

**STATE EXPERT APPRAISAL COMMITTEE (SEAC). ASSAM.**  
**3<sup>RD</sup> FLOOR, POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD, ASSAM**  
**BAMUNIMADAM, GUWAHATI- 781021**

Minutes of the 26<sup>th</sup> meeting of the State Expert Appraisal Committee (SEAC), Assam held at 11 a.m. on 8<sup>th</sup> October, 2021 in the Conference Hall of the Pollution Control Board, Assam, Guwahati-21.

***List of the members present in the meeting:***

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

**Agenda item- 1. Confirmation of the resolutions adopted the 25<sup>th</sup> meeting of SEAC, Assam.**

**Resolution 24/1:**

The minutes of the 25<sup>th</sup> SEAC meeting held on 18<sup>th</sup> September 2021 is placed on the table for perusal of the Hon'ble Members and necessary discussion. The minutes of the 25<sup>th</sup> SEAC meeting is approved unanimously after a brief discussion.

**Agenda item- 2.**

- 1) Proposal of EC for Collection of Sand Gravel from "Boalkamri Part- 1. P.P Land Sand Gravel MPA under Dhubri Division proposed by Afzalur Rahman. SEIAA. 1824/2021 (SIA/AS/MIN/221877/2021)**

**Resolution 26/2**

The project proposal asking EC for mining of Sand-Gravel from **Boalkamri Part- 1. P.P Land Sand Gravel MPA** under Dhubri Division proposed by Afzalur Rahman is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Apprised the proposal and necessary scrutiny of the documents furnished by the proponent in support of the proposal is done. Considering the approved mining plan and recommendation of the DFO, Dhubri Division, the committee recommended for issuance of EC for mining of 5532 cu.m. sand-gravel from the proposed location within two years. The annually 2766 cu.m. of mining material is approved for mining strictly following all the general terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Dhubri Division will ensure due surveillance on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities. Further, he will also ensure that the approved area is marked on the ground as per GPS coordinates before allowing actual mining operation and mining not be allowed beyond the limit of the same.



**Agenda item- 2.**

- 2) **Proposal of EC for collection of Ordinary Earth from “4.5 Ha Pabhoi river Ordinary Earth Permit Area under Sonitpur East Division proposed by Shree Gautam Contraction Limited SEIAA.1829/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/225545/2021)**

**Resolution 26/3:**

The project proposal requesting EC for mining of ordinary earth from “**4.5 Ha Pabhoi river Ordinary Earth Permit Area** under Sonitpur East Division proposed by Shree Gautam Contraction Limited is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Apprised the proposal and necessary scrutiny of documents furnished in support of the proposal has been done. Detail discussion is also held. The committee after detail deliberation and considering the approved mining plan recommended approving the project proposal to *excavate 86000 cu.m. ordinary earth from the proposed mining site within two years*. It is also approved to *excavate 43000 cu.m. ordinary earth annually* strictly following all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Sonitpur East Division will ensure due surveillance on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities. Further, he will ensure that the approved area is marked on the ground as per GPS coordinates before allowing actual mining operation and mining not be allowed beyond the limit approved mining site.

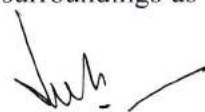
**Agenda item- 2.**

- 3) **Proposal of EC for collection of Ordinary Earth from “Patta land ordinary earth MPA at 2 No. Udalbakra village under Kamrup East Division proposed by Sri Subudh Ch. Baishya. SEIAA.1714/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/200578/2021)**

**Resolution 26/4:**

The project proposal asking EC for mining of ordinary earth from “**Patta land ordinary earth MPA at 2 No. Udalbakra village** under Kamrup East Division proposed by Sri Subudh Ch. Baishya is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail deliberation. Apprised the proposal and scrutinized the required documents. Due discussion is also held. After detailed deliberation the committee recommended the proposal approving to issue EC for mining of *10736 cu.m ordinary earth from the proposed mining site within two years*. It is also approved to *mine 5368 cu.m. ordinary earth per year* strictly following all the general terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Kamrup East Division will ensure due surveillance on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities. He will ensure that the approved area is marked on the ground as per GPS coordinates before allowing actual mining operation and mining not be allowed beyond the limit of the same. Further, the DFO is requested to keep strict watch that mining and transportation of mine out materials are done without causing nay disturbance to the surroundings as the proposed site is within limit of the city.





