

Minutes of the 157th meeting of State Environment Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA), Odisha, held on 19.08.16 and 20.08.16 at 11.00 a.m.

The 157th meeting of the SEIAA, Odisha was held under the Chairmanship of Shri S.C Mohanty, Chairman on date 19.08.16 and 20.08.16 in the office chamber of the Chairman, SEIAA, Odisha.

Members Present:

1. Dr. S. P. Das, Member, SEIAA
2. Shri S.K.Sinha, Member Secretary, SEIAA

Discussions were held as per agenda circulated earlier and the following decisions were taken.

1. Letters / Documents received by SEIAA, Odisha.

Sl. No.	Letter no. and proponent name	Issues	Decision of SEIAA, Odisha
1.	A letter no.2274 dated 30.06.16 has been received from Tahasildar Shamakhunta, Dist-Mayurbhanj.	<p>The Tahasildar Samakhunta have asked a clarification to the Collector, Mayurbhanj regarding request by the Divisional Forest Officer-Cum-Wildlife Warden, Baripada to stop operation of five logn term lease quarries of this Tahasil.</p> <p>The proposal was placed in the 156th meeting of SEIAA and the Authority decided to defer it to the next meting.</p>	<p>New fact has been brought to the notice of this Authority by the Tahasildar.</p> <p>A new condition is to be imosed as part of the EC conditions with immediate effect. This EC is subject to the Project proponent obtaining forest wildlife clearance and clearance from the standing committee of NBWL; and EC will take effect only from the date of receipt of the said clearance from NBWL.</p>

2. Consideration of Old Proposals at SEIAA.

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1.	Extension of EC of Raikela Iron Ore Mines over an area 45.932 ha. village Raikela, Tahasil-Koira in the district of Sundargarh of M/s National Enterprises Ltd.	Mining	Sundargarh	<p>The SEAC in its meeting held on 16th May, 2016, recommended for extension of validity period of EC granted to Raikela Iron Ore Mines of M/s National Enterprises Ltd. upto 30 years or life of mine whichever is less.</p> <p>Subsequently the project was placed in the 153rd meeting of SEIAA and it was decided that the half yearly progress report submitted by PP is not specific with detailed facts & figures. PP may be asked to furnish specific compliance of the EC conditions over the last 5 years working.</p> <p>Now the proponent has submitted the information sought by SEIAA.</p>	EC validity extended to 30 years or life of the mine/lease period, whichever is earlier, as recommended by SEAC; subject to condition that OSPCB shall monitor proper compliance with each of the condition. The PP shall submit half yearly compliance report with detailed facts and figures of measured parameters.
2.	Proposal of Katasahi & Kolharudukela Manganese Ore Mine of Sri S.N Paul for enhancement of production capacity of Manganese ore from 3000 TPA to 18000 TPA over an area of 9.7004 ha. at Katasahi and Kolharudukela in the district of Keonjhar.	Mining	Keonjhar	<p>The SEAC in its meeting held on 18th & 19th October, 2011 had recommended for grant of EC in favour of the project proponent for a period of 5 years with certain stipulations. However, EC shall be issued by SEIAA after receipt of Stage I Forest Clearance from the proponent as stipulated in OM No.J-11013/41/2006-IA.II (I) dt.9.09.11 of MoEF, GOI.</p> <p>The proponent submitted FC as required for the project. The proposal was again sent to SEAC for appraisal. The SEAC in its meeting held on 2.05.2016 have recommended the proposal for grant of EC with conditions as stipulated earlier.</p> <p>The proposal was again placed in the 152nd meeting of SEIAA and decided to grant Environmental Clearance in favour of the project.</p>	Let us ascertain from Director of mines, the status of working of this mine during the period of pendency of EC. EC for the entire period of lease or for 30 years whichever is less shall be granted if there is no violation of environmental law. The EC conditions as suggested by SEAC have to be recast to

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				The Hon'ble High Court, Odisha in its judgement dated 24.12.2014 in WP(C) No.25211 of 2013 (MGM Minerals Vrs SEIAA) may be referred. Now clarification is required for grant of EC regarding the validity of EC period.	build in specific timelines for implementation of particular stipulations.

3. 7 (Seven) nos. of new Minor Mineral Projects received by SEIAA from Tahasildar.

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1.	27-Apr-16	01.08.16	11138/1629-NCM/04-2016	Basasankar River Sand Quarry Over An Area Of 12.50 Acres Or 5.05 Ha Located At- Village Basasankar, Tahasil-Tarbha, District -Subarnapur of Sri Sadhu Mahakur	Sand	Subarnapur	Tarbha	Send to SEAC for appraisal.
2.	06-Apr-16	11-Apr-16	9587/1584-NCM/04-2016	Bankapal Sand Quarry Over An Area Of 15.35 acres/6.212 Ha Located At Village-Bankapal,Tahasil-Athmallik,Dist-Angul of M/s Kanchan Enterprises, Rohitaswa Pradhan	Sand	Angul	Athmalik	Send to SEAC for appraisal.
3.	03-May-16	03.08.16	2794/1644-NCM/05-2016	GANDHIPALLI STONE QUARRY over an area of 12.552 Acres or 5.08 ha in village Gandhipalli, Tahasil- Malkangiri in Malkangiri district of Odisha of Sri G. Babu Rao.	Stone	Malkangiri	Malkangiri	Send to SEAC for appraisal.

