



MINUTES OF THE 108th MEETING OF STATE EXPERT APPRISAL COMMITTEE (SEAC) HELD ON 21.08.2017 & 22.08.2017 AT 10.30 A.M AT A.P. POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD, ZONAL OFFICE, BESIDE RTA OFFICE, MADHAVADHARA, VUDA LAYOUT, VISAKHAPATNAM, A.P.

Present :

The following members were present:

1.	<i>Prof. V.S.R.K.Prasad, Visakhapatnam</i>	<i>Chairman</i>
2.	<i>Prof. Yechuri. Venkateswara Rao, Visakhapatnam.</i>	<i>Member</i>
3.	<i>Dr.A.Prameela Rani Guntur.</i>	<i>Member</i>
4.	<i>Sri. G.Balasubramanyam Hyderabad</i>	<i>Member</i>
5.	<i>Prof.B.V.Sandeep, Visakhapatnam</i>	<i>Member</i>
6.	<i>Dr. KVSG Muralikrishna Kakinada</i> 108 SEAC AP	<i>Member</i>
7.	<i>Dr.Patruni. Jagannadha Rao, Visakhapatnam.</i>	<i>Member</i>
8.	<i>Prof.K.Kameswara Rao Visakhapatnam</i>	<i>Member</i>
9.	<i>Sri. V. Veda Kumar, Hyderabad</i>	<i>Member</i>
10.	<i>Sri. B.S.S Prasad, I.F.S. Member Secretary, A. P. Pollution Control Board.</i>	<i>Member Secretary</i>



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Agenda No.	Name of the Project	Category	Recommendations of the SEAC,A.P.
108.01	9.840 Ha. of Quartz Mine of M/s Sri Lakshmi Chennakesava Minerals, Sy. No. 484(P), D.Cherlopalli (V), Bathalapalli (M), Ananthapuramu Distric, Andhra Pradesh	B2	<p>The Project Proponent and their consultant M/s. ABC Techno Labs India Pvt.Ltd., have attended the meeting.</p> <p>The Committee noted that this is a new mine. The Director of Mines & Geology, Ibrahimpatnam, Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh has issued the in-principle letter on 23.03.2017. The mining plan was approved on 16.06.2017 by the Dy.Director of Mines & Geology, Kurnool for the mining scheme period of 5 years.The Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Ananthapuramu vide letter dated 30.06.2017 stated that there is no mine existing within 500 meters.</p> <p><i>The Committee recommended for issue of Environmental clearance to this proposed Quartz mining project for the production quantities: Quartz – 75,000 TPA, duly stipulating a condition that the Project Proponent shall maintain the setback distance 7.5 meters buffer zone all around the mine lease area for greenbelt development and other conditions to be fulfilled.</i></p>
108.02	18.00 Ha Quartz Mine of Smt.K.Thulasamma, Sy.No: 01 & 389, Thummala & Mohammadabad(V), Amadagur (M),Ananthapuramu District, Andhra Pradesh.	108 SEAC AP B2	<p>The Representative of the Project Proponent and their consultant M/s. ABC Techno Labs India Pvt.Ltd., have attended the meeting.</p> <p>The Committee noted that this is a new mine. The Director of Mines & Geology, Ibrahimpatnam, Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh has issued in-principle letter on 28.03.2017.The mining plan was approved on 09.05.2017 for the mining scheme period 5 years, by the Dy. Director Mines & Geology, Kurnool.As per the MoEF&CC, Notification .S.O. 141(E), dated 15.01.2016 and MoEF&CC, Notification .S.O. 2269 (E), dated 01.07.2016, there is a requirement for preparation & furnishing of one EMP for all leases in the Cluster. The Project Proponent has submitted the cluster EMP on 08.08.2017.</p> <p><i>The Committee recommended for issue of Environmental clearance to this proposed Quartz mining project for the production quantities: Quartz – 2,00,052 TPA, duly stipulating a condition that the Project Proponent shall maintain the setback distance 7.5 meters buffer zone all around the mine lease area for greenbelt development and other conditions including complying of cluster EMP, to be fulfilled.</i></p>
108.03	8.0 Ha Nelakosigi Colour Granite Mine of Sri. P.Sharmash Hussain, Sy. No.152/1 (old Sy.No.146) of Nelakosigi Village, Kosigi Mandal, Kurnool District, Andhra Pradesh	B2	<p>The representatives of the Project Proponent have attended the meeting and presented their proposal.</p> <p>The Committee noted that this is a new mine. The Director of Mines & Geology, Ibrahimpatnam, Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh has issued in-principle letter on 23.01.2017.The mining plan was approved on 17.03.2017 by the Dy.Director of</p>



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			<p>Mines & Geology, Kurnool for the mining scheme period of 5 years. The letter issued by Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Kurnool, received on 18.07.2017 stated that there is no mine existing within 500 meters.</p> <p><i>The Committee recommended for issue of Environmental clearance for ten years to this proposed Colour Granite mining project for the production quantities: Colour Granite – 6,825 m³/annum, duly stipulating a condition that the project proponent shall maintain the setback distance 7.5 meters buffer zone all around the mine lease area for greenbelt development and other conditions to be fulfilled.</i></p>
108.04	<p>M/s. Hanz Biochem Private Limited at Plot No: 3, Phase -1, IDA Peddapuram, East Godavari District, Andhra Pradesh</p>	<p>B1 (TOR)</p>	<p>The Project Proponent and their consultant M/s. Rightsource Industrial Solutions Pvt. Ltd. have attended the meeting and presented the proposed TOR for their proposal for the proposed Bulk Drugs & Drug Intermediates unit.</p> <p>The Committee noted that this unit is located in the notified industrial area i.e., IDA, Peddapuram, East Godavari District. The proposed project falls under Item 5(f) of the Schedule of the EIA Notification 2006- Synthetic organic chemicals industry (dyes & dye intermediates & bulk drug and intermediates) and the exemption of public consultation, as provided for under Para 7(i) III. Stage (3)(i)(b) of EIA Notification, 2006..</p> <p><i>The Committee after detailed discussions recommended for issue the Standard Terms of Reference (TOR) with exemption of Public hearing to the above proposed project of Bulk Drug & Drug Intermediates from 100 Tons/month, with additional TOR as follows: i. The ZLD system for treatment and recycling system with handling capacity of 120 KLD; ii. No. of stages of proposed manufacturing & list of by-products etc.,; iii. Layout plan showing the proposed Plant and greenbelt; iv. Proposed No. of Reactors & capacities; v. Solvent recovery system; vi. VOC monitoring. vii. Methods for coal incubation and ash disposal; viii. Sludge analysis; ix. Justification of adequacy of plot area with land use as the proposed production is higher and the Vulnerability Analysis.</i></p>
108.05	<p>17.650 Ha. Slate Mine of M/s. Maruthi Minerals & Mining Industries, Sy. No. 123/1, 179, 180, 181/1 Thummalacheruvu (V), Tarlupadu (M), Prakasam District, Andhra Pradesh</p>	<p>B2</p>	<p>The representatives of the Project Proponent and their consultant M/s. Global Enviro Labs, have attended the meeting.</p> <p>The Committee noted that this is an existing mine. The lease was transferred in favour of M/s. Maruthi Minerals & Mining Industries vide G.O. Ms. No. 935, dated 27.11.1998 of Industries & Commerce Dept., Govt. of A.P. The renewal of mine lease was sanctioned for extraction of Slate for a period of 20 years on 12.04.2001 i.e., from 23.12.1997 to 22.12.2017. The mining plan was approved on 19.04.2017 by the Dy. Director Mines & Geology, Kurnool for the mining scheme period of one year i.e., upto 22.12.2017 only. The Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Markapur vide letter dated</p>



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			<p>26.04.2017 stated that there is no mine existing within 500 meters. Also the vide letter No.62/M/2003, dated 18.07.2017 stated that there is no production since the year 2006.</p> <p><i>The Committee recommended for issue of Environmental clearance to this proposed Slate mining project for the production quantities: Slate – 7,000 TPA and it shall co-terminus with mining lease, duly stipulating a condition that the Project Proponent shall maintain the setback distance 7.5 meters buffer zone all around the mine lease area for greenbelt development and other conditions to be fulfilled.</i></p>
108.06	<p>4.747 Ha. of Manganese Mine of M/s Blue Ocean Minerals Pvt. Ltd at Sy. No. 19/3, 4P, 19/6P, 19/17 to 19/27, 17 to 27, 20/1 to 11, 21/1 & 2, 22/15 & 16, 22/17P and 23/3P of D.Gadabavalasa village, Therlam Mandal, Vizianagaram District, Andhra Pradesh</p>	B2	<p>The representatives of the Project Proponent have attended the meeting an their consultant M/s. Global Enviro Labs have attended the meeting.</p> <p>The Committee noted that this is a new mine. The Government of Andhra Pradesh has issued in-principle letter vide Memo.No.6362, dated 2nd March 2017. Mining Plan was approved by the IBM, Hyderabad vide letter No.AP/VZNR/MP-113/Hyd, dt: 28.06.2017 for the Mining Scheme period of 5 years. The Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Vizianagaram issued letter dated July , 2017 stated that there is no mine existing within 500 meters.</p> <p><i>The Committee recommended for issue of Environmental clearance to this proposed Manganese mining project for the production quantities: Manganese ore – 23,732 TPA, duly stipulating a condition that the project proponent shall maintain the setback distance 7.5 meters buffer zone all around the mine lease area for greenbelt development and other conditions to be fulfilled.</i></p>
108.07	<p>18.00 Ha. Colour Granite Mine of M/s Sri Lakshmi Narasimha Granites, Sy.No.3 (Old Sy. No.1) of Vuralova Hill, V.No.55 (V), V. Madugula (M), Vishakapatnam District, Andhra Pradesh.</p>	B2	<p>The project proponent and their consultant M/s.Global Enviro Labs, have attended the meeting and presented the revised EMP only as per the recommendations of the SEAC-sub committee on this proposed colour granite mining project.</p> <p>The Committee noted that this proposal was earlier appraised in the SEAC meetings held on 20.12.2016 & 29.06.2017. In the seac sub-committee recommendations, the project proponent was asked to change the location of waste dump and the route of the haul road. These changes are to be incorporated in the Mining Plan and the modified Mining Plan is to be get approved by the competent authority. The PP submitted the revised EMP & mining plan drawings changing only 'the route of the haul road' and location of 'Mineral storage' without changing the location of 'waste dump'. Also not submitted the approved 'modified Mining Plan'.</p> <p><i>The Committee recommended the Project Proponent shall submit the 'modified mining plan' approved by the competent authority of Mines & Geology Dept, Govt.of A.P., duly changing the location of 'waste dump' in the proposed mine</i></p>



