Minutes of the 33rd meeting of State level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Jharkhand, held on 10th July, 2015

The 33rd meeting of the State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA) was convened on 10/07/2015 at the office of SEIAA, Ranchi. The meeting was chaired by Dr. Gurdeep Singh, Chairman, SEIAA, Jharkhand. The attendance at the meeting is as follows:

- 1. Dr. Gurdeep Singh, Chairman, SEIAA, Jharkhand, Ranchi.
- 2. Dr. Amitava Bandyopadhyay, Member, SEIAA, Jharkhand, Ranchi.
- 3. Shri A.K Prabhakar, Member Secretary, SEIAA, Jharkhand, Ranchi.

The decisions taken in the 33rd SEIAA meeting are as follows -

- 1. Minutes of the meeting of SEIAA, Jharkhand held on 03rd June, 2015 were confirmed.
- 2. SEIAA decides that undertaking by project proponent related to Environmental Clearance must be mentioned in Environmental Clearance letter's condition.
- 3. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC to grant the Environmental Clearance to the following project proposals.
 - A. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC in its 28th meeting held on 27-30 April, 2015 (Part -B) to grant the Environmental Clearance to the following project proposals related to brick clay mining.
 - i. Brick Clay Mining of M/S Om Bricks (Shri Manoranjan Saw) at Village Bamdol, P.O. & P.S.-Bahragora, District- East Singhbhum, Jharkhand. (1.00 Ha)
 - ii. Brick Clay Mining of M/s Bhawani Bricks Supplier at Village- Dugdabasti, P.O-Karmatand, P.S- Dugda, Dist.- Bokaro, Jharkhand (0.95 Ha)
 - iii. Brick Clay Mining of M/S Shan Bricks at Village & P.O.- Kumardaga, P.S.- Pindrajora, District- Bokaro, Jharkhand (0.91 Ha)
 - iv. Brick Clay Mining for M/s J.S.C Bricks at Village Jainagar, P.O.- Murrahdih, P.S.-BarwaAdda, District- Dhanbad, Jharkhand (0.541 Ha)
 - v. Brick Clay Mining of MGM Bricks at Village- Dantu, Thana- Kasmar, District- Bokaro, Jharkhand (1.00 Ha).
 - vi. Brick Clay Mining of M/s Jai Mata Di Bricks at Village- Taisera, Taluka Gumla, District-Gumla, Jharkhand (0.534 Ha).

SEIAA agrees with the recommendations made by SEAC to grant Environmental Clearance (EC) to the project proposals mentioned above. SEIAA, therefore, decides to grant EC to these projects on the conditions recommended by SEAC.

- B. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC in its 28th meeting held on 27-30April, 2015 (Part -B) to grant the Environmental Clearance to the following project proposals related to Stone mining.
 - i. Rajguru Stone Mine of Shri Rakesh Kumar Singh at Village- Rajguru, Thana- Basisthnagar, Chatra, Jharkhand. (1.00 Ha).
 - ii. Chainpur Stone Mine of M/S Santhal Enterprises at Village Chainpur, Thana Balidih, District- Bokaro, Jharkhand (2.25 Ha)

