultural- Industrial Purpose and installation of 1 X 100 TPD Klin without prior Environmental Clearance continues.

In view of the above observations, the Authority decided as follows:

- 1) Provide an opportunity to the project proponent to get the order of conversion of the project site from Agricultural to Non-Agricultural purpose from the competent authority in accordance with law within 60 days.
- 2) The project proponent shall furnish the exact distance of the sponge iron plant to the National Highway to establish that it is in conformity with the guidelines issued by CPCB.
- 3) In the event of failure to get the order of conversion of the project site from Agricultural to Non-Agricultural and to furnish the distance criteria to establish that the sponge iron plant is in conformity with the guidelines issued by CPCB, within 60 days, the Environmental Clearance granted vide letter No. SEIAA 37 IND 2007 dated 6th April 2009 will be kept in abeyance without any further deliberation and until further orders of the Authority in this regard.
- 4) Works of installation of the 2ndkiln of 1 X 100 TPD shall be stopped and the unit shall not be made operational without obtaining Environmental Clearance from the competent authority in this regard.

Accordingly proposed direction has been issued to the proponent vide letter No. SEIAA 37 IND 2007, dated 06.05.2019 as given below:

- 1) The proponent shall get the project site at Sy. No. 6B, 7B & 8B all belonging to Haruvanahalli Village, Hospet Taluk, Bellary where you have established 1 X 100 TPD Sponge Iron Unit with the conditional Environmental Clearance granted vide letter No. SEIAA 37 IND 2007 dated 6th April 2009 duly converted from Agricultural to Non-Agricultural purpose from the competent authority in accordance with law within 60 days from the date of this letter.
- 2) The proponent shall furnish the exact distance of the sponge iron plant to the National Highway to establish that it is in conformity with the guidelines issued by CPCB.
- 3) In the event of failure to get an order of conversion of the project site from Agricultural to Non-Agricultural and furnishing distance criteria to establish that the sponge iron plant is in the conformity with the guidelines issued by the CPCB, within 60 days and submit to this Authority, the Environmental Clearance granted vide letter No. SEIAA 37 IND 2007 dated 6th April 2009 stands kept in abeyance until further orders of the Authority in this regard.

The proponent have submitted reply vide letter dated 26.6.2019 to the proposed directions issued. The Authority perused the reply submitted by the proponent. The Authority noted that the proponent claims that the issue of conversion of the project site in question from agriculture to non-agriculture purpose from the competent authority is

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pending before the Karnataka Appellate Tribunal (KAT). The proponent have submitted a copy of the order sheet pertaining to appeal No.1358 of 2017 before the Karnataka Appellate Tribunal which reveals that the Hon'ble Tribunal have extended the operation of the stay order until the next date of hearing on the impugned order

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The Authority also perused the orders of the Hon'ble National Green Tribunal in O.A. No. 26 of 2018 (SZ) dated 8.5.2019

dated 28.7.2017 passed by the Assistant Commissioner, Revenue Dept., Government of Karnataka, Hospet. Neither the reply nor the order sheet reveals when is the next date of hearing and the stay order is still valid or not. Further the Authority noted that the order of the Assistant Commissioner, Hospet dated 28.7.2017 which is stated to be under stay is with regard to violation of section 79 (b) of Karnataka Land Reforms Act and no order on the conversion of the said land from agriculture to non-agriculture

The Authority while considering all the relevant issues and the reply/clarification submitted by the proponent, opined as follows:

- 1. M/s Rosvar Iron & Power Pvt. Ltd. is running an industry at Sy.No. 6B, 7B & 8B of Haruvanahalli village, Hospet Taluk, Bellary District without obtaining appropriate order of conversion from agriculture land for non-agriculture/industrial purpose from the competent authority which is a statutory requirement and mandatory as per General Condition No.xxii of the Environmental Clearance letter No. SEIAA 37 IND 2007 dated 6th April 2009. Hence, the industry is working in violation of Condition No.22 of the Environmental Clearance granted by this Authority.
- 2. The proponent have been granted Environmental Clearance bearing No. SEIAA 37 IND 2007 dated 6th April 2009 for establishment of sponge iron unit with a capacity of 100 TPD at Sy.No. 6B, 7B & 8B of Haruvanahalli village, Hospet Taluk, Bellary District, whereas, the proponent have attempted to establish a 2nd unit of 1 X 100 TPD sponge iron without prior Environmental Clearance required under EIA Notification, 2006 amended from time to time and hence he is in violation of the provisions of the EIA Notification, 2006 in general and General Condition No.xvi of the Environmental Clearance letter No. SEIAA 37 IND 2007 dated 6th April 2009.
- 3. The proponent have stated that when the industry was established, the distance from the National Highway was meeting the guidelines, whereas, due to widening of National Highway No.13 during the year 2015-16 (Now NH 50), from two lane to four lane, the distances are altered. The proponent have claimed that the distance between the National Highway and main gate of the industry is 428.9 meters, the distance between National Highway and the man machinery unit is 519.90 meters and the distance between the National Highway and the chimney is 726.04 meters after widening of the Highway. The proponent claims that the machinery unit of the industry is beyond 500 meters from the National Highway.

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As per the guidelines, the location of Sponge Iron Plant should be at least 500 m away from National Highway and State Highway. In the instant case, the plant and machinery including the chimney are reported to be beyond 500m distance from the National Highway, even though the Highway said to have been expanded from two lane to four lane after the establishment of the industry. Hence, the distance criteria is met in the instant case by and large.

The Authority therefore after discussion made the following decisions:

- 1) To keep the Environmental Clearance granted to M/s Rosvar Iron & Power Pvt. Ltd vide letter No.SEIAA 37 IND 2007 dated 6th April 2009 for establishment of sponge iron unit at Sy.No. 6B, 7B & 8B of Haruvanahalli village, Hospet Taluk, Bellary District under abeyance for the violations of provisions of EIA Notification, 2006 in general and General Condition No. xvi and xxii of the EC letter No. SEIAA 37 IND 2007 dated 6th April 2009 in particular until the proponent submits order of conversion of the project site for non- agriculture/industrial purpose from the competent authority and dismantles and shift all the machinery and associated fixtures of 2nd unit of sponge iron from the industry premises.
- 2) Filing a complaint against M/s Rosvar Iron & Power Pvt. Ltd before the jurisdictional court of law for the violations of the EIA Notification, 2006 and non-compliance to the conditions of Environmental Clearance No. SEIAA 37 IND 2007 dated 6th April 2009 under section 19 of Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 in exercise of the powers conferred on the Authority vide O.M. No. S.O. 637 (E) dated 28th February 2014. Shri Ravikumar J.K., Scientific Officer is authorized to file a complaint on behalf of the Authority in this regard.

Accordingly, orders were issued vide letter dated vide letter No. SEIAA 37 IND 2007, dated 29.07.2019 and complaint have been before the Hon'ble court of Additional Civil Judge and JMFC, Hospet, Bellari District.

A report on the action taken was submitted to the Hon'ble NGT, South Zone Chennai vide letter dated 1.08.2019. The Hon'ble NGT vide order dated 25.11.2018 observed that the petitioner have filed detailed objection to the joint committee report which has to be considered by the same committee and submit a further report of the same. The Hon' NGT further directed that the SEIAA, Karnataka and KSPCB to go into the objections and submit a further action taken report regarding the same after making necessary inspection on each of the points raised by the applicant.

Shri G.V. Ravi Prasad Scientific Officer Grade-1 who represented SEIAA and Sri M.Sridhar Regional Senior Environmental Officer, (Additional Charge), Zonal Office, Ballari and Sri P. K. Umashankar Environmental Officer, Regional Office, Ballari visited the industry on 26.12.2019 and submitted a joint inspection report in compliance to the orders of the Hon'ble NGT dated 17.12.2019.

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As the matter was listed before the Hon'ble NGT South Zone Chennai on 17th January 2020, Shri H.K. Vasanth, advocate of the Authority filed the joint committee report before the Hon'ble NGT. The Hon'ble NGT while going through the report decided to wait for the steps to be completed by SEIAA before proceeding with Original Application No. 26 of 2018 as well as Appeal No. 10 of 2019.

The Authority during the meeting held on 20.01.2020 while going through the joint committee report submitted by the officers on 30.12.2019, and observed the following apart from other non-compliances reported in the joint committee report:

- a) There is a difference in Survey Numbers of the land mentioned in the Form-1 and other statutory documents submitted while seeking Environmental Clearance under EIA Notification, 2006 which are reflected in the EC dated 6th April 2009 and that of CFE & CFO issued by the KSPCB.
- b) Difference in the extent of the land is observed in the documents submitted to this Authority, the KSPCB and the actual extent of land.
- c) It is also observed that the project authorities had established the industry and had undertaken a trail run even before applying for Environmental Clearance under EIA Notification, 2006 which is in violation of the provisions of the said notification.

The Authority after discussion opined that in view of the above observations the Environmental Clearance to the project proponent vide letter dated 6th April 2009 deserves to be cancelled in terms of para 8 (vi) of the EIA Notification, 2006. The Authority therefore decided to provide an opportunity of being heard in accordance with the said provisions of the Notification to the project proponent to show cause why the EC granted to them vide letter dated 6th April 2009 should not be cancelled.

The Authority also decided to report the action taken by the Authority in this regard to the Hon'ble NGT.

Accordingly, show cause notice was issued vide letter dated 06 02.2020 and the proponent have invited to be present to furnish the required information / clarification and the same has been reported to the Hon'ble NGT.

The Authority noted that the project authorities have neither submitted written explanation/clarification to the above mentioned show cause notice nor appeared before the Authority and explained why the Environmental Clearance granted should not be cancelled.

The Authority further noted that project authorities vide letter dated 16.02.2020, have expressed inability to appear before the Authority due to health condition and have request to grant three weeks time.

The Authority while going through the orders of the Hon'ble NGT dated 10.02.2020 noted the following orders at para 13.

"In the mean time, SEIAA is also entitled to assess the environmental compensation against the unit in accordance with law for

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the violations, if they decide to revoke the Environmental Clearance (EC) granted, as per the directions of this Tribunal in several matters of this nature and on the basis of the guidelines of CPCB in this regard, after giving proper opportunity to the unit to be heard."

The Authority after discussion decided to provide the project authorities one more opportunity of being heard with regard to the subject matter of show cause notice dated 06.02.2020 and also with regard to payment of environmental compensation as per the directions of the Hon'ble Tribunal on the basis of the guidelines of CPCB.

183.3 Deferred Projects:

183.4.1. Proposed Building Stone Quarry Project at Sy.No.06 of Thimmalapura Village, Harappanahalli Taluk, Ballari District in an area of 6-50 Acers By Sri Yashwanth Gouda M.B(SEIAA 408 MIN 2019)

Sri Yashwanth Gouda M.B have applied for Environmental clearance from SEIAA for quarrying of Building Stone on 2.63 Ha, Government Revenue Land at Sy.No.06 of Thimmalapura Village, Harappanahalli Taluk, Ballari District.

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 14th November **2019**. The Committee noted that this is a fresh lease involving building stone mining in Govt. land. The proponent has stated that he has obtained NOCs from Forest, Revenue Dept. The lease has been notified on 27-03-2019. As seen from the quarry plan there is a level difference of 32meters within the mining area and taking this into consideration the committee opined that the proposed proved quantity of 1204634tons or 463320cum can be mined safely and scientifically.

The Committee also noted that as per the extended combined sketch prepared by DMG there are 2 leases including this lease within the 500 meter radius from this lease. The total area of these 2 leases is 11.5 Acres and which being less than the threshold limit of 5 Ha. Committee decided to categorise this project under B2 and proceeded with the appraisal accordingly. He has also stated that his project does not fall within the 10 KM radius from the boundary of any Wildlife sanctuary/National Park. As far as approach road is concerned, the proponent has stated that, there is a existing cart track road to a length of 2.2KM connecting lease area to all weather black topped road.

As far as CER is concerned the proponent has stated, that he will earmark Rs.25.0lakhs to take up rejuvenation of pond near Kanakara Basapura village which is at a distance of 1.2KM from the project site. The committee after discussion decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA to issue Environment Clearance with the following conditions:

- 1) Safe drinking water has to be provided at the quarry site.
- 2) Dust suppression measures have to be strictly followed.
- 3) Only registered labours should be employed.

The Authority during the meeting held on 17.12.2019 perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC. The Authority after discussion decided to get the following information for further consideration.

- 1) Details of mining leasers and the notified areas within 500 meters fron the boundary of the quarry site.
- 2) Distance of the proposed project site from the boundary of nearest National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal and if it is located within 10 Km of the said National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal then a map duly authenticated by the Chief Wildlife Warden showing the boundary from such National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal vis a vis the project location and the recommendation or comments of the Chief Wildlife Warden thereon.
- 3) An action plan with activities proposed under CER in accordance with O.M F. No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated 1st May 2018 issued by MoEF&CC, Government of India, allocation of funds against each of the activities and the time frame within which such activities will be completed. The funds so earmarked shall be in accordance with para 6 (II) and the activities shall be in accordance with para 6 (V) of the said O.M.

The Authority perused the rreply submitted by the proponent vide letter dated 25.12.2019 received on 31.12.2019 informing that the total extent of the mining leases in the cluster is 4.65 Ha and hence the proposal is to be considered under category B2. The project proponent have also been informed that there are no National parks, wild life sanctuaries, etc within 10 Km from the boundary of the project site.

The Authority after discussion decided to issue Environmental Clearance for extraction of building stone as per approved quarry plan.

183.4.2. Proposed Building Stone Quarry Project at Sy.No.418 of Chikkakereyaginahalli Village, Sandur Taluk, Ballari District (4-28 Acres) By Sri T.G. Mallikarjuna Gouda(SEIAA 718 MIN 2019)

Sri T.G. Mallikarjuna Gouda have applied for Environmental clearance from SEIAA for quarrying of Building Stone on 1.902 Ha, Government Land at Sy.No.418 of Chikkakereyaginahalli Village, Sandur Taluk, Ballari District.

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 13th November 2019. The Committee noted that this is a fresh lease involving building stone mining in Govt. land. The proponent has stated that he has obtained NOCs from Forest, Revenue Dept., and the project has been got vetted by District task force. The lease has been notified on 31-01-2017. As seen from the quarry plan there is a level difference of 14meters within the mining area and taking this into consideration the committee opined that 80% of the proposed proved quantity of 714953tons or 286153cum can be mined safely and scientifically to a quarry pit depth of 15 meters for a lease period.

As per the combined sketch prepared by DMG there are other 5 leases with a total area of 23.7 Acres within the 500 meter radius from this lease. Out of which 2 leases with a total area of 13Acres is notified for M-Sand and total area of balance 3 leases is 10.7 Acre and out of which 2 leases with a total area of 9.7Acres i.e

SEIAA718MIN2019 and SEIAA719MIN2019 have come up for appraisal in this meeting. The total area of these three leases being less than the threshold limit of 5 Ha. committee decided to categorise this project under B2 and proceeded with the appraisal accordingly. As far as approach road is concerned, the proponent has stated that, there is a existing cart track road to a length of 800meters connecting lease area to all weather black topped road. As far as CER is concerned the proponent has stated that he has earmarked Rs.12.00 lakhs to take up soil Conservation and Rainwater harvesting structures in nearby forest in consultation with forest authorities. The committee after discussion decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA to issue Environment Clearance with the following conditions:

- 1) Safe drinking water has to be provided at the quarry site.
- 2) Dust suppression measures have to be strictly followed.
- 3) Only registered labours should be employed.

The Authority during the meeting held on 17.12.2019 perused and took note of the recommendation of SEAC. The Authority after discussion decided to get the following information for further consideration.

- 1) Details of the existing and notified leases within 500 meters from the boundary of the proposed lease with status of their Environment Clearance/ execution of Lease
- 2) Distance of the proposed project site from the boundary of nearest National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal and if it is located within 10 Km of the said National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal then a map duly authenticated by the Chief Wildlife Warden showing the boundary from such National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal vis a vis the project location and the recommendation or comments of the Chief Wildlife Warden thereon.
- 3) An action plan with activities proposed under CER in accordance with O.M F. No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated 1st May 2018 issued by MoEF&CC, Government of India, allocation of funds against each of the activities and the time frame within which such activities will be completed. The funds so earmarked shall be in accordance with para 6 (II) and the activities shall be in accordance with para 6 (V) of the said O.M.

The Authority perused the reply submitted by the proponent vide letter dated 30.12.2019 and 30.01.2020. The Authority opined that there is some inconsistency in the reply submitted with regard to the number of quarry leases and the extent.

The Authority after discussion decided to get a clarification in this regard for further consideration.

183.4.3. Proposed Building Stone Quarry Project at Sy.No.418 of Chikkakereyaginahalli Village, Sandur Taluk, Ballari District (5-00 Acres) By Sri G. Basavaraja Gouda (SEIAA 719 MIN 2019)

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Sri G. Basavaraja Gouda have applied for Environmental clearance from SEIAA for quarrying of Building Stone on 2.0235 Ha, Government Land at Sy.No.418 of Chikkakereyaginahalli Village, Sandur Taluk, Ballari District

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 13th November 2019. The Committee noted that this is a fresh lease involving building stone mining in Govt. land. The proponent has stated that he has obtained NOCs from Forest, Revenue Dept., and the project has been got vetted by District task force. The lease has been notified on 31-01-2017. As seen from the quarry plan there is a level difference of 12meters within the mining area and taking this into consideration the committee opined that the proposed proved quantity of 773661 tons or 309560 cum can be mined safely and scientifically to a quarry pit depth of 20 meters for a lease period if the area left undisturbed is included in the mining area.

