

State Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Bihar

2nd floor, Beltron Bhawan, Shastri Nagar, Patna - 800 023.

Ref. No. - **306.**

Patna, Date:- **18/10/19.**

Minutes of the meeting of SEIAA, Bihar, convened on 16th & 17th October, 2019

A meeting of SEIAA was convened on 16-10-2019 & 17-10-2019. Following members were present in the meeting:-

Present :-

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| 1. Shri B.N. Jha, | - | Chairman |
| 2. Dr. Nityanand Singh Maurya | - | Member |
| 3. Shri Kamal Jeet Singh, I.F.S. | - | Member Secretary. |

Agenda Item No.-01 to 03

Sand Mining Project on Falgu river at Alipur Ghat of District- Gaya, State- Bihar, Area - 30.05 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/323/16), Online proposal No.: -SAI/BR/MIN/17902/2016).

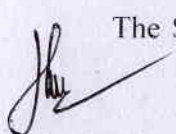
Sand Mining Project on Shanti Nagar Ghat (Stretch 2 of Block -I I) of District:- Gaya, State:- Bihar, Area - 30.50 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a) /441/17), Online Proposal No. : - SIA/BR/MIN/17923/2016).

Sand Mining Project on Bajitpur Ghat (Stretch 4, Block - 2) of District:- Gaya, State:- Bihar, Area - 30 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/439/17), Online proposal No.: - SIA/BR/MIN/17918/2016).

➤ Recommendation of SEAC:-

All above proposals were appraised together as they were considered qualitatively similar by SEAC.

As stated in the proceedings of SEAC the Project Proponent could not get desired information from Divisional Forest Officer, Gaya or Zoological Survey of India, regarding breeding ground of species like Hill Stream Fishes, Turtles, Mastacembelid Fish, Gastroopods, Bivalves etc. if is available and getting impacted on the proposed mining area and its surround. The SEAC considered the case on the certificate issued by the Head of Department of Zoology, Soghra College, Biharsarif, Nalanda in the matter. The SEAC also obtained an affidavit from the Project Proponent that "They will submit



the lease deed of mining area after getting Environmental Clearance and mining will be started after submission of the lease deed to SEIAA Bihar" which the Project Proponent has complied. Thereafter the SEAC resolved to recommend the proposal of above 3 sand mining ghats for grant of Environmental Clearance.

➤ **Resolve of the SEIAA:-**

In its last sitting the SEIAA resolved to grant Environmental Clearance after receipt of additional information sought from Project Proponent. Now the Project Proponent has submitted the same for the records of SEIAA; accordingly the Environmental Clearance be granted with usual conditions recommended by SEAC.

Agenda Item No.-04

SHRI RAM JANAKI MEDICAL COLLEGE AND HOSPITAL, Village:- Narghoghi, Tehsil:- Sarairanjan, District:- Samastipur, Bihar Total Plot Area:- 85,652 m², Total Build-up Area:- 1,24,288.714 m² (File No. - SIA/8(a)/692/19). Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIS/115168/2019).

➤ **Proposal recommended by SEAC in its sitting of 19th to 21st September 2019 for grant of EC.**

➤ **Resolve of the SEIAA:-**

While looking into certain issues like sources of water to be used for construction, arrangements for disposal of Bio-medical waste, water demand / Balance details the proposal was found very deficient requiring clarifications on the very basic issues by the Project Proponent before considering grant of Environmental Clearance. Accordingly SEIAA resolved to ask Project Proponent to furnish following information / clarification urgently:-

1. The ultimate source of the water for constructions whether ground water or otherwise require specific mention;
2. As stated in proposal at page no. 72 agreement with facilitator CBMWTF is not found attached;
3. Topo-sheet number is mentioned anywhere in the application;



4. Water demand calculation.

Agenda Item No.-05 to 44

Sand Mining Project on river Kiul at Kishanpur Sand Ghat of Lakhisarai district, Area - 23 Ha (Proposal No. - SIA/1(a)/543/18). Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/30930/2019).

Maliya Sand Ghat on Kiul River of Lakhisarai district, Area - 24.5 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/545/18). Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/30938/2019).

Sand Mining Project on river Kiul at Ghoshi Kundi Sand Ghat of Lakhisarai district, Area - 22 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/546/18). Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/30928/2019).

Sand Mining Project on river Kiul at Garhi Bisanpur Sand Ghat of Lakhisarai district, Area - 24 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/548/18). Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/30922/2019).

Sand Mining Project on river Kiul at Rampur Sand Ghat of Lakhisarai district, Area - 23.5 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/550/18). Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/30937/2019).

Kalai & Durga Mandir Sand Ghat on Ulai River of District- Jamui, Area - 24 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/555/18). Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/30947/2019).

Kalyanpur Sand Ghat on Kiul River of District- Jamui, Area - 21.5 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/557/18). Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/30958/2019).

