

SHUBHANGI AMOL NAGPURE

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To

The Member Secretary (Non-Coal Mining)

IA Division, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change

Indira Paryavaran Bhawan,

Jorbagh Road, Aliganj,

New Delhi-110003.

Sub: Reply of information sought through EDS generated online on 02.04.2020 for the project of Bhilapar Manganese Ore Mine over an area of 19.259 ha of Smt. Shubhangi Amol Nagpure located at Village Bhilapar, Tehsil-Sausar, District- Chhindwara, Madhya Pradesh.

References:- 1. **Proposal No. IA/MP/MIN/77234/2018**

- 2. EDS generated online on **02.04.2020**

Dear Sir,

With reference to the above-mentioned proposal, we are hereby submitting the reply of the information sought through the EDS generated on **02.04.2020** in **Bhilapar Manganese Ore Mine over an area of 19.259 ha of Smt. Shubhangi Amol Nagpure.**

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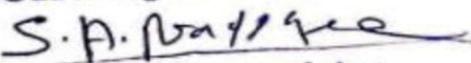
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S.No.	EDS dated 02.04.2020	Reply
1	To submit approved copy of mining plan	Approved copy of the mining plan has been uploaded as Annexure 2 of the EIA report.
2	To submit time bound action plan for issues raised during the public hearing along with budget provision and activities of CER related to the issues raised during the PH	Time bound action plan for the issues raised during the public hearing along with budget provision and activities of CER related to the PH issues is given at Annexure -I.

In view of details submitted as per EDS requirement, we are requesting you to kindly consider our case in the next EAC Committee meeting.

Thanking You

Yours faithfully

Subhangi A. Nagpure

Proprietor

Enclosure: As above

**ANNEXURE 1- TIME BOUND ACTION PLAN FOR THE ISSUES
RAISED DURING THE PUBLIC HEARING**

S.No	Name & Address	Questions asked/Comments/Objections from the Public	Reply and Commitment/Action Plan made by Project Proponent	Time bound action plan
1	Shiv Kumar Birkhare Bhilapar, Tehsil- sausar, Distt: Chhindwara	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Regular sprinkling of water must be done to control dust to be generated due to the movement of vehicles. 2. Water discharged from mine should be available for nearby agricultural land. 3. Proper maintenance of the road should be done. 4. More trees should be planted whenever trees are cut down. 5. Mining operations which generate noise are done during only day time. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Provision of regular water sprinkling by means of water tankers has been made in the EIA/EMP report. This will be implemented. 2. Agreed 3. Agreed 4. There are mainly bushes within the lease area. However, in case any tree will be required to be removed in future, it will be done as per rules with due permission from the concerned authorities and additional trees will be planted. 5. Agreed 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Provision of water tanker with sprinkler having a capacity of 5000 L has already been provided in the total project cost (Rs 125 Lakh). As soon as the mining commences the water tanker will be deployed at the mine. 2. For collecting the rainwater two sedimentation pits have been proposed in the lease area. Rainwater after sedimentation of solids will be made available to the farmers and also used for dust suppression. An amount of Rs 25 Lakhs as capital and Rs 5 Lakhs/annum as recurring amount have been provided for storage, construction of sedimentation pit, garland drains and sprinkling. Please refer to chapter 10 of the EIA report. 3. A recurring amount of Rs 3 Lakh/annum has been provided for Maintenance of Haul Road and Village road. The

