STATE EXPERT APPRAISAL COMMITTEE (SEAC). ASSAM. 3RD FLOOR, POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD, ASSAM. BAMUNIMAIDAM, GUWAHATI-781021

Minutes of the 27th meeting of the State Expert Appraisal Committee (SEAC), Assam held at 11-00 a.m. on October 30, 2021 in the Conference Hall of the Pollution Control Board, Assam, Guwahati-21.

List of the members present in the meeting:

Sl no.	Name	Designation	Signature
1	Sri S. K. Seal Sarma,	Chairman, SEAC	Sd/-
2	Prof. B.P. Duarah.	Member, SEAC	Sd/-
3	Dr. G. C. Sarma.	Member, SEAC	Sd/-
4	Prof. Ratul Mahanta.	Member, SEAC	Sd/-
5	Prof. Sarat Phukan.	Member, SEAC	Sd/-
6	Prof. P.K Saikia.	Member, SEAC	Sd/-
7	Sri N.N. Deka.	Member, SEAC	Sd/-
8	Dr. S.K Dutta.	Secretary, SEAC	Sd/-

The Chairman, SEAC, Assam presided over the meeting. Welcoming all the members the Chairman introduced Dr. S K Dutta, the newly joined Secretary, SEAC to the house and started the proceedings as per agenda item.

Agenda item- 1. Confirmation of the resolutions adopted the 26th meeting of SEAC, Assam.

Resolution 24/1:

The minutes of the 26th SEAC meeting held on 8th October, 2021 is placed on the table for perusal of the Hon'ble Members and necessary discussion. The minutes of the 26th SEAC meeting is approved unanimously after a brief discussion.

Agenda item- 2.

1. Proposal of EC for mining of Brick earth from "Deramukh No.1 Brick Earth MPA under Hamren Forest Division proposed by M/S Kapili Brick Industries. SEIAA. 1650/2021 (SIA/AS/MIN/187967/2020)

Resolution 27/2:

The proposal asking EC for mining of brick earth from "Deramukh No.1 Brick Earth MPA" under Hamren Forest Division proposed by M/S Kapili Brick Industries is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and discussion. Scrutinized the documents including the reply of EDS furnished by the proponent. The certificate dated 2nd Oct. 2021 furnished being the proposed site classified as non-agriculture land is confusing. Due discussion is held and the committee require a proper non agriculture land certificate with respect to the proposed mine site issued by the appropriate Revenue Authority for reconsideration of the proposal.

2. Proposal of EC for the proposed "Construction of Convention Centre Cum State Guest House at Guwahati" proposed by the Executive Engineer, P.W.D Assam SEIAA.951/2019, (SIA/AS/MIN/100359/2019)

Resolution 27/3:

The project proposal requesting EC for construction of "Construction of Convention Centre Cum State Guest House at Guwahati" proposed by the Executive Engineer, P.W.D Assam is reviewed in the SEAC meeting. Due scrutiny of the documents furnished by the proponent are made including the reply of the EDS. Field inspection to the proposed construction site is done by the SEAC, Assam. Elaborate deliberation is held in the meeting. After detailed discussion the committee recommended the project proposal approving to issue EC with validity up to five (5) years, and the committee suggested the following points to bring it to the notice of the proponent to review and needful consideration.

- River bank protection is required along the Brahmaputra River.
- Since the high flood level of the river Brahmaputra may rise above the basement of the proposed Convention Centre structure, it is to be evaluated whether this condition will affect the structure or not by the project proponent.

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3. Proposal of EC for extraction of ordinary earth from "Patta Land Ordinary Earth MPA at Kumripara, Khutamari Village" under Goalpara Division proposed by Samsul Alam SEIAA.1665/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/198431/2021)

Resolution 27/4:

The project proposal asking extraction of ordinary earth from "Patta Land Ordinary Earth MPA at Kumripara, Khutamari Village" under Goalpara Division proposed by Samsul Alam is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Apprised the proposal and necessary scrutiny of the records are made. Detailed discussion is held. Considering the recommendation of the DFO, Goalpara and approved mining plan, the committee recommended the proposal approving the extract 41774 cu.m. Ordinary earth from the proposed location within two years. The proponent is allowed to extract 20887 cu.m. Ordinary earth annually strictly following all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Goalpara Division is requested to ensure that the proposed area is marked on the ground fixing pillars before allowing actual operation restricting mining within the proposed location. He will further ensure mounting due surveillance to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period.