As per the combined sketch prepared by DMG there are other 5 leases with a total area of 23.7 Acres within the 500 meter radius from this lease. Out of which 2 leases with a total area of 13 Acres is notified for M-Sand and total area of balance 3 leases is 10.7 Acre and out of which 2 leases with a total area of 9.7 Acres i.e SEIAA 718 MIN 2019 and SEIAA 719 MIN 2019 have comeup for appraisal in this meeting. The total area of these three leases being less than the threshold limit of 5 Ha. committee decided to categorise this project under B2 and proceeded with the appraisal accordingly.

As far as approach road is concerned, the proponent has stated that, there is a existing cart track road to a length of 820meters connecting lease area to all weather black topped road. As far as CER is concerned the proponent has stated that he has earmarked Rs.16.00 lakhs to take up soil Conservation and Rainwater harvesting structures in nearby forest in consultation with forest authorities. The committee after discussion decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA to issue Environment Clearance with the following conditions:

- 1) Safe drinking water has to be provided at the guarry site.
- 2) Dust suppression measures have to be strictly followed.
- 3) Only registered labours should be employed.

The Authority during the meeting held on 17.12.2019 perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC. The Authority after discussion decided to get the following information for further consideration.

- 1) Details of the existing and notified leases within 500 meters from the boundary of the proposed lease with status of their Environment Clearance/ execution of Lease.
- 2) Distance of the proposed project site from the boundary of nearest National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal and if it is located within 10 Km of the said National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal then a map duly authenticated by the Chief Wildlife Warden showing the boundary from such National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life

animal vis a vis the project location and the recommendation or comments of the Chief Wildlife Warden thereon.

3) An action plan with activities proposed under CER in accordance with O.M F. No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated 1st May 2018 issued by MoEF&CC, Government of India, allocation of funds against each of the activities and the time frame within which such activities will be completed. The funds so earmarked shall be in accordance with para 6 (II) and the activities shall be in accordance with para 6 (V) of the said O.M.

The Authority perused the reply submitted by the proponent vide letter dated 30.12.2019 and 30.01.2020. The Authority opined that there is some inconsistency in the reply submitted with regard to the number of quarry leases and the extent.

The Authority after discussion decided to get a clarification in this regard for further consideration.

183.4.4. Proposed Building Stone Quarry Project at Sy.No.232/3B of Ugginakeri Village, Kalaghatgi Taluk, Dharwad District (1-20 Acres) By Sri N.B. Hiremath (SEIAA 689 MIN 2019)

Sri N.B. Hiremath have applied for Environmental clearance from SEIAA for quarrying of Building Stone on 0.61 Ha, (1-20 Acres) Patta Land at Sy.No.232/3B of Ugginakeri Village, Kalaghatgi Taluk, Dharwad District.

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 4th December 2019.. The Committee noted that this is a fresh lease involving building stone mining in patta land. The proponent has stated that he has obtained NOCs from Forest, Revenue Dept and land conversion order. The lease has been notified on 18-04-2019 for 20 years. As seen from the quarry plan there is a level difference of 1 meters within the mining area and taking this into consideration, the committee opined that 50% of the proposed proved quantity of 196992tons or 79145cum can be mined safely and scientifically to a quarry pit depth of 10meters for a lease period.

As per the combined sketch prepared by DMG there are 3 leases including this lease within 500 meter radius from this lease. The total area of these 3 leases is 4Acre 20 guntas and this being less than the threshold limit of 5 Ha. committee decided to categorise this project under B2 and proceeded with the appraisal accordingly. The proponent has stated that the lease area is situated at a distance of 15KM from Attivari Bird sanctuary. As far as approach road is concerned, the proponent has stated that, there is a existing cart track road to a length of 200meters connecting lease area to all weather black topped road. As far as CER is concerned the proponent has stated, that he will earmark Rs.2.50 lakhs to take up rejuvenation of Ugginakeri kere which is at a distance of 0.35KM from the lease area. The committee after discussion decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA to issue Environment Clearance with the following conditions:

1. Safe drinking water has to be provided at the quarry site.

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- 2. Dust suppression measures have to be strictly followed.
- 3. Only registered labours should be employed.

The Authority during the meeting held on 23.12.2019 perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC. The Authority observed that the land use details in the quarry plan and the site photographs reveals that it is an existing quarry whereas it is shown as "new" in the application. As per the land use details no buffer zone is proposed as per the mine safety rules. The Authority after discussion decided to get the following information for further consideration.

- 1) Copy of the village map duly marking the project site vis a vis the water bodies in the surroundings of the proposed project site
- 2) Details of the earlier EC obtained and report of compliance on conditions of EC issued by the regional office of MoEF&CC
- 3) Copy of the modified quarry plan dully indicating the buffer zone and modifying the minable resources accordingly.
- 4) Clarification as to why this proposal should not be considered as case of violation of the provision of EIA notification 2006 in the event of working out the guarry without prior Environment Clearance
- 5) Distance of the proposed project site from the boundary of nearest National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal and if it is located within 10 Km of the said National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal then a map duly authenticated by the Chief Wildlife Warden showing the boundary from such National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal vis a vis the project location and the recommendation or comments of the Chief Wildlife Warden thereon.
- 6) An action plan with activities proposed under CER in accordance with O.M F. No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated 1st May 2018 issued by MoEF&CC, Government of India, allocation of funds against each of the activities and the time frame within which such activities will be completed. The funds so earmarked shall be in accordance with para 6 (II) and the activities shall be in accordance with para 6 (V) of the said O.M.

The Authority perused the reply submitted by the proponent vide letter dated 10.02.2020. The Authority decided to get original village map duly marking the project site and clarification on the observation made by the Committee regarding the existing quarry pits, for further consideration.

183.4.5. Building Stone Quarry Project at Sy.No.67/*/2 of Keroor Village, Bhalki Taluk, Bidar District (3-00 Acres) by M/s.Mehul Construction Co. Pvt. Ltd. (SEIAA 737 MIN 2019)

M/s. Mehul Construction Co.Pvt. Ltd. have applied for Environmental clearance from SEIAA for quarrying of Building Stone on 1.2 Ha (3-00 Acres), Private Patta Land. Project at Sy.No.67/*/2 of Keroor Village, Bhalki Taluk, Bidar District

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 3rd December 2019. The Committee noted that this is a fresh lease involving building stone mining in patta land. The proponent has stated that he has obtained NOCs from Forest, Revenue Dept and application for land conversion has been submitted and this is under process. The lease has been notified on 21-09-2019 for 20 years. As seen from the quarry plan there is a level difference of 4 meters within the mining area and taking this into consideration, the committee opined that 50% of the proposed proved quantity of 529500tons or 199060cum can be mined safely and scientifically to a quarry pit depth of 12meters for a lease period.

As per the combined sketch prepared by DMG there are two leases including this lease within 500 meter radius from this lease and area of these lease being less than the threshold limit of 5 Ha. committee decided to categorise this project under B2 and proceeded with the appraisal accordingly. As far as approach road is concerned, the proponent has stated that, there is a existing cart track road to a length of 350meters connecting lease area to all weather black topped road. As far as CER is concerned the proponent has stated, that he will earmark Rs.5.00 lakhs to take up rejuvenation of Keroor kere which is at a distance of 1.2KM from the lease area. The committee after discussion decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA to issue Environment Clearance with the following conditions:

- 1. Safe drinking water has to be provided at the guarry site.
- 2. Dust suppression measures have to be strictly followed.
- 3. Only registered labours should be employed.

The Authority during the meeting held on 23.12.2019 perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC.

The Authority observed that the photographs of the project site enclosed reveals that the project site appear to be the productive agricultural land. The description under para 3(b) of the quarry plan do not appear to match the project site. The RTC provided reveals that the land belongs to Sri Pandarinatha S/o Appa Rao whereas the application is made by M/s. Mehul Construction Co. Pvt. Ltd. Copy of the consent letter do not carry the details to whom consent is provided. The Authority after discussion decided to get the following information for further consideration.

- 1) Confirmation with regard to the availability of resources along with clarification regarding the discrepancy between the explanation provided in the quarry plan and the photographs enclosed.
- 2) Details of alternate site examined for undertaking quarrying and the reasons for choosing the proposed project site.
- 3) Appropriate consent letter in the prescribed format in favour the applicant.
- 4) Appropriate order of conversion of the proposed project site for Non-Agricultural purposes from the competent Authority.
- 5) Distance of the proposed project site from the boundary of nearest National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal and if it is located within 10 Km of the said National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio

sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal then a map duly authenticated by the Chief Wildlife Warden showing the boundary from such National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal vis a vis the project location and the recommendation or comments of the Chief Wildlife Warden thereon

6) An action plan with activities proposed under CER in accordance with O.M F. No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated 1st May 2018 issued by MoEF&CC, Government of India, allocation of funds against each of the activities and the time frame within which such activities will be completed. The funds so earmarked shall be in accordance with para 6 (II) and the activities shall be in accordance with para 6 (V) of the said O.M.

The Authority perused the reply submitted by the proponent vide letter dated 20.01.2020 and noted that there is no order of conversion from agriculture to non-agriculture purpose.

The Authority after discussion decided to get the copy of conversion from agriculture to non- agriculture for further consideration.

183.4 Fresh Projects (Recommended for EC):

Industry Projects:

183.5.1. Proposed Modification & Expansion of Bulk Drug & Intermediates Unit Project at Plot Nos.94 & 95(P), KIADB Industrial Area, Situated in Sy.No.214 of Gadwanth Villages, Humnabad Hobli & Taluk, Bidar District by M/s. Lakshmidurga Drugs & Intermediates Pvt. Ltd. (SEIAA 19 IND (VIOL) 2018)

M/s. Lakshmidurga Drugs & Intermediates Pvt. Ltd. have applied for Environmental clearance from SEIAA for Modification & Expansion of Bulk Drug & Intermediates Unit Project at Plot **Nos**.94 & 95(P), KIADB Industrial Area, Situated in Sy.No.214 of Gadwanth Villages, Humnabad Hobli & Taluk, Bidar District

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 19.5.2018. The committee appraised the proposal as per the Notification dated: 8-3-2018 issued by MoEF & CC considering the information provided in the statutory application-Form I, pre-feasibility report, proposed ToRs and clarification/additional information provided during the meeting. The proponent has requested the committee to permit him to adopt the baseline studies made during Nov-2016 to Jan 2017 for the same project under the pretext that the baseline studies done for the same project holds good for three years for which the committee accepted the same. The committee decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA for issue of Standard ToRs and additional TORs to conduct the EIA studies along with public hearing in accordance with the EIA Notification 2006 and relevant guidelines and to conduct public hearing.

The Authority during the meeting held on 1.6.2018 decided to issue ToR as recommended by SEAC for conducting the Environment Impact Assessment study in

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accordance with EIA Notification, 2006. Accordingly TORs were issued on 15-06-2019. The proponent has submitted the EIA report vide letter dated: 06-01-2020.

The subject was placed before SEAC meeting held on 21-01-2020 for EIA appraisal. The proponent has stated that he has operated the plant based on the CFE and CFO issued by KSPCB and he has not violated any conditions stipulated thereon till 2017. After KSPCB pointed out that the proponent has to obtain EC the proponent has made out an application for EC and stopped operations since then till date. Based on this the proponent has stated that he has not violated any terms and conditions issued by competent authorities. But however this project having been classified under violation category for not obtaining EC the proponent has stated that he has worked out the retribution cost on the ambient air and water quality based on the carbon credit standards and arrived at an amount of Rs 3.29 lakhs and further he has proposed the remediation works for an amount of Rs 6.00 lakhs and requested the committee to accept his proposal and recommend for issue of EC. The committee after discussion decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA for issue of Environmental Clearance with the condition that the proponent has to explore the alternatives for toxic toluene or else prepare toxicity report for the end product.

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC.

The Authority after discussion decided to clear the proposal for issue of Environmental Clearance after filing a complaint before jurisdictional court of law for the alleged violation under section 19 of the Environment (Protection) Act 1986 and subject to submission of the following information/documents:

- Detailed assessment of the ecological damage, remediation plan and Natural and Community Resource Augmentation Plan
- 2) Bank guarantee for an amount equivalent to remediation plan and Natural and Community Resource Augmentation Plan with the Karnataka State Pollution Control Board, Bengaluru.
- 3) An action plan with activities proposed under CER in accordance with O.M F. No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated 1st May 2018 issued by MoEF&CC, Government of India, allocation of funds against each of the activities and the time frame within which such activities will be completed. The funds so earmarked shall be in accordance with para 6 (II) and the activities shall be in accordance with para 6 (V) of the said O.M.

The Authority also decided to authorize Shri H.K.Vasanth, Advocate and Shri Ravikumar J.K., Scientific Officer, Department of Forest, Ecology and Environment for filing the complaint.

183.5.2. Proposed Expansion of production capacity of CI Graded Casting from 36,000 MTPA to 1,20,000 MTPA located at R.S No.552/B, 553/B & 592/B, Machhe Industrial Estate, Belgavi Taluk & District by M/s. Ashok Iron Works Pvt Ltd, Plant –III (SEIAA 07 IND 2019)

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M/s. Ashok Iron Works Pvt Ltd, Plant –III have applied for Environmental clearance from SEIAA for Proposed Expansion of production capacity of CI Graded Casting from 36,000 MTPA to 1,20,000 MTPA located at R.S No.552/B, 553/B & 592/B, Machhe Industrial Estate, Belgavi Taluk & District

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 9-4-2019. The committee had decided to appraise the proposal as B1 and decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA for issue of standard TORs along with additional TORs to conduct the EIA studies. The Authority during the meeting held on 4.5.2019 decided to issue ToR as recommended by SEAC for conducting the Environment Impact Assessment study in accordance with EIA Notification, 2006. Accordingly TORs were issued on 28-05-2019. The proponent has submitted the EIA report vide letter dated: 20-12-2019.

The proposal was placed before SEAC meeting held on 22-01-2020 for EIA appraisal. The Committee after discussion decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA for issue of Environmental Clearance

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC.

The Authority after discussion decided to clear the proposal for issue of Environmental Clearance subject to submission of an action plan with activities proposed under CER in accordance with O.M F. No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated 1st May 2018 issued by MoEF&CC, Government of India, allocation of funds against each of the activities and the time frame within which such activities will be completed. The funds so earmarked shall be in accordance with para 6 (II) and the activities shall be in accordance with para 6 (V) of the said O.M.

Construction Projects:

183.5.3. Proposed Residential Development Project at Sy.Nos.68, 69/1, 69/2, 71/1, 71/2, 73, 74/1B, 75, 76, 77/1, 77/2, 78, 79, 80, 82/2 of Attur Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru Urban District By M/s. Century Star (SEIAA 110 CON 2019)

M/s. Century Star have proposed for construction of Residential Development Project on a plot area of 65,078.50 Sqm. The total built up area is 83,561.87 Sq m.. The proposed project consists of Residential Apartment consisting of 572 no of units with building configuration of 2B+ Stilt + G + 23UF. Total parking space proposed is for 626 No's of Cars. Total water consumption is 435 KLD (Fresh water + Recycled water). The total wastewater discharge Is 392 KLD. It is proposed to construct Sewage Treatment Plant with a capacity of 400 KLD. The project cost is Rs. 123.5 Crores.

The subject was discussed in SEAC meeting held on 26-8-2019. The committee noted from the village survey map that there are two nalas one each on the northern and southern side for which the proponent has stated that he has left 15 meter buffer zone on either side of the nala. There is also another nala on the middle of the project site running in north-south direction and cutting across the project site for which the

proponent has stated that he has left 15 meter zone on both side and also he has mentioned that Sy.No.70 in which this nala runs has been kept vacant. In addition to this there is a lake on the western side of the project site for which the proponent has stated that he has left 30 meter buffer zone in this project site. Further, as seen from the records there is Puttenahalli lake birds conservation reserve at a distance of 500 meters from the project boundary and also the proponent has stated that this project falls in the sensitive zone as per RMP-2015 for which the proponent has stated that he will come back with proper redressal for the above issues. Hence committee decided to defer the subject.

The Proponent and Environment Consultant attended the SEAC meeting held on 21-01-2020 for appraisal. The Committee noted from the records that the BDA sensitive committee while approving the project stipulated the conditions that the manmade nala has to be built further to lead off the nala water to Puttenahalli lake by building the drain to the carrying capacity equal to spillway capacity of Attur lake, for which the proponent has agreed to do the same. As far as ESZ applicability to Puttenahalli Bird conservation reserve the proponent has submitted the clarification issued by MoEF&CC, GoI stating that no guidelines have been fixed for any wildlife conservation reserves.

As per the records Avi fauna found in the study area has not been listed for which the proponent has stated that he will do the same and if any schedule –I fauna observed he has agreed to prepare conservation plan in consultation with forest authorities. As far as letting out 50% of the treated sewage water to the UGD system the proponent has stated that he will rework on this issue reducing the effluent discharge to the maximum 25% of fresh water demand. Proponent has also agreed to earmark sufficient area to plant 750 trees within the project site or in the alternate site. The proponent has agreed to improve the Puttenahalli Bird reserve habitat suitable tree species to be proposed eg viz Acacia arabica etc which facilitates forage, nesting and resting.

The proponent has also agreed to built entry and exit at the elevated level where it crosses the buffer zone leaving the buffer zone undisturbed except by putting up some columns. The proponent has also agreed to install biogas plant in the project site. The proponent has also agreed to earmark Rs 2.6 crores to take up rejuvenation of Attur lake. The committee after discussion decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA for issue of Environmental Clearance.

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC.

The Authority after discussion decided to clear the proposal for issue of Environmental Clearance subject to submission of the following information:

1) Specific source of treated water for the construction with an undertaking/MoU with the prospective supplier of such treated water and with water quality analysis report to establish that such treated water is fit for construction purpose.