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- iii. Dharguli Stone Mine of M/S Balaji Enterprises at Village- Kalichatan, Thana- Baş dar, District- Giridih, Jharkhand. (4.47 Ha)
- iv. Kirokuria Stone Mine of Shri Madan Kant at Village Kirokuria, P.O Sakrigali, P.S-Taljhari, Dist.- Sahibganj, Jharkhand (2.428 Ha).
- v. Mishrol Stone Mine of M/S Maa Suruchi Stone Works at Village Mishrol, P.O- Tapej, P.S-Chatra, District- Chatra, Jharkhand (1.09 Ha).
- vi. Golpahari Stone Mine of Shri Amit Kumar Pandey at Village Golpahari, Tehsil- Jamtara, District- Jamtara, Jharkhand (4.45 Ha).
- vii. Stone Boulder Mining of M/S Barin Kumar Majhi at Village Patmahuliya, P.O.-Patmahuliya, P.S.-Ghatsila, District- East Singhbhum, Jharkhand (2.25 Ha).
- viii. Purtidighiya Stone Deposit of M/S Trustline Dealers Pvt Ltd at Village Purtidighiya, P.O-Noamundi, District- West Singhbhum, Jharkhand (1.36 Ha).
- ix. Berwari Stone Deposit of Shri Rantha Mahli & Shri Ravi Shankar Sahu at Village- Berwari, Thana- Angara, District- Ranchi, Jharkhand. (0.81 Ha)
- x. Saharpur Stone Deposit of M/S Lakshmi Stone Works at Village- Saharpur, Thana-Sikaripara, District- Dumka, Jharkhand. (2.299 Ha).
- xi. Biswani Stone Mining Project of M/S Rafik Ansari at Mouza Biswani, Thana- Mohanpur, Dist.- Deoghar, Jharkhand (1.34 Ha)
- xii. Stone Mining Project of M/S Chacha Bhatija Stone Works at Mouza Kashila, Thana-Pakur, Dist.- Pakur, Jharkhand (1.74 Ha).
- xiii. Basko Stone Mine of M/S Maa R.K. Construction at Village Basko, P.O Ghatiyari, Tehsil-Rajmahal, District-Sahibganj, Jharkhand (2.376 Ha).
- xiv. Borna Stone Mine of M/S Rajan Stone Works at Village Borna, P.O- Bishanpur, Tehsil-Pathna, District- Sahibganj, Jharkhand (1.89 Ha)
- xv. Gadaitungi & Chalpahar Stone Mine of M/S Swastik Mineral Agency at Village Gadaitungi & Chalpahar, Tehsil- Taljhari, District- Sahibganj, Jharkhand (2.63 Ha)
- xvi. Domchanch Stone Mine of Sri Tarkeshwar Mehta at Village-Domchanch, Thana- Koderma, District Koderma, Jharkhand. (0.52 Ha).
- xvii. Makandu Stone Mine of M/S Sri Balaji Stone Trading Agency at Village Makandu, District- Lohardaga, Jharkhand. (3.64 Ha).
- xviii. Munkeri Stone Deposit of M/S Mahadeo Construction Company at Village-Munkeri, Tehsil- Chhatarpur, District- Palamu, Jharkhand (4.654 Ha).
- xix. Munkeri Stone Deposit of Shri Anoop Kumar Singh at Village Munkeri, Tehsil-Chhatarpur, District- Palamu, Jharkhand (2.73 Ha).
- xx. Bhadudih Stone Mine of M/S Harelal Construction Company at Village- Bhadudih, Tehsil-Chandil, District- Saraikela- Kharsawan, Jharkhand (1.90 Ha)
- xxi. Lodhya Stone Deposit of Shri Alok Kumar Dengi at Village Lodhya, Thana- Pratappur, Dist.- Chatra, Jharkhand (1.21 Ha)
- xxii. Uday Stone & Morrum Mine of Shri Uday Kumar Singh at Mouza Kurmipur, Thana & Block Husenabad, District Palamu, Jharkhand (4.856 Ha).

SEIAA agrees with the recommendations made by SEAC to grant Environmental Clearance (EC) to the project proposals mentioned above. SEIAA, therefore, decides to grant EC to these projects proposals with the conditions recommended by SEAC except that

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mentioned on serial no. 3 B (III , VII & VIII). PP should submit the approved Mine Plan for further necessary action.

- C. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC in its 28th meeting held on 27-30 April, 2015 (Part -B) to grant the Environmental Clearance to the following project proposals related to Sand Mining.-
 - Sand Deposit of the Bank of Subarnrekha & Kharkai River (Block- 1) of M/S Baba Enterprises at Village- Jamshedpur Notified Area, Tehsil- Jamshedpur, District- East Singhbhum, Jharkhand (1.312 Ha).
 - II. Sand Deposit of the Bank of Kharkai River (Block- 3 & 4) of M/S Baba Enterprises at Village- Jamshedpur Notified Area, Tehsil- Jamshedpur, District- East Singhbhum, Jharkhand (2.218 Ha).
 - III. Sand Deposit of the Bank of Subarnrekha & Kharkai River (Block- 2) of M/S Baba Enterprises at Village- Jamshedpur Notified Area, Tehsil- Jamshedpur, District- East Singhbhum, Jharkhand (2.134 Ha).

SEIAA agrees with the recommendations made by SEAC to grant Environmental Clearance (EC) to the project proposals mentioned above. SEIAA, therefore, decides to grant EC to these projects on the conditions recommended by SEAC.