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4. Proposal of EC for mining of Sand from "DIG/12/ MCA" under Digboi Division proposed by Sri Trinayan Chetia. SEIAA.1884/2021, (SIA/AS/MIS/234788/2021)

Resolution 27/5:

The proposal asking EC for mining of Sand from "DIG/12/ MCA" under Digboi Division proposed by Sri Trinayan Chetia is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and discussion. Apprised the proposal and due scrutiny of the documents are made. Detail discussion is also held. Considering the approval of the department as well as approved mining plan, the committee recommended the proposal to extract 60000 cu.m sand from the approved mining site within five (5) years. Extractable quantity of sand per year is approved 12000 cu.m strictly following all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Digboi Division will ensure due surveillance on the mining activities to avoid occurrence of irregularities during the mining period. He will also ensure that mining be allowed only within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same.

Agenda item- 2.

5. Proposal of EC for mining of brick earth from "Ghuglu Pathar Gaon Brick Earth MPA" under Dibrugarh Division proposed by M/S M.R Brick Field. SEIAA.1835/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/225271/2021)

Resolution 27/6:

The project proposal asking EC for excavation of brick earth from "Ghuglu Pathar Gaon Brick Earth MPA" under Dibrugarh Division proposed by Sri Pawan Kr. Holani, Proprietor, M/S. M.R. Brick Field is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and discussion. Apprised the proposal and requisite documents are scrutinized. Detailed discussion is held on the proposal. Considering the approved mining plan and recommendation of the concerned DFO, the committee recommended the proposal allowing to extract 1500 cu.m brick earth from the proposed site within two years subject to the condition that the mining depth is approved two meters from the unmined surface. Excavation of brick earth 750 cu.m annually is also recommended. The proponent shall have strictly follow all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Dibrugarh Division will ensure due surveillance on the mining activities to check occurrence of irregularities. He will also ensure that term and condition laid down therein is strictly followed by the proponent during the pendency of the mining period.

Agenda item- 2.

6. Proposal of EC for mining of Brick earth from "Malipathar Gaon Brick Earth Quarry" under Dibrugarh Division proposed by M/S Thakur Brick Field.SEIAA.1233/2020, (SIA/AS/MIN/139377/2021).

Resolution 27/7:

The proposal asking EC for mining of brick earth from "Malipathar Gaon Brick Earth Quarry" under Dibrugarh Division proposed by Sri Shankar Prashad Kumar, Proprietor, M/S. Thakur Brick Field is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and discussion. Apprised the proposal and necessary scrutiny of the documents are made. Seen the reply of the EDS submitted by the proponent.

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Detailed discussion is held and the committee require following additional documents for reconsideration of the project proposal.

- Proper "Jamabandi" in the name of Sri Shankar Prashad Kumar quoting specific Dag & Patta No. of the proposed land.
- Joint Verification Report (JVR) signed by the Revenue and Forest Authority has not been furnished along with the proposal. Copy of JVR is required for reconsideration of the proposal.
- Certificate to the effect that distance of the mining site from the nearest Wildlife Sanctuary, National Park, ESZ, Reserved Forests etc. form the concerned DFO.

Agenda item- 2.