2) An action plan with activities proposed under CER in accordance with O.M F. No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated 1st May 2018 issued by MoEF&CC, Government of India, allocation of funds against each of the activities and the time frame within which such activities will be completed. The funds so earmarked shall be in accordance with para 6 (II) and the activities shall be in accordance with para 6 (V) of the said O.M.

183.5.4. Proposed Residential Township comprising of staff quarters of 600 nos. of various categories and 50 bachelor's transit accommodation for ISRO officials Project at Khundapura Village, Challakere Taluk, Chitradurga District by Human Space Flight Centre (ISRO) (SEIAA 163 CON 2019)

Human Space Flight Centre (ISRO) have proposed for construction of Residential Township Project on a plot area of 100 acre (40.47 ha). The total built up area is 1,10,800 m². Total water consumption is 1200 KLD (Fresh water + Recycled water). The total wastewater discharge is 800 KLD. It is proposed to construct Effluent Treatment Plant with a capacity of 800 KLD. The project cost is Rs. 550 Crores.

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 21st January 2020. The proponent has stated that the road being built all round the project site cuts across the buffer zone for which the proponent has agreed to build the same at the elevated level leaving the buffer zone undisturbed except by putting up some columns. As far as CER is concerned the proponent has stated that he will earmark Rs 5.5 crores for taking up rejuvenation of Nayakanahatti tank in addition to 10 water ponds one each in the nearby hamlets to provide the drinking water to cattles and also avenue plantation to roads leading these Hamlets and providing water supply, sanitation and solar lights in these hamlets.

The Committee noted that the following information are missing in the presentation material. The committee after discussion decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA for issue of Environmental Clearance with the following conditions.

- 1) Green belt development design details including plant species to be proposed and its numbers.
- 2) EMP budget details to carry out environmental activities like afforestation etc.
- 3) Land use breakup details are incomplete since the area earmarked for greenery/green belt development to an extent of atleast 33% or at the rate of 80Sqm per plant as mandated.
- 4) Since this is a Greenfield project CER as mandated may be earmarked. The details of activities proposed around the project area may be worked out and submitted.
- 5) Details of 20% eco friendly building materials may be worked out and submitted.
- 6) Solar panel layout utilizing the entire terrace area may be worked out and submitted.
- 7) Explore the possibility of building eco pond within the project area may be worked out and submitted.

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The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC.

The Authority after discussion decided to clear the proposal for issue of Environmental Clearance imposing the above conditions with addition to the general conditions.

183.5.5. Proposed Residential Apartment Building project at Sy.No.125, 126, 127 & 128 of Rayasandra Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru District by M/.s. Ahad Builders Pvt. Ltd. (SEIAA 165 CON 2019)

M/.s. Ahad Builders Pvt. Ltd. have proposed for construction of Residential Apartment Building Project on a plot area of 32,476.95 sqm. The total built up area is 99,957.83Sqm. The proposed project consists of 620 No's of Residential units in 9 Block Each block configuration of 2BF+GF+19UF and a Club House with a configuration of GF+4UF. Total parking space proposed is for 754 No's of Cars. Total water consumption is 467 KLD (Fresh water + Recycled water). The total wastewater discharge is 420.3 KLD. It is proposed to construct Sewage Treatment Plant with a capacity of 450 KLD. The project cost is Rs. 109.73 Crores.

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 21st January 2020. The Committee noted from the village survey map there are no water bodies either in the form of natural nala or water ponds which attracts buffer zone as per norms but there is a cart track road cutting across the project site in east west direction for which the proponent has stated that he has retained it as it is and it will be kept open for public use.

The committee after discussion decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA for issue of Environmental Clearance with condition that if the project located within 10 KM from the Wildlife Sanctuary, National park etc. the proponent to submit the map duly authenticated by Chief Wildlife Warden showing these features vis-a-vis the project location and the recommendations or comments of the Chief Wild life Warden thereon as to the SEIAA.

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC.

The Authority after discussion decided to clear the proposal for issue of Environmental Clearance subject to submission of the following information:

1) Distance of the proposed project site from the boundary of nearest National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal and if it is located within 10 Km of the said National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal then a map duly authenticated by the Chief Wildlife Warden showing the boundary from such National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal vis a vis the project location and the recommendation or comments of the Chief Wildlife Warden thereon.

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- 2) Specific source of treated water for the construction with an undertaking/MoU with the prospective supplier of such treated water and with water quality analysis report to establish that such treated water is fit for construction purpose.
- 3) An action plan with activities proposed under CER in accordance with O.M F. No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated 1st May 2018 issued by MoEF&CC, Government of India, allocation of funds against each of the activities and the time frame within which such activities will be completed. The funds so earmarked shall be in accordance with para 6 (II) and the activities shall be in accordance with para 6 (V) of the said O.M.

183.5.6. Proposed Commercial Development, Retail & Multiplex Project at Sy.No.121/1 of Seegehallli Village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk, Bengaluru District – M/s. Macaw Enterprises LLP(SEIAA 166 CON 2019)

M/s. Macaw Enterprises LLP have proposed for construction of Commercial Development, Retail & Multiplex Project on a plot area of 5,045.99 Sqmt. The total built up area is 21,818.10 Sqmt. The Proposed project is a commercial development consists of 2BF+GF+5UF. Total parking space proposed is for 338 No's of Cars. Total water consumption is 58 KLD (Fresh water + Recycled water). The total wastewater discharge is 52 KLD. It is proposed to construct Sewage Treatment Plant with a capacity of 60 KLD. The project cost is Rs. 34 Crores.

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 21st January 2020. The Committee noted from the village survey map that there are no water bodies either in the form of natural nala or water ponds which attracts buffer zone as per norms. As far as CER is concerned that he will earmark Rs 70.00 lakhs to take up rejuvenation of Chicka Banahalli lake which is at a distance of 700meters from the project site. The committee after discussion decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA for issue of Environmental Clearance.

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC.

The Authority after discussion decided to clear the proposal for issue of Environmental Clearance subject to submission of the following information:

- 1) Specific source of treated water for the construction with an undertaking/MoU with the prospective supplier of such treated water and with water quality analysis report to establish that such treated water is fit for construction purpose.
- 2) An action plan with activities proposed under CER in accordance with O.M F. No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated 1st May 2018 issued by MoEF&CC, Government of India, allocation of funds against each of the activities and the time frame within which such activities will be completed. The funds so earmarked shall be in accordance with para 6 (II) and the activities shall be in accordance with para 6 (V) of the said O.M.

183.5.7. Proposed Commercial cum Residential Project at Sy.Nos.216/2, 114/8C, 216/5, 114/8D2, 216/3, 114/8D1, 216/4, 114/8E of Puttur Village, Udupi Taluk & District – M/s. J.J. Builders & Developers (SEIAA 167 CON 2019)

M/s. J.J. Builders & Developers have proposed for construction of Commercial cum Residential Project on a plot area of 5,341.93 Sqm. The total built up area is 25,411.19 Sqm. The proposed project consists of Commercial cum Residential Project with single tower of B + LG + UG+ 13 UF. Total parking space proposed is for 151 No's of Cars and 38 No's of Two Wheelers. Total water consumption is 103 KLD (Fresh water + Recycled water). The total wastewater discharge is 80 KLD. It is proposed to construct Sewage Treatment Plant with a capacity of 90 KLD. The project cost is Rs. 47.5 Crores.

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 21st January 2020. The Committee noted from the village survey map that there are no water bodies either in the form of natural nala or water ponds which attracts buffer zone as per norms. The committee after discussion decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA for issue of Environmental Clearance

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC.

The Authority after discussion decided to clear the proposal for issue of Environmental Clearance subject to submission of an action plan with activities proposed under CER in accordance with O.M F. No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated 1st May 2018 issued by MoEF&CC, Government of India, allocation of funds against each of the activities and the time frame within which such activities will be completed. The funds so earmarked shall be in accordance with para 6 (II) and the activities shall be in accordance with para 6 (V) of the said O.M.

183.5.8. Proposed Residential Apartment Building at Sy.No.113/4 of Nagondanahalli Village, K.R. Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore District By M/s. United Developers (SEIAA 168 CON 2019)

M/s. United Developers have proposed for construction of Residential Apartment Project on a plot area of 11,836.95m². The total built up area is 37,767.47 m². The proposed project consists of 260 No's of Residential unit in B+G+4UF & a Club House. Total parking space proposed is for 286 No's of Cars. Total water consumption is 205 KLD (Fresh water + Recycled water). The total wastewater discharge is 185 KLD. It is proposed to construct Sewage Treatment Plant with a capacity of 190 KLD. The project cost is Rs. 80 Crores.

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 21-01-2020. The Committee noted from the village survey map that there are no water bodies either in the form of natural nala or water ponds which attracts buffer zone as per norms. As far as CER is concerned that he will earmark Rs 80.00 lakhs to take up Greenery, sanitation, water supply, solar lighting and other infrastructure works in Tumkur university campus in consultation with the university authorities. The committee

after discussion decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA for issue of Environmental Clearance.

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC.

The Authority after discussion decided to clear the proposal for issue of Environmental Clearance subject to submission of the following information:

- 1) Specific source of treated water for the construction with an undertaking/MoU with the prospective supplier of such treated water and with water quality analysis report to establish that such treated water is fit for construction purpose.
- 2) An action plan with activities proposed under CER in accordance with O.M F. No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated 1st May 2018 issued by MoEF&CC, Government of India, allocation of funds against each of the activities and the time frame within which such activities will be completed. The funds so earmarked shall be in accordance with para 6 (II) and the activities shall be in accordance with para 6 (V) of the said O.M.

183.5.9. Proposed Residential Development Building Project at Sy.Nos.45, 46 & 47 of Chikkagubbi Village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore District by M/s. Gazy Mag Pvt. LTd. (SEIAA 169 CON 2019)

M/s. Gazy Mag Pvt. LTd. have proposed for construction of Residential Development Building Project on a plot area of 35,157.05 Sqm. The total built up area is 80,237.66Sqm. The proposed project consists of 538 No's of Residential units in Wing A: BF+GF+4UF. with 3 Club house:GF+1UF Wing B: BF+GF+4UF with 1 Club house: GF+1UF. Total water consumption is 406 KLD (Fresh water + Recycled water). The total wastewater discharge is 325 KLD. It is proposed to construct Sewage Treatment Plant with a capacity of 400 KLD. The project cost is Rs. 108.09 Crores.

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 21st January 2020. The Committee noted from the village survey map that there are no water bodies either in the form of natural nala or water ponds which attracts buffer zone as per norms. The proponent has stated that he will restrict fresh water demand to 55lpcd as per the rural water supply norms and balance 80lpcd will be made good utilizing the treated water. As far as CER is concerned that he will earmark Rs 2.00crores to take up Greenery, sanitation, water supply, solar lighting and other infrastructure works in Bangalore university Gnanabharathi campus in consultation with the university authorities. The committee after discussion decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA for issue of Environmental Clearance.

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC.

The Authority after discussion decided to clear the proposal for issue of Environmental Clearance subject to submission of the following information:

- 1) Specific source of treated water for the construction with an undertaking/MoU with the prospective supplier of such treated water and with water quality analysis report to establish that such treated water is fit for construction purpose.
- 2) An action plan with activities proposed under CER in accordance with O.M F. No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated 1st May 2018 issued by MoEF&CC, Government of India, allocation of funds against each of the activities and the time frame within which such activities will be completed. The funds so earmarked shall be in accordance with para 6 (II) and the activities shall be in accordance with para 6 (V) of the said O.M.

183.5.10. Proposed Commercial Building Project at CTS No.4784A1/B2 of Beside Gokul Garden, MTS Village, Gokul Main Road, Hubballi Taluk & Dharwad District by M/s. Marvel Properties Pvt. Ltd. (SEIAA 03 CON 2020)

M/s. Marvel Properties Pvt. Ltd. have proposed for construction of Commercial Building Project on a plot area of 6,829 sq.m.. The total built up area is 31,363.8 sq. m.. The proposed project consists of Construction of commercial building having 2 Basements + Ground Floor + 11 upper floors + Terrace Floor. Total parking space proposed is for 402 No's of Cars. Total water consumption is 73 KLD (Fresh water + Recycled water). The total wastewater discharge is 42 KLD. It is proposed to construct Sewage Treatment Plant with a capacity of 73 KLD. The project cost is Rs.60 Crores.

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 21st January 2020. The Committee noted from the village survey map and also city survey map that there are no water bodies either in the form of natural nala or water ponds which attracts buffer zone as per norms. As far as CER is concerned that he will earmark Rs 1.2 crores to take up rejuvenation works in flood affected areas of Hubli city. The committee after discussion decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA for issue of Environmental Clearance.

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC.

The Authority after discussion decided to clear the proposal for issue of Environmental Clearance subject to submission of an action plan with activities proposed under CER in accordance with O.M F. No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated 1st May 2018 issued by MoEF&CC, Government of India, allocation of funds against each of the activities and the time frame within which such activities will be completed. The funds so earmarked shall be in accordance with para 6 (II) and the activities shall be in accordance with para 6 (V) of the said O.M.

183.5.11. Environmental Clearance for the proposed Development of Multi Storey Residential Flats Project in 837 units with 2 Blocks (A&B): SF+GF+12UF at Sy.No.30 of Agraharapalya Village, Dasanapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore Urban District by M/s. Rajiv Gandhi Housing Corporation Ltd (SEIAA 8 CON 2020)

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M/s. Rajiv Gandhi Housing Corporation Ltd have proposed for construction of Multi Storey Residential Flats Project on a plot area of 20,273.53 Sqm. The total built up area is 41318.21 Sqm. The proposed project consists of 837 No's of Residential units in 2 Blocks, Block A consists of S+G+12UF (597 units) and Block B Consists of S+G+12UF (240 units). Total parking space proposed is for 170 No's of Cars. Total water consumption is 500 KLD (Fresh water + Recycled water). The total wastewater discharge is 450 KLD. It is proposed to construct Sewage Treatment Plant with a capacity of 450 KLD. The project cost is Rs. 73.33 Crores.

The proposal was placed before the Committee for appraisal during the meeting held on 11-02-2020. The Committee noted from the village survey map that there is a tertiary nala along the south-eastern boundary of the project site, for which the proponent stated that he has left 9 mtr buffer zone as per Nelamangala local planning authority. The Committee further noted that this is a project which comes under PMAY and Chief Minister one lakh Bangalore housing scheme under affordable housing scheme. This being the special scheme the proponent has stated that he is likely to get following relaxations for which UDD in principle has agreed.

- 1. Approach road width a) For G+3 Model from 9meter to 7meter b) S+14 Model From 12 Meter to 9 meter
- 2. FAR Up to 3 as against 1.75 to 2.00
- 3. Corridor width From 2meter to 1.8meter
- 4. Parking- a)1 car parking for every six houses of 1 BHK b) 1 car parking for every two houses of 2 BHK
- 5. To convert the stilt floor to accommodate Physically handicapped persons to an extent of 2% of the total number of units.
- 6. Set backs a) For G+3 construction 3meters against 5meters b) For towers which are more than G+3 upper floors-5Meters against 50% of the total height of the towers.

As per the records the greenery area is about 22% of the total area and the proponent has stated that he will plant 255 plants species as mandated. The proponent has also stated that he will built separate rain water storage tanks of capacity 200cum for storing the rainwater generated from hard paved area in addition to 160cum water storing capacity already proposed for storing water from the terrace. The proponent has also stated that he will allocate terrace area for the individual occupants who come forward to install solar water heaters. The proponent has also stated that he will go for dual plumbing to utilize maximum quantity of sewage generated and reduce fresh water demand. The committee after discussion decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA for issue of Environmental Clearance.

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC.

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The Authority after discussion decided to clear the proposal for issue of Environmental Clearance.

183.5.12. Environmental Clearance for the proposed Multi Storey Residential Flats Project at Sy.No.13 of Thotagere Village, Dasanapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore Urban District by M/s. Rajiv Gandhi Housing Corporation Ltd (SEIAA 9 CON 2020)

M/s. Rajiv Gandhi Housing Corporation Ltd., have proposed for construction of Multi Storey Residential Flats Under "1 Lakh Multi Storey Bengaluru Housing Programme" project on a plot area of 53,441.59 Sqm. The total built up area is 1,36,618.09 Sqm. The proposed project consists of 2733 No's of Residential units in 5 Blocks, with configuration of Block –A: S+G+12UF (769 units), Block –B: S+G+12UF (716 units), Block –C: S+G+12UF (690 units), Block –D: S+G+12UF (279 units) and Block –E: S+G+12UF (279 units). Total parking space proposed is for 508 No's of Cars. Total water consumption is 1625 KLD (Fresh water + Recycled water). The total wastewater discharge is – 1463 KLD. It is proposed to construct Sewage Treatment Plant with a capacity of 1465 KLD. The project cost is Rs. 245.97 Crores.

The proposal was placed before the Committee for appraisal during the meeting held on 11-02-2020. The Committee noted from the village survey map that there are no water bodies either in the form of natural nala or water ponds which attracts buffer zone as per norms. The Committee further noted that this is a project which comes under PMAY and Chief Minister one lakh Bangalore housing scheme under affordable housing scheme. This being the special scheme the proponent has stated that he is likely to get following relaxations for which UDD in principle has agreed.

- 1. Approach road width a) For G+3 Model from 9meter to 7meter b) S+14 Model From 12 Meter to 9 meter
- 2. FAR Up to 3 as against 1.75 to 2.5
- 3. Corridor width From 2meter to 1.8meter
- 4. Parking- a)1 car parking for every six houses of 1 BHK b) 1 car parking for every two houses of 2 BHK
- 5. To convert the stilt floor to accommodate Physically handicapped persons to an extent of 2% of the total number of units.
- 6. Set backs a) For G+3 construction 3meters against 5meters b) For towers which are more than G+3 upper floors-5Meters against 50% of the total height of the towers.