**Agenda item- 2**

- 4) Proposal of EC for mining of river silt from “Dikhow river Silt MPA- N (Baliaghat) under Sivasagar Division proposed by M/S GDCL. SEIAA.1663/2021, (SIA/AS/MIS/190282/2021)

**Resolution 26/5:**

The project proposal asking EC for mining of river silt from “Dikhow river Silt MPA- N (Baliaghat)” under Sivasagar Division proposed by M/S GDCL is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and discussion. Apprised the proposal and requisite documents are scrutinized. Detail discussion is also held. The committee considering the recommendation of the concerned DFO and approved mining plan, recommended approving the proposal to *extract 20000 cu.m. river silt from the proposed mining site within one year subject to the condition that the mining is approved 20 mts. away from the nearest bank of the river i.e., from the West bank.* The proponent shall have to strictly following all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan. The mined-out materials shall have to be utilized exclusively for construction of 4-lanning Highway Project from Jhanji to Demow section of NH-37.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Sivasagar Division will ensure due surveillance on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities. Further, he will ensure that the approved area is marked on the ground as per GPS coordinates before allowing actual mining operation and mining not be allowed beyond the limit of the same.

**Agenda item- 2.**

- 5) Proposal of EC for mining of brick earth from “SONU Brick Field MPA, Bholukaguri under Dibrugarh Division proposed by M/s SONU Brick Field SEIAA.1863/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/224925/2021)

**Resolution 26/6:**

The project proposal asking EC for mining of brick earth from “SONU Brick Field MPA, Bholukaguri under Dibrugarh Forest Division proposed by M/s SONU Brick Field is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and discussion. Requisite documents furnished by the proponent are scrutinized followed by detailed discussion. It is observed by the committee that the copy of the JVR furnished along with the proposal is not legible and columns are partially filled up. A proper duly filled in JVR issued by the competent authority is required for reconsideration of the proposal.

The proponent be requested to upload the above discussed document at his earliest for taking needful action.

**Agenda item- 2.**

- 6) Proposal of EC for mining of Sand from “Janji River Sand MPA- F (Sandghat-B) under Sivasagar Forest Division proposed by Sri Mintu Dutta. SEIAA.1850/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/229381/2021).



### **Resolution 26/7:**

The proposal asking EC for mining of sand from “**Janji River Sand MPA- F (Sandghat-B)**” under Sivasagar Forest Division proposed by Sri Mintu Dutta is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Documents submitted in support of the proposal are verified and detailed discussion is held. Considering the approved mining plan as well as recommendation of the concerned DFO, the committee recommended *approving the proposal to extract 2500 cu.m. sand from the proposed location within two years. It is also approved to extract 1250 cu.m. sand from the approved site annually* strictly following all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Sivasagar Division will ensure due surveillance on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. Further, he will ensure that the approved area is marked on the ground as per GPS coordinates before allowing actual mining operation and mining not be allowed beyond the limit of the approved mine site.

### **Agenda item- 2.**

- 7) **Proposal of EC for mining of Sand from “Jamunamukh-Kopili Nodi Sand Permit area 1(C) on Kopili River Bed under Nagaon Forest Division proposed by Sri Dhaneswar Rabha. SEIAA.1844/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/227798/2021)**

### **Resolution 26/8:**

The project proposal asking EC for mining of sand from “**Jamunamukh-Kopili Nodi Sand Permit area 1(C) on Kopili River Bed**” under Nagaon Forest Division proposed by Sri Dhaneswar Rabha is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and discussion. Documents furnished by the proponent in support of the proposal are verified. Going carefully through the maps, it is observed by the committee that the mining site- 1 will make the right bank of the Kopili river vulnerable to erosion. The proposed mining site should be shifted to the left bank leaving 2/3 of the water ways intact unaffected by mining activities. The committee is opined that a modified map showing the mining area-1 along the left bank is to be submitted for further consideration.

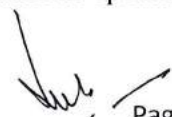
The proponent is requested to make necessary arrangement to comply the observation made by the committee and reupload the modified map accordingly.

### **Agenda item- 2.**

- 8) **Proposal of EC for extraction of Brick Earth from “Majgaon Village Brick Earth Quarry under Sonitpur East Division proposed by M/S Tata Brick Field (II). SEIAA.1841/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/224485/2021)**

### **Resolution 26/9:**

The proposal asking EC for extraction of brick earth from “**Majgaon Village Brick Earth Quarry**” under Sonitpur East Division proposed by M/S Tata Brick Field (II) is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. On scrutiny of the documents, it is observed that the date of joint verification is not mentioned in the JVR. On the other hand, the land documents speaks that the





proposed site falls under the class of land agriculture as land being "Salitoli". After detailed discussion the committee resolved to seek proper *Joint Verification Report and non-agriculture land certificate issued by the competent authority* for reconsideration of the proposal. The proponent be directed to furnish the said reports and reuploaded accordingly at the earliest.