7. Proposal of EC for Collection of Sand from "Naharkatia Sasoni Mohmari Gaon MPA" under Dibrugarh Division, proposed by UPRNN-BRC(JV) SEIAA.1880/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/233706/2021)

Resolution 27/8:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of Sand from "Naharkatia Sasoni Mohmari Gaon MPA" under Dibrugarh Division, proposed by UPRNN-BRC (JV) is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and discussion. Necessary documents are scrutinized. Recommendation of the concerned DFO, approved mining plan and requisition of the Executive Engineer, PWD, Building, Sivasagar are discussed. The committee after detailed discussion recommended the proposal approving to extract 15000 cu.m sand from the proposed site within two years. The proponent is allowed to extract 7500 cu.m sand per year strictly following all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Dibrugarh Division will ensure due surveillance on the mining activities to check occurrence of irregularities. He will also ensure that term and condition laid down therein is strictly followed by the proponent during the pendency of the mining period.

Agenda item- 2.

8. Proposal of EC for mining of stone from "Gumrah Stone Minor Mineral Unit no. 2" under Karimganj Division proposed by Rafique Ahmed. SEIAA.955/2019, (SIA/AS/MIN/62644/2020)

Resolution 27/9:

The project proposal requesting EC for mining of stone from "Gumrah Stone Minor Mineral Unit No. 2" under Karimganj Division proposed by Rafique Ahmed is placed before the SEAC for review and reconsideration. Appraised the final EIA report submitted by the proponent. Presentation on the EIA report has been given before the committee on 7th Aug. 2021. Subsequently, additional documents sought and the proponent has furnished all the requisite documents. Considering all the aspects and after detailed discussion the committee recommended the proposal approving to mine out 20000 cu.m stone from the proposed site within five (5) years.

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The proponent is allowed to extract 4000 cu.m stone annually strictly following all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Karimganj Division is requested to ensure necessary surveillance on the mining activities to avoid occurrence of irregularities. He will ensure that mining be allowed within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. The DFO will also ensure that the proponent should comply with all the terms and condition laid down in the EC.

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9. Proposal of EC for mining of earth and stone from "Sonapur NC Village Earth and Stone Extraction Permit Area" under Kamrup East Forest Division proposed by M/S ABCI Infrastructure Pvt. Ltd. SEIAA.1868/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/232383/2021)

Resolution 27/10:

The proposal asking EC for mining of earth and stone from "Sonapur NC Village Earth and Stone Extraction Permit Area" under Kamrup East Forest Division proposed by M/S ABCI Infrastructure Pvt. Ltd. is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and discussion. Necessary documents furnished by the proponent including the approved mining have been scrutinized. Recommendation of the Divisional Forest Officer, Kamrup East Division and the JVR has also been consulted. Recommendation and indent furnished by the Dy. Chief Engineer/ Construction-1, N. F. Railway, Maligaon is discussed. After thorough discussion, the committee recommended approving to mine out 12864 cu.m ordinary earth and 18862 cu.m. Stone from the proposed site with a period of one (1) year. The proponent shall have to strictly follow all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Kamrup East Division, Guwahati is requested to ensure due surveillance on the mining activities to avoid occurrence of irregularities. He will also ensure that the proponent should strictly comply with all the terms and condition laid down therein during the mining period.

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10. Proposal of EC for mining mining of sand and gravel from "Simen River Sand and Gravel MCA" under Dhemaji Forest Division proposed by Sri Biju Kumbang SEIAA.1869/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/232195/2021).

Resolution 27/11:

The proposal asking EC for mining of sand and gravel from "Simen River Sand and Gravel MCA" under Dhemaji Forest Division proposed by Sri Biju Kumbang is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Appraised the proposal and scrutinized all the documents furnished by the proponent. It is noticed in the mine plan map that both the proposed mine plots are falling across the river channel which should have been shifted to the nearby available sand bar area. Detailed discussion is held. After detailed discussion, the committee conditionally recommended the proposal to extract 23500 cu.m. sand and 36500 cu.m gravel from the mine site

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within five (5) years. The proponent is allowed to extract 4700 cu,m Sand and 7300 cu.m. Gravel per year. The proponent shall have to strictly follow all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan. In addition to the above, the proponent shall have to follow all the other condition if the DFO, Dhemaji imposes in execution of the mining activities.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Dhemaji Forest Division is requested to arrange to shift both the plots sufficiently away from the active river channel to other parts of the sand bar areas, as such available sand bar areas are visualize on the map. Further, the DFO is requested to ensure due surveillance on the mining activities to check occurrences of irregularities during the mining period.