As per the records the greenery area is about 22.07% of the total area and the proponent has stated that he will plant 670 plants species as mandated. The proponent has also stated that he will build separate rain water storage tanks of capacity 400cum for storing the rainwater generated from hard paved area in addition to 600cum water storing capacity already proposed for storing water from the terrace. The proponent has also stated that he will allocate terrace area for the individual occupants who come forward to install solar water heaters. The proponent has also stated that he will go for dual plumbing to utilize maximum quantity of sewage generated and reduce fresh

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water demand. The committee after discussion decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA for issue of Environmental Clearance.

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC.

The Authority after discussion decided to clear the proposal for issue of Environmental Clearance.

183.5.13. Proposed Multi Storey Residential Flats at Sy.No.04 of Heggondanahalli Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District by RAJIV GANDHI HOUSING CORPORATION LTD. (SEIAA 02 CON 2020)

M/s. Rajiv Gandhi Housing Corporation Ltd. have proposed for construction of Development of Multi Storey Residential Flats under "1 Lakh Multi Storey Bengaluru Housing Programme" Project on a plot area of 12655.09 Sqm. The total built up area is 29525.87 Sqm. The proposed project consists of 559 No's of Residential units in 2 Blocks with a configuration of Block A: S+9UF(110 units) and Block B: S+11 UF(449 units). Total parking space proposed is for 130 No's of Cars. Total water consumption is 320 KLD (Fresh water + Recycled water). The total wastewater discharge is 290 KLD. It is proposed to construct Sewage Treatment Plant with a capacity of 310 KLD. The project cost is Rs. 47 Crores.

The proposal was placed before the committee for appraisal during the meeting held on 11-02-2020. The committee noted from the village survey map that there are bunch of tertiary nala for which the proponent has stated that these are not actual nalas, whereas they are rain cut furrows. And he also stated that as per revenue records i.e. RTC no kharab land finds mentioned in it and he has also stated that he will get the ADLR sketch to this effect before commencement of work. The Committee further noted that this is a project which comes under PMAY and Chief Minister one lakh Bangalore housing scheme under affordable housing scheme. This being the special scheme the proponent has stated that he is likely to get following relaxations for which UDD in principle has agreed.

- 1. Approach road width a) For G+3 Model from 9meter to 7meter b) S+14 Model From 12 Meter to 9 meter
- 2. FAR Up to 3 as against 1.75 to 2.25
- 3. Corridor width From 2meter to 1.8meter
- 4. Parking- a)1 car parking for every six houses of 1 BHK b) 1 car parking for every two houses of 2 BHK
- 5. To convert the stilt floor to accommodate Physically handicapped persons to an extent of 2% of the total number of units.

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6. Set backs a) For G+3 construction – 3meters against 5meters b) For towers which are more than G+3 upper floors-5Meters against 50% of the total height of the towers.

As per the records the greenery area is about 10.19% of the total area and the proponent has stated that he will plant 150 plants species as mandated. The proponent has also stated that he will built separate rain water storage tanks of capacity 110cum for storing the rainwater generated from hard paved area in addition to 150cum water storing capacity already proposed for storing water from the terrace. The proponent has also stated that he will allocate terrace area for the individual occupants who come forward to install solar water heaters. The proponent has also stated that he will go for dual plumbing to utilize maximum quantity of sewage generated and reduce fresh water demand. The committee after discussion decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA for issue of Environmental Clearance.

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC.

The Authority after discussion decided to clear the proposal for issue of Environmental Clearance.

183.5.14. Proposed Permanent Campus of "IIT Dharwad" (Institutional Project) at Village Kelagiri, Chikkamalligewad, Dharwad by Indian Institute of Technology, Dharwad (SEIAA 65 CON 2019)

M/s. Indian Institute of Technology Dharwad (IIT Dharwad) have proposed for construction of Permanent Campus of "IIT DHARWAD" Project on a plot area of 19,02,019.5 Sqm (470 Acres). The total built up area is 14,51,346 Sqm. The proposed project consists of S + 11. Total parking space proposed is for 8,097 ECS. Total water consumption is 3351 KLD (Fresh water + Recycled water). It is proposed to construct Sewage Treatment Plant with a capacity of 3000 KLD. The project cost is Rs. 800 Crores.

The proposal was placed before the committee for appraisal during the meeting held on 27.5.2019. The Committee decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA for issue of Standard TORs and additional TORs to conduct the EIA studies in accordance with the EIA Notification 2006 and relevant guidelines. The Authority during the meeting held on 21.6.2019 decided to issue ToR as recommended by SEAC for conducting the Environment Impact Assessment study in accordance with EIA Notification, 2006. Accordingly the ToR was issued vide letter dated 25-07-2019 The proponent have submitted the EIA report vide letter dated vide letter dated:11-12-2019.

The proposal was placed before the committee for EIA appraisal during the meeting held on 22-01-2020. The Committee noted that as per the records, no study

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has been carried out in respect of the following aspects. 1) Ground water potential has not been surveyed and computed. 2) Waste to energy option has not been exercised. 3) Surface hydrology studies to assess the runoff and to know adequacy of the carrying capacity of the nala has not been done. 4) Existing trees in the project site has not been listed species wise and number wise. 5) List of trees species wise and number wise proposed to be translocated and cut. 6) List of proposed trees species wise and number wise for greenery and green belt. 7) Flora and fauna in 10KM study area is not carried out and same as need to classified as per IUCN and wildlife protection act 1972 if there are schedule –I fauna wildlife protection plan is to be prepared in consultation with forest officers and submit. 8) Land use and land cover map needs to be revised. For these issues the proponent and consultant have agreed to comeback after rectifying above issues by weeks time and the committee decided to list the project on priority in next meeting. Hence the committee decided to defer the project.

In continuation of the appraisal made, the proposal was placed before SEAC during the SEAC meeting held on 12-02-2020 for appraisal. The committee appraised the proposal considering the information provided in the statutory application-Form I, Form-1A, Conceptual Plan and clarification/additional information and EIA report provided during the meeting. The committee after discussion decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA for issue of Environmental Clearance with the above and following conditions:

- 1) The proponent to conduct energy audit by an accredited agency before operation of the project in accordance with the Bureau of Energy Efficiency.
- 2) 15% of the parking space shall be reserved for electric vehicles with recharging facility.
- 3) Only registered labours should be employed.
- 4) 20% eco friendly materials to be used for construction.
- 5) Sub metering for water consumption to be installed.
- 6) Bio-Degradable waste plant to be installed.
- 7) Implementation of the Bio diversity action plan by approving from the concerned Forest Department.

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC.

The Authority after discussion decided to clear the proposal for issue of Environmental Clearance with additional conditions suggested by SEAC.

Mining Projects:

183.5.15. Proposed Building Stone Quarry Project at Sy.No.95(P) of Halagera Village, Yadgir Taluk, Yadgir District (1-00 Acre) by Sri Hanumantharaya (SEIAA 831 MIN 2019)

Sri Hanumantharaya have applied for Environmental clearance from SEIAA for quarrying of Building Stone on 0.404 Ha, Govt. Land . at Sy.No.95(P) of Halagera Village, Yadgir Taluk, Yadgir Rural District.

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 21st January 2020. The Committee noted that as per the records there are 17 leases including this lease within 500meter radius from this lease area and out of which 9 leases were issued EC prior to 15.01.2016 and based on this proponent claimed exemption for these leases from cluster effect. Out of balance 8 leases 2 leases including this lease have been notified and other leases are in application stage only. The combined area of these 2 leases being 3 Acres and which being less than the threshold limit of 5Ha the committee decided to categorise this project under B2 category and proceeded with the appraisal accordingly.

Further the committee noted that this is a fresh lease involving building stone mining in Govt land. The proponent has stated that he has obtained NOCs from Forest, Revenue Dept. and Notified on 11.12.2014. As seen from the quarry plan there is a level difference of 14 meters within the mining area and taking this into consideration, the committee opined that the proposed proved quantity of 49267tons or 18949cum can be mined safely and scientifically to a quarry pit depth of 6meters for lease period. As far as approach road is concerned, the proponent has stated that, there is a existing cart track road to a length of 250meters connecting lease area to all weather black topped road. The committee after discussion decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA to issue Environment Clearance with the following conditions:

- 1. Safe drinking water has to be provided at the guarry site.
- 2. Only registered labours should be employed.
- 3. The proponent to obtain safety certificate from the DGMS before starting mining activity.

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC. The Authority observed that copy of the sketch showing the quarry leases within 500 m from the project site is illegible. The Authority noted from the minutes of SEAC that there are 17 leases including the proposed project site within 500m of which 9 leases were issued EC prior to 15.01.2016. The remaining 8 leases are to be considered as per the cluster certificate given by the Senior Geologist, Yadgir. If the Department has no intention of leasing them for quarrying purpose such leases would not have been reflected in the cluster. The decision has been taken by the Committee to appraise as B2 even without obtaining a revised cluster map in case the one given is found to be not in order. The Authority therefore decided to refer the file back to SEAC to appraise following the due procedure of law and after considering the relevant documents.

183.5.16. Proposed Building Stone Quarry Project at Sy.Nos.18/1B/2 & 18/1B/3 of Chalamatti Village, Kalaghatagi Taluk, Dharwad District (2-00 Acres) by Sri Yallappa B Morabad (SEIAA 834 MIN 2019)

Sri Yallappa B Morabad have applied for Environmental clearance from SEIAA for quarrying of Building Stone on 0.809 Ha, Patta Land. at Sy.Nos.18/1B/2 & 18/1B/3 of Chalamatti Village, Kalaghatagi Taluk, Dharwad District

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 21st January 2020. The Committee noted that this is a fresh lease involving building stone mining in patta land. The proponent has stated that he has obtained NOCs from Forest, Revenue Dept and applied for land conversion order. The lease has been notified on 22-10-2019 for 20 years. As seen from the quarry plan there is a level difference of 4 meters within the mining area and taking this into consideration, the committee opined that 50% of the proposed proved quantity of 289673tons or 108899cum can be mined safely and scientifically to a quarry pit depth of 12meters for a lease period.

As per the combined sketch prepared by DMG there are no other leases within 500 meter radius from this lease and the area of this being less than the threshold limit of 5Ha committee decided to categorise this project under B2 and proceeded with the appraisal accordingly. As far as approach road is concerned, the proponent has stated that, there is a existing cart track road to a length of 320meters connecting lease area to all weather black topped road. As far as CER is concerned the proponent has stated, that he will earmark Rs 3.00 lakhs to take up rejuvenation of Chalmatti pond which is at a distance of 2.0KM from the lease area. The committee after discussion decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA to issue Environment Clearance with the following conditions:

- 1 Safe drinking water has to be provided at the guarry site.
- 2 Only registered labours should be employed.
- 3 The proponent to obtain safety certificate from the DGMS before starting mining activity.

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC.

The Authority after discussion decided to issue Environmental Clearance for extraction of 50% of the building stone proposed to be extracted as per approved quarry plan, subject to submission of the following information:-

- 1) Distance of the proposed project site from the boundary of nearest National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal and if it is located within 10 Km of the said National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal then a map duly authenticated by the Chief Wildlife Warden showing the boundary from such National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal vis a vis the project location and the recommendation or comments of the Chief Wildlife Warden thereon.
- 2) An action plan with activities proposed under CER in accordance with O.M F. No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated 1st May 2018 issued by MoEF&CC, Government of India, allocation of funds against each of the activities and the time frame within which such activities will be completed. The funds so earmarked shall

be in accordance with para 6 (II) and the activities shall be in accordance with para 6 (V) of the said O.M.

183.5.17. Proposed Shahabad Stone Quarry Project at Sy.No.457/5 of Honagunta Village, Chittapur Taluk, Kalaburagi District (1-00 Acre) by Sri Mohammed Saleemsab (SEIAA 835 MIN 2019)

Sri Mohammed Saleemsab have applied for Environmental clearance from SEIAA for quarrying of Shahabad Stone on 0.4047 Ha, Patta land at Sy.No.457/5 of Honagunta Village, Chittapur Taluk, Kalaburagi District

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 21st January 2020. The committee noted that this is a fresh lease involving Shahbad stone mining in patta land. The proponent has stated that he has obtained NOCs from Forest, Revenue Dept and land conversion order. The lease has been notified on 18-11-2019 for 20 years. As seen from the quarry plan there is no level difference within the mining area and taking this into consideration and also the fact the shahbad stone deposit is to a depth of 6meters, the committee opined that 80% of the proposed proved gross quantity of 20048cum or 400960 sqm can be mined safely and scientifically. As per the combined sketch prepared by DMG there are 6 leases including this lease within 500 meter radius from this lease and total area of these leases is 9Acres and which being less than the threshold limit of 5 Ha., Committee decided to categorise this project under B2 and proceeded with the appraisal accordingly.

As far as approach road is concerned, the proponent has stated that, there is a existing cart track road to a length of 310meter connecting lease area to all weather black topped road. As far as CER is concerned the proponent has stated, that he will earmark Rs2.0lakhs to take up Greenery, Water supply and sanitation works in Honagunta village Govt school which is at a distance of 2.2KM from the lease area. The committee after discussion decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA to issue Environment Clearance with the following conditions:

- 1 Safe drinking water has to be provided at the quarry site.
- 2 Only registered labours should be employed.
- 3 The proponent to obtain safety certificate from the DGMS before starting mining activity.

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC.

The Authority after discussion decided to issue Environmental Clearance for extraction of 80% of the Shahabad stone proposed to be extracted as per approved quarry plan, subject to submission of the following information:-

1) Distance of the proposed project site from the boundary of nearest National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal and if it is located within 10 Km of the said National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal then a map duly

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authenticated by the Chief Wildlife Warden showing the boundary from such National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal vis a vis the project location and the recommendation or comments of the Chief Wildlife Warden thereon.

2) An action plan with activities proposed under CER in accordance with O.M F. No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated 1st May 2018 issued by MoEF&CC, Government of India, allocation of funds against each of the activities and the time frame within which such activities will be completed. The funds so earmarked shall be in accordance with para 6 (II) and the activities shall be in accordance with para 6 (V) of the said O.M.

183.5.18. Proposed Building Stone Quarry Project at Sy.Nos.41/3 & 41/4 of Chattanahalli Village, Harappanahalli Taluk, Davanagere District (3-00 Acres) by Sri Arif Hussain (SEIAA 836 MIN 2019)

Sri Arif Hussain have applied for Environmental clearance from SEIAA for quarrying of Building Stone on 1.214 Ha, Patta Land at Sy.Nos.41/3 & 41/4 of Chattanahalli Village, Harappanahalli Taluk, Davanagere District

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 21st January 2020. The Committee noted that this is a fresh lease involving building stone mining in patta land. The proponent has stated that he has obtained NOCs from Forest, Revenue Dept and applied for land conversion order. The lease has been notified on 31-08-2018 for 20 years. As seen from the quarry plan there is a level difference of 5 meters within the mining area and taking this into consideration, the committee opined that 20% of the proposed proved quantity of 1324674tons or 497997cum can be mined safely and scientifically to a quarry pit depth of 15meters for a lease period.

As per the combined sketch prepared by DMG there are 5 leases including this lease within 500 meter radius from this lease and total area of these leases is 9.99Acres and which being less than the threshold limit of 5 Ha., Committee decided to categorise this project under B2 and proceeded with the appraisal accordingly. As far as approach road is concerned, the proponent has stated that, there is a existing cart track road to a length of 380meters connecting lease area to all weather black topped road. As far as CER is concerned the proponent has stated, that he will earmark Rs 5.0 lakhs to take up rejuvenation of Alur pond which is at a distance of 1.6KM from the lease area. The committee after discussion decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA to issue Environment Clearance with the following conditions:

- 1 Safe drinking water has to be provided at the quarry site.
- 2 Only registered labours should be employed.
- 3 The proponent to obtain safety certificate from the DGMS before starting mining activity.

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC.

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The Authority after discussion decided to issue Environmental Clearance for extraction of 20% of the building stone proposed to be extracted as per approved quarry plan, subject to submission of the following information:-

- 1) Distance of the proposed project site from the boundary of nearest National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal and if it is located within 10 Km of the said National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal then a map duly authenticated by the Chief Wildlife Warden showing the boundary from such National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal vis a vis the project location and the recommendation or comments of the Chief Wildlife Warden thereon.
- 2) An action plan with activities proposed under CER in accordance with O.M F. No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated 1st May 2018 issued by MoEF&CC, Government of India, allocation of funds against each of the activities and the time frame within which such activities will be completed. The funds so earmarked shall be in accordance with para 6 (II) and the activities shall be in accordance with para 6 (V) of the said O.M.

183.5.19. Proposed Building Stone Quarry Project at Sy.No.46/1-3 of Warkanahalli Village, Yadgir Taluk, Yadgir Rural District (2-00 Acres) by Sri Devindrappa (SEIAA 837 MIN 2019)

Sri Devindrappa have applied for Environmental clearance from SEIAA for quarrying of Building Stone on 0.807 Ha, Govt. Land at Sy.No.46/1-3 of Warkanahalli Village, Yadgir Taluk, Yadgir Rural District

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 21st January 2020. The Committee noted that this is a fresh lease involving building stone mining in Govt. land. The proponent has stated that he has obtained NOCs from Forest, Revenue Dept. The lease has been notified on 28-07-2016 for 20 years. As seen from the quarry plan there is no level difference within the mining area and taking this into consideration, the committee opined that 50% of the proposed proved quantity of 220121tons or 84662cum can be mined safely and scientifically to a quarry pit depth of 12meters for a lease period.