**Agenda item- 2.**

- 9) **Proposal of EC for mining of Sand from "Jhanji River Sand Mining Area, Borbamghat" under Sivasagar Forest Division proposed by Sri Lohit Ch Gogoi. SEIAA.1845/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/226089/2021)**

**Resolution 26/10:**

The project proposal asking EC for mining of Sand from "**Jhanji River Sand Mining Area, Borbamghat**" under Sivasagar Forest Division proposed by Sri Lohit Ch Gogoi is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Necessary document furnished by the proponent has been verified including the approved mining plan and recommendation of the concerned DFO. Detailed discussion is held and the committee recommended the proposal approving to extract *1300 cu.m sand from the proposed site within a period of one year. The mining depth is approved 2 meters from the unmined surface* and the proponent shall have to strictly follow all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan in course of mining activities.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Sivasagar Division is requested to ensure due surveillance to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining operation. He will also ensure that mining is permitted at the approved site only and not beyond the limit of the approved mine site.

**Agenda item- 2.**

- 10) **Proposal of EC for mining of "Ordinary Earth MPA from Patta Land at Bhakatpara (Town)" under Aie Valley Forest Division proposed by Sri Kamleswar Roy. SEIAA.1843/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/226227/2021).**

**Resolution 26/11:**

The proposal asking EC for excavation of ordinary earth from "**Ordinary Earth MPA from Patta Land at Bhakatpara (Town)**" under Aie Valley Forest Division proposed by Sri Kamleswar Roy is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. The proposal is appraised and necessary documents are scrutinized. Detail discussion is also held. Considering the certificate issued by the different authorities in support of the proposal as well as approved mining plan, the committee recommended approving the proposal to excavate *5764 cu.m ordinary earth from the proposed site within two years subject to the condition that the mining depth is approved up to 2 mts. (two meters) from the unmined surface.* The proponent is allowed to excavate *2882 cu.m. ordinary earth per year* strictly following all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Aie Valley Division is requested to ensure due surveillance to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining operation. He will ensure that mining is permitted at the approved site only and not beyond the limit of the approved mine site. He will also ensure that all the terms and conditions laid down therein are duly complied by the proponent.



**Agenda item- 2.**

- 11) Proposal for EC for mining of river ordinary earth from “Jia Bharali River MPA No.5 for Ordinary Earth” under Sonitpur East Division, proposed by M/S MKCIL-RSM (JV). SEIAA1852/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/230151/2021)**

**Resolution 26/12:**

The project proposal requesting EC for mining of ordinary earth from “Jia Bharali River MPA No.5 for Ordinary Earth” under Sonitpur East Division proposed by M/S MKCIL-RSM (JV) is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Apprised the proposal and documents furnished by the proponent have thoroughly been scrutinized. Detail discussion is also held. After detail discussion the committee opined that the location of the mine area in the mine plan in both the proposed map of earth mining and sketch map (*area No. 5*) does not match. Clarification is required on the above discussed point and required to reupload the corrected maps for reconsideration of the proposal.

**Agenda item- 2.**

- 12) Proposal of EC for mining of Sand from “Arang Sand Minor Mineral Unit on Arang River Bed (Block A&B) under Karimganj Forest Division proposed by M/s Barak Valley Infrastructure. SEIAA1848/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/227355/2021).**

**Resolution 26/13:**

The project proposal asking EC for mining of sand from “Arang Sand Minor Mineral Unit on Arang River Bed (Block A&B)” under Karimganj Forest Division proposed by M/s Barak Valley Infrastructure is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Apprised the proposal and due scrutiny of the documents furnished in support of the proposal are made. Detailed deliberation is held on the project proposal. After thorough discussion the committee recommended the proposal approving to allow *to extract 50000 cu.m sand from the proposed mining site within a period of five (5) years.* The committee also approved to *extract 10000 cu.m sand from the approved location per year* strictly following all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Karimganj Forest Division is requested to ensure due surveillance to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. He will also ensure that mining is permitted at the approved site only and not beyond the limit of the same. Further, the DFO will also ensure that due compliance all the terms and conditions contained therein are strictly follows by the proponent.

**Agenda item- 2.**

- 13) Proposal for mining of Sand & Gravel from “Jhanji River Sand MPA ‘E’ (Sandghat-A) under Sivasagar Forest Division proposed by Bijoy Buragohain. SEIAA1842/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/223703/2021),**





#### **Resolution 26/14:**

The project proposal asking EC for mining of sand & gravel from “**Jhanji River Sand MPA ‘E’ (Sandghat-A)**” under Sivasagar Forest Division proposed by Bijoy Buragohain is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Apprised the proposal and documents furnished by the proponent have also been scrutinized. Detailed discussion is also held. After detailed discussion the committee opined that the proposed mining plot is aligned with the outer curve of a meander of the river course that may make outer bank vulnerable to river bank erosion. The committee opined that the proposed mining area is to be shifted to the left bank of the same meander and resubmit the modified map for reconsideration of the proposal.