				village road will be repaired within 3 months after commencement of mining activity.
2	Mr. Shirpat Narate, S/o Shri Baji Rao Narate, Sarpanch Gram Panchayat, Baragarh, Tehsil- Sausar, Distt: Chhindwara	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. He has no objection to mining. 2. Employment should be given priority to our Panchayat areas. 3. Management should maintain the roads to be used for transportation. 4. Project Proponent should clarify the assistance to be given to the school, water supply, health camps etc from time to time. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Thanks for the support. 2. Management agreed to give employment on priority to the local person within the Panchayat area. 3. Maintenance of village road on which mine trucks will ply, will be regularly done by the Project Proponent from time to time. 4. Management agreed to give assistance to the school, water supply, health camp, etc to the locals as per OM dated 01.05.2018 of MoEF&CC. Necessary budget for this will be provided in the final EIA report. Accordingly, Rs 4.85 Lakhs have been provided under the CER for above mentioned activities. In addition Rs 3 Lakhs per annum has been provided towards road maintenance in the EMP. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. A total of 40 people are likely to be directly employed in the mine. PP commits to employ about 80% of local persons. Besides, indirect employment in the transportation and auxiliary services will mostly be given to locals. This has also been incorporated in the EIA report. 3. A recurring amount of Rs 3 Lakh/annum has been provided for Maintenance of Haul Road and Village road. The village road will be repaired within 3 months after commencement of mining activity. 4. An amount of Rs 3.85 Lakh have been provided in the CER towards assistance to school, sanitation & health camp, and water supply. The amount on CER will be spent within 5 years.
3	Shri Damodar Mohade, S/o Jagannath Mohade, Vill. Mengareli, P.O Savrani, Tehsil Sausar, District	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. He objected that due to blasting, dust will be generated and there may be harm to birds and to animals grazing in the forest area. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Blasting will be done only in the day time as per rules laid down by DGMS and directions given from time to time with full precaution to avoid any loss to humans as well as birds 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. For controlling the dust provision of water tanker with sprinkler having a capacity of 5000 L has already been provided in the total project cost (Rs 125 Lakh). As soon as

	Chhindwara	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. Cultivable land may be affected. 3. Forest land and agricultural land are adjacent to the lease area hence there may be adverse impact on the environment and water sources. Hence Environment Clearance shall not be given. 	<p>and animals. Sprinkling will be done to suppress the dust.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. Mining will be carried out within the lease area only as per approved mine plan and as per provisions of environmental clearance. There will be no loss to other agriculture field on account of mining within the leasehold area. 3. The State Government has reduced the lease area from 21.935 ha to 19.259 ha after deleting the adjacent area to the forest. Mining will be confined only to the mining lease area granted to the lessee. Mining will not intersect the water table and rainwater collected in the settling pit will be utilized for sprinkling and also given to locals for farming after sedimentation. 	<p>the mining commences the water tanker will be deployed at the mine.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2.
4	Nikil Nanshewar Ledge, Village Bairagad, P.O. Savrani, Tehsil: Sausar, Distt: Chhindwara	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. He pointed out that due to blasting there may be damage to forest animals and birds. 2. Cultivable land may be destroyed. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Blasting will be done only in the day time as per rules laid down by DGMS and directions given from time to time with full precaution to avoid any loss to humans as well as birds and animals. 2. Mining will be carried out within the lease area only as per approved mine plan and as per provisions of environmental clearance. There will be no loss to other agriculture fields on 	

			account of mining within the leasehold area.	
5	Shri Maroti Pathari Pawankar Vill: Bhilapar, P.O. Savrani, Tehsil: Sausar, Distt: Chhindwara	He requested employment.	Thanks for the support. Priority in employment will be given to locals in the mining and transportation as per their skills. The proposed project will provide direct employment to about 40 workers. Besides there will be indirect employment for transportation, canteen, repair shop, security etc	A total of 40 people are likely to be directly employed in the mine. PP commits to employ about 80% of local persons. Besides, indirect employment in the transportation and auxiliary services will mostly be given to locals. The employment to the locals will be given as soon as the mining activity commences. This has also been incorporated in the EIA report.
6	Shri Dileep Girghuse Vill: Bhilapar, Tehsil: Sausar, Distt: Chhindwara	He said he has no objection with mine. He wants employment.	Thanks for the support. Priority in employment will be given to locals in the mining and transportation as per their skills. As mentioned at point no. 5, the employment to the locals will be provided on priority.	A total of 40 people are likely to be directly employed in the mine. PP commits to employ about 80% of local persons. Besides, indirect employment in the transportation and auxiliary services will mostly be given to locals. The employment to the locals will be given as soon as the mining activity commences. This has also been incorporated in the EIA report.
7	Shri Dhanraj Jaanbani Raut, S/o Shri Jaanbani Raut, Vill: Bhilapar, Tehsil: Sausar,	He asked for employment	Thanks for the support. Priority in employment will be given to locals in the mining and transportation as per their skills.	A total of 40 people are likely to be directly employed in the mine. PP commits to employ about 80% of local persons. Besides, indirect employment in