Garsanda Sand Ghat on Kiul River of District- Jamui, Area - 24 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/558/18). Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/30961/2019 (old) SIA/BR/MIN/41334/2019 (new)).

Kendua Balu Ghat on Barnar River of District- Jamui, Area - 23 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/559/18). Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/30968/2019).

Sono Balu Ghat on Barnar River of District- Jamui, Area - 21 Ha {(File No. - SIA/1(a)/561/18), Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/31027/2019 (old) SIA/BR/MIN/41270/2019 (new)}.

Smarak Sand Ghat on Kiul River of District- Jamui, Area - 22 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/563/18). Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/31025/2019).

Sand Mining Project on river Kiul at Birdaban Sand Ghat of Lakhisarai district, Area – 18 Ha (File No.:- SIA/1(a)/566/18). Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/30913/2019).

Judgi Balu Ghat on Barnar River of Jamui district, Area – 23.5 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/569/18). Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/30998/2019).

Charghara and Amba Sand Ghat on Ulai River of Jamui district, Area – 23.5 Ha {(File No. - SIA/1(a)/570/18), Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/30959/2019 (old) SIA/BR/MIN/41143/2019 (new)}.

Ghanshyamthan Koluha Balu Ghat on Barnar River of Jamui district, Area - 24 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/575/18). Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/30972/2019).

Katauna Sand Ghat on Kiul River of Jamui district, Area – 22.5 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/576/18). Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/30963/2019).

Dumri Sand Ghat on Barnar River of Jamui district, Area - 24 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/577/18). Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/30943/2019).

Gausala Sand Ghat on Ulai River of Jamui district, Area - 24 Ha {(File No. - SIA/1(a)/578/18), Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/30966/2019 (old) SIA/BR/MIN/41127/2019 (new)}.

Parsa Sand Ghat on Kiul River of Jamui district, Area - 24 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/579/18). Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/31024/2019 (old) SIA/BR/MIN/41076/2019 (new)}.

Sair and Pandeydih Sand Ghat on Ulai River of Jamui district, Area - 24 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/580/18), Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/30995/2019 (old) SIA/BR/MIN/41189/2019 (new)}.

Kendih Sand Ghat on Kiul River of Jamui district, Area - 23 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/581/18). Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/30965/2019).

Nariyana Chacho Sand Ghat on Kiul River of Jamui district, Area - 21.5 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/582/18). Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/30945/2019).

Bihari Sand Ghat on Kiul River of Jamui district, Area - 20.5 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/585/18). Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/30950/2019).

Satgama Sand Ghat on Kiul River of Jamui district, Area - 23.5 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/586/18). Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/30999/2019).

Auria Sand Ghat on Bannar River of Jamui district, Area - 24 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/588/18).
Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/30960/2019 (old) SIA/BR/MIN/41235/2019 (new)}.

Balthar and Hanjro Sand Ghat on Bannar River of Jamui district, Area - 22.5 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/589/18). Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/30975/2019).

Pakri Sand Ghat on Kiul River of Jamui district, Area - 24 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/591/18).
Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/31026/2019).

Bhour Sand Ghat on Kiul River of Jamui district, Area - 23.5 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/592/18).
Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/30962/2019).

Jaljoga Sand Ghat on Kiul River of Jamui district, Area - 23 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/593/18).
Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/30983/2019 (old) SIA/BR/MIN/41216/2019 (new)}.

Lotun and Ratanpur Sand Ghat on Kiul River of Jamui district, Area - 24 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/595/18). Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/30978/2019 (old) SIA/BR/MIN/41398/2019 (new)}.

Sati and Garhi Sand Ghat on Ulai River of Jamui district, Area - 22 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/597/18). Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/31019/2019 (old) SIA/BR/MIN/41164/2019 (new)}.

Sand Mining Project on river Kiul at Tetarhat Sand Ghat of Lakhisarai district, Area - 21.5 Ha (File No.:- SIA/1(a)/608/19). Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/30921/2019).

Giddheshwar Sand Ghat on Kiul River of Jamui district, Area - 23.5 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/609/19). Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/30974/2019).

Mandhata Sand Ghat on Barnar River of Jamui district, Area - 23.5 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/611/19). Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/31028/2019).

Jogidiha Numar Sand Ghat on Anjana River of Jamui district, Area - 22.5 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/612/19). Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/30996/2019).

Lipatwa Sand Ghat on Barnar River of Jamui district, Area - 22 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/613/19).
Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/30976/2019).

Simaria Sand Ghat on Barnnar River of Jamui district, Area - 24 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/614/19). Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/31031/2019).

Panbarwa Sand Ghat on Kiul River of Jamui district, Area - 22 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/584/18). Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/31021/2019).

Darha & Bharari Sand Ghat on Anjana River of Jamui district, Area - 23.5 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/615/19). Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/30980/2019 (old) SIA/BR/MIN/41436/2019 (new)).