#### **Agenda item- 2.**

- 14) Proposal of EC for the “**Jia Bharali River MPA No.4 for Ordinary Earth**” under Sonitpur East Division proposed by M/S MKCIL-RSM(JV). SEIAA.1857/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/230192/2021)

#### **Resolution 26/15:**

The project proposal requesting EC for mining of ordinary earth from “**Jia Bharali River MPA No.4 for Ordinary Earth**” under Sonitpur East Division proposed by M/S MKCIL-RSM (JV) is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Apprised the proposal and documents furnished by the proponent have been scrutinized. Detailed discussion is also held. After detailed discussion the committee opined that the location of the mine area in the mine plan in both the proposed map of earth mining and sketch map (*area No. 4*) does not match. Clarification is required on the above discussed points and required to reupload the corrected maps for reconsideration of the proposal.

#### **Agenda item- 2.**

- 15) Proposal of EC for the “**Jia Bharali River MPA No.1 for Ordinary Earth**” under Sonitpur East Division proposed by M/S MKCIL-RSM(JV). SEIAA.1858/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/230190/2021)

#### **Resolution 26/16:**

The project proposal requesting EC for mining of ordinary earth from “**Jia Bharali River MPA No.1 for Ordinary Earth**” under Sonitpur East Division proposed by M/S MKCIL-RSM (JV) is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Apprised the proposal and documents furnished by the proponent have been scrutinized. Detailed discussion is also held. After detailed discussion the committee opined that the location of the mine area in the mine plan in both the proposed map of earth mining and sketch map (*area No. 1*) does not match. Clarification is required on the above discussed points and required to reupload the corrected maps for reconsideration of the proposal.



**Agenda item- 2.**

- 16) Proposal of EC for mining of Ordinary Earth from “Gohain Gaon Ordinary Earth MPA under Sivasagar Forest Division proposed by Sri Bogadhar Pator. SEIAA.1552/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/187372/2020).**

**Resolution 26/17:**

The proposal asking EC for mining of ordinary earth from “**Gohain Gaon Ordinary Earth MPA**” under Sivasagar Forest Division proposed by Sri Bogadhar is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Apprised the proposal and thorough scrutiny of the documents submitted along with the proposal is made. It is observed that though the copy of the JVR has been furnished but neither the date of joint verification nor the signatory authorities put the dates therein.

The proponent is required to furnish/reupload a fresh JVR issued by the competent authority with proper seal and signature of the issuing authority for reconsideration of the project proposal.

**Agenda item- 2.**

- 17) Proposal of EC for mining of Stone from “Gumrah Stone Minor Mineral Unit No. 2” under Karimganj Forest Division proposed by Rafique Ahmed. (SEIAA.955/2019), (SIA/AS/MIN/62644/2020)**

**Resolution 26/18:**

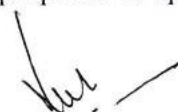
The project proposal asking EC for mining of stone from “**Gumrah Stone Minor Mineral Unit No. 2**” under Karimganj Forest Division proposed by Rafique Ahmed is placed before the SEAC for scrutiny and deliberation. The proponent has already submitted final EIA report and he was requested to furnish certain additional documents as per discussion held in the SEAC meeting on 7<sup>th</sup> Aug.2021. Accordingly, the proponent has submitted reply on 23<sup>rd</sup> Sept.21 enclosing eight nos. of annexures. The required annexures are submitted in black & white form which are difficult to read. The committee is required the same annexures (maps & photos) in colored form with high resolutions enabling to read properly and to assess the proposal. The proponent is requested to address the above point by reuploading the same at the earliest for reconsideration.

**Agenda item- 2.**

- 18) Proposal of EC for collection of Brick Earth from “No.2 Chakali Gaon Brick Earth MPA” under Dibrugarh Forest Division proposed by M/S RBF Brick Field (Raju Rai). SEIAA.1847/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/224913/2021)**

**Resolution 26/19:**

The proposal asking EC for extraction of brick earth from “**No.2 Chakali Gaon Brick Earth MPA**” under Dibrugarh Forest Division proposed by Sri Raju Rai, Proprietor M/S RBF Brick Field is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. The proposal is apprised and due





scrutiny of the documents are made. The committee after discussion recommended the proposal approving to *extract 1500 cu.m brick earth from the proposed site within two years subject to the condition that the mining depth is approved up to 2 mt. (two meters) and five meters mining restricted zone should be maintained along the adjacent road that runs between point No. 1 & 2 of the proposed site.* The proponent is allowed to *extract 750 cu.m brick earth from the proposed site annually* strictly following all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Dibrugarh Forest Division is requested to ensure due surveillance to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. He will also ensure that mining is permitted at the approved site only and not beyond the limit of the approved location. Further, the DFO will also ensure due compliance of all the terms and conditions laid down herein by the proponent.