	Distt: Chhindwara, M.P.		As mentioned at point no. 5, the employment to the locals will be provided on priority.	the transportation and auxiliary services will mostly be given to locals. The employment to the locals will be given as soon as the mining activity commences. This has also been incorporated in the EIA report.
8	Shri Shankar Lakshman ji Bagde S/o Shri Lakshman Ji Bagde Vill: Bhilapar, P.O.- Savrani, Tehsil- Sausar, Distt: Chhindwara, Madhya Pradesh	He said he has no objection with mine. He asked for employment.	Thanks for the support. Priority in employment will be given to locals in the mining and transportation as per their skills. As mentioned at point no. 5, the employment to the locals will be provided on priority.	A total of 40 people are likely to be directly employed in the mine. PP commits to employ about 80% of local persons. Besides, indirect employment in the transportation and auxiliary services will mostly be given to locals. The employment to the locals will be given as soon as the mining activity commences. This has also been incorporated in the EIA report.
9	Shri Ravindra Bagde Nanaji Bagre S/o Shri Nanaji Bagde Vill: Bhilapar, PO- Savrani, tehsil: Sausar, Distt: Chhindwara	They said that they have no objection.	Thanks for the support. Priority in employment will be given to locals in the mining and transportation as per their skills. As mentioned at point no. 5, the employment to the locals will be provided on priority.	
10	Shri Bhomraj, S/o Manikrao Vaasnik Vill: Bairagarh,	He said that they have no objection from their side and they want employment.	Thanks for the support. Priority in employment will be given to locals in the mining and transportation as per their skills.	A total of 40 people are likely to be directly employed in the mine. PP commits to employ about 80% of local

	P.O.- Savrani, Tehsil - Sausar, Distt: Chhindwara		As mentioned at point no. 5, the employment to the locals will be provided on priority.	persons. Besides, indirect employment in the transportation and auxiliary services will mostly be given to locals. The employment to the locals will be given as soon as the mining activity commences. This has also been incorporated in the EIA report.
11	Shri Sheshrao Shravan Ji Pawankar S/o Shri Shravan Ji Pawankar Vill: Bhilapar, Tehsil- Sausar, Distt: Chhindwara (M.P.)	They want employment.	Thanks for the support. Priority in employment will be given to locals in the mining and transportation as per their skills. As mentioned at point no. 5, the employment to the locals will be provided on priority.	A total of 40 people are likely to be directly employed in the mine. PP commits to employ about 80% of local persons. Besides, indirect employment in the transportation and auxiliary services will mostly be given to locals. The employment to the locals will be given as soon as the mining activity commences. This has also been incorporated in the EIA report.
12	Shri Kisna Chirkut Girghuse S/o Shri Chirkut Girghuse Vill: Bhilapar, PO- Savrani, Tehsil: Sausar, Distt: Chhindwara (M.P.)	They want employment	Thanks for the support. Priority in employment will be given to locals in the mining and transportation as per their skills. As mentioned at point no. 5, the employment to the locals will be provided on priority.	A total of 40 people are likely to be directly employed in the mine. PP commits to employ about 80% of local persons. Besides, indirect employment in the transportation and auxiliary services will mostly be given to locals. The employment to the locals will be given as soon as the mining activity commences. This has also been