Agenda item- 2.

11. Proposal for EC for mining of sand from "Naharkatia Sasoni Balipara Gaon MPA" under Dibrugarh Division proposed by M/S BADRI RAI & Company. SEIAA1881/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/233684/2021)

Resolution 27/12:

The proposal asking EC for mining of sand from "Naharkatia Sasoni Balipara Gaon MPA" under Dibrugarh Division proposed by M/S BADRI RAI & Company is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and discussion. Apprised the proposal and necessary documents are scrutinized. Approved mining plan and recommendation of the concerned DFO is consulted. After detail deliberation the committee recommended the proposal approving to extract 15000 cu.m sand from the proposed mining site within two years. The proponent is allowed to extract 7500 cu.m sand annually strictly following all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Dibrugarh Division will ensure due surveillance on the mining activities to check occurrence of irregularities. He will also ensure that term and condition laid down therein is strictly followed by the proponent during the pendency of the mining period.

Agenda item- 2.

12. Proposal of EC for mining of Sand and Gravel from "Likabali Sand and Gravel MCA (Revenue Portion) under Dhemaji Forest Division proposed by Sri Birat Basumatary. SEIAA1885/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/235566/2021)

Resolution 27/13:

The proposal asking EC for mining of sand and gravel from "Likabali Sand and Gravel MCA (Revenue Portion)" under Dhemaji Forest Division proposed by Sri Birat Basumatary is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and discussion. Apprised the proposal and necessary documents submitted by the proponent is scrutinized. Detailed discussion is held. Considering the approved mining plan and recommendation of the DFO, Dhemaji Division, and the committee recommended the proposal approving to extract 22400 cu.m Gravel and 33600 cu.m. Sand from the proposed mining site within five (5) years. It is also approved to extract 4480 cu.m. Gravel and 6720 cu.m. Sand per year strictly following all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Dhemaji Forest Division will ensure due surveillance on the mining activities to avoid occurrence of irregularities. He will also ensure that term and condition laid down therein is strictly followed by the proponent during the pendency of the mining period.

Agenda item- 2.

13. Proposal of EC for mining of Sand and Gravel from "No.1 Polashguri P.P land Sand gravel MPA under Kachugaon Division proposed by Md. Munuruddin Saikh. SEIAA1814/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/213752/2021),

Resolution 27/14:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of sand and gravel from "No.1 Polashguri P.P land Sand gravel MPA" under Kachugaon Division proposed by Md. Munuruddin Saikh is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Necessary documents are scrutinized including the reply of EDS furnished by the proponent. Detailed discussion is held. It is seen that class of the proposed land is not mentioned neither in the 'Jamabandi' nor in the JVR. The committee is required a certificate from the competent authority in the revenue department to the effect that the proposed site is non agriculture land. The proponent be informed to furnish/upload the non-agriculture land certificate for reconsideration of the project proposal.

Agenda item- 2.

14. Proposal of EC for mining of Sand & Gravel from "Upper Subansiri Manika Sand and Gravel MPA" under Dhemaji Division proposed by U.P State Bridge Corporation Ltd SEIAA.1886/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/236116/2021)

Resolution 27/15:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of sand and gravel from "Upper Subansiri Manika Sand and Gravel MPA" under Dhemaji Division proposed by U.P State Bridge Corporation Ltd is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and discussion. Apprised the proposal and necessary scrutiny of the documents are made. Approved mining plan and the recommendation of the DFO, Dhemaji communicated on 5th Oct. 2021 is consulted. After detailed discussion the committee recommended the proposal approving to mine out 24000 cm.m sand and 51000 cu.m gravel from the proposed mine site within two years. The proponent is approved to extract 12000 cu.m sand and 25500 cu.m gravel annually strictly following all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Dhemaji Division will ensure necessary surveillance on the mining activities to check occurrence of irregularities. He will also ensure that the mining be allowed strictly within the limit of the approved mining site and all terms and condition should comply by the proponent.