As per the extended combined sketch prepared by DMG there are 5 leases including this lease within 500 meter radius from this lease and total area of these leases is 8Acres 20guntas and which being less than the threshold limit of 5 Ha. committee decided to categorise this project under B2 and proceeded with the appraisal accordingly. As far as approach road is concerned, the proponent has stated that, there is a existing cart track road to a length of 300meters connecting lease area to all weather black topped road. As far as CER is concerned the proponent has stated, that he will earmark Rs 2.00 lakhs to take up rejuvenation of Warakanahalli pond which is at a distance of 900meters from the lease area. The committee after discussion decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA to issue Environment Clearance with the following conditions:

- 1 Safe drinking water has to be provided at the quarry site.
- 2 Only registered labours should be employed.
- 3 The proponent to obtain safety certificate from the DGMS before starting mining activity.

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC. The Authority observed that copy of the sketch showing the quarry leases within 500 m from the project site is illegible. The Authority therefore decided to get the following information for further consideration:

- 1) Legible copy of the cluster certificate along with all the details of leases within 500m from the boundary of the proposed project site.
- 2) Justification for claiming for consideration of the proposal as B2 category.
- 3) Distance of the proposed project site from the boundary of nearest National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal and if it is located within 10 Km of the said National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal then a map duly authenticated by the Chief Wildlife Warden showing the boundary from such National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal vis a vis the project location and the recommendation or comments of the Chief Wildlife Warden thereon.
- 4) An action plan with activities proposed under CER in accordance with O.M F. No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated 1st May 2018 issued by MoEF&CC, Government of India, allocation of funds against each of the activities and the time frame within which such activities will be completed. The funds so earmarked shall be in accordance with para 6 (II) and the activities shall be in accordance with para 6 (V) of the said O.M.

183.5.20. Proposed Building Stone Quarry Project at Sy.Nos.41/1 & 41/2 of Chatnahalli Village, Harappanahalli Taluk, Davanagere District (2-00 Acres) by Sri P. Rajanaik (SEIAA 838 MIN 2019)

Sri P. Rajanaik have applied for Environmental clearance from SEIAA for quarrying of Building Stone on 0.809 Ha, Patta Land. at Sy.Nos.41/1 & 41/2 of Chatnahalli Village, Harappanahalli Taluk, Davanagere District

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 22nd January 2020. The Committee noted that this is a fresh lease involving building stone mining in patta land. The proponent has stated that he has obtained NOCs from Forest, Revenue Dept and applied for land conversion order. The lease has been notified on 31-08-2018 for 20 years. As seen from the quarry plan there is a level difference of 3 meters within the mining area and taking this into consideration, the committee opined that 35% of the proposed proved quantity of 496587tons or 186686cum can be mined safely and scientifically to a quarry pit depth of 12meters for a lease period.

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As per the combined sketch prepared by DMG there are 5 leases including this lease within 500 meter radius from this lease and total area of these leases is 9.99Acres and which being less than the threshold limit of 5 Ha., Committee decided to categorise this project under B2 and proceeded with the appraisal accordingly. As far as approach road is concerned, the proponent has stated that, there is a existing cart track road to a length of 370meters connecting lease area to all weather black topped road. As far as CER is concerned the proponent has stated, that he will earmark Rs 3.5 lakhs to take up rejuvenation of Alur pond which is at a distance of 1.5KM from the lease area. The committee after discussion decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA to issue Environment Clearance with the following conditions:

- 1 Safe drinking water has to be provided at the quarry site.
- 2 Only registered labours should be employed.
- 3 The proponent to obtain safety certificate from the DGMS before starting mining activity.

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC.

The Authority after discussion decided to issue Environmental Clearance for extraction of 35% of the building stone proposed to be extracted as per approved quarry plan, subject to submission of the following information:-

- 1) Distance of the proposed project site from the boundary of nearest National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal and if it is located within 10 Km of the said National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal then a map duly authenticated by the Chief Wildlife Warden showing the boundary from such National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal vis a vis the project location and the recommendation or comments of the Chief Wildlife Warden thereon.
- 2) An action plan with activities proposed under CER in accordance with O.M F. No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated 1st May 2018 issued by MoEF&CC, Government of India, allocation of funds against each of the activities and the time frame within which such activities will be completed. The funds so earmarked shall be in accordance with para 6 (II) and the activities shall be in accordance with para 6 (V) of the said O.M.

183.5.21. Proposed Shahabad Stone Quarry Project at Sy.No.66/7 of Kadaboor Village, Chittapur Taluk, Kalburgi District (2-00 Acres) by Sri Vishwanath Reddy (SEIAA 844 MIN 2019)

Sri Vishwanath Reddy have applied for Environmental clearance from SEIAA for quarrying of Shahabad Stone on 0.8093 Ha, Patta Land at Sy.No.66/7 of Kadaboor Village, Chittapur Taluk, Kalburgi District

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 22nd January 2020. The Committee noted that this is a fresh lease involving Shahbad stone mining in patta land. The proponent has stated that he has obtained NOCs from Forest, Revenue Dept and land conversion order. The lease has been notified on 28-07-2018 for 20 years. As seen from the quarry plan there is no level difference within the mining area and taking this into consideration and also the fact the shahbad stone deposit is to a depth of 12meters, the committee opined that 80% of the proposed proved gross quantity of 60720cum or 1335840sqm can be mined safely and scientifically.

As per the combined sketch prepared by DMG there are 7 leases including this lease within 500 meter radius from this lease and total area of these leases is 11Acres 21guntas and which being less than the threshold limit of 5 Ha. committee decided to categorise this project under B2 and proceeded with the appraisal accordingly. As far as approach road is concerned, the proponent has stated that, there is a existing cart track road to a length of 1.25KM connecting lease area to all weather black topped road. As far as CER is concerned the proponent has stated, that he will earmark Rs 6.0lakhs to take up Greenery, Water supply and sanitation works in Kadaboor village Govt school which is at a distance of 1.25KM from the lease area. The committee after discussion decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA to issue Environment Clearance with the following conditions:

- 1 Safe drinking water has to be provided at the quarry site.
- 2 Only registered labours should be employed.
- 3 The proponent to obtain safety certificate from the DGMS before starting mining activity.

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC.

The Authority after discussion decided to issue Environmental Clearance for extraction of 80% of the Shahabad stone proposed to be extracted as per approved quarry plan, subject to submission of the following information:-

- 1) Distance of the proposed project site from the boundary of nearest National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal and if it is located within 10 Km of the said National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal then a map duly authenticated by the Chief Wildlife Warden showing the boundary from such National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal vis a vis the project location and the recommendation or comments of the Chief Wildlife Warden thereon.
- 2) An action plan with activities proposed under CER in accordance with O.M F. No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated 1st May 2018 issued by MoEF&CC, Government of India, allocation of funds against each of the activities and the time frame within which such activities will be completed. The funds so earmarked shall be in accordance with para 6 (II) and the activities shall be in accordance with para 6 (V) of the said O.M.

183.5.22. Proposed Pink Granite Quarry Project at Sy.Nos.92/4/1 & 94/4/2 of Hirekodagali Village, Hungund Taluk, Bagalkot District (2-36 Acres) by M/s. Amarjyothi Stones (SEIAA 850 MIN 2019)

M/s. Amarjyothi Stones have applied for Environmental clearance from SEIAA for quarrying of Pink Granite on -1.17 Ha Ha, Patta land at Sy.Nos.92/4/1 & 94/4/2 of Hirekodagali Village, Hungund Taluk, Bagalkot District.

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 22nd January 2020. The proponent has stated that he has obtained NOCs from Forest, Revenue Department, Land conversion order and approved from District task force and Notification issued from C & I on 14.03.2018. The Committee noted from the quarry plan that there is a level difference of 4 meters and taking this into consideration committee opined that 50% of the proposed proved gross quantity of 132080cum can be mined safely and scientifically within the lease period to a depth of 10meters including undisturbed area. The proponent has stated that the recovery is 20% in the form of commercial blocks and Khandas i.e.,13198cum and out of balance 80%being waste and 50% of which i.e 26396cum will be converted to building stone and remaining 50% will be waste i e 26396cum and the same has been reflected in the quarry plan. As far as waste handling the proponent has stated that he will utilize 0.22Ha as earmarked for waste handling and also utilizing the untackled portion of the lease area and taking up mining in the untackled block after all the waste dumped o it utilized for filling the mined quarry pit.

As per the cluster sketch prepared by DMG there are 4 leases including this lease within the 500 meters radius from this lease and out of which two leases with an area of 20Acres 28 guntas were granted prior to 09.09.2013 based on this the proponent claimed exemption for these two leases from cluster effect. And the area of balance two leases including this lease being 7Acre 4 Guntas and which being less than the threshold limit of 5Ha the committee decided to categorise this proposal under B2 category and proceeded with the appraisal accordingly. The proponent has also stated that the project does not fall within the 10 KM radius from National park/Wildlife sanctuary. As far as approach road is concerned the proponent has stated that there is an existing cart track road to a length 250meter connecting the lease area to all weather black topped road. As far as CER is concerned the proponent has stated that he has earmarked Rs.3.0lakhs to take up rejuvenation of Chikkakodagali kere which is at a distance of 2.6KM from the lease area. The committee after discussion decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA to issue Environment Clearance with the following conditions:

- 1 Safe drinking water has to be provided at the quarry site.
- 2 Only registered labours should be employed.
- 3 The proponent to obtain safety certificate from the DGMS before starting mining activity.

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC.

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The Authority after discussion decided to get the following information for further consideration:-

- 1) Reason for the difference between the area converted for non-agriculture purpose and the applied area for the quarrying lease.
- 2) The conversion order dated 14.11.2017 reveals payment of penalty of Rs.2,32,610/-. Reason for the same may e explained.
- 3) Distance of the proposed project site from the boundary of nearest National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal and if it is located within 10 Km of the said National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal then a map duly authenticated by the Chief Wildlife Warden showing the boundary from such National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal vis a vis the project location and the recommendation or comments of the Chief Wildlife Warden thereon.
- 4) An action plan with activities proposed under CER in accordance with O.M F. No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated 1st May 2018 issued by MoEF&CC, Government of India, allocation of funds against each of the activities and the time frame within which such activities will be completed. The funds so earmarked shall be in accordance with para 6 (II) and the activities shall be in accordance with para 6 (V) of the said O.M.

183.5.23. Proposed Building Stone Quarry Project at Sy.Nos.36/P04, P02 & 36/P20 of Bhudanahalli Village, Kunigal Taluk, Tumkur District (3-20 Acres) by Smt. B.K. Rekha (SEIAA 852 MIN 2019)

Smt. B.K. Rekha have applied for Environmental clearance from SEIAA for quarrying of Building Stone on 1.1416 Ha. (3-20 acres), Patta Land at Sy.Nos.36/P04, P02 & 36/P20 of Bhudanahalli Village, Kunigal Taluk, Tumkur District

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 22nd January 2020. The proponent has stated that she has obtained NOC's from Forest, Revenue Dept., and also obtained land conversion order and notified on 18-09-2018. As seen from the quarry plan there is a level difference of 11 m within the mining area and taking this into consideration the committee opined that the proposed proved quantity of 143360 cum or 387062 Tons for a lease period can be mined safely and scientifically to a quarry pit depth of 20 meters.

As per the cluster sketch prepared by DMG there is no other leases within 500 m radius, which is less than threshold limit of 5 Ha. The committee decided to appraise this project under B2 category and proceeded with the appraisal accordingly. The proponent has also stated that the project doesn't fall within the 10 Km radius from national park or wildlife sanctuary. As far as approach road is concerned the proponent has stated that there is an existing cart track road to a length of 800 meters which connects all weather black topped road. As far as CER is concerned the proponent has stated that she has earmarked Rs4.0 Lakhs for rejuvenation of Bhudanahalli tank which is at a distance of 1.3 km and from the project site. The committee after discussion

decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA to issue Environmental clearance with the following conditions:

- 1. Safe drinking water has to be provided at the quarry site.
- 2. Dust Suppression measures have to be strictly followed.
- 3. The proponent to obtain safety certificate from the DGMS before starting mining activity.

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC.

The Authority after discussion decided to issue Environmental Clearance for extraction of the building stone as per approved quarry plan, subject to submission of the following information:-

- 1) Distance of the proposed project site from the boundary of nearest National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal and if it is located within 10 Km of the said National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal then a map duly authenticated by the Chief Wildlife Warden showing the boundary from such National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal vis a vis the project location and the recommendation or comments of the Chief Wildlife Warden thereon.
- 2) An action plan with activities proposed under CER in accordance with O.M F. No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated 1st May 2018 issued by MoEF&CC, Government of India, allocation of funds against each of the activities and the time frame within which such activities will be completed. The funds so earmarked shall be in accordance with para 6 (II) and the activities shall be in accordance with para 6 (V) of the said O.M.

183.5.24. Proposed Ornamental Grey Granite Quarry Project at S.Nos.406/3, 406/4 & 406/5 of Mudugal Village, Lingasugur Taluk, Raichur District (5-23 Acres) by Sri Venkanagouda S. Patil (SEIAA 853 MIN 2019)

Sri Venkanagouda S. Patil have applied for Environmental clearance from SEIAA for quarrying of Ornamental Grey Granite on 2.255 Ha, Patta Land at S.Nos.406/3, 406/4 & 406/5 of Mudugal Village, Lingasugur Taluk, Raichur District

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 22nd January 2020. The proponent has stated that he has obtained NOCs from Forest, Revenue Department, applied for Land conversion order and approved from District task force and Notification issued from C & I on 21.12.2019. As seen from the quarry plan there is a level difference of 1 meters and taking this into consideration committee opined that 50% of the proposed proved gross quantity of 283707cum can be mined safely and scientifically within the lease period to a depth of 20meters including undisturbed area.

The proponent has stated that the recovery is 40% in the form of commercial blocks and Khandas i.e., 56741cum and out of balance 60%being waste i.e 85112cum will

be converted to building stone the same has been reflected in the quarry plan. As per the cluster sketch prepared by DMG there are 18 leases including this lease within the 500 meters radius from this lease and out of which 15 leases with an area of 44 Acres 37 guntas were granted prior to 09.09.2013 based on this the proponent claimed exception for these two leases from cluster effect. And the area of balance 3 leases including this lease being 12Acre 1 Guntas and which being less than the threshold limit of 5Ha the committee decided to categorise this proposal under B2 category and proceeded with the appraisal accordingly.

The proponent has also stated that the project does not fall within the 10 KM radius from National park/Wildlife sanctuary. As far as approach road is concerned the proponent has stated that there is an existing cart track road to a length 210meter connecting the lease area to all weather black topped road. As far as CER is concerned the proponent has stated that he has earmarked Rs.10 lakhs to take up rejuvenation of Mudugal kere which is at a distance of 2.6KM from the lease area. The committee after discussion decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA to issue Environment Clearance with the following conditions:

- 1 Safe drinking water has to be provided at the quarry site.
- 2 Only registered labours should be employed.
- 3 The proponent to obtain safety certificate from the DGMS before starting mining activity.

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC.

The Authority after discussion decided to issue Environmental Clearance for extraction of 50% of the Ornamental Grey Granite proposed to be extracted as per approved quarry plan, subject to submission of the following information:-

- 1) Distance of the proposed project site from the boundary of nearest National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal and if it is located within 10 Km of the said National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal then a map duly authenticated by the Chief Wildlife Warden showing the boundary from such National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal vis a vis the project location and the recommendation or comments of the Chief Wildlife Warden thereon.
- 2) An action plan with activities proposed under CER in accordance with O.M F. No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated 1st May 2018 issued by MoEF&CC, Government of India, allocation of funds against each of the activities and the time frame within which such activities will be completed. The funds so earmarked shall be in accordance with para 6 (II) and the activities shall be in accordance with para 6 (V) of the said O.M.

183.5.25. Building Stone (M-Sand) Quarry in 6-16 Acres of Patta Land bearing Sy. No. 61/6, Ambewadi Village, Belagavi Taluk & Belagavi District, Karnataka by Sri. Kuber Basavanneppa Benakatti (SEIAA 40 MIN 2020)

Sri. Kuber Basavanneppa Benakatti have applied for Environmental clearance from SEIAA for quarrying of Building Stone (M-Sand) on 6-16 acres, Patta Land at Sy. No. 61/6, Ambewadi Village, Belagavi Taluk & Belagavi District,

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 22nd January 2020. The Committee noted that this is a fresh lease involving building stone mining in patta land. The proponent has stated that he has obtained NOCs from Forest, Revenue Dept and land conversion order. The lease has been notified on 10-01-2020 for 20 years. As seen from the quarry plan there is a level difference of 16 meters within the mining area and taking this into consideration, the committee opined that 65% of the proposed proved quantity of 1633230tons or 621000cum can be mined safely and scientifically to a quarry pit depth of 25meters for lease period.

As per the combined sketch prepared by DMG there are 2 leases including this lease within 500 meter radius from this lease and total area of these leases is 7Acres 33guntas and which being less than the threshold limit of 5 Ha., Committee decided to categorise this project under B2 and proceeded with the appraisal accordingly.

As far as approach road is concerned, the proponent has stated that, there is a existing cart track road to a length of 500meters connecting lease area to all weather black topped road. As far as CER is concerned the proponent has stated, that he will earmark Rs 20.0 lakhs to take up rejuvenation of Agasge kere which is at a distance of 2.4KM from the lease area. The committee after discussion decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA to issue Environment Clearance with the following conditions:

- 1 Safe drinking water has to be provided at the quarry site.
- 2 Only registered labours should be employed.
- 3 The proponent to obtain safety certificate from the DGMS before starting mining activity.

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC.