**Agenda item- 2.**

- 19) Proposal for EC for Collection of River bed stone from “DBR/ 05/ Dilliriver/ Dillighat (Stone) MPA under Dibrugarh Division proposed by Sri Biswajit Chutia. SEIAA.1357/2020, (SIA/AS/MIN/164624/2020)**

**Resolution 26/20:**

The project proposal asking EC for mining of river bed stone from “**DBR/ 05/ Dilliriver/ Dillighat (Stone) MPA**” under Dibrugarh Division proposed by Sri Biswajit Chutia is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Apprised the proposal and thorough scrutiny of the documents are made. Detailed discussion is also held. After thorough discussion and considering the approved mining plan, the committee recommended the proposal approving to *extract 3000 cu.m river bed stone from the proposed site within two years subject to the condition that the river bank must not be affected due to mining activities. Further, mining is allowed leaving at least 10 mts. (ten meters) distance from the nearest unmined high bank of the river.* It is also approved to *extract 1500 cu.m. river bed stone per year* from the approved site strictly following all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Dibrugarh Forest Division is requested to ensure due surveillance to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. He will also ensure that mining is permitted at the approved site only and not beyond the limit of the same. Further, the DFO will also ensure due compliance of all the terms and conditions laid down herein by the proponent.

**Agenda item- 2.**

- 20) Proposal for EC for brick earth from “Sahari Brick Earth Permit Area” under Nagaon Forest Division proposed by M/S SBF Bricks. SEIAA.1739/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/174468/2020)**

**Resolution 26/21:**

The project proposal asking EC for mining of brick earth from “**Sahari Brick Earth Permit Area**” under Nagaon Forest Division proposed by Sri Jaychand Agarwala, Proprietor, M/S SBF Bricks is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Scrutinized the documents including



the approved mining plan and reply of EDS submitted by the proponent. The proposed site is under active cultivation area as indicated in the site map submitted by the proponent, and even recent sign of cultivation is noticed. The land records speak that proposed site is agriculture land.

The committee require proper non agriculture land certificate issued by the competent authority for reconsideration of the proposal.

**Agenda item- 2.**

- 21) Proposal of EC for mining of brick earth from “Malipathar Gaon Brick Earth Quarry under Dibrugarh Forest Division proposed by Sri Sarat Sarma, Proprietor M/s Sarma Brick Field. SEIAA.1243/2020, (SIA/AS/MIN/140062/2020)**

**Resolution 26/22:**

The proposal asking EC for mining of brick earth from “**Malipathar Gaon Brick Earth Quarry**” under Dibrugarh Forest Division proposed by Sri Sarat Sarma, Proprietor M/s Sarma Brick Field is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Due scrutiny of the document furnished by the proponent is done. Detail discussion is also held. Considering the approved mining plan as well as recommendation of the concerned DFO, the committee recommended the proposal approving to excavate *10232 cu.m brick earth from the proposed site within a period of two years subject to the condition that the mining depth is allowed up to two mts. (2 meters) from the unmined surface.* The proponent is allowed to *extract 5116 cu.m brick earth from the approved location annually* strictly following all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Dibrugarh Forest Division is requested to ensure due surveillance to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. He will also ensure that mining is permitted at the approved site only and not beyond the limit of the same. Further, the DFO will also ensure due compliance of all the terms and conditions laid down herein follows by the proponent.

**Agenda item- 2.**

- 22. Proposal of EC for mining of Brick Earth from “BMB Bricks Industry MPA” under Sivasagar Forest Division proposed by Sri Apurba Gogoi, Proprietor M/S BMB Bricks Industry. SEIAA.1731/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/194720/2021)**

**Resolution 26/23:**

The proposal asking EC for extraction of brick earth from “**BMB Bricks Industry MPA**” under Sivasagar Forest Division proposed by Sri Apurba Gogoi, Proprietor M/S BMB Bricks Industry is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Appraised the proposal and scrutinized the documents furnished by the proponent in support of the proposal. Detailed deliberation is held. While scrutinizing the records, it is seen that there are four nos. of ‘*pattadars*’ mentioned in the JVR whereas land deed signed by two of them. The proponent has to clarify the matter stated above. On the other hand, the date of signing the land agreement and its validity is not mentioned therein.

The committee is required a proper and fresh land agreement along with clarification on the above discussion for reconsideration of the project proposal.





**Agenda item- 2.**

- 23. Proposal of EC for mining of Stone from “Tapatjuri Stone Mahal No.1” under Nagaon Forest Division proposed by Sri Jayanta Kr Laskar. SEIAA.1351/2020, (SIA/AS/MIN/231231/2021)**

**Resolution 26/24:**

The project proposal asking EC for mining of stone from “Tapatjuri Stone Mahal No.1” under Nagaon Forest Division proposed by Sri Jayanta Kr Laskar is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail deliberation. The document furnished along with the proposal is scrutinized. Reply submitted by the proponent on the EDS raised therein are also seen. Detailed discussion is held on the proposal. After thorough discussion the committee resolved to ask the following additional documents for reconsideration of the project proposal.