Agenda item- 2.

15. Proposal of EC for mining of stone from "Lokso Tokbi Gaon Parakhowa P.P Land Stone M.C Area under Karbi Anglong East Division proposed by M/s S.S Builders. SEIAA.1870/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/232253/2021)

Resolution 27/16:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of stone from "Lokso Tokbi Gaon Parakhowa P.P Land Stone M.C Area" under Karbi Anglong East Division proposed by M/s S.S Builders is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Apprised the proposal and due scrutiny of the documents submitted by the proponent is made. It is seen the proposed mining site is "Patta land" but no land records/ documents in support of the land have been furnished on the other hand LIO has been issued by the DFO, Karbi Anglong East Division. The committee requires the following documents for consideration of the project proposal.

- Proper land records being Patta land (Patta No. 56; Dag No. 457) is required from the competent Revenue Authority.
- Proper land deed/agreement signed by the land owner with the proponent for leasing out the land for mining.
- The proposed mine site falls in the primary forest area as shown in the Key map. A
 detailed Land Use map with 2 (two) K.M. buffer from the proposed site at high resolution
 using satellite image and showing active and abandoned mining area is required by the
 committee for consideration of the proposal.

Agenda item- 2.

16. Proposal of EC for construction of "Residential Building at Tarun Nagar, Guwahati" proposed by M/C Protech Housing Pvt. Ltd. SEIAA.1882/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/233708/2020).

Resolution 26/17:

The project proposal asking EC for construction of "Residential Building at Tarun Nagar, Guwahati" proposed by M/C Protech Housing Pvt. Ltd is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and discussion. Apprised the proposal and documents furnished by the proponent has been scrutinized. Detail discussion is held. After consulting the documents furnished by the proponent, the committee resolved to seek the following information from the proponent for consideration of the project proposal.

- A detailed Land Use map of the site and the area within 500 mt. buffer in 1:5000 scale prepared using satellite images (years 2020 or later) of less than 5 mt. spatial resolution.
- A detailed map of natural drainage and sew system around the proposed site within 500 mt. buffer.
- A detailed map of flood inundation of the area within 500 mt. buffer of the project site in 1:500 mt. scale.
- Relief map of the area within 500 mt. buffer of the project site in 1:5000 scale.
- Detailed plan showing disposal of sewage water.
- Quarry: if the proposed project is dependent on water supply from the "Guwahati Jal Board", why should the ground water be utilized?
- A site inspection is suggested.

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17. Proposal of EC for mining of stone from "Borjuri P.P land No.1 Stone MCA" under Karbi Anglong East Division proposed by Sri Borsing Terang (SEIAA.1831/2021), (SIA/AS/MIN/222874/2021)

Resolution 27/18:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of stone from "Borjuri P.P. Land No.1 Stone MCA" under Karbi Anglong East Division proposed by Sri Borsing Terang is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and discussion. Apprised the proposal and necessary documents including the reply of the EDS is scrutinized. Detail deliberation is held. After thorough discussion and considering the approved mining plan as well as approval of the concerned DFO, the committee recommended the proposal approving to mine out 150000 cu.m stone from the proposed mining site within a period of three years.

It is also approved to excavate 50000 cu.m stone annually from the proposed mining site strictly following all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Karbi Anglong East Division will ensure strict surveillance on the mining operation to check occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. He will also ensure due compliance of all the terms and condition noted in the approved mining plan by the proponent during the pendency of the mining period.

Agenda item- 2.