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			<i>lease area and changes as committed by the PP for the route of haul road for approaching the proposed mine lease area., for further appraisal.</i>
108.08	36.423 Ha -Pathakothacheruvu Quartz Mine at Sy. No.40/Part, Pathakothacheruvu (V), Guntakal (M), Anantapur District, Andhra Pradesh	B1 (TOR)	<p>The representatives of the project proponent and their consultant M/s.Global Enviro Labs have attended the meeting.</p> <p>The committee noted that the project proponent shall obtain the Environment Clearance as per the EIA Notification 2006.The project proponent has carried out the mining activity without obtaining the EC during the period 2009 to 2010.The MoEF&CC issued Notification vide S.O.804(E), dated 14th March 2017 on the procedure to be followed while dealing with the cases of violations of the Environment Impact Assessment Notification, 2006.</p> <p><i>The Committee, after detailed discussions has recommended that the project proponent may be informed to apply through online in MOEF&CC-Portal for the Environmental Clearance (EC) inline with the process outlined in the S.O.No. 804(E), dated 14th March, 2017.</i></p>
108.09	Construction Project of Veltech Dr. RR & Dr. SR Medical Hospital & University Campus (VMH) By M/s. R. S. Trust at Chellamambapuram (V), Buchi Naidu Kandriga (M), Chittoor District, Andhra Pradesh	B2	<p>The representatives of the Project Proponent and their consultant M/s. Hubert Enviro Care Systems (P) Ltd., have attended the meeting and presented their proposals for the proposed construction project.</p> <p>The Committee noted that the proposed project falls under Item 8(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006- Construction project. The total site area is 26.43 acres (1,06,960.70 sq.m). Proposed Built up area of Hospital Block (C+G+6 Floors) – 1, 02,200 sq.m Other Buildings in the project: College Building (C+G+6 Floors) : 47000 sq.m, Hostels & Residential buildings (Stilt+G+5 Floors) : 50168 sq.m and Administration & Other facilities : 18,580 sq.m. As per the MoEF&CC, Gol, New Delhi Notification No.S.O.3999 (E), dated: 9th December 2016, the projects or activities shall not include industrial shed, universities, college, hostel for educational institutions, but such buildings shall ensure sustainable environmental management, solid and liquid and implement environmental conditions given at Appendix-XIV of the said notification. The Hospital Block comes under purview of requirement of prior environmental clearance under EIA Notification 2006.</p> <p><i>The Committee recommended for issue of Environmental Clearance to this construction project of Medical College with built up area-1,02,200 Sq.m.of Hospital Block and the other Buildings of Medical College shall be constructed duly following the norms as per the MoEF&CC, Gol, New Delhi Notification No.S.O.3999 (E), dated: 9th December 2016, by stipulating the standard conditions and other conditions: the Project Proponent shall implement the solid waste</i></p>



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			<p>management as per the Solid Waste Management Rule, 2016, applicable for construction projects; The parking area in compliance with the NBC/MoEF/ local Government regulations as applicable, whichever is higher; Development of avenue plantation along the approach road leading to the proposed project site; Storm water management & strengthening of embankments of nalas/water boides in and around the proposed project area with sufficien greenbelt buffer along the nalas/water bodies.</p>
<p>108.10</p>	<p>Common Bio-Medical Waste Treatment Facility of M/s. MCV Eco Systems at Plot No: 55,56/1, Srungadhara Village, Sankavaram Mandal, East Godavari District</p>	<p>108 SEAC AP</p> <p>B1 (TOR)</p>	<p>The Project Proponent attended the meeting and presented their proposal for common bio waste treatment facility.</p> <p>The Committee noted that this proposed project falls under Item 7(da) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006- Common Bio-medical Waste Treatment Facility.</p> <p>The committee noted that as per MoEF&CC Notification G.S.R.343(E), dated.28.03.2016 (New Bio-Medical Waste Management Rules, 2016), Rule-17(2) stated as follows: <i>Site for Common Bio-Medical Waste Treatment and disposal facility (CBWTF) –</i> “The selection of site for settling up of such facility shall be made in consultation with the prescribed authority other stakholderes and in accordance with guidelines published by the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change or Central Pollution Control Board.”</p> <p>Futher, as per CPCB revised guidelines for Common Bio-medical Waste Treatment Facilities, December, 2016. “A CBWTF located within the respective State/UT shall be allowed to cater healthcare units situated at a radial distance of 75 km. However, in a coverage area where 10,000 beds are not available within a radial distance of 75 km, existing CBWTF in the locality (located within the re4spective State/UT) may be allowed to cater the healthcare units situated upto 150 KM radius w.r.to its location provided the bio-medical waste generated is collected, treated and disposed of within 48 hours as stipulated under the BMWWM Rules.</p> <p>In case, number of beds is exceeding > 10,000 beds in a locality (i.e. coverage area of the CBWTF under reference) and the existing treatment capacity is not adequate, in such a case, a new CBWTF may be allowed in such a locality in compliance to various provisions notified under the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 to cater services only to such additional bed strength of the HCFs located.”</p> <p>Earlier the APPCB has rejected the CFE application for the following reasons (a).Prior EC is required</p>



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			<p>and (b).There was a small water body situated within a short distance from the proposed site. The Project Proponent i.e M/s. MCV Eco Systems has filed an application No 110 of 2017 before the Hon'ble NGT, Chennai, challenging the rejection of their CFE application by the APPCB. In this case, SEIAA is impled as Resopndent No. 5 as per order dated: 26.05.2017 and the NGT issued the following Order and disposed the application:</p> <p><i>"If an application is received by SEIAA and if it is in order, it is for the SEIAA to pass appropriate order in resepect of the grant of EC. Such order shall be passed by SEIAA expeditiously. On such EC having been granted by the SEIAA, thereafter it will be open to the Board to consider theapplication for Çoosent to Establish'and pass orders on merits ad in accordance with law."</i></p> <p>The Committee after detailed discussions recommended the project proponent M/s. MCV Eco Systems shall obtain the In-Principle permission letter from the Andhra Pradesh Pollution Control Board, duly following the Bio-medical Waste Managemnt Rules,2016 and the Central Pollution Control Board Revised guidelines - 21st December, 2016 for this proposed common bio-medical waste treatment facility (CBWTF), for further appraisal.</p>
<p>108.11</p>	<p>M/s. Vaisakhi Developers, Yendada, Sy.No. 32, 33, 34, 38, 39, 41, Yendada Village, Zone –I, GVMC Limits, Visakhapatnam District</p>	<p>108 SEAC AP</p> <p>B1 (EC)</p>	<p>The project proponent and their consultant M/s.S.V.Enviro Labs have attended the meeting and presented the final EIA report for the proposed construction of Residential building project in an extent of area : 44,836.10 sq.m with built up area 2,82,666.91 sq.m.</p> <p>The Committee noted that the proposed project comes under purview of SEIAA and falls under Item 8(b) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 as the proposed project site covering an area is \geq 50 ha and < 150 ha and built up area is \geq1,50,000 sq. mtrs and < 3,00,000 sq.m.</p> <p>The Committee recommended for issue the Enviromental Clearance to this proposed residential construction project with built up area 2,82,666.91 sq.m., in an extent of area : 44,836.10 sq.m,duly stipulating the following conditions with other conditions: The Project Proponent shall comply with (i)solid waste management as per the MSW Rules, 2016, applicable for construction projects, (ii). The parking area in compliance with the NBC/ MoEF/ local Government regulations whichever is higher. (iii)Storm water management (iv). Providing the solar +panels covered at least 10% area, for Solar energy generation, v) Development of green belt, vi) Ground water not to be used.</p>