The Authority after discussion decided to issue Environmental Clearance for extraction of 65% of the Building Stone proposed to be extracted as per approved quarry plan, subject to submission of the following information:-

- 1) Distance of the proposed project site from the boundary of nearest National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal and if it is located within 10 Km of the said National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal then a map duly authenticated by the Chief Wildlife Warden showing the boundary from such National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal vis a vis the project location and the recommendation or comments of the Chief Wildlife Warden thereon.
- 2) An action plan with activities proposed under CER in accordance with O.M F. No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated 1st May 2018 issued by MoEF&CC, Government of

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India, allocation of funds against each of the activities and the time frame within which such activities will be completed. The funds so earmarked shall be in accordance with para 6 (II) and the activities shall be in accordance with para 6 (V) of the said O.M.

183.5.26. Proposed Building Stone Quarry Project at Sy.No.185 of Makarahalli Village, Malur Taluk, Kolar District (4-00 Acres) by Smt. Renuka (SEIAA 819 MIN 2019)

Smt. Renuka have applied for Environmental clearance from SEIAA for quarrying of Building Stone on (4-00 Acres), Govt. Gomala Land at Sy.No.185 of Makarahalli Village, Malur Taluk, Kolar District.

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 02-01-2020. The committee noted from thee records that the mining plan enclosed in the file is of the area of 3Acres instead of 4Acre for which the proponent has stated that he will come back with clarification. Hence the committee decided to defer the project.

In continuation of the above the proponent and consultant attended SEAC meeting held on 22.01.2020 correcting the discrepancies in the mining area. As per the combined sketch there are 6 leases including this lease within 500 meter radius from this lease and the total area of these leases is 21Acres 10guntas and out of which 4 leases with a total area of 14-10 acres were granted prior to 9-9-2013. And based on this the proponent has claimed exemption from cluster effect for these leases. The balance two leases including this lease are of total 7Acres which being less than the threshold limit of 5Ha committee decided to categorise this project under B2 and proceeded with the appraisal accordingly.

The committee noted that this is a fresh lease involving building stone mining in Govt land. The proponent has stated that he has obtained NOCs from Forest, Revenue Dept. The lease has been notified on 27-10-2016 for 20 years. Further the proponent has produced topo sheet wherein boundaries of the Kamasandra wildlife sanctuary has been marked and according to it the distance from the lease area nearest boundary is 10.15KM and the proponent agreed to submit the distance certificate issued by forest Dept to this effect. The committee also noted from the quarry plan that there is a level difference of 36meters within the mining area and taking this into consideration, the committee opined that 70% of the proposed proved quantity of 1524348tons or 579600cum can be mined safely and scientifically to a quarry pit depth of 20meters for a lease period. As far as approach road is concerned, the proponent has stated that, there is a existing cart track road to a length of 750meters connecting lease area to all weather black topped road.

As far as CER is concerned the proponent has stated, that he will earmark Rs 21.00lakhs to take up rejuvenation of Mitaganahalli pond which is at a distance of 1.03KM from the lease area. The committee after discussion decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA for issue of Environmental Clearance with condition that if the project located within 10 KM from the project site, the proponent to submit the map duly authenticated by Chief Wildlife Warden showing these features viz-avis the

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project location and the recommendations or comments of the Chief Wild life Warden thereon as to the SEIAA. The committee also imposed the following conditions:

- 1. Safe drinking water has to be provided at the quarry site.
- 2. Only registered labours should be employed.
- 3. The proponent to obtain safety certificate from the DGMS before starting mining activity.

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC.

The Authority after discussion decided to issue Environmental Clearance for extraction of 70% of the Building Stone proposed to be extracted as per approved quarry plan, subject to submission of the following information:-

- 1) Distance of the proposed project site from the boundary of nearest National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal and if it is located within 10 Km of the said National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal then a map duly authenticated by the Chief Wildlife Warden showing the boundary from such National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal vis a vis the project location and the recommendation or comments of the Chief Wildlife Warden thereon.
- 2) An action plan with activities proposed under CER in accordance with O.M F. No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated 1st May 2018 issued by MoEF&CC, Government of India, allocation of funds against each of the activities and the time frame within which such activities will be completed. The funds so earmarked shall be in accordance with para 6 (II) and the activities shall be in accordance with para 6 (V) of the said O.M.

183.5.27. Proposed Building Stone Quarry Project at Sy.Nos.53/2 of Khanapet Village, Ramadurga Tq, Belagavi District (5-00 Acres) by Sri Basavaraj B Hireraddi (SEIAA 858 MIN 2019)

Sri Basavaraj B Hireraddi have applied for Environmental clearance from SEIAA for quarrying of Building Stone on 5-00 Acres, Private Land. at Sy.Nos.53/2 of Khanapet Village, Ramadurga Tq, Belagavi District

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 22nd January 2020. The Committee noted that this is a fresh lease involving building stone mining in patta land. The proponent has stated that he has obtained NOCs from Forest, Revenue Dept and applied for land conversion order. The lease has been notified on 11-12-2019 for 20 years. As seen from the quarry plan there is a level difference of 6 meters within the mining area and taking this into consideration, the committee opined that the proposed proved quantity of 862187tons or 324130cum can be mined safely and scientifically to a quarry pit depth of 20meters for a lease period.

As per the combined sketch prepared by DMG there are no other leases within 500 meter radius from this lease and the area of this being less than the threshold limit of 5Ha committee decided to categorise this project under B2 and proceeded with the appraisal accordingly. As far as approach road is concerned, the proponent has stated that, there is a existing cart track road to a length of 400meters connecting lease area to all weather black topped road. As far as CER is concerned the proponent has stated, that he will earmark Rs 16.0 lakhs to take up rejuvenation of Khanapete pond which is at a distance of 2.0KM from the lease area. The committee after discussion decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA to issue Environment Clearance with the following conditions:

- 1 Safe drinking water has to be provided at the quarry site.
- 2 Only registered labours should be employed.
- 3 The proponent to obtain safety certificate from the DGMS before starting mining activity.

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC.

The Authority after discussion decided to issue Environmental Clearance for extraction of the building stone as per approved quarry plan, subject to submission of the following information:-

- 1) Distance of the proposed project site from the boundary of nearest National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal and if it is located within 10 Km of the said National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal then a map duly authenticated by the Chief Wildlife Warden showing the boundary from such National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal vis a vis the project location and the recommendation or comments of the Chief Wildlife Warden thereon.
- 2) An action plan with activities proposed under CER in accordance with O.M F. No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated 1st May 2018 issued by MoEF&CC, Government of India, allocation of funds against each of the activities and the time frame within which such activities will be completed. The funds so earmarked shall be in accordance with para 6 (II) and the activities shall be in accordance with para 6 (V) of the said O.M.

183.5.28. Proposed Ordinary River Sand Block No. Gurupura – 2(Kulavuru), Gurupura River Bed, Kulavuru village, Mangaluru Taluk, Dakshina Kannada District By Sri. Praveen Alva (SEIAA 857 MIN 2019)

Sri. Praveen Alva have applied for Environmental clearance from SEIAA for quarrying of Ordinary River Sand on 5.189 Acres (2.05 Ha), Govt. Land at River Sand Block No. Gurupura – 2(Kulavuru), Gurupura River Bed, Kulavuru village, Mangaluru Taluk, Dakshina Kannada District.

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 22nd January 2020. The Committee noted that this is a proposal involving sand mining in Gurupura River bed. The proponent has got this lease through public auction. As per the quarry plan the average width of the river at the lease area is 107.66 meter and the buffer width of 15.5meter has been left on right side and 50.16 meter on the left side of the river. The proponent has stated that the average dry weather flow in the lease area is 12.7 meter MSL and top level of the sand block is 14.0meter MSL and the depth of the mining proposed being 1.0 meter and bottom of the mining pit will be 0.3 meter above the dry weather flow level. The proponent has stated that he will take up mining for a depth of 1.0 meter every year and mining will be done in the subsequent years only after the full replenishment of the mining pit.

As per the quarry plan the proposed quantity of 171345 tons can be mined safely and scientifically. As per the cluster sketch prepared by DMG there no other leases within the 500 meter radius from this lease area and area being less than the threshold limit of 5 Ha. the committee decided to categorise this project under B2 and proceeded with the appraisal accordingly. The proponent has stated that he has proposed a stock yard at a distance of 150 meter from the lease area on a private land for which an MOU has been entered with the land owner.

As far as approach road is concerned there is an existing cart track road connecting stock yard at a distance of 150meters and proceeding further to connect all weather road i.e., Yedapadavu village road at a overall distance of 750 meters. As far as CER is concerned the proponent has stated that he has earmarked Rs.4.00 lakhs to take up strengthening of river bank by bio mechanical methods. The committee after discussion decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA to issue Environment Clearance with the following conditions:

- 1 Safe drinking water has to be provided at the quarry site.
- 2 Only registered labours should be employed.
- 3 The proponent to obtain safety certificate from the DGMS before starting mining activity

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC.

The Authority after discussion decided to issue Environmental Clearance for extraction of sand as per approved quarry plan and the Sustainable Sand Mining Management Guidelines, 2016 issued by the MoEF&CC, Government of India, subject to submission of the following information:-

1) Distance of the proposed project site from the boundary of nearest National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal and if it is located within 10 Km of the said National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal then a map duly authenticated by the Chief Wildlife Warden showing the boundary from such National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal vis a vis the project location and the recommendation or comments of the Chief Wildlife Warden thereon.

2) An action plan with activities proposed under CER in accordance with O.M F. No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated 1st May 2018 issued by MoEF&CC, Government of India, allocation of funds against each of the activities and the time frame within which such activities will be completed. The funds so earmarked shall be in accordance with para 6 (II) and the activities shall be in accordance with para 6 (V) of the said O.M.

183.5.29. Proposed Building Stone Quarry Project at Sy.No.25 of Bennahalli Village, Ramanagara Taluk, Ramanagara District over an area of 6-10 Acres By Smt. Pankaja Neelakanta (SEIAA 439 MIN 2019)

Smt. Pankaja Neelakanta have applied for Environmental clearance from SEIAA for quarrying of Building Stone on 2.529Ha, Government Land at Bennahalli Village, Ramanagara Taluk, Ramanagara District

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 14-11-2019. As per the records it is noticed that the lease area is being close to Ramadevarabetta Vulture sanctuary, and Bannerghatta National park the NOC from the competent authorities is required to proceed further with the appraisal. For which the proponent has stated that he will come back with necessary NOC. Hence the committee decided to defer.

The committee during the meeting held on 22-01-2020 noted that a petition has been received from one Sri Ramesh.R stated to be local quarry owner and also law abiding and environmentalist of Ramnagar Tq in which he has mainly pointed out that the quarrying being done without any valid EC and huge quantities are being extracted using lot of explosives inconveniencing the neighbours and also he has mentioned that he has subleased the quarry to one, Sri Naveen the road contractor and he has alleged that DMG authorities are keeping silent in this matter. As far as issues concerned with SEAC it is reiterated that the EC for the same has been issued on 30.01.2016 and as far as other issues raised in the letter mainly pertains to DMG authorities.

During appraisal of the Committee further noted that in SEAC meeting held on 14-11-2019, the subject was deferred for want of NOC from forest Dept. now the proponent has come back with the forest NOC issued by PCCF wildlife stating that the quarry lease is 7.1KM from the Notified ESZ boundary of Ramadevarabetta vulture sanctuary. Further the committee noted that the lease area has been got reduced from 7acres for which earlier EC was issued to 6Acres 10guntas for this expansion proposal as per the order Dt. 06.05.2019 issued by DMG and also Modified quarry plan has been approved for this reduced area on 28.05.2019.

The Committee also noted that this is an old lease involving building stone mining in Govt land. The proponent has stated that he has obtained NOCs from Forest, Revenue Dept. The lease deed has been executed on 04.01.2006 for 20years and he has not carried out mining till 2018-19 but however the audit report covers only up to 2017-18 for this the proponent has stated that the production during 2018-19 and due certificate in this regard will be obtained and submitted and

mining activity has been carried out from Aug 2019 and the quantity mined is within the permissible limit of 37050tons as per earlier EC and he has also stated that he will start filing six monthly EC compliance report from Feb 2020 and hence he requested not to insist for certified EC compliance report for this expansion proposal. Also the proponent has stated that the material mined from this lease will be supplied to Bangalore –Mysore NH 275 six lane road work.

As seen from the quarry plan there is a level difference of 40meters within the mining area and taking this into consideration, and also the fact that he has already mined 17000tons the committee opined that the proposed proved quantity of 1400000tons or 526350cum can be mined safely and scientifically to a quarry pit depth of 20meters for a lease period.

The proponent has claimed exemption from cluster effect for this lease in view of the fact that the lease was granted for the same prior to 09.09.2013. Hence the committee decided to categorise this project under B2 and proceeded with the appraisal accordingly. As far as approach road is concerned, the proponent has stated that, there is a existing cart track road to a length of 270meters connecting lease area to all weather black topped road. As far as CER is concerned the proponent has stated, that he will earmark Rs.25.0 lakh to take up rejuvenation of Manchegowdanapalya kere which is at a distance of 0.98KM from the project site.

In view of the inconsistencies about the period in which the mining activity has been carried out and co ordinates of the lease area the committee decided to reconsider the project. In continuation of the observations made by the committee during 238th meeting the proponent has submitted the replies for the above observations during 239th SEAC meeting on 12.02.2020. Committee perused the replies and noted that as per the clarification issued by the DMG, also in view of statement made by the proponent along with the covering letter the mining activity has been carried out from October 2019 not earlier. In view of the above the committee after discussion decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA to issue Environment Clearance with the following conditions:

- 1. Safe drinking water has to be provided at the quarry site.
- 2. Only registered labours should be employed.
- 3. The proponent to obtain safety certificate from the DGMS before starting mining activity.

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC.

The Authority after discussion decided to issue Environmental Clearance for extraction of the building stone as per approved quarry plan, subject to submission of the following information:-

1) Distance of the proposed project site from the boundary of nearest National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal

and if it is located within 10 Km of the said National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal then a map duly authenticated by the Chief Wildlife Warden showing the boundary from such National Park/ Sanctuary/Bio sphere reserve/ migratory corridor of wild life animal vis a vis the project location and the recommendation or comments of the Chief Wildlife Warden thereon.

2) An action plan with activities proposed under CER in accordance with O.M F. No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated 1st May 2018 issued by MoEF&CC, Government of India, allocation of funds against each of the activities and the time frame within which such activities will be completed. The funds so earmarked shall be in accordance with para 6 (II) and the activities shall be in accordance with para 6 (V) of the said O.M.

183.5 Fresh Projects (Recommended for ToR):

Industry Projects:

183.6.1. Proposed Establishment of Sugarcane Crushing plant Project at Holkund VIIage, Kamalapura Taluk & Kalaburagi District by M/s. KING RUDRA SUGARS LTD. (SEIAA 01 IND 2020)

M/s. King Rudra Sugars Ltd. have applied for Environmental clearance from SEIAA for Proposed Establishment of Sugarcane Crushing plant Project at Holkund VIIage, Kamalapura Taluk & Kalaburagi District.

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 22nd January 2020. The Committee after discussion had decided to appraise the proposal as B1 and decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA for issue of standard TORs to conduct the EIA studies in accordance with EIA Notification 2006. The committee also prescribed the following additional TORs.

- 1) Details of kharab land and its position in the project site may be detailed and submitted.
- 2) Land use pattern details may be worked out and submitted.
- 3) Details of the facilities proposed for drivers and supporting staff who bring sugar canes to the site may be detailed and submitted.
- 4) The details of green belt development with local, broad leaved plants all round the project and also within the project to an extent of 33% of the project area may be detailed and submitted.

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC. The Authority after discussion decided to issue standard ToR along with additional ToR as recommended by SEAC for conducting the Environment Impact Assessment study in accordance with EIA Notification, 2006.

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183.6.2. Proposed Dolomite Mineral Project at Sy.Nos.282, 277 & 276(P) of Shirur Village, Bagalkot Taluk, Bagalkot District (33-33 Acres) by M/s.Sona Minerals (SEIAA 845MIN 2019

M/s.Sona Minerals have applied for Environmental clearance from SEIAA for quarrying of Dolomite Mineral on 13.69 Ha, Revenue land at Sy.Nos.282, 277 & 276(P) of Shirur Village, Bagalkot Taluk, Bagalkot District.

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 22nd January 2020. The Committee noted that proposal is for Dolomite mining without any crushing activity. The area of this lease is 33Acres and 33guntas and which being more than the threshold limit of 5 Ha. committee decided to categorize this project under B1 and proceeded with the appraisal accordingly. The Committee after discussion had decided to appraise the proposal as B1 and decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA for issue of standard TORs to conduct the EIA studies in accordance with EIA Notification 2006. The committee also prescribed the following additional TORs.

- 1) Details of protective measures for the Reserved forest which is 900meters from the project site may be detailed and submitted.
- 2) Details of protective measures for the nearby nala which is at 400meters from project site may be detailed and submitted.
- 3) Details of waste handling may be detailed and submitted.
- 4) Land use details within the lease area may be detailed and submitted.
- 5) Protective measures to protect surrounding agricultural land may be detailed and submitted.
- 6) Combined EMP for all the leases within the 500meter radius may be prepared and submitted.
- 7) Implementation of MoEF Gol OM Dt.16.01.2020 regarding mining closure plan may be detailed and submitted.

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC. The Authority after discussion decided to issue standard ToR along with additional ToR as recommended by SEAC for conducting the Environment Impact Assessment study in accordance with EIA Notification, 2006.

