

STATE ENVIRONMENT IMPACTASSESSMENT AUTHORITY(SEIAA)

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MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE SEIAA, MEGHALAYA HELD ON 18th JANUARY 2023 AT 4:00 P.M VENUE: OFFICE CHAMBER OF THE CHAIRMAN

Members present in the Meeting:

1. Shri T.T.C. Marak, IFS (Retd.)	Chairman, SEIAA
2. Dr. H.J. Syiemlieh, Professor, Dept. of Geography, NEHU	Member, SEIAA
3. Shri. W.S. Manner, IFS, CCF, SF & E	Member Secy. SEIAA

Proceedings:

The Meeting was chaired by Shri. T.T.C. Marak, Chairman, SEIAA. At the outset, the Chairman welcomed the Members and then invited the Member Secretary to present the Agenda points for discussion. **Agenda 1:** <u>Action taken Report</u>- The Member Secretary informed about the action of the decisions taken in the last SEIAA's meeting held on 21st November 2022 and circulated the Minutes of the said meeting. The meeting approved the actions taken and confirmed the proceedings.

Agenda 2: Grant of Environmental Clearance (EC)

2.1 Proposal No.SIA/ML/MIN/289715/2022 submitted by Shri. Deiporme Dkhar.

The Project Proponent, Shri. Deiporme Dkhar submitted online application for Environmental Clearance vide proposal No. SIA/ML/MIN/289715/2022 for mining of boulderstone for an area of 4.6 hectares. The proposal is for mining of boulder stone use for construction works and road projects, hence the project fall under Schedule 1(a) of category B2 of EIA Notification 2006. The mining lease area is located at Ka Lum Riatmawshai, Raid Mawkhap, Khyrim Syiemship, East Khasi Hills District, Meghalaya and toposheet Survey of India No.78 O/15 within the following GPS Coordinates:

Pillar No	GPS Coordinates	
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1	25° 22'34.76"N	91° 52′56.89''E
2	25° 22'37.69''N	91° 53'02.89''E
3	25° 22'29.91''N	91° 53'06.79''E
4	25° 22'27.33"N	91° 53′02.03''E

The proposed land belongs to the Project Proponent vide Deed of Sale made on 27th February 2020 certified by Public Notary, East Khasi Hills, Meghalaya.

The applied area is a Non Forest Land which was confirmed by the Conservator of Forests (T), Khasi and Jaintia Hills, Meghalaya, Shillong, vide letter No.MFG.39/42/NFLC/MINING/MMMCR/KH/Pt.I/12220, dated Shillong, the 20th December 2021 and Letter of Intent vide letter No.KH/8/ML/stone/69/4813, dated Shillong, the 10th January, 2022 respectively.

The project proponent obtained a cluster certificate from the Mining Engineer, Directorate of Mineral Resources, Meghalaya, Shillong vide letter No.DMR/MM/155/2022/09 dated Shillong, the 8th July 2022where it is mentioned that there is no approved mining plan located within 500 metres. Hence, the Environment Management Plan is not required.

The project proponent submitted the Mining Plan with Progressive Mine Closure Plan approved by the Mining Engineer, Directorate of Mineral Resources, Meghalaya, Shillong vide letter No.DMR/MM/155/2022/04 dated Shillong, the 3rdJune 2022. The Mining Plan has been prepared to extract boulder stone at the rate of 263847 TPA with a project cost of Rs.24.50 lakhs and the operations will be open cast, semi-mechanized method of mining.

As per the mining plan, the mineable reserve would be 5271069 tonnes with an average annual production of 263553 (5271069/20=263553) tonnes. The average annual production of boulder stone may be different from annual production of five year plan period. Thus 1317949 tonnes of the total mineable reserve will be worked out in first five years and the rest quantity of mineable reserves i.e. (5271069 - 1317949) = 3953120 tonnes would be exhausted in further 15 years @263541 Tonnes per annum. Therefore, life of the mine will be 20 years (5 years in plan period + 15 years in conceptual period).

Recommendation:

After due screening and examination of all the documents submitted by the Project Proponent and site cross checking and deliberation by using kml file through Google Earth. The committee unanimously recommended for grant of Environment Clearance with the following conditions.