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<p>108.12</p>	<p>POL Depot of M/s. Indian Oil Corporation Ltd. at APIIC, at Plot Nos. 26/D & 26/C, APIIC De-notified area, Atchutapuram, Rambilli (M), Visakhapatnam District, Andhra Pradesh</p>	<p>B1 (TOR)</p>	<p>The representatives of the Project Proponent M/s.IOCL and their M/s.S.V.Enviro Labs & Consultants have attended the meeting and presented the proposed TOR & requested for use of available base line data of 2015 pertaining to Achutapuram area. Also requested for exemption of public hearing for this proposed project.</p> <p><i>The Committee noted this proposal is a new Petroleum products storage facility of IOCL and it is located in APIIC, de-notified SEZ area,Atchutapuram, Ramballi mandal. The proposed project falls under Item 6(b) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 –Isolated storage and handling of Hazardous Chemicals. and the exemption of public consultation, as provided for under Para 7(i) III. Stage (3)(i)(b) of EIA Notification, 2006.</i></p> <p><i>The Committee after detailed discussions recommended for issue the Standard Terms of Reference (TOR) with exemption of Public hearing to the above proposed project: new petroleum products isolated storage facility – Class –A Chemicals -28,190 KL and – Class –B Chemicals - 45,910 KL. Also permitted use the available baseline date of the year 2015 of this area to this proposed project.</i></p>
<p>108.13</p>	<p>Storage of Bulk Liquid Cargo by M/s. United Port Services Pvt Ltd., at Sy. No: 312, Kakinada Deep Water Port, ADB Road, Kakinada, East Godavari District, Andhra Pradesh.</p>	<p>108 SEAC AP B1 (TOR)</p>	<p>The representatives of the Project Proponent and their M/s.S.V.Enviro Labs & Consultants have attended the meeting and presented the proposed TOR & requested for use of available base line data of 2017 pertaining to Kakinada Deep Water Port area. Also requested for exemption of public hearing for this proposed project.</p> <p>The Committee noted this proposal is an expansion of the existing Bulk Liquid Storage –Class C Chemicals and it is located in Kakinada Deep Water Port Area of Kakinada Seaport Ltd, Kakinada.<i>The proposed project falls under Item 6(b) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 –Isolated storage and handling of Hazardous Chemicals. and the exemption of public consultation, as provided for under Para 7(i) III. Stage (3)(i)(b) of EIA Notification, 2006.</i></p> <p><i>The Committee after detailed discussions recommended for issue the Standard Terms of Reference (TOR) with exemption of Public hearing to the above proposed project: expansion of bulk liquid storage– Class –C Chemicals -25,050 KL. Also permitted use the available baseline date of the year 2017 of this area to this proposed project. Also the compliance certificate is to be submitted.</i></p>
<p>108.14</p>	<p>11.22 Ha Pattabhirama Mica Mine of M/s.Seetharama Mining Company, Sy. Nos: 164, 500, 501, 502, 503 and 504, Turimerla (V), Sydapuram (M), SPSR Nellore District, Andhra</p>	<p>B2</p>	<p>The project proponent and their consultant M/s. S.V. Enviro Labs & Consultants.,have attended the meeting.</p> <p>Earlier the SEAC, A.P. recommended for credible action against this mine. A case was filed in the Hon'ble Court of Judicial Magistrate of First Class, Nellore in 2016 (Calendar case No. 145/2016).</p>



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	Pradesh		<p><i>This proposal was earlier appraised in the SEAC meeting held on 26.08.2016 and sought certain clarification. The project proponent submitted the feasibility report on 08.08.2017.</i></p> <p>The project proposal comes violation case under EIA Notification 2006. The MoEF&CC issued Notification vide S.O.804(E), dated 14th March 2017 on the procedure to be followed while dealing with the cases of violations of the Environment Impact Assessment Notification, 2006.</p> <p>Also recently the MoEF&CC, Gol, New Delhi, while considering the mining project proposals involving violation of Environment (Protection)Act, 1986, issued letters in the month of April, 2017 that the project proponents were asked to submit the details of violation proceedings, if any, already initiated or completed by the State Government in the instant proposal with supporting documents.</p> <p><i>The Committee, after detailed discussions and in view of the recent letters issued by MoEF&CC on violation cases, has recommended that the project proponent may be informed to apply through online in MOEF&CC-Portal for the Environmental Clearance (EC) inline with the process outlined in the S.O.No. 804(E), dated 14th March,2017 .</i></p>
108.15	9.7 Ha Colour Granite Mine of M/s. Srinidhi Granite Polishing Industries, Sy. No.1075/P, Kopparam (V), Santhamaguluru (M), Prakasam District, Andhra Pradesh	108 SEAC AP B2	<p>The Project Proponent and their consultant M/s. B.S. Envi-Tech Pvt.Ltd., have attended the meeting. The Committee noted that this is a new mine. The Director of Mines & Geology, Ibrahimpatnam, Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh has issued the in-principle letter on 23.06.2017. The mining plan was approved on 26.07.2017 by the Dy. Director of Mines & Geology, Guntur for the mining scheme period of 5 years. The Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Ongole vide letter dated 29.07.2017 stated that there is no mine existing within 500 meters.</p> <p><i>The Committee recommended for issue of Environmental clearance to this proposed Colour Granite mining project for the production quantities: Colour – 8,909 m³/annum, duly stipulating a condition that the Project Proponent shall maintain the setback distance 7.5 meters buffer zone all around the mine lease area for greenbelt development and other conditions to be fulfilled.</i></p>
108.16	9.466 Ha Colour Granite Mine of Sri. K.Sambasiva Rao, Sy. No.282/P, Koppalapalem (V), Ballikurava (M), Prakasam District, Andhra Pradesh	B2	<p>The Project Proponent and their consultant M/s. B.S. Envi-Tech Pvt.Ltd., have attended the meeting. The Committee noted that this is a new mine. The Director of Mines & Geology, Ibrahimpatnam, Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh has issued the in-principle letter dated May, 2017. The mining plan was approved on 26.07.2017 by the Dy. Director of Mines & Geology, Guntur for the mining scheme period of 5 years. The Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Ongole vide letter dated 29.07.2017 stated that there is no mine existing within 500 meters.</p>



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			<i>The Committee recommended for issue of Environmental clearance to this proposed Colour Granite mining project for the production quantities: Colour – 8054 m³/annum, duly stipulating a condition that the Project Proponent shall maintain the setback distance 7.5 meters buffer zone all around the mine lease area for greenbelt development and other conditions to be fulfilled.</i>
108.17	21.30 Ha. Gravel Quarry of M/s.PRL Projects & Infrastructures Limited at Sy.No. 717, Vedurupavuluru (V), Gannavaram (M), Krishna District, Andhra Pradesh	B2	<p>The Project Proponent and their consultant M/s. B.S. Envi-Tech Pvt.Ltd., have attended the meeting.</p> <p>The Committee noted that this is a new mine. The Director of Mines & Geology, Ibrahimpatnam, Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh has issued the in-principle letter on 30.06.2017. The mining plan was approved on 01.08.2017 by the Dy. Director of Mines & Geology, Kakinada for the mining scheme period of 5 years. The Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Vijayawada vide letter dated 07.08.2017 stated that there is no mine existing within 500 meters.</p> <p><i>The Committee recommended for issue of Environmental clearance to this proposed Gravel mining project for the production quantities: Gravel – 2,55,494 m³/annum, duly stipulating a condition that the Project Proponent shall maintain the setback distance 7.5 meters buffer zone all around the mine lease area for greenbelt development and other conditions to be fulfilled.</i></p>
108.18	Proposed Residential cum Commercial building “Sangamam” By M/s. Amaravati Apartments and Villas India Pvt. Ltd. , at Sy.No. 14/2C2 & 15/1, Tummala Palem Village, Ibrahimpatnam Mandal, Krishna District Andhra Pradesh	B2	<p>The representative of the project proponent and their consultant M/s. Sai Manasa Nature Tech Pvt.Ltd., have attended the meeting and presented their proposal for the construction project.</p> <p>The Committee noted that the project proponent has not earmarked sufficient the parking area and setback spaces etc., in the proposed project site area.</p> <p><i>The committee recommended that the Project Proponent shall furnish the revised Form I , conceptual plan & layout for the proposed construction project duly mentioning the areas allocated for adequate parking and other amenities and with setback spaces in the proposed project site area.</i></p>
108.19	5.400 Ha Quarrying Road Metal and Building Stone & M.Sand of M/s. Ch. Veerraju & Company , Sy No: 378, Karidikonda Village, Gooty Mandal, Anantapuram District, Andhra Pradesh	B2	<p><i>The representative of the project proponent and their consultant M/s. Sri Sai Manasa Nature Tech (P) Ltd., have attended the meeting and presented their mining proposal with cluster EMP.</i></p> <p><i>The Committee noted that in principle letter issued vide their notice dated 10.03.2017 by the Deputy Director of Mines & Geology, Anantapuram, for mining lease -10 years. The mining plan was approved on 09.05.2017 for 5years. This is a new mine. The Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Tadipatri vide Letter dated.23.05.2017, that there are surrounding mines M/s.Manikanta Metal Stone at Sy.No.378 – 5.36 Ha.,M/s. Cherukuri Veerraju & Company at Sy.No.378 – 9.0 Ha and M/s Sri.</i></p>