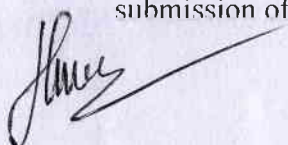
Dinari Sand Ghat on Barnnar River of Jamui district, Area - 24 Ha (File No. - SIA/1(a)/616/19). Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/MIN/30967/2019).

- **Proposal recommended by SEAC in its sitting of 19th to 21st September for grant of EC.**

Agenda item No. 05 to 44 pertains to applications seeking grant of Environmental Clearance for sand mining in 40 Ghats (mine plots) of River Kiul, Barnar, Ulai & Anjana in the district of Jamui & Lakhisarai by Proponent M/s Westlink Trading Private Limited. The Project Proponent has got the Letter of Intent for allotment of lease in the said district vide order No. 337 dated 22.07.2016 of the Department of Mines & Geology, Govt. of Bihar. The SEAC in its meeting held on 19th, 20th & 21st September: 2019 appraised the proposals and recommended for grant of Environmental Clearance to them.

- (1.) In its proceedings (Ref. No. 275, dated 26-09-2019) the SEAC has mentioned the followings, deserving specific mention herein:-

- (a.) On 19-09-2019 in the meeting of SEAC it was pointed out that there were discrepancies in air monitoring data as also there was no report on free silica as required in ToR Point No. 19. (a). Further, EMP and CER submitted by Project Proponent is deficient with respect to certain components.
- (b.) Proponent and Consultant apologized for the deficiencies, prayed for leave which committee accepted; thereafter proponent complied with desired corrections, submission of declaration etc. to the satisfaction of the committee.



- (c.) The Project Proponent also submitted a declaration that within a period of 4 weeks or commencement of mining whichever is earlier, the required report on free silica will be submitted to SEIAA, Bihar.
- (d.) The Committee also observed that of the sentiments of local people expressed during Public Consultation have been proposed to taken care of by the Project Proponent.
- (e.) 3 Proposals (agenda item No. 13, 15 & 25), for sand mining at Kalyanpur, Katauna, Satagama were put on Reverse Auction by the Department of Mines & Geology, Govt. of Bihar as informed by the said Department vide their letter No. 4006, dated 15.10.2018 and accordingly the Committee decided to reduce the quantity of minable material (sand) equal to the quantity which were mined in 2018 in Reverse Auction.
- (2.) Through an email (dated 30.09.2019, 7:28 PM) addressed to MoEF&CC, GoI, & Copy marked to SEIAA, it was conveyed by Dr. Sudhanshu Kumar that he has resigned from the membership of SEAC, Bihar, as his dissents were declined to be recorded in sitting of SEAC held between 19th to 21st September, 2019.

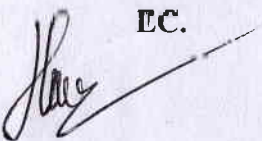
➤ **Resolve of the SEIAA:-**

The SEIAA resolved to request Chairman SEAC to make available his comments before 22.10.2019 on the issue of non-inclusion of dissents raised by Dr. Sudhanshu Kumar.

Agenda Item No.-45

Shivshiva Steel Pvt. Ltd., (Expansion Project), Mauza:- Raipura, Tehsil:- Fatuha, District:- Patna, State:- Bihar, Proposed Production:- 1,50,000 TPA to 4,00,000 TPA and Induction Furnace:- 3,00,000 TPA, (File No. - SIA/3(a)/448/17/II/19). Online Proposal No.:- SIA/BR/IND/37579/2019).

- **Proposal recommended by SEAC in its sitting of 19th to 21st September for grant of EC.**



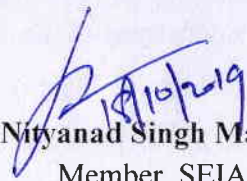
➤ **Resolve of the SEIAA:-**


The SEAC has recommended the application of the Project Proponent for grant of Terms of Reference (ToR), using previous baseline data which was collected in March - May 2017.

As per Para VII of OM No. J-11013/41/2006-IA-II (part) dated 29.08.2017 of MoEF&CC the data once collected is allowed to be re-used for next three years. In this case the existing unit is proposed to be expanded and 04 induction furnaces are to be installed within the unit located within the same unit which is already having Environmental Clearance. Therefore the data collected in 2017 may be reused by the Project Proponent. In this case Public Consultation is also not older than 3 years therefore a fresh Public Consultation is also not required.

After due discussion the SEIAA resolved to issue ToR to the Project Proponent.


(Kamal Jeet Singh), IFS
Member Secretary, SEIAA
18/10/19


(Nityanad Singh Maurya),
Member, SEIAA


(B. N. Jha)
Chairman, SEIAA
18-10-19