- 1. LOI ought to be renewed as the validity has expired.
- 2. A settling Tank is to be constructed, at a suitable site within the mining area for collection of debris, sediment, silt, fragmented stones etc carried by surface water channelized through the Curtain drain. The deposited debris, spoils etc are to be removed/cleared, both from the tank and drain as and when required. Overflowing water that flows downhill shall be dispersed but precautions to be taken that spoils etc. generated from mining are not carried along.
- 3. A retaining wall of adequate height not less than 6 ft above the ground level and 4-6 ft below the ground level is to be constructed within mining site for stacking of Over Burden (OB), with the length of around 110 meter on the western direction, sloping to the valley below to ensure that no spillage of OB materials.
- 4. Garland drains is to be constructed along the periphery of the mining lease boundary to capture the storm water run-off from the mining area, all drains will link to a settling tank with compartments to check and arrest siltation in the mine water prior to discharge.
- 5. Curtain Drain is to be constructed properly to intercept the surface water from flowing into the mining area and water flowing out of the mine channelized to the Settling tank.
- 6. If any debris etc. overflows to adjoining land/agricultural field etc. during the mining operation, Monitoring Agency is to take necessary action as per relevant section(s) of Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974.
- 7. In annual EMP budget under GREEN BELT, creation of plantations including nursery cost, fencing etc the notified norms of Forest and Environment Department, Govt. of Meghalaya is to be followed strictly, including financial cost. Budget under said head stands revised accordingly.
 - 8. To increase the allocation for plantation and maintenance to a minimum of Rs. 1 lakh per annum and double the number of plants to be planted.
 - 9. CER should be included in the capital cost and it should be increased to a minimum of Rs 1 lakh annually.
 - 10. Boundary pillars with the height not less than 2.5 feet above the ground level and 1.5 feet below ground and minimum 8 inches on all face of pillar should be erected.
 - 11. GPS coordinates of each pillars should be carved/painted clearly on the pillars with Red colour.
 - 12. A board highlighting the name of project and project proponent, location name, total area of the mine, date of issue of EC by SEIAA and CTO & CTE by MSPCB should be installed at the entrance to the mining site and clearly visible.
 - 13. Fencing of the boundary of site with minimum two strands of barbed wire or ordinary split bamboo fencing is to be erected all around the periphery of the approved mining area.

- 14. Storing and collection of water through rainwater harvesting for dust sprinkling and recharging of the aquifers.
- 15. The Green Belt shall be created within the 7.5 meter Safety Zone area during the first year of the project and if there are any sorts of vegetation in the said area, they shall be preserved and not damaged.

Member Secretary shall prepare the draft Environmental Clearance for this project and circulate the same to all Members of the Authority for views/comments/corrections, if any, and then after approval of the Chairman, the Member Secretary shall issue the final Environment Clearance.

2.2 Proposal No.SIA/ML/MIN/65704/2021 submitted by Shri. Bontonlang Wanswett.

The Project Proponent, Shri. Bontonlang Wanswett submitted online application vide proposal No.SIA/ML/MIN/65704/2021 for Environmental clearance for Marih Limestone Mine for mining of Lime stone for an area of 4.11 hectares. The proposal is for mining of lime stone to be used in kilns for manufacturing of lime used as building materials. The project falls under Schedule 1(a) of category B2 of EIA Notification 2006. The mining lease area is located at Marih, Tlongumsong, East Khasi Hills District, Meghalaya and toposheet Survey of India No.78 O/12 within the following GPS Coordinates:

Pillar No	GPS Coordinates	
	Latitude	Longitude
1	25° 11' 08.37"N	91° 38′ 50.17″ E
2	25° 11' 34.53"N	91° 38' 53.27''E
3	25° 11' 34.29"N	91° 38′ 55.08″E
4	25° 11' 08.26"N	91° 38′ 51.98″E

The proposed mining area belongs to the project proponent as per Gift deed certified by Notary Public, East Khasi Hills on the 25th September 2019 and some part of the proposed mine area is on lease for a period of 35 years vide Lease deed made on the 29th June 2020.