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4.	18-Jul-16	19-Jul-16	57550/1674-NCM/07-2016	RENGETIPALLI-B STONE QUARRY over an area of 33.716 Acres or 13.645 hectares in village RENGETIPALLI of Kodala Tahasil of Ganjam District of Odisha of Sri Dibakar Pandi.	Stone	Ganjam	Kodala	Send to SEAC for appraisal.
5.	09-May-16	10-May-16	10977/1661-NCM/05-2016	CHILADI RIVER SAND BED Over lease area of 12.429 acres/5.03 ha located at Village- Chiladi, Tahasil- Chikiti, District -Ganjam of Sri Debaraj Panigrahy.	Sand	Ganjam	Chikiti	Send to SEAC for appraisal.
6.	19.07.16	01.08.16	57187/1675-NCM/07-2016	Proposal for Timna Decorative stone Mines over an area of 29.48 acres at village Timna under Bargaon Tahasil in the district of Sundargarh of M/s ARC Resources of Sri Ajit Kumar Rout.	Decorative Stone	Sundargarh	Bargaon	Send to SEAC for appraisal.
7	04-May-16	11.08.16	11348/1648-NCM/05-2016	KUNDAPITHA SAND QUARRY Over lease area of 12.50 acres/5.059 ha located at Village- Kundapitha, Tahasil- Ghatagaon, District- Keonjhar of Mr. SK MD Imran	Sand	Keonjhar	Ghatagaon	Send to SEAC for appraisal.

4. Clarification / Information received by SEIAA from Tahasildar in response to the clarification sought.

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1	14-Apr-16	10.05.16	10701/159 2- NCM/04-2016	Bhagabandhi Sand Quarry Over An Area 13.91 Acres Or 5.63 Ha Located At Village: Bhagabandi , Tahasil-Tiring ,Dist-Mayurbhanj of Sri Jagdish Sahu	Sand	Mayurbhanj	Tiring	The proposal was placed in the 151 st meeting and the SEIAA sought Specific information from Tahasildar Concerned.Item no 9(i) of the Checklist – Name & distance of nearest sanctuary / National Park (distance is to be measured on the Toposheet).Item no 9 (v) of the checklist – Name and distance of nearest other mines and names of the mines if any located within radial distance of 500 meters from the proposed quarry site. Item no. 9 (vii) of the checklist-The distances of the embankment of the river near the proposed lease area, from quarry site. Now the Tahasildar has submitted the clarification.	The proposal be sent to SEAC for appraisal.
2	22-Apr-16	04.05.16	53072/162 5- NCM/04-2016	Rambeda Sand Bed Over An Area Of 13.00 Acres Or 5.26 Ha Located At Village-Rambeda, Tahasil-Tiring, Dist-Mayurbhanj of Sri Narasingh Majhi	Sand	Mayurbhanj	Tiring	The proposal was placed in the 151 st meeting and the SEIAA sought Specific information from Tahasildar Concerned.Item no 9(i) of the Checklist – Name & distance of nearest sanctuary / National Park (distance is to be measured on the Toposheet).Item no 9 (v) of the checklist – Name and distance of nearest other mines and names of the mines if any located within radial	Revised checklist and EMP have to be submitted by PP.

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								distance of 500 meters from the proposed quarry site. Item no. 9 (vii) of the checklist-The distances of the embankment of the river near the proposed lease area, from quarry site. Now the Tahasildar has submitted the clarification.	
3	07-Apr-16	12.0816	52563/156 9- NCM/04-2016	Kesna Sand Quarry Over An Area Of 5.26 Ha In Kesna Village Of Sukruli Tahasil Of Mayurbhanj District, Odisha of Sri Wasim Bari	Sand	Mayurbhanj	Sukruli	<p>The SEIAA in its meeting held on 12.05.16 & 13.05.16 had sought the following information "Tahasildar to certify information on items 9(v), (vii) and 11 of the checklist. Incase, there is other mine within 500 m, (working or proposed), revised proposal treating these mines as a cluster may be submitted. DFO may be requested to intimate if the proposed mine in the ecosensitive zone of the Similipal Sanctuary".</p> <p>Now the Tahasildar has submitted the clarification.</p>	The proposal be sent to SEAC for appraisal.
5	19-Jul-16	02.08.16	16695/11-IND2/07-2016	Submission of final EIA report for installation of 3x300 MT Mounded storage vessels at Khordha LPG Plant, Odisha of Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited	Industry	Khordha	Khordha	<p>The SEAC has asked to the proponent to submit the final EIA/EMP report of the project.</p> <p>Now the proponent has submit the final EIA/EMP report of the project.</p>	Deferred to meeting on 25 th August,2016.

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6	29-Jul-16	12.08.16	16863/12-IND2/07-2016	Submission of final EIA report for proposed expansion of storage Tank MS, capacity installation of 1 no. 5000 KL capacity floating roof tank and changer of product mix in 3 tanks at Balasore deport Somnathpur, Odisha of Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited	Industry	Balasore	Balasure	The SEAC has asked to the proponent to submit the final EIA/EMP report of the project. Now the proponent has submit the final EIA/EMP report of the project.	Deferred to meeting on 25 th August, 2016.
7	11-Apr-16	12.08.16	10995/1585-NCM/04-2016	Kalamba Stone Quarry Over an area of 30.415 Acres Located At Village-Kalamba, Tahasil-Polasara Dist-Ganjam of Sri Rabi Padmanabha Patro.	Stone	Ganjam	Polasara	The SEAC in its meeting datd 25.04.2016 decided to take decision on the proposal after receipt of the following clarification : 1. Entry under column 9 (V) of checklist has not been authenticated by Tahasildar. 2. As per toposheet, the lease area appears less than 500 meter from Jakara lease area of KC Pradhan, which should be clarified by Tahasildar. 3. Greenbelt over 5.5 ha. should have more than 2000 no. of trees which needs rectified. Now the Tahasildar has submitted the clarification.	Deferred to meeting on 25 th August, 2016.