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			<p>Vidhura Chowdary 4.0Ha at Sy.No.378-4.0 Ha.</p> <p>As per the MoEF&CC, Notification .S.O. 141(E), dated 15.01.2016 and MoEF&CC, Notification .S.O. 2269 (E), dated 01.07.2016, there is a requirement for preparation & furnishing of one EMP for all leases in the Cluster. The project proponent submitted the cluster EMP on 16.06.2017 and on 05.08.2017.</p> <p>The Committee recommended for issue of Environmental clearance to this Road Metal and Building Stone mining project for the production quantities: Road Metal& Building Stone – 2,96,407 TPA, duly stipulating a condition that the Project Proponent shall maintain the setback distance 7.5 meters buffer zone all around the mine lease area for greenbelt development and other conditions including complying of cluster EMP, to be fulfilled.</p>
108.20	<p>9.0 Ha Quarrying Road Metal and Building Stone & M.Sand of M/s. Ch. Veerraju & Company, Sy No: 378, Karidikonda Village, Gooty Mandal, Anantapuram District, Andhra Pradesh</p>	<p>108 SEAC AP</p> <p>B2</p>	<p>The representative of the project proponent and their consultant M/s. Sri Sai Manasa Nature Tech (P) Ltd., have attended the meeting and presented their mining proposal with cluster EMP.</p> <p>The Committee noted that in principle letter issued vide their notice dated 10.03.2017 by the Deputy Director of Mines &Geology, Anantapuram, for mining lease -10 years. The mining plan was approved on 09.05.2017 for 5years. This is a new mine. The Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Tadipatri vide Letter dated.23.05.2017, that there are surrounding mines M/s.Manikanta Metal Stone at Sy.No.378 – 5.36 Ha.,M/s. Cherukuri Veerraju & Company at Sy.No.378 – 5.4 Ha and M/s Sri. Vidhura Chowdary at Sy.No.378-4.0 Ha.</p> <p>As per the MoEF&CC, Notification .S.O. 141(E), dated 15.01.2016 and MoEF&CC, Notification .S.O. 2269 (E), dated 01.07.2016, there is a requirement for preparation & furnishing of one EMP for all leases in the Cluster. The project proponent submitted the cluster EMP on 16.06.2017 & 05.08.2017.</p> <p>The Committee recommended for issue of Environmental clearance to this Road Metal and Building Stone mining project for the production quantities: Road Metal – 6,39,098 TPA, duly stipulating a condition that the Project Proponent shall maintain the setback distance 7.5 meters buffer zone all around the mine lease area for greenbelt development and other conditions including complying of cluster EMP, to be fulfilled.</p>
108.21	<p>7.710 Ha Colour Granite Mine of Smt.K.Samyuktha, Sy No: 37, Dorigallu (V), Mudigubba (M), Anantapuram District, Andhra Pradesh</p>	<p>B2</p>	<p>The representative of the project proponent and their consultant M/s. Sri Sai Manasa Nature Tech (P) Ltd., have attended the meeting and presented their mining proposal with cluster EMP.</p> <p>The Committee noted that in principle letter issued vide their notice dated 10.03.2017 by the Director of Mines &Geology, Hyderabad for mining lease -20 years. The mining plan was approved on 09.05.2017 for 5years. This is a new mine. The Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Anantapur vide</p>



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			<p>Letter dated.23.12.2016, that there are surrounding mines M/s.Malavika at Sy.No.37 – 9.320 Ha. and M/s. Red Gold Entrprises at Sy.No.37 – 4.90 Ha.</p> <p>As per the MoEF&CC, Notification .S.O. 141(E), dated 15.01.2016 and MoEF&CC, Notification .S.O. 2269 (E), dated 01.07.2016, there is a requirement for preparation & furnishing of one EMP for all leases in the Cluster. The project proponent submitted the cluster EMP on 19.06.2017 and on 05.08.2017.</p> <p>The Committee recommended for issue of Environmental clearance to this Colour Granite mining project for the production quantities: Colour Granite – 6,000 m³/annum, duly stipulating a condition that the Project Proponent shall maintain the setback distance 7.5 meters buffer zone all around the mine lease area for greenbelt development and other conditions including complying of cluster EMP, to be fulfilled.</p>
108.22	9.320 Ha Colour Granite Mine of V. Malavika, Sy No: 37, Dorigallu Village, Mudigubba Mandal, Anantapuram District, Andhra Pradesh	108 SEAC AP B2	<p>The representative of the project proponent and their consultant M/s. Sri Sai Manasa Nature Tech (P) Ltd., have attended the meeting and presented their mining proposal with cluster EMP.</p> <p>The Committee noted that in principle letter issued vide their notice dated 10.03.2017 by the Director of Mines & Geology, Hyderabad for mining lease -20 years. The mining plan was approved on 09.05.2017 for 5years. This is a new mine. The Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Anantapur vide Letter dated.23.12.2016, that there are surrounding mines M/s.Malavika at Sy.No.37 – 7.710 Ha. and M/s. Red Gold Entrprises at Sy.No.37 – 4.90 Ha.</p> <p>As per the MoEF&CC, Notification .S.O. 141(E), dated 15.01.2016 and MoEF&CC, Notification .S.O. 2269 (E), dated 01.07.2016, there is a requirement for preparation & furnishing of one EMP for all leases in the Cluster. The project proponent submitted the cluster EMP on 19.06.2017 and on 05.08.2017.</p> <p>The Committee recommended for issue of Environmental clearance to this Colour Granite mining project for the production quantities: Colour Granite – 6,000 m³/annum, duly stipulating a condition that the Project Proponent shall maintain the setback distance 7.5 meters buffer zone all around the mine lease area for greenbelt development and other conditions including complying of cluster EMP, to be fulfilled.</p>
108.23	M/s.Godavari Bio Management Bio Medical Waste Treatment Facility, Sy.No. 258, Marripudi (V), Rangampeta (M), East Godavari District, Andhra Pradesh	B1 (EC)	<p>The Project Proponent and their consultant M/s.Team Labs & Consultants have attended the meeting and presented the final EIA report with the minutes of public hearing conducted on 28.07.2017 for proposed Common Bio-medical Waste Treatment Facility- 3000 kg/day.</p> <p>The Committee noted that the proposed project falls under Item 7(da) of the schedule of the EIA</p>



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		108 SEAC AP	<p>Notification 2006- Common Bio-medical Waste Treatment Facility (CBWTF).</p> <p>Earlier this proposal was appraised for issue of TOR in the SEAC meetings held on 07.06.2016. The PP was asked to submit the letter on 13.07.2016. The PP obtained the In-principle permission from APPCB for establishment of second Common Bio-medical Waste Treatment Facility in East Godavari District vide APPCB letter dated :16.08.2016. Their proposal was appraised in the SEAC meeting held on 24.09.2016 and committee recommended for issue of TOR. The SEIAA, A.P. in its meeting held on 14.10.2016 agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC. The TOR was issued on 28.10.2016 for this proposed CBWTF of capacity – 800 kg/day. Subsequently, the PP was applied for amendment of TOR for CBWTF capacity enhancement from 800 kg/day to 3000 kg/day and it was again in the SEAC meetings held on 23.02.2017 & 04.05.2017, the committee recommended for enhancement of CBWTF from 800 kg/day to 3000 kg/day, without prejudice to the orders of any Hon'ble Courts and examined in SEIAA meetings held on 10.03.2017 & 04.05.2017, the Authority agreed with the recommendations of SEAC. The TOR Amendment for the enhanced capacity was issued by SEIAA on 04.05.2017.</p> <p>The Committee further noted that as per MoEF&CC Notification G.S.R.343(E), dated.28.03.2016 (New Bio-Medical Waste Management Rules, 2016), Rule-17(2) stated as follows: <i>Site for Common Bio-Medical Waste Treatment and disposal facility (CBWTF) –</i> <i>“The selection of site for settling up of such facility shall be made in consultation with the prescribed authority other stakeholders and in accordance with guidelines published by the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change or Central Pollution Control Board.”</i></p> <p>Also, as per CPCB revised guidelines for Common Bio-medical Waste Treatment Facilities, December, 2016. <i>“A CBWTF located within the respective State/UT shall be allowed to cater healthcare units situated at a radial distance of 75 km. However, in a coverage area where 10,000 beds are not available within a radial distance of 75 km, existing CBWTF in the locality (located within the respective State/UT) may be allowed to cater the healthcare units situated upto 150 KM radius w.r.to its location provided the bio-medical waste generated is collected,</i></p>
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			<p><i>treated and disposed of within 48 hours as stipulated under the BMWM Rules.</i></p> <p><i>In case, number of beds is exceeding > 10,000 beds in a locality (i.e. coverage area of the CBWTF under reference) and the existing treatment capacity is not adequate, in such a case, a new CBWTF may be allowed in such a locality in compliance to various provisions notified under the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 to cater services only to such additional bed strength of the HCFs located."</i></p> <p>Earlier, Sri .Kommana Lakshmi Bala Ganeswara Rao, S/o Sri Bhima Raju, East Godavari District has filed an application No 118 of 2017 before the Hon b'le NGT, Chennai seeking the implementation of Revised Guidelines of the Central Pollution Control Board in so far establishment of Bio Medical Treatment facilities in the State of Andhra Pradesh. <i>The said application was disposed by Hon b'le NGT, Chennai, directing the respondents therein to follow the law relating to the same and also the revised guidelines of the CPCB including the guidelines if any of the State PCB while considering the applications for grnt of EC by the SEIAA or the CFE by the Pollution Control Board.</i></p> <p><i>The Committee after detailed discussions recommended for the project proponent M/s.Godavari Bio Management Bio Medical Waste Treatment Facility shall submit the modified EIA report, duly incorporating the facilities in the existing unit, following the Bio-medical Waste Managemnt Rules,2016 and the Central Pollution Control Board Revised guidelines - 21st December, 2016 for this proposed common bio-medical waste treatment facility (CBWTF), for further appraisal.</i></p>
<p>108.24</p>	<p>Common Bio-Medical Waste Treatment Facility of M/s.Hygiene Biomed Services at Sy. No 112-1, Loya Village, G. Konduru Mandal, Krishna district, Andhra Pradesh</p>	<p>B1 (TOR)</p>	<p>The Project Proponent and their consultant M/s Team Labs and Consultants, have attended the meeting</p> <p>The Committee further noted that as per MoEF&CC Notification G.S.R.343(E), dated.28.03.2016 (New Bio-Medical Waste Management Rules, 2016), Rule-17(2) stated as follows: <i>Site for Common Bio-Medical Waste Treatment and disposal facility (CBWTF) –</i> <i>"The selection of site for settling up of such facility shall be made in consultation with the prescribed authority other stakholderes and in accordance with guidelines published by the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change or Central Pollution Control Board."</i></p> <p>Also, as per CPCB revised guidelines for Common Bio-medical Waste Treatment Facilities, December, 2016. <i>"A CBWTF located within the respective State/UT shall be allowed to cater healthcare units situated at a radial distance</i></p>