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- A. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC in its 29th meeting held on 29-30 June, 2015 & 01-02 July, 2015 (Part -A) to grant the Environmental Clearance to the following project proposals related to Stone Mine-
 - I. Stone Quary at Churchu of Shri Dilip Kumar at Village- Churchu, P.O.- Ichak, Thana- Sadar, District- Hazaribagh, Jharkhand. (0.41 Ha).
 - II. Bandua Stone Deposit of M/S Prakhar Vyapar Pvt. Ltd.at Village Bandua, Tehsil -Rajnagar, Dist.- Saraikela-Kharsawan, Jharkhand (4.93 Ha).
 - III. Amainagar Stone Deposit of M/S J. J. Industries at Village Amainagar, Thana -Chandankyari, District-Bokaro, Jharkhand (1.82 Ha).
 - IV. Karaundajore Stone Deposit of Shri Hemant Kumar Ohdar at Village Karaundajore, Thana - Gumla, District- Gumla, Jharkhand (2.83 Ha).
 - V. Rawankocha Stone Deposit of M/S Shaligram Infrastructure Pvt. Ltd at Village -Rawankocha, Tehsil- Rajnagar, District- Saraikela-Kharsawan, Jharkhand (2.12 Ha).
 - VI. Udiya Stone Deposit of Shri Rajesh Kumar at Village Udiya, P.O-Patamda, District- East Singhbhum, Jharkhand (0.93 Ha).
 - VII. Chapande Stone Mine of M/S Dokania Stone Works at Village Chapande, P.S Ranga, Dist.- Sahibganj, Jharkhand (3.237 Ha).
 - VIII. Stone Mining Project of M/S Hiralal Bhakat at Village- Kanupur, Thana- Pakur, District-Pakur, Jharkhand (4.72 Ha)
 - IX. Parasbani Stone Mine of Shri Sanjay Kumar Suman at Village Parasbani, Thana Birni, Dist.- Giridih, Jharkhand (0.41 Ha).
 - X. Stone Mine of M/S Preeti Agarwala Stone Mines at Village- Goradih, Dist.- Giridih, Jharkhand. (0.89 Ha)

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- XI. Stone Boulder Mining of M/S Vivek Kumar Singh at Village Chilgu, P.O.- Chandil, Digaica Saraikela Kharsawan, Jharkhand (2.03 Ha).
- XII. Taratanr Stone Mine of Sri Devendra Prasad Mehta at Village- Taratanr, Thana- Koderma, Dist-Koderma, Jharkhand (0.61 Ha)

SEIAA agrees with the recommendations made by SEAC to grant Environmental Clearance (EC) to the project proposals mentioned above. SEIAA, therefore, decides to grant EC to these projects on the conditions recommended by SEAC. For serial no. 4 (II), CO letter not cleared as per SEIAA guideline.

- B. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC in its 29th meeting held on 29-30 June, 2015 & 01-02 July, 2015 (Part -A) to grant the Environmental Clearance to the following project proposals related to Brick Clay Mining-
 - Brick Clay Mining for M/s PK Pramanik Bricks at Mauza- Parasbahal, P.O.- Karaikela, District- West Singhbhum, Jharkhand (0.639 Ha)
 - II. Brick Clay Mining for M/s PK Pramanik Bricks at Mauza- Kashipur, P.O.- Kera, PS-Chakradharpur, District- West Singhbhum, Jharkhand (0.95 Ha).

SEIAA agrees with the recommendations made by SEAC to grant Environmental Clearance (EC) to the project proposals mentioned above. SEIAA, therefore, decides to grant EC to these projects on the conditions recommended by SEAC.

C. Arkosha Stone Deposit of Sri Aman Ansari at Village – Arkosha, Tehsil- Lohardaga, District-Lohardaga, Jharkhand (1.372 Ha).

SEIAA agrees with the recommendation of SEAC and decides that let the matter be examined by D.C, Lohardaga.

- D. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC in its 29th meeting held on 29-30 June, 2015 & 01-02 July, 2015 (Continuation of Part -A) to grant the Environmental Clearance to the following project proposals related to Sand Mining
 - i. Soro Sand mining Project of Shri Bhutnath Mahto Village- Soro, P.S.- Ichagarh, Dist.-Saraikela - Kharsawan, Jharkhand (0.40 Ha)
 - ii. Sand Deposit in the River bed of Kharkai for Sri Ghashyam Darbar at Village-Barajaipur, P.O.- Chaibasa, Dist.- West Singhbhum, Jharkhand. (8.903 Ha)
 - iii. Sand Deposit in the River bed of Kharkai for Sri Ghashyam Darbar at Village-Baramaundi, P.O. Chaibasa, Dist.- West Singhbhum, Jharkhand. (5.665 Ha)
 - iv. Aita sand Deposit of M/S B.D. Trading Company at Village- Aita, Dist. West Singhbhum, Jharkhand (16.187 Ha)

SEIAA agrees with the recommendations made by SEAC to grant Environmental Clearance (EC) to the project proposals mentioned above. SEIAA, therefore, decides to grant EC to these projects on the conditions recommended by SEAC.