The applied area is a Non Forest Land which was confirmed by the Divisional Forest Officer, East Khasi Hills & RiBhoi Territorial Division, Shillong, vide letter No.KH/8/NOC/Limestone/41/Pt.IV/5739, dated Shillong, the 9th March 2021 and letter of Intent vide letter No.KH/8/ML/Limestone/68/5738, dated Shillong, the 9th March, 2020 respectively and the renewed letter of Intent vide letter No.KH/8/ML/Limestone/68/6160, dated Shillong, the 24th March, 2022.

The project proponent obtained a cluster certificate from the Mining Engineer, Directorate of Mineral Resources, Meghalaya, Shillong vide letter No.DMR/MM/100/2020/11 dated Shillong, the 12th July 2021 which states that there are two (2) approved mining plan lying within 500 metres from the applied mining lease area. Hence the applied mining area falls under cluster category since the total area of three mines is summed up to 7.43 hectares.

The project proponent submitted the Mining Plan with Progressive Mine Closure Plan approved by the Mining Engineer, Directorate of Mineral Resources, Meghalaya, Shillong vide letter No.DMR/MM/100/2020/07 dated Shillong, the 4th May 2021. The Mining Plan has been prepared to extract lime stone at the rate of 262500 TPA with a project cost of Rs. 24 lakhs and the operations will be open cast, semi-mechanized method of mining.

The mineable reserves of limestone are of the order of 14.70000 tonnes. The production in the period of the mining plan will be around 1181250 tonnes in 5 years. Therefore, the balance reserves will be (1470000 - 1181250) or 288750 tonnes. If the annual production target is 236250 tonnes, the

balance reserve will be sufficient for 288750 / 236250 = 1.22 years. Thus, the total life of the mine is 5+1.22=6.22 or say 6 years.

The project was already awarded Term of Reference by the State Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Meghalaya vide letter No.ML/SEIAA/MIN/EKH/P-178/2021/826 dated 6thOctober 2021 and submitted the final EIA/EMP for the proposed Mining of Lime stone where the project proponent complied all the points in compliance to the Term of Reference prepared by **Gaurang Environmental Solutions Pvt. Ltd.**

The public hearing was held on 12th April 2022 which was conducted by the Meghalaya State Pollution Control Board and presided over by Smt. D. Phawa, ADC, East Khasi Hills District and Chairperson, EPH.

Recommendation:

After due screening and examination of all the documents submitted by the Project Proponent and site cross checking and deliberation by using kml file through Google Earth and the presentation of the EIA/EMP. The committee unanimously recommended for grant of Environment Clearance with the following conditions.

- 1. LOI ought to be renewed as the validity has expired
- 2. A settling Tank is to be constructed, at a suitable site within the mining area for collection of debris, sediment, silt, fragmented stones etc carried by surface water channelized through the Curtain drain. The deposited debris, spoils etc are to be removed/cleared, both from the tank and drain as and when required. Overflowing water that flows downhill shall be dispersed but precautions to be taken that spoils etc. generated from mining are not carried along.
- 3. Garland drains is to be constructed along the periphery of the mining lease boundary to capture the storm water run-off from the mining area, all drains will link to a settling tank with compartments to check and arrest siltation in the mine water prior to discharge.
- 4. Curtain Drain is to be constructed properly to intercept the surface water from flowing into the mining area and water flowing out of the mine channelized to the Settling tank.
- 5. If any debris etc. overflows to adjoining land/agricultural field etc. during the mining operation, Monitoring Agency is to take necessary action as per relevant section(s) of Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974.
- 6. In annual EMP budget under GREEN BELT, creation of plantations including nursery cost, fencing etc the notified norms of Forest and Environment Department, Govt. of Meghalaya is to be followed strictly, including financial cost. Budget under said head stands revised accordingly.
- 7. To increase the allocation for plantation and maintenance to a minimum of Rs. 1 lakh per annum and double the number of plants to be planted.
- 8. CER should be included in the capital cost and it should be increased to a minimum of Rs 1 lakh annually.
- 9. Boundary pillars with the height not less than 2.5 feet above the ground level and 1.5 feet below ground and minimum 8 inches on all face of pillar should be erected.
- 10. GPS coordinates of each pillars should be carved/painted clearly on the pillars with Red colour.
- 11. A board highlighting the name of project and project proponent, location name, total area of the mine, date of issue of EC by SEIAA and CTO & CTE by MSPCB should be installed at the entrance to the mining site and clearly visible.
- 12. Fencing of the boundary of site with minimum two strands of barbed wire or ordinary split bamboo fencing is to be erected all around the periphery of the approved mining area.