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			<p>of 75 km. However, in a coverage area where 10,000 beds are not available within a radial distance of 75 km, existing CBWTF in the locality (located within the re4spective State/UT) may be allowed to cater the healthcare units situated upto 150 KM radius w.r.to its location provided the bio-medical waste generated is collected, treated and disposed of within 48 hours as stipulated under the BMWWM Rules.</p> <p>In case, number of beds is exceeding > 10,000 beds in a locality (i.e. coverage area of the CBWTF under reference) and the existing treatment capacity is not adequate, in such a case, a new CBWTF may be allowed in such a locality in compliance to various provisions notified under the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 to cater services only to such additional bed strength of the HCFs located.”</p> <p>Earlier, Sri .Kommana Lakshmi Bala Ganeswara Rao, S/o Sri Bhima Raju, East Godavari District has filed an application No 118 of 2017 before the Hon b’le NGT, Chennai seeking the implementation of Revised Guidelines of the Central Pollution Control Board in so far establishment of Bio Medical Treatment facilities in the State of Andhra Pradesh. The said application was disposed by Hon b’le NGT, Chennai, directing the respondents therein to follow the law relating to the same and also the revised guidelines of the CPCB including the guidelines if any of the State PCB while considering the applications for grnt of EC by the SEIAA or the CFE by the Pollution Control Board.</p> <p>The Committee after detailed discussions recommended the project proponent M/s. MCV Eco Systems shall obtain the In-Principle letter from the Andhra Pradesh Pollution Control Board, duly following the Bio-medical Waste Managemnt Rules,2016 and the Central Pollution Control Board Revised guidelines - 21st December, 2016 for this proposed common bio-medical waste treatment facility (CBWTF), for further appraisal.</p>
108.25	Capital Edge by M/s Sai Bharathi Homes at Sy.Nos. 54, 55, Mangalagiri (V&M), Guntur District	B2	<p>The representative of the Project Proponent has not attended the meeting.</p> <p>The Committee recommended deferring this case to next meeting for appraisal.</p>
108.26	6.190 Ha Barytes Mine of Smt C.B. Sivamma at Sy.No. 210 & 219 of Lopatnutala Village, Lingala Mandal, YSR Kadapa District, Andhra Pradesh	B2	<p>The representative of the Project Proponent and their consultant M/s. Pioneer Enviro Laboratories & Consultants Pvt. Ltd have attended the meeting.</p> <p>The Committee noted that this is a new mine. In principle letter was issued vide Memo, dated: 29.03.2014 by the Industries and Commerce (M-III) Department, Govt. of A.P.The mining plan was approved by the Jt. Director of Mines & Geology, Hyderabad on 27.03.2015 for the mining scheme</p>



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			<p>period of 5 years. The Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Yerraguntla, YSR Kadapa District vide letter dated 10.08.2017 stated that there that there is no mine existing within 500 meters.</p> <p><i>The Committee recommended for issue of Environmental clearance to this proposed Barytes mining project for the production quantities: Barytes – 1966 TPA, duly stipulating a condition that the Project Proponent shall maintain the setback distance 7.5 meters buffer zone all around the mine lease area for greenbelt development and other conditions to be fulfilled.</i></p>
108.27	<p>M/s. United Telecoms Limited (Residential Complex), Paradesipalem Ward No. 5, Sy.No. 180 (Part), Vishakapatnam (Rural), Vishakapatnam District, Andhra Pradesh</p>	B2	<p>The representative of the project proponent and their consultant M/s. Pioneer Enviro Laboratories & Consultants Pvt. Ltd, have attended the meeting and presented their proposal for the construction project.</p> <p>The committee noted that the project proponent has not earmarked sufficient the parking area and setback spaces etc., in the proposed project site area.</p> <p><i>The committee recommended that the Project Proponent shall furnish the revised Form 1 , conceptual plan & layout for the proposed construction project duly mentioning the areas allocated for adequate parking and other amenities and with setback spaces in the proposed project site area.</i></p>
108.28	<p>4.048 Ha Limestone Mine of M/s. Sri Sainath Minerals, Sy. No: 195/4A2A, 195/4A2B and 195/4A3A, Kolimigundla (V & M), Kurnool District, Andhra Pradesh</p>	108 SEAC AP B2	<p>The project proponent and their consultant M/s. Pioneer Enviro Laboratories & Consultants Pvt. Ltd have attended the meeting.</p> <p>Earlier this proposal was appraised in the SEAC meeting held on 26.08.2016 and the committee recommended that</p> <p><i>“The committee noted that the earlier TOR was issued in light of the existence of ‘BELUM CAVES’ near to the proposed mine. The Project Proponent had not made any presentation of TOR compliance. The Committee after discussions recommended that the Project Proponent shall prepare and submit the EIA report as per the TOR issued on 16.09.2015 for further processing in view of its proximity to BELUM caves.”</i></p> <p>The SEIAA in its meeting held on 15.09.2016 agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC. Accordingly the SEIAA, A.P. issued letter to project proponent on 06.10.2016. The Propoject Proponent submitted revised application for issue of EC through online on 11.08.2017 and also submitted certified copy of the letter issued by the Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Banaganapalli, Kurnool with the details of Production & Dispatch particulars of Limestone minerals for the period from 01.04.2006 to 31.12.2016.</p> <p>The Committee noted that the project proponent shall obtain the Environment Clearance as per the EIA Notification 1994 and EIA Notification 2006. The</p>



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			<p>project proponent has carried out the mining activity without obtaining the EC during the period 2006 to 2016.</p> <p>The MoEF&CC issued Notification vide S.O.804(E), dated 14th March 2017 on the procedure to be followed while dealing with the cases of violations of the Environment Impact Assessment Notification, 2006.</p> <p><i>The Committee, after detailed discussions and in view of the recent letters issued by MoEF&CC on violation cases, has recommended that the project proponent may be informed to apply through online in MOEF&CC-Portal for the Environmental Clearance (EC) inline with the process outlined in the S.O.No. 804(E), dated 14th March,2017 .</i></p>
108.29	<p>M/s. Parry Infrastructure Company Pvt. Ltd., SEZ with Sugar Refinery and 35 MW Co-generation Plant, Vakalapudi (V), Kakinada Rural Mandal, East Godavari District.</p>	<p>B1 (EC amendment)</p> <p>108 SEAC AP</p>	<p>The representative of the project proponent has attended the meeting and presented their proposal for EC amendment in change of fuel mix in the existing boiler.</p> <p>Earlier, the EC amendment was issued vide Order No. SEIAA/AP/E.G-02/2008, dt:26.05.2017 for change of fuel mix (i.e., Coal -80% and Rice Husk – 20 %) in the existing Boiler – 90 TPH Boiler.</p> <p>Now, the project proponent applied for Environmental Clearance Amendment through online on 24.07.2017 and requested for permanent usage of coal at 100 % as fuel in addition to the fuel mix (i.e., coal 80% and Rice Husk-20%) in the existing Boiler- 90 TPH Boiler.</p> <p><i>The Committee recommended for issue of Environment Clearance Amendment in the EC order dated 26.05.2017 that for permanent usage of coal at 100 % as fuel in addition to the fuel mix (i.e., coal 80% and Rice Husk-20%) in the existing Boiler- 90 TPH Boiler.</i></p>
108.30	<p>M/s. Varun Constructions (P) Ltd., at Plot No. 455/2C, 455/3, 455/3B, 455/3B2, Door No. 54-15-13, 13/1, 13/2, 54, 14/8-54, 50, Bharati Nagar, Gunadala, Vijayawada, Krishna District</p>	<p>B2</p>	<p>The representative of the Project Proponent have attended the meeting and the presented the proposal for EC expansion for their proposed construction project : 5 stare Hotel project.</p> <p>The Committee noted that the project proponent has not earmarked sufficient the parking area and setback spaces etc., in the proposed project site area and details of the additional project cost etc.</p> <p><i>The Committee recommended that the Project Proponent shall submit the revised Form I, conceptual plan & layout for the proposed construction project duly mentioning the additional project cost, the areas allocated for adequate parking and other amenities and with setback spaces in the proposed project site area.</i></p>
108.31	<p>M/s.Anjani Portland Cement Limited (Vizag Cement Grinding Unit) at Sy. Nos. 1,2,3,9,10,11,12,13 & 14 Gaithulapalem Village, Sy. Nos. 181, 182, 183 & 184 Tallapalem Village & Sy. No. 68 Narasapuram Village, Kasimkota</p>	<p>B1 (Transfer of TOR)</p>	<p>The representative of project proponent and their consultant M/s. Pioneer Enviro Laboratories & Consultants Pvt. Ltd have attended the meeting and requested for transfer of TOR for the proposed Vizag Cement Grinding Unit (i.e., new standalone Cement Grinding Unit with a capacity of 2 x 1.0 million tons per annum).</p>