18. Proposal of EC for mining of sand, gravel and boulder "Kanipur patta land MCA under Chirang Forest Division proposed by Abbas Ali & 27 other. SEIAA.1871/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/231475/2021)

Resolution 27/19:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of Sand, Sand-Gravel, Gravel and boulder from the "Kanipur patta land MCA" under Chirang Forest Division proposed by Abbas Ali & 27 others is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Scrutinized the document furnished by the proponent in support of the proposal. Approved mining plan and recommendation of the concerned DFO is also consulted. Detail discussion is held and the committee considering the documents stated above recommended the proposal approving to extract 13540 cu.m sand-gravel; 8000 cu.m gravel; 4000 cu.m sand and 8000 cu.m boulder from the proposed mining site within a period of two years subject to the condition that the mining depth is restricted to two (2) meters. The proponent is allows to extract 6770 cu.m sand-gravel; 4000 cu.m gravel; 2000 cu.m sand and 4000 cu.m boulder per year from the proposed mining site strictly following all other terms and conditions laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Chirang Forest Division will ensure due surveillance on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities. He will also ensure that mining is allowed strictly with in the proposed site with due compliance of the terms and condition by the proponent during the pendency of the mining period.

19. Proposal of EC for setting up of "Common Bio- Medical Waste Treatment and Disposal Facility at Kahar pahar" in the District of Barpeta proposed by Ksepya Env. Management. Pvt. Ltd. SEIAA.1178/2020, (SIA/AS/MIN/197674/2021)

Resolution 27/20:

The project proposal asking EC for setting up of "Common Bio- Medical Waste Treatment and Disposal Facility at Kahar pahar" in the District of Barpeta proposed by Ksepya Env. Management Pvt. Ltd is placed before the SEAC for review and reconsideration. The reply of EDS furnished by the proponent has been consulted and discussion is also held. The committee after thorough discussion resolved to keep pending decision due to proposed field visit scheduled on 31st Oct. 2021. Programme of site visit has already been communicated to the proponent with a request to provide necessary assistance to the team during their site visit.

A subcommittee of the SEAC, Assam has been constituted to conduct detailed site inspection and necessary decision will be taken on receipt of the site inspection report in due course of time.

Agenda item- 2.

20. Proposal for extension of EC for mining of Brick Earth from "Sakiyalgaon P.P Land Brick Earth MPA" under Nagaon Forest Division proposed by Sri Mridul Kr. Medhi, proprietor, M/S Siva Sankar Brick Field. SEIAA.1875/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/233412/2021)

Resolution 27/21:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of brick earth from "Sakiyal gaon P.P Land Brick Earth MPA" under Nagaon Forest Division proposed by Sri Mridul Kr. Medhi, proprietor, M/S Siva Sankar Brick Field is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and discussion. Appraised the proposal and scrutinized the necessary records. After detailed discussion, the committee recommended the proposal approving to excavate 6540 cu.m brick earth from the proposed mining site within two years with condition that the mining depth is approved two (2) mts. from the unmined surface. Thus, the proponent is allowed to extract 3270 cu.m brick earth annually strictly following all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Nagaon Forest Division will ensure necessary surveillance on the mining activities to check occurrence of irregularities. He will also ensure that the mining be allowed strictly within the limit of the approved mining site and all terms and condition should strictly comply by the proponent.

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21. Proposal of modification of EC for mining of River Bed Stone from "Jatinga River Bed Unit 1(Stone)" under Cachar Forest Division proposed by the DFO, Cachar Division. SEIAA.1314/2020, (SIA/AS/MIN/233605/2021)

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Resolution 27/22:

The proposal for modification of EC issued on 05-02-2021 in favour of the DFO, Cachar Division for mining of river bed stone from "Jatinga River Bed Unit 1(Stone)" under Cachar Forest Division proposed by the DFO, Cachar Division is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and consideration. The modification proposal is discussed in details. Considering the approved mining plan and request of the DFO, Cachar Division stating shortage of building materials for the ongoing Govt. development works, the committee recommended the proposal to modify the quantity of the minable river bed stone to 52780 cu.m (i.e. original 52000 Cu.m + addl.780 Cu.m). It is advised to issue a fresh EC against the EC already issued on 05-02-2021 modifying the quantity 52780 cu.m river bed stone but its validity will remain unchanged i.e up to 04-02-2022.