- 13. Storing and collection of water through rainwater harvesting for dust sprinkling and recharging of the aquifers.
- 14. The Green Belt shall be created within the 7.5 meter Safety Zone area during the first year of the project and if there are any sorts of vegetation in the said area, they shall be preserved and not damaged.

Member Secretary shall prepare the draft Environmental Clearance for this project and circulate the same to all Members of the Authority for views/comments/corrections, if any, and then after approval of the Chairman, the Member Secretary shall issue the final Environment Clearance.

2.3 SIA/ML/MIN/289671/2022 submitted by Smt. Sylva R. Sangma (M/s Sylva Limestone Mine).

The Project Proponent, Smti. Sylva R. Sangma submitted online application for Environmental Clearance vide proposal No.SIA/ML/MIN/289671/2022 for Sylva Limestone Mine for mining of Lime stone for an area of 1.7 hectares. The proposal is for mining of lime stone to be used in kilns for manufacturing of lime and construction purposes. The project falls under Schedule 1(a) of category B2 of EIA Notification 2006. The mining lease area is located at Nongkulang Area, Khonjoy, South West Khasi Hills District, Meghalaya and toposheet Survey of India No.78 O/4 within the following GPS Coordinates:

Pillar No	GPS Coordinates	
	Latitude	Longitude
1	25° 12' 23.10'N	91° 04' 29.40''E
2	25° 12' 21.70"N	91° 04′ 34.06″E
3	25° 12' 20.10''N	91° 04' 35.00''E
4	25° 12' 16.80''N	91° 04' 30.06"E

The proposed mining area is on lease for 10 years vide Deed of Lease made on the 29th day of August 2017, certified by District Registrar, South West Khasi Hills District, Mawkyrwat.

The applied area is a Non Forest Land which was confirmed by the Divisional Forest Officer, SF & Territorial Division, West & South West Khasi Hills, vide letter No.T/W&SW/20/NOC(L)/41, dated Nongstoin, the 12th January 2021 and letter of Intent vide letter NO.T/W&SW/20-21/LS/138/ML/59, dated Nongstoin, the 14th January, 2021 respectively.

The project proponent obtained a cluster certificate from the Mining Engineer, Directorate of Mineral Resources, Meghalaya, Shillong vide letter No.DMR/MM/110/2021/09 dated Shillong, the 16th July 2021 which states that there are eleven (11) approved mining plans lying within 500 metres from the applied mining lease area. Hence the applied mining area falls under cluster category since the total area of twelve mines is summed up to 21.31 hectares.

The project proponent submitted the Mining Plan with Progressive Mine Closure Plan approved by the Mining Engineer, Directorate of Mineral Resources, Meghalaya, Shillong vide letter No.DMR/MM/110/2021/05 dated Shillong, the 21st April 2021. The Mining Plan has been prepared to extract lime stone at the rate of 60000 TPA with a project cost of Rs.27.5 lakhs and the operations will be open cast, semi-mechanized method of mining.

The mine has a proved mineable reserves excluding safety barrier of 10, 46,744 MT but after leaving residual benches, the net total mineable reserves comes to 7, 49,889 MT. As the mine is targeted

to produce 60,000 MT of limestone per annum, the anticipated life of the mine will be 12.5 years, say 13 years.

The project was already awarded Term of Reference by the State Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Meghalaya vide letter No.ML/SEIAA/MIN/SWKH/P-200/2021/1234 dated 26th November 2021 and submitted the final EIA/EMP for the proposed Mining of Lime stone where the project proponent complied all the points in compliance to the Term of Reference prepared by CHAITANYA PROJECTS CONSULTANCY PVT. LTD.

The public hearing was held on 27th April 2022 which was conducted by the Meghalaya State Pollution Control Board and presided over by Shri. A.L. Bareh, MCS, EAC, BDO Ranikor Civil Sub Division, South West Khasi Hills District.

Recommendation:

After due screening and examination of all the documents submitted by the Project Proponent and site cross checking and deliberation by using kml file through google earth and the project proponent has complied to the ADS. The committee unanimously recommended for grant of Environment Clearance with the following conditions.