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A. SEIAA in its 28th meeting held on 30th December, 2014 took a decision that the decisions of SEIAA in its 27th meeting held on 11th December, 2014 regarding grant of EC to following Stone mining projects based on recommendations made by SEAC, are kept on hold. SEIAA also decides to ask all the project proponents to resubmit the certificate from concerned DMO stating that there are no mines existing and proposed within the distance of 500 meters.

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- I. Dugdugiya Stone Deposit of Smt. Anju Devi at Village- Dugdugiya, Taluka- Gutjora, District- Khunti, Jharkhand (2.347 Ha)
- II. Tirildih Stone Mine of M/S Kiran Conts. & Infra Pvt Ltd at Village- Tirildih, Thana- Ghatsila, District- East Singhbhum, Jharkhand. (4.27 Ha)

SEIAA agrees with the recommendations made by SEAC to grant Environmental Clearance (EC) to all these project proposals.

- B. SEIAA in its 31st meeting held on 27th May, 2015 took a decision that the following Stone mining projects based on recommendations made by SEAC, are kept on hold. SEIAA also decides to ask the project proponents to submit the Approved Mine Plan.
 - I. Stone Mining Project of M/S Shrikant Sharma at Village- Narhipakariya, P.S- Mohanpur, District Deoghar, Jharkhand. (2.02Ha)
 - II. Paharpur Stone Mine of M/S Haripada Mahato at Village- Paharpur, Baliapur, Dhanbad, Jharkhand. (0.688 Ha)
- III. M/s Nityanand Yadav Stone Mine at Village- Salpatra, Block- Fatehpur, District Jamtara, Jharkhand. (1.639 Ha)
- IV. M/s Singh Stone Works of Sri Tapan Kumar Singh at Village- Bundamako, Tehsil- Pathna, District Sahibganj Jharkhand. (1.991 Ha)
- V. Stone Mine of M/S Jindal Stone Works at Village- Lohandabedo, Tehsil Borio, District Sahebganj, Jharkhand. (2.023 Ha)
- VI. M/S Bhagwan Stone works of Shri Jagnnath Bhagat at Village- Borna, P.O.-Bishanpur, Tehsil Pathna, District Sahebganj, Jharkhand. (2.42 Ha)

SEIAA agrees with the recommendations made by SEAC to grant Environmental Clearance (EC) to the project proposals mentioned above. SEIAA, therefore, decides to grant EC to these projects proposals with the conditions recommended by SEAC.

- 6. SEIAA took a decision that as per GOI direction, credible action to be initiated by JSPCB and Forest and Environment Department, Govt. of Jharkhand for violation under EP Act. SEIAA to write a request letter to State Government in this regard to issue direction to the concerned Govt. body and JSPCB for needful action.
 - i) Khelari Sai Stone Mine of Md. Mustafa Ansari at Village- Khelari Sai, P.S- Kharswan, Dist.- Saraikela- Kharsawan, Jharkhand. (0.607 Ha).
 - ii) Balrampur Stone Mine of Shri Dhirendra Kumar Mahto at Village Balrampur, Thana-Jaridih, Dist.- Bokaro, Jharkhand (0.344 Ha).
 - iii) Salbona Pahar Stone Mining of M/S Umanand Singh & Partner at Village Salbona Pahar, Thana-Shikaripara, Dist.- Dumka, Jharkhand (2.43 Ha)

7. Decision on matters related to -

I. Stone Mine of M/S Kuldip Kumar & Co. at Village- Salukchapra, Block- Nirsa, District-Dhanbad, Jharkhand (3.095 Ha).

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DMO's certificate regarding distance from other mining activity has been submitted by the proponent in this office. So, under this circumstance the SEIAA agrees to grant EC to this mine

11. Bunda Bedo Baraghati Stone Quarry of M/S Bikash Stone works at Village- Bunda Bedo Badaghati, Tehsil- Pathna, District- Shahibganj, Jharkhand (2.83 Ha).

Letter be issued to the proponent to submit the DMO's certificate in this office.

III. Quartzite Quarry at Futkadih of Shri Jitendra Kumar Jain at Village- Futkadih, P.S-Peterwar, District- Bokaro, Jharkhand (0.255 Ha).

In the light of the DMO's letter attached with the letter of the proponent, the Khata no. and plot no. may be corrected. But a reminder be issued to the proponent to submit the approved mine plan for which a period of 3 months was given. Also the proponent be informed that in the event of failure to submit the approved mining plan with the stipulated time period, the EC issued will be withdrawn.

This decision is applicable in all such similar cases wherein EC has already been issued without the approved Mine Plan.