183.6.3. Proposed Dolomite Mineral Project at Sy.Nos.94/1, 94/2, 94/3, 94/4, 84/1 & 83/1 of Neeralakeri Village, Bagalkot Taluk, Bagalkot District by M/s. Sri Sangameshwar Mines & Minerals (16-29 Acres) (SEIAA 846MIN 2019)

M/s. Sri Sangameshwar Mines & Minerals have applied for Environmental clearance from SEIAA for quarrying of Dolomite Mineral on 6.768 Ha, Revenue land at Sy.Nos.94/1, 94/2, 94/3, 94/4, 84/1 & 83/1 of Neeralakeri Village, Bagalkot Taluk, Bagalkot District

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 22nd January 2020. The Committee noted that proposal is for Dolomite mining without any crushing activity. The area of this lease is 6.768Ha and which being more than the threshold limit of 5 Ha.

committee decided to categorise this project under B1 and proceeded with the appraisal accordingly. The Committee after discussion had decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA for issue of standard TORs to conduct the EIA studies in accordance with EIA Notification 2006. The committee also prescribed the following additional TORs.

- 1) Details of waste handling may be detailed and submitted.
- 2) Land use details within the lease area may be detailed and submitted.
- 3) Protective measures to protect surrounding agricultural land may be detailed and submitted.
- 4) Combined EMP for all the leases within the 500meter radius may be prepared and submitted.
- 5) Implementation of MoEF GoI OM Dt.16.01.2020 regarding mining closure plan may be detailed and submitted

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC. The Authority after discussion decided to issue standard ToR along with additional ToR as recommended by SEAC for conducting the Environment Impact Assessment study in accordance with EIA Notification, 2006.

183.6.4. Proposed Ordinary Sand Quarry Project at Sy.Nos.31/1, 32/1, 32/4 & 32/5 of Kuruvinakoppa Village, Rona Taluk, Gadag District (5-20 Acres) by Sri Irganteppa M Sindageri (SEIAA 839 MIN 2019)

Sri Irganteppa M Sindageri have applied for Environmental clearance from SEIAA for quarrying of Ordinary Sand on 2.225 Ha, Patta Land at Sy.Nos.31/1, 32/1, 32/4 & 32/5 of Kuruvinakoppa Village, Rona Taluk, Gadag District

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 22nd January 2020. The Committee noted that this is a fresh lease involving ordinary sand mining in patta land. As per the combined sketch prepared by DMG there are 3leases including this lease within 500 meter radius from this lease and total area of these leases is 20Acres 20guntas and which being more than the threshold limit of 5 Ha. committee decided to categorize this project under B1 and decided to issue standard TORs along with following additional TORs.

- 1) Details of handling top soil may be detailed and submitted.
- 2) Details of handling waste may be detailed and submitted.

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC. The Authority after discussion decided to issue standard ToR along with additional ToR as recommended by SEAC for conducting the Environment Impact Assessment study in accordance with EIA Notification, 2006.

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183.6.5. Proposed Expansion of Dabbanagadde Sand Block No.4 in Tunga River Bed Project at Dabbanagadde Village, Thirthahalli Taluk, Shivamogga District by Sri Praveen D. (12-00 Acres) (SEIAA 840MIN 2019)

Sri Praveen D. have applied for Environmental clearance from SEIAA for quarrying of Dabbanagadde Sand on 4.85 Ha **(12-00 Acres)**, Government Land at Sand Block No.4 in Tunga River Bed Project at Dabbanagadde Village, Thirthahalli Taluk, Shivamogga District.

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 22nd January 2020. The Committee noted that this is an old lease the EC for which were granted by DEIAA for the production of 10608MTPA for 5 years. The proponent has stated that this application has been made out to increase the production to 68433MTPA based on JIR and Modified quarry plan. The Committee also noted that as per the combined sketch prepared by DMG there are 3 leases including this lease within 500 meter radius from this lease and total area of these leases is 36Acres and which being more than the threshold limit of 5 Ha. committee decided to categorise this project under B1 and decided to issue standard TORs along with following additional TORs.

- 1) Details of handling waste may be detailed and submitted.
- 2) Certified compliance to earlier EC may be obtained and submitted.
- 3) River bank protection works may be detailed and submitted.

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC. The Authority after discussion decided to issue standard ToR along with additional ToR as recommended by SEAC for conducting the Environment Impact Assessment study in accordance with EIA Notification, 2006.

183.6.6. Proposed Dabbanagadde Sand Block No.3 in Tunga River Bed Project at Adjacent to Sy.No.17 (Bhadrarajapura) Dabbanagadde Village, Thirthahalli Taluk, Shivamogga District (12-00 Acres) by Sri K.G. Adithya (SEIAA 843 MIN 2019)

Sri K.G. Adithya have applied for Environmental clearance from SEIAA for quarrying of sand on 4.85 Ha Government Land Sy.No.17 (Bhadrarajapura) Dabbanagadde Village, Thirthahalli Taluk, Shivamogga District

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 22nd January 2020. The Committee noted that this is an old lease the EC for which were granted by DEIAA for the production of 8109MTPA for 5 years. The proponent has stated that this application has been made out to increase the production to 30642MTPA based on JIR and Modified quarry plan. The Committee also noted that as per the combined sketch prepared by DMG there are 3 leases including this lease within 500 meter radius from this lease and total area of these leases is 36Acres and which being more than the threshold limit of 5 Ha. committee decided to categorise this project under B1 and decided to issue standard TORs along with following additional TORs.

- 1) Details of handling waste may be detailed and submitted.
- 2) Certified compliance to earlier EC may be obtained and submitted.
- 3) River bank protection works may be detailed and submitted.

The Authority perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC. The Authority after discussion decided to issue standard ToR along with additional ToR as recommended by SEAC for conducting the Environment Impact Assessment study in accordance with EIA Notification, 2006.

183.6 Miscellaneous:

183.7.1 Request for Transfer of Environmental Clearance granted by DEIAA, Tumkur vide letter No. DEIAA/TUM/BST/02/2017-18, dated 24.03.2018 to Sri Munavar Burhan for quarrying of Building stone at Sy. No. 16(P), Kanthevaderahalli village, Koratagre Taluk, Tumkur District in favour of M/s C.R. Stone Crusher – reg (SEIAA 30 Misc 2019)

Environmental Clearance has been issued to Sri Munavar Burhan by DEIAA, Tumkur vide letter No. DEIAA/TUM/BST/02/2017-18, dated 24.03.2018 for quarrying of quarrying of Building stone at Sy. No. 16(P), Kanthevaderahalli village, Koratagre Taluk, Tumkur District.

M/s C.R. Stone Crusher vide letter dated 09.09.2019 has requested to transfer the said Environmental Clearance to their favour as the quarry lease was transferred to them through Deputy Director, Department of Mines and Geology, Tumkur District vide order No:UN MEC/G¤VM/NUMÄ-725/aNÁðaNuÉ/2019-20, dated 19.07.2019.

The Authority during the meeting held on 27.09.2019 perused the request made by M/s C.R. Stone Crusher. The Authority decided to get the following details for further consideration from the proponent and also to get the file from concerned DFIAA.

- i) Quarrying Audit Report from the date of EC.
- ii) Compliance on the EC conditions.
- iii) Copies of Statutory Clearances obtained as per the conditions of EC/Quarry Lease.

The Authority perused the concerned file received from the DEIAA, Tumkur and reply submitted by the proponent vide letter dated 06.01.2020. The Authority after discussion decided to transfer the Environmental Clearance granted to Sri Munavar Burhan vide letter vide letter No. DEIAA/TUM/BST/02/2017-18, dated 24.03.2018 in favour of M/s C.R. Stone Crusher for the same validity period and production capacity.

183.7.2 Request for transfer of EC granted to Sri M.A.A. Haris for quarrying of building stone at Sy. no 57, Kowthanaranahalli village, Tumkur Taluk & District by DEIAA, Tumkur District in favour of M/s Karnataka Granite Industries (1-00 Acres) (SEIAA 6 Misc 2020)

The Environment Clearance has been issued to Sri M.A.A. Haris by DEIAA, Tumkur vide letter No.DEIAA/TUM/BST/52/2016-17, dated 23.01.2018 for quarrying of building stone at Sy. no 57, Kowthanaranahalli village, Tumkur Taluk & District.

M/s Karnataka Granite Industries vide letter dated 04.01.2020 requested for transfer of EC to their favour as the Quarry lease No.595 has been transferred from Sri M.A.A. Haris to them. The copy of the Transfer Deed of quarrying Lease and No objection letter from Sri M.A.A. Haris are also submitted.

The Authority perused the request made by M/s Karnataka Granite Industries. The Authority decided to get the following details for further consideration from the proponent and also to get the file from concerned DEIAA.

- i) Quarrying Audit Report from the date of EC.
- ii) Compliance on the EC conditions.
- iii) Copies of Statutory Clearances obtained as per the conditions of EC/Quarry Lease.
- 183.7.3 Request for transfer of EC granted to M.A.A. Haris for quarrying of building stone at Sy. no 57, Kowthanaranahalli village, Tumkur Taluk & District By DEIAA, Tumkur District in favour of M/s Karnataka Granite Industries. (4-00 Acres) (SEIAA 7 misc 2020)

The Environment Clearance has been issued to Sri M.A.A. Haris by DEIAA, Tumkur vide letter No. DEIAA/TUM/BST/51/2016-17, dated 23.01.2018 for quarrying of building stone at Sy. no 57, Kowthanaranahalli village, Tumkur Taluk & District.

M/s Karnataka Granite Industries. vide letter dated 04.01.2020 requested for transfer of EC to their favour as the Quarry lease No.596 has been transferred from Sri M.A.A. Haris to them. The copy of the Transfer Deed of quarrying Lease and No objection letter from Sri M.A.A. Haris are also submitted.

The Authority perused the request made by M/s Karnataka Granite Industries. The Authority decided to get the following details for further consideration from the proponent and also to get the file from concerned DEIAA.

- i) Quarrying Audit Report from the date of EC.
- ii) Compliance on the EC conditions.
- iii) Copies of Statutory Clearances obtained as per the conditions of EC/Quarry Lease.
- 183.7.4 Request for transfer of EC granted to Sri Shankarappa for quarrying of Building Stone Quarrying at Sy.No.240, Kalingeri Village, Sandur Taluk, Bellary District (2.50 Acres) in favour of M/s Kalaingeri Stone Works. (SEIAA 77 MIN 2014)

The Environment Clearance has been issued to Sri Shankarappa vide letter No. SEIAA 77 MIN 2014, dated 23.04.2015 for quarrying of building stone at Sy.No.240, Kalingeri Village, Sandur Taluk, Bellary District.

M/s Kalaingeri Stone Works vide letter dated 31.01.2020 requested for transfer of EC as the Quarry lease has been transferred from Sri Shankarappa to M/s Kalaingeri Stone Works. The copy of the Transfer Deed of quarrying Lease are also submitted.

The Authority perused the request made by M/s Kalaingeri Stone Works. The Authority decided to transfer the EC dated 23.04.2015 in favour of M/s Kalaingeri Stone Works subject to submission of the following information.

- i) Quarrying Audit Report from the date of EC.
- ii) Compliance on the EC conditions.
- iii) Copies of Statutory Clearances obtained as per the conditions of EC/Quarry Lease.
- 183.7.5 Proposed Iron (Fe) / Manganese (Mn) Ore Beneficiation, Pellet Plant & Sponge Iron Plant Project at Sy.Nos.178/2 & 178/4 of Sanklapura Village, Hospet Taluk Bellary District By M/s. Suraj Rock Cutting and Transport Service- Submitting revised plan exclusding 1 X 100 TPD sponge Iron Plant (SEIAA 31 IND 2019)

M/s. Suraj Rock Cutting and Transport Service have Proposed Iron (Fe) / Manganese (Mn) Ore Beneficiation, Pellet Plant & Sponge Iron Plant Project at Sy.Nos.178/2 & 178/4 of Sanklapura Village, Hospet Taluk Bellary District on a Plot area of 38775 Sqmt.

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 17th October 2019. The Committee appraised the proposal as B1 and decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA for issue of standard ToRs along with additional ToRs. The Authority during the meeting held on 22.11.2019 perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC. The Authority after discussion decided to issue standard ToR along with additional ToR.

Subsequently, the proponent vide letter dated 25.01.2020 submitted that they have came to know that as per CBCB guidelines, the minimum distance for sponge iron plant installation from NH is 500m. As the bye-pass road is about 200-250m from the proposed site. Hence the proponent requested to revise the proposal withdrawing the 1 X 100 sponge iron plant from the proposal and issue ToRs accordingly.

The Authority perused the request made by the proponent and decided to modify the ToR only for proposed Iron (Fe) / Manganese (Mn) Ore Beneficiation, Pellet Plant.

183.7.6 Building Stone Quarry Project, Sy.No.35 of Thimlapura Village, Harpanahalli Taluk, Davanagere District (7-0 Acres) of Sri. Amogh H.A - Request for extension of EC for same quantity upto lease period (SEIAA 1367 MIN 2015)

The Environment Clearance has been issued to Sri. Amogh H.A letter No. SEIAA 77 MIN 2014, dated 05.01.2016 for quarrying of building stone at Sy.No.35 of Thimlapura Village, Harpanahalli Taluk, Davanagere District.

Sri. Amogh H.A vide letter dated 25.01.2020 submitted that due to market conditions the quantity has not been completed within the plan period. Hence the proponent requested for extension of EC for same quantity until the lease period.

The Authority perused the request made by the proponent and decided to issue corrigendum in the life of the mine limiting the total production to the mineable reserves estimated as per the approved quarry plan.

183.7.7 Establishment of Active Pharmaceutical Ingredients (APIs) manufacturing Industry, Plot No. 17F, Bidadi Industrial Area, 2nd Phase, Sector-1, Bengaluru M/s. Gomti Life Sciences India Pvt Ltd – Request to transfer the EC granted to M/s Eurofins Advinus Biopharma Services India Pvt. Ltd. (SEIAA 9 IND 2010)

The Environmental Clearance has been issued vide letter No. SEIAA 9 IND 2010, dated 6.12.2010 for establishment of Active Pharmaceutical Ingredients (APIs) unit at Plot No. 17F, Bidadi Industrial Area, Bidadi, Ramanagara District in favour of M/s. Gomti Life Sciences India Pvt. Ltd.

M/s Eurofins Advinus Biopharma Services India Pvt. Ltd vide letter dated 11.02.2020 requested for transfer of EC their favour as M/s. Gomti Life Sciences India Pvt. Ltd sold the said Active Pharmaceutical Ingredients (APIs) manufacturing Industry to them. The copy of the possession certificate endorsement and Company incorporation certificate are also submitted.

The Authority perused the request made by M/s Eurofins Advinus Biopharma Services India Pvt. Ltd. The Authority after discussion decided to transfer the Environmental Clearance granted to M/s. Gomti Life Sciences India Pvt. Ltd vide letter No. SEIAA 9 IND 2010, dated 6.12.2010 in favour of M/s Eurofins Advinus Biopharma Services India Pvt. Ltd on the same terms and conditions.

183.7.8 Proposed Expansion of the bulk drugs & intermediates manufacturing Industry at Plot No.17F, Bidadi Industrial Area, 2nd Phase, Sector-1, Bidadi Hobli, Ramanagar Dist by M/s. Gomti Life Sciences India Pvt Ltd - Request to transfer the ToRs granted to M/s Eurofins Advinus Biopharma Services India Pvt. Ltd. (SEIAA 14 IND 2019)

The ToRs have been issued vide letter No. SEIAA 14 IND 2019, dated 15.072019 for Expansion of the bulk drugs & intermediates manufacturing Industry at Plot No.17F, Bidadi Industrial Area, 2nd Phase, Sector-1, Bidadi Hobli, Ramanagar Dist in favour of M/s. Gomti Life Sciences India Pvt. Ltd

M/s Eurofins Advinus Biopharma Services India Pvt. Ltd vide letter dated 11.02.2020 requested for transfer of EC their favour as M/s. Gomti Life Sciences India Pvt. Ltd sold the said Active Pharmaceutical Ingredients (APIs) manufacturing Industry to them. The copy of the possession certificate endorsement and Company incorporation certificate are also submitted.

The Authority perused the request made by M/s Eurofins Advinus Biopharma Services India Pvt. Ltd. The Authority after discussion decided to transfer the ToRs granted to M/s. Gomti Life Sciences India Pvt. Ltd vide letter No. SEIAA 14 IND 2019, dated 15.072019 in favour of M/s Eurofins Advinus Biopharma Services India Pvt. Ltd on the same standard ToRs and modify the ToRs as requested by the proponent.

183.7.9 Proposed IWF Campus – Software Unit project st Sy.Nos.91/1, & 91/2 of B.Narayanapur Village and Survey Nos.192, 193/1, 193/2, 193/3, 194, 196/1 & 196/2 of Mahadevapura village, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore by M/s. Hewlett Packard India Software Operation Pvt Ltd. – Request for corrigendum to the EC granted (SEIAA 103 CON 2018)

M/s. Hewlett Packard India Software Operation Pvt. Ltd had obtained Environmental Clearance vide letter No. SEIAA 103 CON 2018 dated 7.9.2018 for construction of 'IWF Campus - Software unit' Project on a plot area of 70,415.63 Sqm. The total built up area is 1,74,676.47 Sqm. (Existing: 50,636 sq. m. + Proposed Expansion: 1,21,210 sq.m). The project consists of an Existing Building comprising of Basement + Ground Floor + 5 Upper Floors and the proposed Building comprising of 3 Basements + Ground Floor +11 Upper Floors.

The proponent vide letter dated 10.02.2020 have submitted that they have extending the ground floor cafeteria and above to accommodate swing space area and other small area variations due to which the built up area will be increased by 3,474.06 Sqm. Hence requested for issue of corrigendum on the EC issued increasing the built up area to 1,78,150,53 Sqm from earlier 1,74,676.47 Sqm. The proponent also submitted the revised Form-1, Form-1 A and comparative statement.

The Authority perused the request made by the proponent. The Authority after discussion decided to issue corrigendum as requested by the proponent.