- 1. LOI ought to be renewed as the validity has expired
- 2. A settling Tank is to be constructed, at a suitable site within the mining area for collection of debris, sediment, silt, fragmented stones etc carried by surface water channelized through the Curtain drain. The deposited debris, spoils etc are to be removed/cleared, both from the tank and drain as and when required. Overflowing water that flows downhill shall be dispersed but precautions to be taken that spoils etc. generated from mining are not carried along.
- 3. Garland drains is to be constructed along the periphery of the mining lease boundary to capture the storm water run-off from the mining area, all drains will link to a settling tank with compartments to check and arrest siltation in the mine water prior to discharge.
- 4. Curtain Drain is to be constructed properly to intercept the surface water from flowing into the mining area and water flowing out of the mine channelized to the Settling tank.
- If any debris etc. overflows to adjoining land/agricultural field etc. during the mining operation, Monitoring Agency is to take necessary action as per relevant section(s) of Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974.
- - In annual EMP budget under GREEN BELT, creation of plantations including nursery cost, fencing etc the notified norms of Forest and Environment Department, Govt of Meghalaya is to be followed strictly, including financial cost. Budget under said head stands revised accordingly.
 - 7. To increase the allocation for plantation and maintenance to a minimum of Rs. 1 lakh per annum and double the number of plants to be planted.
 - 8. CER should be included in the capital cost and it should be increased to a minimum of Rs 1 lakh annually.
 - 9. Boundary pillars with the height not less than 2.5 feet above the ground level and 1.5 feet below ground and minimum 8 inches on all face of pillar should be erected.
 - 10. GPS coordinates of each pillars should be carved/painted clearly on the pillars with Red colour.
 - 11. A board highlighting the name of project and project proponent, location name, total area of the mine, date of issue of EC by SEIAA and CTO & CTE by MSPCB should be installed at the entrance to the mining site and clearly visible.
 - 12. Fencing of the boundary of site with minimum two strands of barbed wire or ordinary split bamboo fencing is to be erected all around the periphery of the approved mining area.

- 13. Storing and collection of water through rainwater harvesting for dust sprinkling and recharging of the aquifers.
- 14. The Green Belt shall be created within the 7.5 meter Safety Zone area during the first year of the project and if there are any sorts of vegetation in the said area, they shall be preserved and not damaged.

Member Secretary shall prepare the draft Environmental Clearance for this project and circulate the same to all Members of the Authority for views/comments/corrections, if any, and then after approval of the Chairman, the Member Secretary shall issue the final Environment Clearance.

2.4 Proposal No.SIA/ML/MIN/80866/2020 submitted by Smti. Fridina D. Shira

The Project Proponent, Smti. Fridina D. Shira, submitted an online application vide proposal No.SIA/ML/MIN/80866/2020 for Environmental Clearance for Dhapguri Stone Mine for an area of 1.26 hectare. The proposal is for mining of boulder stone to be used for construction purposes. The project falls under Schedule 1(a) of category B2 of EIA Notification 2006. The mining lease area is located Dhapguri, P.O. Zikabari, West Garo Hills District, Meghalaya and toposheet Survey of India No.78K/2 within the following GPS Coordinates:

Pillar No	GPS Coordinates	
	Latitude	Longitude
1	25° 38'12.61"N	90° 00'52.99"E
2	25° 38'14.04"N	90° 00'54.10"E
3	25° 38'10.73"N	90° 00'59.48"E
4	25° 38'09.36"N	90° 00'58.54"E

The proposed land is on lease for a period of 20 years which was executed on the 27th March 2017 certified by District Registrar, D.C. Office, Tura.

The applied area is a Non Forest Land which was confirmed by the Divisional Forest Officer, West, South & South West Garo Hills Territorial Division, Tura vide letter No.B/16/VII/NOC/MMMCR/1493-499, dated Tura, the 20th June, 2017 and letter of Intent vide letter No.B/16/VII/213 dated Tura, the 28th January 2019.

The project proponent obtained a cluster certificate from the Divisional Mining Officer, East Garo Hills, Williamnagar vide letter No. DMO-W/MP/15/2019/116 dated Williamnagar, the 15th October, 2020 which states that there are three approved mining plan lying within 500 metres from the applied mining lease area. Hence the applied mining area falls under cluster category since the total area of total nine mines is summed up to 9.98 hectares.