- 8. Decision on applications submitted to SEIAA -
 - 1. Hazardous Waste Management Facility of M/S Adityapur Auto Cluster at Village-Dungri, Tehsil- Saraikela, District- Saraikela-Kharsawan, Jharkhand.

Reminder may be issued to the proponent to submit the EIA and EMP as directed earlier by this office letter no. -947, date- 12/05/2015.

II. Markacho Stone Deposit of M/S Mata Ganga Pathar Udyog at Village & P.S.- Markacho, District- Koderma, Jharkhand (3.2375 Ha.)

The matter was found to be subjudiced and the matter be kept in abeyance.

III. Gondkida China Clay Mine of M/S D.M. Minerals at Village- Gondkida, Taluka- Chaibasa Sadar, P.O- Andhari, Thana- Kolhan, P.S- Kumardungi, District- West Singhbhum, Jharkhand (38.40 Ha).

As desired by the proponent the EC may be amended in line with the TOR issued by the MoEF earlier vide No. J-11015/88/201-IA-II(M), dated -27/03/2012 in respect of renewal of mine lease and enhancement of production of China Clay from 1604 TPA to 32000 TPA.

IV. Shri Saurabh Kumar Gutgutiya

The application does not refer the context of any decision taken in the joint meeting of SEAC & SEIAA, a proceeding of which is enclosed with the meeting so, the applicant is asked to explain his prayer that in which decision he wants relaxation.

V. Smt. Nilu Mehta complaint on Adar Stone Mine of M/S Basudeo Mahto at Village- Adar, Tehsil- Padma, District- Hazaribagh, Jharkhand (0.81 Ha)

EC is kept in abeyance till the report of the CO concerned about the ownership of land in khatiyan is obtained in this office.

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VI. Low Ash Hard Coke cum Coal Washery of M/S Ma Chhinmastika Sponge Iron Ltd at Village- Harwey, P.O- Karma, District- Ramgarh, Jharkhand.

SEAC may be requested to re-examine and reconsider the proposal.

VII. Deptt. of Forests & Environment, Govt. of Jharkhand letter no.- 1503, dated -20.03.2015

It was decided to examine that in such cases if there is any laid out procedure in the Govt. by the Finance Department. If there is no such circular or guideline for refund of excess amount taken in form of fee from the proponent then it is to be returned to the proponent.

- VIII. Deptt. of Mines & Geology, Govt. of Jharkhand letter no.- 1314, dated 29.06.15

 Letter may be forwarded to be DFO's.
 - IX. Stone Quarry of M/S Savita Stone at Village- Domchanch, Tehsil Domchanch, District Koderma, Jharkhand (1.66 Ha).

On the basis of the recommendation of SEAC and the information submitted by the proponent which has been obtained from the DFO's office through RTI, the SEIAA decides to issue EC in favour of the proponent.

X. Stone Quarry of M/S Savita Stone at Village- Domchanch, Tehsil- Domchanch, District-Koderma, Jharkhand (0.62 Ha).

On the basis of the recommendation of SEAC and the information submitted by the proponent which has been obtained from the DFO's office through RTI the SEIAA decides to issue EC in favour of the proponent.

XI. Iron Ore Beneficiation Washing / Processing of M/S Shree Balaji Industrial Engineering Limited at Village- Basti Road, P.O- Barajamda, Dist.- West Singhbhum, Jharkhand.

The proponent has prayed for exemption of public hearing for the modernization & expansion project. The reason furnished for getting such expansion is "no increase in pollution load" vide their letter of 26/06/2015, which is technically incorrect and unconvincing. Therefore, the prayer for exempting the public hearing is rejected out of consideration by the SEIAA. A letter is to be issued to the proponent for informing this decision of SEIAA.

XII. Stone Boulder Mining of M/S Trustline Mining & Minerals at Village- Kadajamuda, P.O-Noamundi, District- West Singhbhum, Jharkhand (18.93 Ha / 46.79 Acres)

The proposal may be forwarded to SEAC for further necessary action.

9. Increase of honorarium pay of Shri Harishankar Singh & Md. Nijamuddin.

The decision will be taken in the next meeting.

10. Appointment of Charter Accountant

As already decided the Member Secretary is authorised to procure the empanelment of Chartered Accountant from Rural Development Department and then the Member Secretary will put up the panel before SEIAA for decision.

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11. In order to expedite clearance process it was decided that the minutes signed by Chai an, SEAC and Secretary, SEAC may be forwarded to SEIAA for consideration.

The meeting concluded with vote of thanks to the Chairman.

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