- The location position on the toposheet and on the base map are different.
- The satellite image of the area is not submitted.
- The stockyard for the stone – boulders is not shown.
- Over burden stocking area is not indicated.

Further, the mining plan for this particular project is approved for five years w.e.f. 11<sup>th</sup> July 2017 and its validity will expire by July, 2022.

The proponent is requested to furnish the said additional information along with fresh mining plan with due validity for reconsideration of the project proposal.

**Agenda item- 2.**

- 24. Proposal of EC for extraction of Ordinary Earth from “Natun Basti Village Patta Land Ordinary Earth MPA” under Goalpara Forest Division proposed by Md Wazed Ali. SEIAA.1670/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/197684/2021)**

**Resolution 26/25:**

The project proposal asking EC for extraction of ordinary earth from “Natun Basti Village Patta Land Ordinary Earth MPA” under Goalpara Forest Division proposed by Md Wazed Ali is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Apprised the proposal and necessary scrutiny of the documents are made. Detailed discussion is held. After discussion the committee recommended the proposal approving to *extract 6506 cu.m ordinary earth from the proposed site within two years subject to the condition that the mining depth is allowed 2 mts. (two meters) from the unmined surface.* The *annual operational quantity of ordinary earth is approved 3253 cu.m.* strictly following all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Goalpara Forest Division is requested to ensure due surveillance to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. He will also ensure that mining is permitted at the approved site only and not beyond the limit of the same. Further, the DFO will also ensure due compliance of all the terms and conditions laid down herein follows by the proponent.



**Agenda item- 2.**

- 25. Proposal of EC for collection of Ordinary Earth from “Krishnanagar Patta land ordinary earth MPA” under Karimganj Forest Division proposed by Md.Chandai Mia. SEIAA.1431/2020, (SIA/AS/MIN/175258/2020)**

**Resolution 26/26:**

The proposal asking for mining of ordinary earth from **Krishnanagar Patta land ordinary earth MPA**” under Karimganj Forest Division proposed by Md.Chandai Mia is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and discussion. Apprised the proposal and necessary documents are scrutinized including the reply of EDS submitted by the proponent and approved mining plan. Detailed discussion is held. The committee after necessary discussion recommended the proposal approving to *extract 16600 cu.m ordinary earth from the proposed site within two years*. The proponent is allowed to *extract 8300 cu.m ordinary earth annually* strictly following all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Karimganj Division will ensure due surveillance on the mining operation to avoid occurrence of irregularities. He will also ensure that the boundary of the proposed site is marked with pillars as per GPS coordinates before actual mining operation and mining is strictly allowed not beyond within limit of the proposed site.

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- 26. Proposal of EC for collection of ordinary earth from “Patta Land Ordinary Earth MPA at Korebari Village” under Aie Valley Division proposed by M/s Niraj Babul Nath. SEIAA.1773/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/200645/2021)**

**Resolution 26/27:**

The proposal asking EC for mining of ordinary earth from **“Patta Land Ordinary Earth MPA at Korebari Village”** under Aie Valley Division proposed by M/s Niraj Babul Nath is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Apprised the proposal and scrutinized the documents submitted by the proponent including reply of EDS as well as approved mining plan. Detailed discussion is held. Considering the approved mining plan and recommendation of the DFO, the committee recommended the proposal approving to *extract 44768 cu.m ordinary earth form the proposed site in two years subject to the condition that the mining depth should not exceed 2 mts. (two meters) from the unmined surface. Annually the proponent is allowed to extract 22384 cu.m ordinary earth* strictly following all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Aie Valley Division will ensure due surveillance on the mining operation to avoid occurrence of irregularities. He will also ensure that the boundary of the proposed site is marked with pillars as per GPS coordinates before actual mining operation and mining is strictly allowed within limit of the proposed site.





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- 27. Proposal of EC for mining of Brick Earth from “No.1 Noloni Doloni Brick Earth” under Dibrugarh Forest Division proposed by Sri Sunit Gohain, Proprietor M/s S.G. Brick Field. 1213/2020, (SIA/AS/MIN/132560/2019)**

**Resolution 26/28:**

The project proposal asking EC for mining of brick earth from “**No.1 Noloni Doloni Brick Earth**” under Dibrugarh Forest Division proposed by Sri Sunit Gohain, Proprietor M/s S.G. Brick Field is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and discussion. Apprised the proposal and scrutinized the required documents. The report of the concerned DFO and the approved mining plan duly consulted. After due discussion the committee recommended the proposal approving to *extract 21850 cu.m. brick earth from the proposed location within two years subject to the condition that the mining depth is approved up to 2mts. (2 meters) from the unmined surface. Thus, annual minable quantity of brick earth is approved 10925 cu.m. strictly following all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan*

The Divisional Forest Officer, Dibrugarh Division will ensure due surveillance on the mining operation to avoid occurrence of irregularities. He will also ensure that the boundary of the proposed site is marked with pillars as per GPS coordinates before allowing actual mining operation and mining is allowed strictly within limit of the proposed site.