183.7.10 Proposed expansion of Mixed use development project at Plot No.75,76,85,86,87,88 (P) and CA Plot which is part of EPIP Industrial Area, Survey Nos.97,98,149, 150 and 151 of Hoodi Village, Bengaluru East Taluk, Bengaluru by M/s. Chalet Hotels Pvt Ltd Request for corrigendum to the EC granted (SEIAA 73 CON 2017)

The Environmental Clearance has been issued vide letter No. SEIAA 73 CON 2017 dated 17.4.2018 to M/s. Chalet Hotels Pvt. Ltd. & M/s. Magna Warehousing & Distribution Pvt. Ltd. for expansion of Mixed Use Development project on a plot area of

39,512 Sqm. The total built up area is 1,57,605.64 Sqm including expansion of 15,033.36 Smt. The proposed project consists of 4 blocks.

Subsequently, request has been made by M/s. Chalet Hotels Pvt. Ltd. vide letter dated 17.5.2018 to transfer the Environmental Clearance issued vide letter No. SEIAA 73 CON 2017 dated 17-04-2018 to M/s. Chalet Hotels Pvt. Ltd. & M/s. Magna Warehousing & Distribution Pvt. Ltd. in favour of M/s Chalet Hotels Pvt. Ltd, as M/s. Magna Warehousing & Distribution Pvt. Ltd. is amalgamated with M/s. Chalet Hotels Pvt. Ltd., as per the orders of the National Company Law Tribunal, Bangalore Bench dated 14th March 2018 and hence M/s. Chalet Hotels Pvt. Ltd is the absolute owners of the whole project covered in the EC dated 17.4.2018. Request have also been made for issue of corrigendum amending the Specific Condition No. 51 as the existing DG sets cannot be converted for PNG facility.

The Authority considered the request made by M/s. Chalet Hotels Pvt. Ltd during the meeting held on 28th May 2018 decided to transfer the EC issued vide letter No. SEIAA 73 CON 2017 dated 17-04-2018 to M/s. Chalet Hotels Pvt. Ltd. & M/s. Magna Warehousing & Distribution Pvt. Ltd. in favour of M/s Chalet Hotels Pvt. Ltd. on the same terms and conditions under which the prior EC has been granted and to accord approval for modification of the Specific Condition No. 51 in the EC letter dated 17-04-2018 as "The Project proponent shall build in infrastructure required for use of Piped Natural Gas (PNG) such as pipelines and space for installation of PNG distribution equipment for both for domestic/commercial purpose and DG set and shall ensure that PNG is supplied for both commercial purpose and for DG sets instead of other type of fuel in the proposed development except in the case of existing blocks."

Accordingly, the corrigendum and transfer of Environmental clearance has been issued vide order dated 12.06.2018.

The Authority noted that the proponent vide letter dated 10.02.2020 have submitted that it is proposed to modify the IT office/retail/multiplex block by extending the projection floor area to accommodate projector room for multiplex and small area variations during the design change due to which the built up area will be increased by 4,767.98 Sqm.. Hence requested for issue of corrigendum on the EC issued increasing the built up area to 1,62,373.62 Sqm from earlier 1,57,605.64 Sqm. The proponent also submitted the revised Form-1, Form-1 A and comparative statement.

The Authority after discussion decided to issue corrigendum as requested by the proponent.

183.7.11 Residential Apartment Project at Sy.No.53/1 & Site No.394 of Gubbalala Village, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore Urban District of M/s. Rohan Gruh Nirman LLP, #1201, 1st Floor, Divyashakti, 100 feet Road, Indiranagar, Bangalore - 560 038- Request for corrigendum to the EC issued. (SEIAA 19 CON 2016)

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The project proponent had obtained Environmental Clearance vide letter No. SEIAA 19 CON 2016 dated 25.05.2016 for construction of residential apartment project of 434 units in 2 Blocks with each having Basement + Ground Floor+14 Upper Floor on a plot area of 20,398 Sqm and with the total built up area of 69,834 Sqm.

Subsequently, the proponent vide letter dated 08.07.2016 have requested for issue of amendment on the E.C. issued vide letter dated 25.05.2016 as they are intend to expand the project by addition of 10 flats.

The Authority during the meeting held on 6.8.2016 perused the request made by the proponent and decided to issue corrigendum as requested by the proponent. Accordingly, the corrigendum has been issued vide letter dated 03.09.2016.

The Authority noted that the proponent vide letter dated 24.01.2020 have submitted taking into consideration of the suggestion from the competent authority to consider ground floor as Basement as the site has sloping contour and also considering average ground level. It is also proposed to add one floor in Building 2 (2B+G+14 floors instead of B+G+13 floor) with addition of 14 flats. Hence the proponent requested for issue of corrigendum on the EC issued reducing the number of units to 458 units from the earlier 444 flats . The proponent also submitted the revised Form-1, Form-1A and comparative statement.

The Authority after discussion decided to issue corrigendum as requested by the proponent.

183.7.12 Expansion and Modification of the Active Pharmaceutical Ingredients (API's) and Intermediates manufacturing industry with R & D activity in an existing industry at Unit –II,, Plot No. 33, 33A & 40 to 47, Raichur, Industrial Growth Centre, Wadloor Road, Chicksugur, Raichur Dist – 584134 of M/s. SHILPA MEDICARE LIMITED - Request for corrigendum to the EC issued (SEIAA 50 IND 2016)

The project proponent had obtained Environmental Clearance vide letter No. SEIAA 50 IND 2016 dated 28.4.2017 for expansion and modification of the Active Pharmaceutical Ingredients (API's) and Intermediates manufacturing industry with R & D activity in an existing industry.

Subsequently, the proponent vide letter dated 10.10.2017 have submitted that they have found typographical error in names of 8 products annexed to the EC letter. The proponent has therefore requested for amendment to the E.C. issued vide letter dated 28.4.2017.

Further, the proponent vide letter dated 26.10.2017 have submitted that they have done the risk assessment & hazard severity mapping for storage, handling and transportation of bromine. The proponent have therefore requested for delete the Specific Condition No. 30, i.e., to avoid bromination process in the E.C. issued vide letter dated 28.4.2017.

The Authority during the meeting held on 9th November 2017 perused the request made by the proponent. The Authority after discussion decided to get the latest CFO issued by the Karnataka State Pollution Control Board for the further consideration of the request made by the proponent. The Authority also decided to get the issue examined on file with regard to the proposal given by the proponent and the reason for imposing such a condition and to consider the request in the subsequent meeting.

The proponent vide letter dated 19.12.2017 further requested to amendment the EC for (i) making corrections in respect of products, (ii) removing specific condition No.30 in the EC of avoiding bromination and (iii) including the names of all intermediates as shown in the EIA report.

The Authority during the meeting held on 20.12.2017 and 9.2.2018 perused the requests of the proponent and decided to issue corrigendum to the EC issued on the following issues as requested by the proponent.

- 1. Amend the condition Specific Condition No. 30.
- 2. Corrections regarding typographical errors that have crept in with regards to the names of products that have been permitted as per the EC letter.
- 3. Including all the inter mediate products that have been considered during appraisal of the EIA report in the EC letter.

Accordingly corrigendum has been issued vide letter dated 15.03.2018

Now, the proponent vide letter dated 8.1.2020 have requested for issue of corrigendum on the EC issued including the byproducts of potassium acetate, Caustic potash Lye solution (Product- 3a,7B-Dihydroxy Cholanic Acid) and Tin salt & Pyridine Hd (Product - Capacitabine) and Pyridine HCI (Product - Decitabine) as submitted in EMP. The proponent also submitted the process flow chart.

The Authority perused the request made by the proponent. The Authority after discussion decided to issue corrigendum as requested by the proponent.

183.7.13 Expansion of Residential Villas, "Renaissance Nature Walk", Sy.No.18/5 to 7 and 19/1 to 4, Basavanapura Village, K.R.Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore of M/s Renaissance Holdings & Developers Pvt. Ltd.,. Issue of corrigendum regarding (SEIAA 74 CON 2010)

The project proponent had obtained Environmental Clearance vide letter No. SEIAA 74 CON 2010 dated 29th August 2011 for proposed expansion of residential villas on a plot area of 54,927.25 sq. m. The total built up area is 51,043.31 Sqm inclusive of the proposed expansion of 15,626.76 sq. m. The proposed building under expansion consists of 158 units inclusive the addition of 9 units in proposed expansion in 10 blocks with ground + two upper floors (added one additional upper floor).

The proponent vide letter submitted have requested for issue of corrigendum on the EC issued increasing the number of residential units to 163 units (147 units + 16 EWS units) from the earlier 158 units, increasing the built up area to 57,495.41 Sqm from earlier 51,043.31 Sqm. The proponent also submitted the revised Form-1 and Forma 1A.

The Authority perused the request made by the proponent. The Authority after discussion decided to issue corrigendum as requested by the proponent.

183.7.14 Request for transfer of EC granted to Smt Gowramma for quarrying of Building Stone at Sy. no 41 of Dyapenahalli village, Tumkur By DEIAA, Tumkur in favour of M/s Varsha Stone Mills.

Environmental Clearance has been issued by DEIAA, Tumkur vide letter DEIAA/TUM/BST/59/2016-17, dated 23.01.2018 for quarrying of Building Stone at Sy. no 41 of Dyapenahalli village, Tumkur in favour of Smt Gowramma.

M/s Varsha Stone Mills have requested vide letter dated 04.01.2020 to transfer the said Environmental Clearance to their favour as the quarry lease was transferred to them. Copy of the Transfer of Quarry lease deed, Form T has also been submitted.

The Authority perused the request made by M/s Varsha Stone Mills and the concerned file received from the DEIAA, Tumkur. The Authority after discussion decided to transfer the Environmental Clearance granted to Smt Gowramma vide letter No. DEIAA/TUM/BST/59/2016-17, dated 23.01.2018 in favour M/s Varsha Stone Mills for the same validity period and production capacity, subject to submission of the following information.

- i) Quarrying Audit Report from the date of EC.
- ii) Compliance on the EC conditions.
- iii) Copies of Statutory Clearances obtained as per the conditions of EC/Quarry Lease.
- iv) NOC from the present lessee.

183.7.15 Proposed Modification & Expansion of Bulk Drug & Intermediates Unit Project at Plot No.4/A-D, KIADB Industrial Area, Bidar Taluk, Bidar District by M/s. Vani Organics Pvt. Ltd. (SEIAA 20 IND (VIOL) 2018)

M/s. Vani Organics Pvt. Ltd. have proposed for expansion of Bulk drug and Intermediates manufacturing unit on a plot area of 34,528 Sqmt at Plot No.4/A-D, KIADB Industrial Area, Bidar Taluk, Bidar District.

List of Existing products

SI. No.	Name of the product	Quantity in MTPM	
1	Analgin / Analgin intermediates	13	

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	Or Combination of Analgin and		
	intermediates		
2	Sodium Bi Sulphite As 100%	208	
3	Ice blocks	Captive consumption	
		only	

List of proposed products

SI.	Name of the product		Quantity in
No.			MTPM
1	Phenyl Methyl Pyrazolone	Product	60
2	Phenyl Hydrazine Oil	Product	20
3	Phenyl Hydrazine Hcl	Product	5
4	Di Sodium Salt of Antipyrine	Product	30
5	Sodium Bi Sulphite As 100%	product	208
6	Intermediate of Pentaprazole	Product	15
	sodium (1-2 Stage) Only		
7	Intermediate of Clorosulone	Product	5
8	Intermediate of Bendimidazole 2-	Product	10
	NITRO-4-THIOCYANO		
	ANILINE (CL MASS)		
9	Sodium Sulphate from pmp	Bi-product	400
	Mother Liquor		
	Total		753

The SEAC during the meeting held on 19.5.2018 appraised the proposal as per the Notification dated: 8-3-2018 issued by MoEF & CC andhave decided to recommend the proposal to SEIAA for issue of standard ToRs along with additional ToRs. The Authority during the meeting held on 1.6.2018 opined that it is a case of violation and therefore decided to issue ToR for conducting the Environment Impact Assessment study with public consultation following the procedure laid down in the Notification No. S.O. 804 (E) dated 14th March 2017, Notification No S.O.1030 (E) dated 8th March 2018. Accordingly the ToR was issued vide letter dated 15-06-2018. The proponent have submitted the EIA report vide letter dated 11-9-2019.

The subject was placed before the Committee during the meeting held on 26-9-2019 for EIA presentation. The committee noted that as per the records and analysis carried out the proponent has stated that no damages have been done for Air, Water and soil by operating his unit without valid EC. But, however with abundant responsibility he carried out retribution analysis according to which he has quantified retribution cost to Rs.7,46,381/-. The committee also noticed that there is an averge 15% excess production over the permitted quantity and the value of this excess production comes to nearly 60.00 lakhs. For this the proponent has pleaded that the remediation cost should not be worked out on the value of excess production and also the unit was run under loss and also requested the committee to take into consideration the appreciation letter issued by the Forest Department for having carried out afforestation within the premises

which they categorized it as a model to others. The committee after discussion and deliberation felt that Rs.25.00 lakhs towards the remediation charges can be levied on the proponent based on the above retribution analysis and also keeping in view the excess production made over and above the permitted quantity and hence the committee decided to recommend the proposal for delisting the same from violation category and issue of Environmental Clearance.

The Authority during the meeting held on 6th November 2019 perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC. The Authority observed that this proposal is located in Bidar industrial area which is identified as severely polluted and therefore the mechanism circulated vide CPCB letter dated 25.10.2019 would be applicable to this project also. The Authority therefore decided to consider this proposal after the receipt of the clarification sought from MoEF&CC as per the decision at Agenda point No. 177.4.1.

The Authority noted that while clarification was being sought from the MOEF&CC the following orders/mechanism came to be issued.

- Letter of CPCB bearing No. CPCB/IPC-VII/CEPI/NGT/2019, dated 25.10.2019 regarding Mechanism for environmental management in critically and severely polluted areas and consideration of activities /projects in such areas in compliance of Hon'ble NGT order dated 23.08.2019 in O.A. No. 1038/2018.
- 2. Office Memorandum issued by MoEF&CC vide F. No. 22-23/ 2018-IA.III (Pt) regarding compliance of Hon'ble NGT order dated 19.08.2019 (published on 23.08.2019) in O.A. No. 1038/ 2018.
- 3. Orders of the Hon'ble NGT dated 14.11.2019 in O.A. No. 1038/2018.

While going through the above orders the Authority noted that the MOEF&CC wide the O.M dated 31st October 2019 have clarified that in cases pertaining to critically and severely polluted areas where the Environmental Clearance proposal has already been recommended by the EACs /SEACs and the proposal was kept on hold, the mechanism may now be considered by the concerned sectors of the Ministry/SEIAAs and after due dilligence the concerned sector of the Ministry/SEIAAs may prescribe additional conditions as incorporated in the mechanism for Environmental protection while issuing ECs.

The Authority during the meeting held on 17.12.2019 noted that this proposal is one such proposal which get covered under the mechanism directed by the MOEF&CC in para 3(b) of the O.M dated 31st October 2019. However in view of the observations made by the Hon'ble NGT the Authority decided to get a report from the KSPCB regarding the level of compliance to the Environmental safety norms by the Industry for further consideration.

Accordingly, addressed a letter to Member Secretary, KSPCB on 18.12.2019 with a request to get the issue examined and cause a report with respect to level of compliance

to the environmental safety norms. The Member Secretary, Karnataka State Pollution Control Board have submitted the report vide letter No. PCB/134/17 Cat/2019/465, dated 21st December 2019 in this regard.

The Authority during the meeting held on 20.01.2020 perused the report and noted that M/s Vani Organic is presently not working. Whereas, representatives of the industry submitted a letter stating that the industry is currently working. The Authority decided to send a copy of representation to KSPCB for their remarks for further consideration.

The Karnataka State Pollution Control Board vide letter dated 15.02.2020 reported that the industry was in operation during the visit of the Regional Officer, Bidar on 5.2.2020.

The Authority while going through the details opined that, considering the proposal that is already working and issuing Environmental Clearance based on merit along with mandating the compliance to the mechanism evolved by MoEF&CC/CPCB would not add to the present level of CEPI of the Kolhar Industrial Area and strict compliance would reduce CEPI. The Authority therefore decided to consider the proposal that is presently working for issue of environmental clearance based on merit mandating the mechanism suggested by MoEF&CC/CPCB.

183.7.16 Building Stone Quarry Project at Sy.No.199 of Devarayasamudra Village, Mulbagal Taluk, Kolar District (11-0 Acres) of Sri T. Kumar – Request for reopening (SEIAA 176 MIN 2019)

Shri T. Kumar have applied for Environmental clearance from SEIAA for quarrying of Building Stone on 11-0 Acres, Government Land at Sy.No.199 of Devarayasamudra Village, Mulabagal Taluk, Kolar District.

The subject was discussed in the SEAC meeting held on 13-6-2019. The proponent remained absent without intimation. The Committee after discussion decided to provide one more opportunity to proponent with intimation that the proposal will be appraised based on merit, in case he remains absent again and deferred the subject.

The Proponent and Environment Consultant once again invited for SEAC meeting held on 14-11-2019 to provide clarification/additional information. The proponent and consultant remained absent for the second time without inntimation . As per the records it is noticed the absence of cluster sketch and also no mention of the activities since 2008 till date is not forthcoming. The committee after due deliberation and discussion opined that the appraisal process cannot be taken further and hence decided to recommend the proposal for closure.

The Authority during the meeting held on 17.12.0219 perused the proposal and took note of the recommendation of SEAC. The Authority after discussion decided to close the file and delist from the pendency.

Subsequently, the proponent vide letter dated 13.01.2020 have requested for reopen the file and forward to SEAC for further appraisal. The proponent have also paid required Processing Fee. The Authority after discussion decided to forward the file to SEAC for appraisal in accordance with law and send the recommendation deemed fit.

Meeting concluded with thanks to the Chair.

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