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	<p>(M), Visakhapatnam District</p>	<p>108 SEAC AP</p>	<p>Earlier, the SEIAA, A.P has issued TOR to the M/s. Anjani Portland Cement Limited vide letter No.Lr.No. SEIAA/AP/ AP/VSPIIND/06/ 2016/ 122 , dated 08.08.2016 with a validity period of three years i.e., valid upto 07.08.2019 and corrigendum of TOR issued on 06.10.2016.</p> <p>The representative of the project proponent has informed that</p> <p>“M/s. Anjani Portland Cement Limited has become a subsidiary of M/s.Chettinad Cement Corporation Limited during the year 2014-15 by acquisition of 75% of shares of M/s. Anjani Portland Cement Limited.The name of Chettinad Cement Corporation Limited has been changed to Chettinad Cement Corporation Private Limited with effective from 3rd May 2017and submitted the copies of Certificate of Incorporation issued by the Registrar of Companies, Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Govt. of India and Board Resolution that M/s. Anjani Portland Cement Limited is a subsidiary of Chettinad Cement Corporation Private Limited.The Cement Grinding Unit is proposed to be established, commissioned and managed by M/s.Chettinad Cement Corporation Private Limited for which a No Objection Certificate has been obtained from M/s. Anjani Portland Cement Limited to transfer the Terms of Reference (ToR) of M/s Anjani Portland Cement Limited to M/s Chettinad Cement Coporation Private Limited. The commitment letter was submitted to comply with Terms of Reference issued to M/s Anjani Portland Cement Limited.”</p> <p>The Committee noted that the PP has submitted the copies of Certificate of Incorporation issued by the Registrar of Companies (RoC), Chennai, Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Govt. of India on 3rd May 2017, Board Resolution on transfer in favour of <i>M/s. Chettinad Cement Corporation Private Limited</i> and the commitment to comply with TOR conditions. The PP remitted the processing charges of Rs.5000/- to the SEIAA, A.P.</p> <p><i>The Committee after detailed discussion recommended for issue of Transfer of Terms of Reference (TOR) in favour of M/s. Chettinad Cement Corporation Private Limited from M/s. Anjani Portland Cement Limited, with validity period upto 07.08.2019., for the proposed Vizag Cement Grinding Unit (i.e., new standalone</i></p>
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			<i>Cement Grinding Unit with a capacity of 2 x 1.0 million tons per annum).</i>
108.32	Violation cases		
108.32.a	20.648 Ha Calcite & Limestone Mine of Sri N. Dakshinamurthy at U.S.H.B Part, Yerragudi (V), Banaganapally (M), Kurnool District, Adhra Pradesh State	B2	<p>Earlier the SEAC, A.P. recommended for credible action against this mine. A case was filed in the Hon'ble Court of Judicial Magistrate of First Class, Nellore in 2016 (Calendar case No. 325/2016). The project proponent has remitted the penalty of Rs.50,000/- to Hon'ble Court on 23.07.2016.</p> <p><i>This proposal was earlier appraised in the SEAC meeting held on 28.01.2017 and examined in SEIAA , A.P meeting held on 12.05.2017.</i></p> <p>The project proposal comes under violation case under EIA Notification 2006. The MoEF&CC issued Notification vide S.O.804(E), dated 14th March 2017 on the procedure to be followed while dealing with the cases of violations of the Environment Impact Assessment Notification, 2006.</p> <p>The SEIAA, A.P addressed a letter to MoEF&CC on 31.05.2017 and sought clarification on violation cases reported under the Notification No.804 (E), dated: 14th March 2017. But, the reply was not yet received from the MoEF&CC.</p> <p>The SEAC, A.P in its meeting held on 8th June, 2017 and the SEIAA, A.P in its meeting held on 24th June, 2017, while dealing with violation cases, it was decided that the project proponent may be informed to apply thorough online MoEF&CC portal for Environmental Clearance (EC) inline with the process outlined in the MoEF&CC Notification No. S.O. 804 (E), dt. 14th March, 2017.</p> <p><i>The Committee, after detailed discussions and in view of the recent letters issued by MoEF&CC on violation cases, has recommended that the project proponent may be informed to apply through online in MOEF&CC-Portal for the Environmental Clarence (EC) inline with the process outlined in the S.O.No. 804(E), dated 14th March, 2017.</i></p>
108.32.b	10.117 Ha Silica Sand Mine of M/s. Naseeb Mining Company, Sy. No. 256/P, Vellapalem (V), Chillakur (M), SPSR Nellore (Dt), Andhra Pradesh	B2	<p>Earlier the SEAC, A.P. recommended for credible action against this mine. A case was filed in the Hon'ble Court of Judicial Magistrate of First Class, Nellore in 2015 (Calendar case No. 302/2015). The project proponent has remitted the penalty of Rs.1,00,000/- to Hon'ble Court on 22.03.2016.</p> <p><i>This proposal was earlier appraised in the SEAC meeting held on 22.03.2017 & 26.04.2017 and examined in SEIAA , A.P meeting held on 04.04.2017 & 12.05.2017.</i></p> <p>The project proposal comes under violation case under EIA Notification 2006. The MoEF&CC issued Notification vide S.O.804(E), dated 14th March 2017 on the procedure to be followed while dealing with the cases of violations of the Environment Impact Assessment Notification, 2006.</p> <p>The SEIAA, A.P addressed a letter to MoEF&CC on 31.05.2017 and sought clarification on violation cases reported under the Notification No.804 (E),</p>



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		<p>dated: 14th March 2017. But, the reply was not yet received from the MoEF&CC.</p> <p>Also noted that a Writ Petition No. 14644 of 2017 was filed by M/s. Naseeb Mining Company, Sy. No. 256/P, Vellapalem (V), Chillakur (M), SPSR Nellore District in the Hon'ble High Court, A.P in April, 2017 for not issuing the Environmental Clearance. In this Writ Petition, the State Level Environment Assessment Authority (SEIAA), Andhra Pradesh is the Respondent No.2 and Govt. Departments are other Respondents. The Hon'ble High Court for the judicature of A.P and Telangana issued notice on 28.04.2017. A status report was sent to Legal Section of APPCB to submit the report to the Hon'ble Court.</p> <p>The SEAC, A.P in its meeting held on 8th June, 2017 and the SEIAA, A.P in its meeting held on 24th June, 2017, while dealing with violation cases, it was decided that the project proponent may be informed to apply through online MoEF&CC portal for Environmental Clearance (EC) inline with the process outlined in the MoEF&CC Notification No. S.O. 804 (E), dt. 14th March, 2017.</p> <p><i>The Committee, after detailed discussions and in view of the recent letters issued by MoEF&CC on violation cases, has recommended, without prejudice to orders of any Hon'ble Courts, that the project proponent may be informed to apply through online in MOEF&CC-Portal for the Environmental Clearance (EC) inline with the process outlined in the S.O.No. 804(E), dated 14th March, 2017.</i></p>
<p>108.32.c</p>	<p>6.44 Ha Steatite, Clay & Dolomite Mine of Sri P.Nageswara Rao, Sy. No:455/1A,455/1B, Lingala (V & M), Kadapa District</p>	<p align="center">B2</p> <p>Earlier the SEAC, A.P. recommended for credible action against this mine. A case was filed in the Hon'ble Court of Judicial Magistrate of First Class, Kadapa in 2015 (Calendar case No. 686/2015).</p> <p><i>This proposal was earlier appraised in the SEAC meeting held on 22.03.2017 & 27.04.2017 and examined in SEIAA, A.P meeting held on 04.04.2017 & 12.05.2017.</i></p> <p>The project proposal comes under violation case under EIA Notification 2006. The MoEF&CC issued Notification vide S.O.804(E), dated 14th March 2017 on the procedure to be followed while dealing with the cases of violations of the Environment Impact Assessment Notification, 2006.</p> <p>The SEIAA, A.P addressed a letter to MoEF&CC on 31.05.2017 and sought clarification on violation cases reported under the Notification No.804 (E), dated: 14th March 2017. But, the reply was not yet received from the MoEF&CC.</p> <p>The SEAC, A.P in its meeting held on 8th June, 2017 and the SEIAA, A.P in its meeting held on 24th June, 2017, while dealing with violation cases, it was decided that the project proponent may be informed to apply through online MoEF&CC portal for Environmental Clearance (EC) inline with the process outlined in the MoEF&CC Notification No.</p>