The DFO Cachar Division shall utilize the mining minerals strictly for Govt. works only as per demand of Govt. department. The DFO, Cachar Division is also requested to see that the mining works of the other proponent is not get disturbed. The DFO, Cachar will ensure strict adherence to all the terms & condition laid down in the approved Mining Plan. Further, he will issue permit against the Govt. Department only on the basis of their indent. While issuing permit to the Govt. Department, the DFO, Cachar Division should adhere to the instructions issued by the Govt. vide notification No.PEM.82/2018/31 dt. 26th Oct, 2018.

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22. Proposal of modification of EC for mining of River Bed stone From "Jatinga River Bed Unit 2(Stone)" under Cachar Forest Division proposed by the DFO, Cachar Division. SEIAA.1313/2020, (SIA/AS/MIN/234752/2021)

Resolution 27/23:

The proposal for modification of EC issued on 05-02-2021 in favour of the DFO, Cachar Division for mining of river bed stone from "Jatinga River Bed Unit 2(Stone)" under Cachar Forest Division proposed by the DFO, Cachar Division is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and consideration. The modification proposal is discussed in details. Considering the approved mining plan and request of the DFO, Cachar Division stating shortage of building materials for the ongoing Govt. development works, the committee recommended the proposal to modify the quantity of the minable river bed stone to 52780 cu.m (i.e. original 52000 Cu.m + addl.780 Cu.m). It is advised to issue a fresh EC against the EC already issued on 05-02-2021 modifying the quantity 52780 cu.m but its validity will remain unchanged i.e up to 04-02-2022.

The DFO Cachar Division shall utilize the mining minerals strictly for Govt. works only as per demand of Govt. department. The DFO, Cachar Division is also requested to see that the mining works of the other proponent is not get disturbed. The DFO, Cachar will ensure strict adherence to all the terms & condition laid down in the approved Mining Plan. Further, he will issue permit against the Govt. Department only on the basis of their indent. While issuing permit to the Govt. Department, the DFO, Cachar Division should adhere to the instructions issued by the Govt. vide notification No.PEM.82/2018/31 dt. 26th Oct, 2018.

23. Proposal of modification of EC for mining of Stone from "Chiri River MMU (Stone)" under Cachar Forest Division proposed by the DFO, Cachar Division. SEIAA.1337/2020, (SIA/AS/MIN/234376/2021)

Resolution 27/24:

The proposal for modification of EC issued on 25-02-2021 in favour of the DFO, Cachar Division for mining of river bed stone from "Chiri River Minor Mineral Unit (Stone)" under Cachar Forest Division proposed by the DFO, Cachar Division is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and consideration. The modification proposal is discussed in details. Considering the approved mining plan and request of the DFO, Cachar Division stating shortage of building materials for the ongoing Govt. development works, the committee recommended the proposal to modify the quantity of the minable river bed stone with additional quantity 1700 cu.m (i.e. original 45000 Cu.m + addl. 1700 Cu. = 46700 cu.m.) It is advised to issue a fresh EC against the EC already issued on 25-02-2021 modifying the quantity 46700 cu.m but its validity will remain unchanged i.e up to 24-02-2022.

The DFO Cachar Division shall utilize the mining minerals strictly for Govt. works only as per demand of Govt. department. The DFO, Cachar Division is also requested to see that the mining works of the other proponent is not get disturbed. The DFO, Cachar will ensure strict adherence to all the terms & condition laid down in the approved Mining Plan. Further, he will issue permit against the Govt. Department only on the basis of their indent. While issuing permit to the Govt. Department, the DFO, Cachar Division should adhere to the instructions issued by the Govt. vide notification No.PEM.82/2018/31 dt. 26th Oct, 2018.

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

Chairman SEAC, Assam

Memo No. SEIAA.33/2013/Pt.-I -A

Dated Guwahati, the 9th Nov. 2021

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