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- 28. Proposal for transfer of EC for mining of Sand & Gravel of “Ranganadi Sand and Gravel MCA under Lakhimpur Forest Division proposed by Sri Jiten Kalita which was earlier granted in favor of Sri Pappu Pegu. SEIAA.1278/2020, (SIA/AS/MIN/230069/2021).**

**Resolution 26/29:**

The proposal requesting transfer of EC dated 30-09-2020 granted in favor of Sri Pappu Pegu against mining of sand & gravel from **Ranganadi sand and gravel MCA** under Lakhimpur Forest Division is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and discussion. Apprised the proposal. Proposal is discussed in details. It is revealed that the competent authority in the Forest Department, Assam has already approved transfer of the said EC in the name of Sri Jiten Kalia under the provision of Rule 12 of the AMMC Rules, 2013. Considering the approval of the Forest Department, Assam and as recommended by the DFO, Lakhimpur Division, the committee recommended to transfer the EC in the name of Sri Jiten Kalita.

The terms and condition of the EC will remain unchanged. Similarly, the quantity sand & gravel granted therein and validity of the EC will also remain unchanged.



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**29. Proposal of EC for mining of river bed Stone from “DBR/01/Dilliriver/Stone MPA at Dillighat of Dilli River near Namrup” under Dibrugarh Division proposed by Smt. Bhagyashree Chutia. SEIAA.1748/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/187157/2020)**

**Resolution 26/30:**

The proposal asking EC for mining of river bed stone from “DBR/01/Dilliriver/Stone MPA at Dillighat of Dilli River near Namrup” under Dibrugarh Division proposed by Smt. Bhagyashree Chutia is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and discussion. The proposal is appraised and necessary scrutiny of the documents is done. The recommendation of the DFO Dibrugarh, approval of the department and approved mining plan is discussed. The committee after thorough discussion recommended the proposal approving to *extract 14000 cu.m river bed stone from the proposed mining site within two years*. It is also approved to *extract 7000 cu.m stone annually* from the proposed mining site at Dillighat of river Dilli. The proponent shall have to strictly follow all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Dibrugarh Division will ensure due surveillance on the mining operation to avoid occurrence of irregularities. He will also ensure that the boundary of the proposed site is marked on ground as per GPS coordinates before allowing actual mining operation and mining is allowed strictly within limit of the proposed site.

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**30. Proposal for extension of EC for mining of Sand & Stone from “NKD-B-10 Bardanga MCA” under North Kamrup Division proposed by Aliful Ahmed. SEIAA. 1849/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/222446/2021)**

**Resolution 26/31:**

The proposal for extension of EC for mining of sand and stone from “NKD-B-10 Bardanga MCA” under North Kamrup Division proposed by Aliful Ahmed is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and discussion. Scrutinized the documents. Recommendation of the DFO, N K Division and the fresh approved mining plan furnished by the proponent is discussed. The committee after detailed discussion recommended the proposal extending validity of the *EC for a period of two and half years (i.e.,30 months) for extracting 4500 cu.m sand and 1125 cu.m. stone from the approved mining site*. Thus, *annually the proponent is allowed to extract 1800 cu.m sand and 450 cu.m stone* from the approved location strictly following all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, North Kamrup Division will ensure due surveillance on the mining operation to avoid occurrence of irregularities. He is also requested to ensure that due compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC strictly follows by the proponent during the mining period.





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**31. Proposal for modification of EC for collection of Sand from “KW/5/Chhaygaon River MCA No.1 under Kamrup West Division proposed by the DFO Kamrup West Division. SEIAA. 825/2016, (SIA/AS/MIN/233366/2021)**

### **Resolution 26/32:**

The proposal asking for modification of EC for mining of sand from “KW/5/Chhaygaon River MCA No.1” under Kamrup West Division proposed by the Divisional Forest Officer, Kamrup West Division is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and discussion. On scrutiny of the records, it is revealed that EC dt.25-08-2017 has already been granted for five years in the name of Sri Dipak Rave for extraction of sand @ 5000 cu.m. per year from the MCA in question. Now, the DFO, KW Division requires 14500 cu.m sand from the reserve quantity of the said MCA to meet the urgent demand of the Govt. Deptt. The committee after detail discussion and considering the approval of the CCF (T) CAC, Assam, indents of the different Govt. Deptt as well as NOC issued by the existing proponent (mahaldar), recommended the proposal approving *issuance of EC with validity up to 8<sup>th</sup> Oct/ 2022 in favour of the Divisional Forest Officer, Kamrup West Division to extract 14500 cu.m sand from the MCA in question.*

The DFO, Kamrup West Division will ensure strict compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan. Further, the DFO will ensure that the mining material is strictly and exclusively utilized for Govt works only as per indent received from the Govt. development Department. The DFO is also requested to see that the mining works of the other proponent is not get disturbed. In this respect the Govt. notification No. PEM.82/2018/31 dt. 26<sup>th</sup> Oct, 2018 may please be referred.