				incorporated in the EIA report.
13	<p>Shri Vishal Chaure, S/o Shri Nanaji Bittal rao Chaure</p> <p>Vill: Bhilapar, PO- Savrani, Tehsil- Sausar, Distt: Chhindwara</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. He wanted to know as to how the likely damage to the environment by the mining will be compensated? 2. He further wanted to know the likely damage to the flora and fauna and compensation to such damage. vegetation 3. What is the provision for the employment to local peoples 4. Employment benefits in the transportation work to the local people. 5. Employment benefit to local unskilled, Skilled and Technical persons. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. As per Terms of Reference granted by MoEF&CC on 19.11.2018, baseline study of all environmental parameters have been carried out and EIA report with EMP has been prepared which contains all the precautions, mitigative measures to be undertaken due to mining which will be carried out as per approved mine plan. It will be ensured and regular monitoring will be done so that there is no damage to the environment. 2. Same as above 3., 4. and 5: Priority in Employment will be given to local people as per their skill in the mining as well as in the transportation. <p>Wildlife conservation plan has been prepared and submitted for approval to conserve the schedule I species. Rs 8 Lakhs has been proposed to conserve the species.</p> <p>Regarding employment as mentioned at point no. 5, the employment to the locals will be provided on priority.</p> <p>For implementation of Environment</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. In the EIA report, the likely adverse impact due to mining has been assessed and mitigation measures have been suggested which will be duly implemented. For implementation of various measures including monitoring. A capital amount of Rs 36 Lakh and recurring amount of Rs 22.37 Lakh/ annum have been provided for dust suppression, sedimentation pit, plantation, pollution monitoring, occupational health etc. These measures will be implemented immediately after obtaining all the approvals from various authorities for commencing the mining activity. 2. Wildlife conservation plan has been prepared and submitted for approval to conserve the schedule I species. Rs 8 Lakhs has been proposed to conserve the species. 3,4 and 5. A total of 40 people are likely to be directly employed in the mine. PP commits to employ about 80% of

			<p>Management Plan, Rs 36 Lakhs under capital cost and Rs 21.8 Lakhs under recurring cost have been provided which includes cost on regular monitoring also.</p>	<p>local persons. Besides, indirect employment in the transportation and auxiliary services will mostly be given to locals. The employment to the locals will be given as soon as the mining activity commences. This has also been incorporated in the EIA report.</p>
14	<p>Shri Wahid Qureshi, Father- Shri Hamid Qureshi, Ward no. 10, Madina Masjid Colony, Sausar, Distt: Chhindwara, Madhya Pradesh</p>	<p>1. He pointed out that there will be loss to forest including flora and fauna due to mining for manganese ore in Khasra No 68, 69, 70, 71/1, 71/2, 74/4, 75, 76, 80 86 having lease area of 19.259 ha. which is adjacent to forest land. Pollution due to mining will also cause adverse impact on the agricultural land and livelihood of habitats.</p> <p>2. He further pointed out that due to blasting in the mining lease area there will be an adverse impact on the water table and also to the environment. There will also be an adverse effect on the nearest agricultural land including labours and animals of that area. He pointed</p>	<p>1. The issues raised by the applicant were already taken into consideration by the concerned Government Department and thus in view of the same, the original lease area (sanctioned vide letter no F-3/38/2004/12/2 dated 09.06.2008) was reduced from 21.935 ha to 19.259 ha by maintaining safe distance of 250 m from the forest boundaries. Thus, mining activities as per the approved mining plan and as per conditions of Environmental clearance will be carried out only in the sanctioned area of 19.259 ha without causing any adverse effect on the environment.</p> <p>2. Blasting will be done in the day time only as per rules laid down by DGMS and controller of explosive. This will avoid any loss to agricultural land, animals and</p>	<p>In the EIA report, the likely adverse impact due to mining has been assessed and mitigation measures have been suggested which will be duly implemented. For implementation of various measures including monitoring. A capital amount of Rs 36 Lakh and recurring amount of Rs 22.37 Lakh/annum have been provided for dust suppression, sedimentation pit, plantation, pollution monitoring, occupational health etc. These measures will be implemented immediately after obtaining all the approvals from various authorities for commencing the mining activity.</p>

		out that environmental clearance shall not be given to this project.	labours.	
15	Shri Salik Ram Bete Village: Bhilapar, Tehsil: Sarsar, Distt: Chhindwara, Madhya Pradesh	He requested that as per mutual understanding the lessee shall give another piece of land in lieu of NOC given to the lessee for the land which is situated within the lease area.	Smt Shubhangi Amol Nagpure (lessee) informed that Shri Salik Ram Bete has already been allotted 5.5 acres of land for farming which is already being utilized by him. The registration formality of said land will be completed as per rule before the commencement of mining operation.	The registration formality in favour of Salikram Bete will be completed within 6 month after obtaining NOC from District Authorities. He will also be provided priority in Employment.