The mining plan with Progressive Mine Closure Plan approved by the Director of Mineral Resources, Meghalaya, Shillong vide letter No/DMR/MM/139/2017/1027 dated Shillong the 21st September, 2018.

The Mining Plan has been prepared to extract boulder stone at the rate of 40956 TPA with a project cost of Rs.7.46 lakhs and the operations will be open cast, semi-mechanized method of mining. The total mineable reserve would be 409562 tonnes with an average annual production of 40956 (409562/10=40956) tonnes per year and production of stone in first five years will be 201169 tonnes. The average annual production of stone may be different from the annual production of first five years and the balance mineable reserve for last 5 years would be 208393 tonnes. So life of the mine will be 10 years.

The project was already awarded Term of Reference by the State Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Meghalaya vide letter No.ML/SEIAA/MIN/WGH/P-106/2020/4 dated 29th January 2021 and submitted the final EIA/EMP for the proposed Mining of boulder stone where the project proponent complied all the points in compliance to the Term of Reference prepared by ENVIRO INFRA SOLUTIONS PVT. LTD.

The public hearing was held on 10th December 2021 which was conducted by the Meghalaya State Pollution Control Board and presided over by Shri. J.R.T. Sangma, MCS, Executive Magistrate & BDO, Selsella Block, West Garo Hills District.

Recommendation:

After due screening and examination of all the documents submitted by the Project Proponent and site cross checking and deliberation by using kml file through google earth, the committee unanimously recommended for grant of Environment Clearance with the following conditions.

- 1. LOI ought to be renewed as the validity has expired
- 2. A settling Tank is to be constructed, at a suitable site within the mining area for collection of debris, sediment, silt, fragmented stones etc carried by surface water channelized through the Curtain drain. The deposited debris, spoils etc are to be removed/cleared, both from the tank and drain as and when required. Overflowing water that flows downhill shall be dispersed but precautions to be taken that spoils etc. generated from mining are not carried along.
- 3. Garland drains is to be constructed along the periphery of the mining lease boundary to capture the storm water run-off from the mining area, all drains will link to a settling tank with compartments to check and arrest siltation in the mine water prior to discharge.
- 4. Curtain Drain is to be constructed properly to intercept the surface water from flowing into the mining area and water flowing out of the mine channelized to the Settling tank.
- If any debris etc. overflows to adjoining land/agricultural field etc. during the mining operation, Monitoring Agency is to take necessary action as per relevant section(s) of Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974.
- 6. In annual EMP budget under GREEN BELT, creation of plantations including nursery cost, fencing etc the notified norms of Forest and Environment Department, Govt of Meghalaya is to be followed strictly, including financial cost. Budget under said head stands revised accordingly.
- 7. To increase the allocation for plantation and maintenance to a minimum of Rs. 1 lakh per annum and double the number of plants to be planted.
- 8. CER should be included in the capital cost and it should be increased to a minimum of Rs 1 lakh annually.
- 9. Boundary pillars with the height not less than 2.5 feet above the ground level and 1.5 feet below ground and minimum 8 inches on all face of pillar should be erected.
- 10. GPS coordinates of each pillars should be carved/painted clearly on the pillars with Red colour.
- 11. A board highlighting the name of project and project proponent, location name, total area of the mine, date of issue of EC by SEIAA and CTO & CTE by MSPCB should be installed at the entrance to the mining site and clearly visible.
- 12. Fencing of the boundary of site with minimum two strands of barbed wire or ordinary split bamboo fencing is to be erected all around the periphery of the approved mining area.
- 13. Storing and collection of water through rainwater harvesting for dust sprinkling and recharging of the aquifers.

14. The Green Belt shall be created within the 7.5 meter Safety Zone area during the first year of the project and if there are any sorts of vegetation in the said area, they shall be preserved and not damaged.

Member Secretary shall prepare the draft Environmental Clearance for this project and circulate the same to all Members of the Authority for views/comments/corrections, if any, and then after approval of the Chairman, the Member Secretary shall issue the final Environment Clearance.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks from the Chairman.

Chairman SEIAA. Meghalaya, Shillong.

Feb' 2023

Dated Shillong, the

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Member Secretary SEIAA, Meghalaya, Shillong.