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**32. Proposal for extension of EC for mining of sand from “4.0 Ha Kanaighat Sand Mahal 2/4 on lease Near Na –Pathar under Numuligarh”, District- Golaghat proposed by M/S Numuligarh Refinarry Ltd. SEIAA.1049/2019, (SIA/AS/MIN/207255/2021)**

### **Resolution 26/33:**

The proposal for extension of EC requested by M/S Numuligarh Refinarry Ltd for mining of sand from “4.0 Ha Kanaighat Sand Mahal 2/4 on lease Near Na –Pathar under Numuligarh” is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and discussion. Apprised the proposal and necessary scrutiny of the records/maps etc. are done. Detailed discussion is also held. The committee after detailed deliberation resolved to seek clarification on the following points for reconsideration of the project proposal.

- How benching will be done in a river with flowing water?
- The average width of the river is 42 m. and, if one-third width from both the bank has to be left only 15 m. of mid channel will be left out for mining. As such a detail map in large scale delineating the mine boundary should be shown.
- The mining in the area and its impact on the adjacent ox-bow lake should be indicated.



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- 33. Proposal for extension of EC for mining of Stone from “Mairapur P.P land Stone Permit Area” under Kamrup East Division proposed by Sri Pradip Boro. SEIAA.1863/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/231170/2021)**

**Resolution 26/34:**

The proposal asking extension of EC for mining of Stone from **“Mairapur P.P land Stone Permit Area”** under Kamrup East Division proposed by Sri Pradip Boro is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and discussion. Apprised the proposal and verification of the documents is made. Detailed discussion is held on the proposal. After detailed discussion and considering the approved mining plan and recommendation of the concerned DFO, the committee recommended approving the *extension of the EC for 1(one) year to extract balance 7779 cu.m. stone* from the proposed mining site. The proponent shall have to strictly follow all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Kamrup East Division will ensure due surveillance to check occurrences of irregularities during the mining operation. He will also ensure that the mining be permitted in the proposed site only and compliance of the terms and condition contained therein is done by the proponent.

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- 34. Proposal extension of EC for mining of Stone & Earth from “Maragdola Stone MPA (Tunnel No.3) under Kamrup East Division proposed by Bhartia Infra Projects Ltd. SEIAA.1854/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/232208/2021)**

**Resolution 26/35:**

The proposal asking extension of EC from mining of stone and earth from **“Maragdola Stone MPA (Tunnel No.3)”** under Kamrup East Division proposed by Bhartia Infra Projects Ltd. is placed before the SAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Apprised the proposal and documents including the earlier EC dt. 26-9-2018 and approved mining plan is discussed. It is seen that the mining is required for construction of tunnel on the Railway track which is in progress. Considering all the relevant records and recommendation of the concerned DFO, the committee recommended the extension proposal to *extract 50000 cu. stone and 235000 cu.m earth from the proposed location within two years. Thus, annually the proponent is allowed to extract 25000 cu. m stone and 117500 cu. earth* from the mine site strictly following all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Kamrup East Division is requested to mount strict surveillance on the mining operation to check occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. He will further ensure that all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan are duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.





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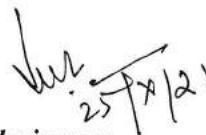
**35. Proposal for extension of EC for mining of Sand Gravel & Boulder from “Kanamakra S/G & Boulder River Mahal” under Chirang Division proposed by Samlai Narzary. SEIAA.1864/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/201189/2021)**

**Resolution 26/36:**

The proposal asking for extension of EC for mining of sand, gravel and boulder from “Kanamakra S/G & Boulder River Mahal” under Chirang Division proposed by Sri Samlai Narzary is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and discussion. Records are scrutinized. The EC dt. 21-08-2015 issued earlier, approved mining plan and recommendation the concerned DFO are discussed. The committee after detail discussion, recommended the proposal approving to extend the *validity of EC up to 20-08-2022 for extraction of 4000 cu.m gravel; 3000 cu.m sand and 3000 cu.m boulder* from the approved mining site. The proponent shall have to strictly follow all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Chirang Forest Division is requested to mount strict surveillance on the mining operation to check occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. He will further ensure that all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan are duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

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

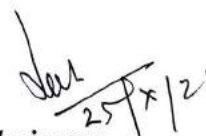
  
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