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			<p>S.O. 804 (E), dt. 14th March, 2017.</p> <p><i>The Committee, after detailed discussions and in view of the recent letters issued by MoEF&CC on violation cases, has recommended that the project proponent may be informed to apply through online in MOEF&CC-Portal for the Environmental Clearance (EC) inline with the process outlined in the S.O.No. 804(E), dated 14th March, 2017.</i></p>
108.32.d	<p>32.704 Ha. Quartz Mine of M/s. Gnana Iswarya Mines & Minerals Sy. No. 381, 382, 387, 388, 389 and 462/P, Hussainpuram (V), Veligandla (M), Prakasam district</p>	<p>B1 (TOR)</p> <p>108 SEAC AP</p>	<p>Earlier the SEAC, A.P. recommended for credible action against this mine. A case was filed in the Hon'ble Court of Judicial Magistrate of First Class, Ongole in 2016 (Calendar case No. 221/2016). The project proponent has remitted the penalty of Rs.1,00,000/- to Hon'ble Court on 17.02.2017.</p> <p><i>This proposal was earlier appraised in the SEAC meeting held on 22.03.2017 & 27.04.2017 and examined in SEIAA , A.P meeting held on 04.04.2017 & 12.05.2017.</i></p> <p>The project proposal comes under violation case under EIA Notification 2006. The MoEF&CC issued Notification vide S.O.804(E), dated 14th March 2017 on the procedure to be followed while dealing with the cases of violations of the Environment Impact Assessment Notification, 2006.</p> <p>The SEIAA, A.P addressed a letter to MoEF&CC on 31.05.2017 and sought clarification on violation cases reported under the Notification No.804 (E), dated: 14th March 2017. But, the reply was not yet received from the MoEF&CC.</p> <p>The SEAC, A.P in its meeting held on 8th June, 2017 and the SEIAA, A.P in its meeting held on 24th June, 2017, while dealing with violation cases, it was decided that the project proponent may be informed to apply through online MoEF&CC portal for Environmental Clearance (EC) inline with the process outlined in the MoEF&CC Notification No. S.O. 804 (E), dt. 14th March, 2017.</p> <p><i>The Committee, after detailed discussions and in view of the recent letters issued by MoEF&CC on violation cases, has recommended that the project proponent may be informed to apply through online in MOEF&CC-Portal for the Environmental Clearance (EC) inline with the process outlined in the S.O.No. 804(E), dated 14th March, 2017.</i></p>
108.32.e	<p>30.35 Ha. Silica Sand Mine of M/s. Shanmuga Minerals, Sy. No. 38/P Siddavaram (V), Kota (M), SPSR Nellore District, Andhra Pradesh</p>	<p>B1 (TOR)</p>	<p>Earlier the SEAC, A.P. recommended for credible action against this mine. A case was filed in the Hon'ble Court of Judicial Magistrate of First Class, Nellore in 2016 (Calendar case No. 421/2016). The project proponent has remitted the penalty of Rs.1,00,000/- to Hon'ble Court on 22.07.2017.</p> <p><i>This proposal was earlier appraised in the SEAC meeting held on 26.04.2017 and examined in SEIAA , A.P meeting held on 12.05.2017.</i></p> <p>The project proposal comes under violation case under EIA Notification 2006. The MoEF&CC issued Notification vide S.O.804(E), dated 14th March 2017 on the procedure to be followed while dealing</p>



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			<p>with the cases of violations of the Environment Impact Assessment Notification, 2006.</p> <p>The SEIAA, A.P addressed a letter to MoEF&CC on 31.05.2017 and sought clarification on violation cases reported under the Notification No.804 (E), dated: 14th March 2017. But, the reply was not yet received from the MoEF&CC.</p> <p>The SEAC, A.P in its meeting held on 8th June, 2017 and the SEIAA, A.P in its meeting held on 24th June, 2017, while dealing with violation cases, it was decided that the project proponent may be informed to apply thorough online MoEF&CC portal for Environmental Clearance (EC) inline with the process outlined in the MoEF&CC Notification No. S.O. 804 (E), dt. 14th March, 2017.</p> <p><i>The Committee, after detailed discussions and in view of the recent letters issued by MoEF&CC on violation cases, has recommended that the project proponent may be informed to apply through online in MOEF&CC-Portal for the Environmental Clearance (EC) inline with the process outlined in the S.O.No. 804(E), dated 14th March, 2017.</i></p>
108.33.a	5.40 Ha Dolomite and Steatite Mine of M/s. Srida Industries Pvt. Ltd. , at Sy. No 731,239,240 &716 of Kristipadu Village, Pedda Vaduguru Mandal, Ananthapuramu District, Andhra Pradesh - Corrigendum.	B2	<p>Earlier this proposal was appraised in SEAC meeting held on 22.07.2017 and the Committee recommended for issue of Environmental Clearance with a condition that 'without blasting the mining activity'. The SEIAA, A.P., in its meeting held on 07.08.2017 agreed with the recommendation of SEAC for issue of EC.</p> <p>The Committee noted that the condition i.e., <i>without blasting during the mining activity</i> is being incorporated for the open cast mining only if the habitation is within 500 m distance, however in case of underground mining, there the blasting is required as per approved mining plan. In the minutes that condition was recorded by oversight for this mining project proposal.</p> <p><i>The Committee recommended for issue of Environmental clearance to this Dolomite and Steatite Mine mining project for the production quantities Dolomite – 32,550 TPA, Steatite – 15,624 TPA & Low grade Steatite – 10,416 TPA, duly stipulating a condition that the Project Proponent shall maintain the setback distance 7.5 meters buffer zone all around the mine lease area for greenbelt development and other conditions to be fulfilled. The other conditions for underground mining are to be fulfilled.</i></p>
108.33.b	0.748 Ha. Dolomite and Steatite Mine of M/s. Srida Industries Pvt. Ltd. , at Sy. No.237/1 & 733/1, Kristipadu (V), Pedda Vaduguru (M), Ananthapuramu	B2	<p>Earlier this proposal was appraised in SEAC meeting held on 22.07.2017 and the Committee recommended for issue of Environmental Clearance with a condition that 'without blasting the mining activity'. The SEIAA, A.P., in its meeting</p>



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	District, Andhra Pradesh - Corrigendum.		held on 07.08.2017 agreed with the recommendation of SEAC for issue of EC. The Committee noted that the condition i.e., <i>without blasting during the mining activity</i> is being incorporated for the open cast mining only if the habitation is within 500 m distance, however in case of underground mining , there the blasting is required as per approved mining plan. In the minutes that condition was recorded by oversight for this mining project proposal. <i>The Committee recommended for issue of Environmental clearance to this Dolomite and Steatite Mine mining project for the production quantities Dolomite – 1650 TPA, Steatite – 1027 TPA & Low grade Steatite – 623 TPA, duly stipulating a condition that the Project Proponent shall maintain the setback distance 7.5 meters buffer zone all around the mine lease area for greenbelt development and other conditions to be fulfilled. The other conditions for underground mining are to be fulfilled</i>
108.34	23.0 Ha Colour Granite Mine of M/s Saviour Mines & Minerals Pvt. Ltd., at Sy. No 4/P of Nandhakota Village, Ananthagiri Mandal, Visakhapatnam District, Andhra Pradesh	108 SEAC AP B1 (TOR)	The representative of the Project Proponent have attended the meeting and the presented their proposal and presented the copy of the letter issued by the Dy. Director of Mines & Geology, Visakhapatnam vide letter No.588/MP-VSP/2017, dated 17.08.2017., stated that : “ In the instant case there is another Quarry Lease application of M/s.Benita Granites Ltd., for which Mining Plan, EC have been approved vide SEIAA Order No. SEIAA/AP/VSP/MIN/06/2017/33 3 dated 15.07.2017 and the CFE is yet to issued by the APPCB . Hence the question of Quarry Lease Grant orders/in principal letters to be issued by the Director of Mines and Geology does not arise. The Director of mines and Geology, AP shall issue Grant orders under Rule 12 (5) (a) (i) of APMMC Rules, 1966 only after the Applicant submits Approved Mining Plan, Environmental Clearance issued by SEIAA/DEIAA and CFE issued by the APPCB. It is also informed that there are no existing working Mine leases, and no Mine leases for which in-principle letters were issued by the AD/Dy. Director /Director of



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			<p>Mines and Geology, Govt. of A.P. within 500 mts from the boundary of the proposed quarry leases application of M/s. Saviour Mines & Minerals (P) Ltd. over an extent of 23.00 Ha. as there are no grant orders issued for any Quarry/Mine in Sy.No.4/P, Nandhakota Village, Anantagiri Mandal of Visakhapatnam District in Andhra Pradesh to any Applicant.”</p> <p>The Committee noted that in the MoEF& CC , New Delhi Notification No. 2269 (E) , dated 1st July 2016 states that</p> <p><i>“(5) The leases not operative for three years or more and leases which have got environmental clearance as on 15th January, 2016 shall not be counted for calculating the area of cluster, but shall be included in the Environment Management Plan and the Regional Environmental Management Plan.”.</i></p> <p>Futher committee noted that the mine leases in the cluster within 500 m are M/s. Benita Granites Limited (24.54 Ha.), Sy.No.4/P and M/s. Saviour Mines & Minerals Pvt. Ltd.(23.00 Ha.), Sy.No.4/P, Nandhakota Village, Ananthagiri Mandal and these mine leases are existing side by side.The total extent of cluster size is 47.54 Ha i.e >25 Ha. As per the MoEF&CC New Delhi Notification No. 141 (E), dated 15th January 2016, it comes under Category - B1, i.e., Cluster of mine leases of area > 25 hectares with individual lease size < 50 Ha.</p> <p>During the meeting the representative of project proponent requested to address a letter to Mines & Geology Dept, Govt.of A.P to be sought the clarification on cluster these proposed mines.</p> <p>The Committee after detailed discussion recommended that a letter may be addressed to the Dy.Director of Minies & Geology, Visakhapatnam, with a request to send the report w.r.t applicability of MoEF&CC Notification S.O.No.2269 (E), dated 1st July 2016., for this proposed mine., as requested by the Project Proponent.</p>
<p>108.35</p>	<p>Iron Ore Beneficiation Plant of M/s. Benita Industries Limited, Sy. No. 320, Chabali (V), Pendlimarri (M), YSR Kadapa District</p>	<p>(TOR)</p>	<p>The representative of the Project Proponent and their consultant M/s. Pioneer Enviro Laboratories & Consultants Pvt. Ltd have attended the meeting. The Committee noted that M/s.Benita Industries Limited, is excavating Iron Ore & Laterite ore from Mine Lease area of 163.482 ha., in Sy No.320, Chabali Village, Pendlimarri Mandal, YSR District , Andhra Pradesh. <i>For this Mine, the Environmental</i></p>



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			<p>Clarence was obtained from MoEF&CC, New Delhi for excavation of low grade Iron Ore of 2,64,915 TPA and Laterite ore of 1,94,580 TPA vide file No.J-11015/44/2012-IA.II(M) dated 17/02/2014 and Mine lease area is having Consent for Operation from A.P. Pollution Control Board, which is valid up to 30.09.2021. They have also obtained CFE&CFO for Iron ore crusher of 200 T/Hour and Jigging plant of capacity 98,000 TPA in the same Mine lease area. This industry proposes to install Benefication plant (upgradation of Iron ore grade) of capacity 0.49 million TPA in the existing Mine lease area at Sy. No.320, Chabali Village, Pendilmarri Mandal, YSR Kadapa District, A.P.</p> <p>Further, in the EC Order dated 17th February 2014 issued to M/s.Beneta Industries Ltd, it was mentioned under Condition .No. (B. General Conditions): B(i) - No change in mining technology and scope of working should be made without prior approval of the Ministry of Environment & Forests; B(ii) - No change in the calendar plan including excavation, quantum of mineral iron ore, Benefication Plant and waste should be made.</p> <p>As per the MoEF, EIA Notification No. S.O.No. 1533 (E) dated 14th September 2006, under Item 2(b) of Project or Activity -Mineral Benefication of Capacity , in the General condition it was mentioned that "Mining proposal with Mineral Benefication shall be appraised together for grant of clearance".</p> <p>Earlier the SEIAA, A.P in the similar cases, sought the clarification whether to process in SEIAA, A.P . level or to send to the MoEF& CC for further processing in 2015. The MoEF& CC has informed that to send that proposal to MoEF&CC, New Delhi for further processing.</p> <p>The Committee after detailed discussion recommended that a letter may be addressed to the MoEF&CC, New Delhi to obtain the clarification whether the SEIAA,Andhra Pradesh, can process the application of M/s.Beneta Industries Limited, under Category 'B', for the proposed Iron ore Benefication Plant in the same Mine lease for which the Environment Clearance was issued by the MoEF&CC, New Delhi under category 'A'.</p>
<p>108.36</p>	<p>5.310 Ha Colour Granite Mine of Sri Ch. Venkata Girish, Sy.No. 305 & 307, Thotakurapalem(V),Ravikamatham(M),Visakhapatnam District,Andhra Pradesh</p>	<p>B2</p>	<p>The representative of the Project Proponent and their consultant M/s. Team Labs & Consultants, have attended the meeting.</p> <p>Earlier the SEAC, A.P. recommended for credible action against this mine. A case was filed in the Hon'ble Court of Judicial Magistrate of First Class, Chodavaram in 2016 (Calendar case No. 125/2016). <i>This proposal was earlier appraised in the SEAC meeting held on 02.11.2016 & 02.12.2016 and examined in SEIAA , A.P meeting held on 15.11.2016 &17.12.2016.</i></p> <p>The project proposal comes under violation case under EIA Notification 2006. The MoEF&CC issued</p>



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			<p>Notification vide S.O.804(E), dated 14th March 2017 on the procedure to be followed while dealing with the cases of violations of the Environment Impact Assessment Notification, 2006.</p> <p>The SEAC, A.P in its meeting held on 8th June, 2017 and the SEIAA, A.P in its meeting held on 24th June, 2017, while dealing with violation cases, it was decided that the project proponent may be informed to apply through online MoEF&CC portal for Environmental Clearance (EC) inline with the process outlined in the MoEF&CC Notification No. S.O. 804 (E), dt. 14th March, 2017.</p> <p><i>The Committee, after detailed discussions and in view of the recent letters issued by MoEF&CC on violation cases, has recommended that the project proponent may be informed to apply through online in MOEF&CC-Portal for the Environmental Clearance (EC) inline with the process outlined in the S.O.No. 804(E), dated 14th March, 2017.</i></p>
<p>108.37</p>	<p>12.86 Ha Building Stone & Gravel Quarry of Sri. Komati. Diwakar at Sy. No 75, Porlupalem (V), Pendurthy (M), Visakhapatnam District, Andhra Pradesh</p>	<p align="center">108 SEAC AP B2</p>	<p><i>The Project Proponent and their consultant M/s.Hubert Enviro Care Systems (P) Ltd., have attended the meeting and presented the proposals for the proposed mining project.</i></p> <p><i>The Committee noted that this is a new mine. The In- principle letter was issued vide letter dated 06.06.2017 by the Dy. Director of Mines &Geology, Visakhapatnam, for mining lease -15 years. The mining plan was approved by Deputy Director of Mines & Geology Govt. of A.P. Visakhapatnam on 29.06.2017 for 5years. The Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Visakhapatnam vide LetterNo. 998/MP-VSP/2017, dated.19.08.2017, stated that there are no existing working leases and there are no new mine leases for which In-principle letters were issued within 500 m of proposed mine Sri Komati Diwakar. Also stated that the lease periods of other existing surrounding mine leases were lapsed.</i></p> <p><i>The Committee recommended for issue of Environmental clearance to this proposed Building Stone & Gravel Quarry mining project for the production quantities: Gravel Quarry – 1,68,750 m³/annum TPA and Building Stone -3,80,625 m³/annum, duly stipulating a condition that the Project Proponent shall maintain the setback distance 7.5 meters buffer zone all around the mine lease area for greenbelt development and other conditions to be fulfilled.</i></p>
<p>108.38</p>	<p>Additional Issues:</p>		
	<p>The committee noted recently the MoEF&CC while giving the clarification on Requirement of Environmental Clearance for major minerals below 5 Hectare (MOEF&CC. IA Division Lr.No. Z-11013/24/2017, dt. 10th August, 2017) stated the following :</p> <p>“It is to inform that this matter has been already clarified by the Ministry vide its letter of even numer dt. 03.04.2017. A copy of the letter is enclosed to your kind reference. However, it is reiterated that as per the Ministry’s notification S.O.141 (E), dt. 15.01.2016, all the mining leases (major mineral as well as minor mineral) operating in the country are required to obtain Environmental Clearance (EC) after 15.01.2016 as per the provisions contained in Environmental Impact Assessment Notification, 2006 as</p>		



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amended. Further, no mining lease shall operate without prior EC and all such mines (including less than 5 Hectares) which were in operation before 15.01.2016 are required to stop their mining activity and apply to MoEFCC at Central level/State Environment Impact Assessment Agency at State Level /District Environment Impact Assessment Agency at District Level for seeking EC. The mine leases which continue to operate without obtaining EC after 15.01.2016 shall be considered as violation cases and the same shall be dealt in accordance with the Violation Policy under Environmental Impact Assessment Notification, 2006 as amended.

In this regard, the Committee recommended that a letter may be addressed to MOEF&CC, New Delhi requesting to clarify the following.

As per MoEF&CC, letter dt. 10th August, 2017, it is come to understanding that the mine leases which were operated without EC before 15th January, 2016, **shall not be considered as violation cases**".

However, the MoEF&CC, S.O.No. 804 (E), dt. 14th March, 2017 states that "the projects or activities or the expansion or modernisation of existing projects or activities requiring prior environmental clearance under the Environment Impact Assessment Notification, 2006 entailing capacity addition with change in process or technology or both undertaken in any part of India without obtaining prior environmental clearance from the Central Government or by the State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, as the case may be, duly constituted by the Central Government under sub-section (3) of Section 3 of the said Act, **shall be considered a case of violation of the Environment Impact Assessment Notification, 2006** and will be dealt strictly as per the procedure specified in the Notification.

Hence this is recommended to write a letter seeking clarifications from MOEF&CC on the applicability of letter No:Z-11013/24/2017-IA.II(M), dated 10th August 2017, issued by Surendra Kumar, Scientist G, on the requirement of environmental clearance for the mining minerals below 5 Hectares. The copy of letter is to be annexed with the letter to the MOEF& CC.

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