



# State Environment Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA)

## Himachal Pradesh

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Dated: 25<sup>th</sup> February, 2025

PROCEEDINGS OF 73<sup>rd</sup> MEETING OF SEIAA, HIMACHAL PRADESH, HELD UNDER THE CHAIRPERSONSHIP OF SH. ARVIND MEHTA, IAS (RETD.) ON DATED 24<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY 2025. [PARIVESH 1.0]

ITEM NO. 1: CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF 72<sup>nd</sup> MEETING HELD ON 30/12/24.

All decisions taken in 72<sup>nd</sup> meeting held on 30/12/24 complied with, no additional comments received, hence minutes were confirmed.

ITEM NO. 2: PARIVESH 1.0 Applications/Cases Recommended by SEAC for issuance of EC & TORs

2.1 Sh. Ashok Kumar, S/o Sh. Hushan Lal, Prop. M/s Shekhri Stone Crusher & Screening Plant, VPO-Gondpur Jaichand Nichla, Tehsil-Haroli, District-Una, H.P.

### Brief outline of the project:

a)	Proposal No.	SIA/HP/MIN/286806/2022 HP SEIAA/2022-984
b)	Project type	Extraction/collection of Stone boulder, Sand & Bajri.
c)	Project Location	Khasra number 489 (00-01-98 ha), 490 (0-40-75 ha), 491 (0-40-31 ha), 1439 (0-59-12 ha), 1440 (0-58-80 ha), 1438 (0-85-18 ha), 1437(0-73-73 ha) & 517 (0-17-28 ha) falling in Mauza & Mohal-Gondpur Jaichand, Tehsil-Haroli, District-Una, H.P.
d)	Jamabandi	Jamabandi for the year 2019-2020
e)	Land Status	Private land
f)	Capacity	61,233 TPA.
g)	Mining Area	3-77-15 hectare, Private land
h)	Leases with in 500 meter from the periphery of the area applied.	No mining leases exist within 500 meters:
i)	Letter of Intent	Letter of Intent issued on dated 18.01.2022 (Valid for one year i.e. up to 17.01.2023) revised and valid upto 14/1/2025
j)	EMP Cost	Capital Cost- Rs. 8.86 Lakhs, Recurring Cost- Rs.1.44 Lakhs/PA
k)	CER cost	Capital Cost Rs. 16.00 Lakhs

Online proposal for granting EC was submitted on dated 03/08/2022 and accepted by the SEIAA secretariat on dated 06/10/2022 and forwarded to SEAC secretariat. The case was listed before the SEAC in its 88<sup>th</sup> Meeting with observations. The project proponent submitted the compliance to observations on dated 7/11/2024.

The case was again listed in 104<sup>th</sup> meeting of SEAC held on dated 31/12/2024. The SEAC recommended the case application for consideration of grant of environmental clearance by the SEIAA subject to the fulfillment of conditions annexed at Annexure-I with following special condition that:

1. The capital cost (@ Rs. 4.00 lacs per  $\leq$  ha.) under CER, shall be deposited in the form of Demand Draft/ transfer of funds in the bank account number mentioned in EC letter to the office of Director (DEST&CC), GOHP. The Director (DEST&CC) may device a plan for this purpose as per CER guidelines.
2. The project proponent shall provide one plastic waste shredder machine to DEST& CC, Shimla within one month from the date of issuance of EC letter, for further distribution under CER. The machines will be purchased from authorised/ approved sources and CMC/AMC will be assured with supplier for at least three years from date of installation. The Project proponent shall be responsible for functioning of the machines. The size of the shredded plastic shall be less than 2.36 mm. Technical specifications of the plastic waste shredder are as under:

Plastic Waste Shredder specifications (250Kg/Hr.)	
PARAMETER	SPECIFICATION
Mechanism type	Double shaft with rotating blades

Application	Shredding of RDF waste (Plastic bags, polythene, rags, leather, rubber etc. found in the Municipal Waste)
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Machine Size	Height- 4.5 ft, Length- Any & Width- Any.
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Output shredded material size	<2.36 mm
Working chamber	300mm X 380 mm
Motor HP	7.5HP
Total motor	1 Nos.
RPM of shafts	30-40
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Hopper size	500mm X 350mm
Structure & cover & Hopper MOC	MS with paint
Extrafeatures	Cladding total body
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Panel function	Overload Protection, Short Circuit protection, Tower light, Limit switch for safety (when machine front cover open machine to stop working)
Warranty	
Duration	12 months or more
Scopeunderwarranty	All the spares & repair work including labor

3. The project proponent shall sensitize and create awareness among people working within the project area as well as its surrounding area on the ban of SUP in order to ensure the compliance of Notification published by MoEF& CC on 12/08/2021. A report, along with photographs, on the measures taken shall also be included in the six monthly compliance reports being submitted by the project proponents.
4. The project proponent shall ensure that mining is carried out strictly in accordance with the approved mining plan failing which strict action under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 will be initiated against the proponent and environmental compensation shall be imposed as per orders of Hon'ble NGT dated 19.02.2019 in the matter of OA No. 593/2017 (W.P.) (Civil) No. 375/2012).
5. The Department of Industries, Himachal Pradesh shall ensure that the mining is carried out strictly as per the Terms & Conditions of the Environment Clearance.
6. The project proponent will ensure that no harm to the adjoining land or environmental degradation is caused due to mining activities and the mining activities are undertaken strictly as per approved mining plan.

The Authority in its 73<sup>rd</sup> meeting held w.e.f. 24-25 February, 2025 approved grant of Environmental Clearance with the conditions as recommended by SEAC 104<sup>th</sup> meeting held on dated 31/12/2024.

## 2.2 Sh. Gagandeep Singh, Village-Gullarwala, P.O. Karuwana, Tehsil-Baddi, District-Solan, H.P.

### Brief outline of the project:

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| a) | Proposal No.  | SIA/HP/MIN/428162/2023<br>HP SEIAA/2023-1082  |
| b) | Processing fee  | UTR no. UBIN24179870954 of Rs. 20,000/- dated 27.06.2024  |
| c) | Project type  | Extraction of Stone.  |
| d) | Project Location  | Khasra number 957, 962, 963, 964, 966, 965, 974, 1812/973 and 958 falling in Mauza/Mohal Bhatoli Kalan, Tehsil Baddi, Distt. Solan, HP. |
| e) | Jamabandi   | Jamabandi for the year 2013-14  |
| f) | Land Status   | Private Land.   |
| g) | Capacity  | 77,435 TPA.   |
| h) | Mining Area   | 23-01 Bighas, 1.73 ha, Private land/hill slope.   |
| i) | Leases within 500 meter from the periphery of the area applied. | No mining lease exist within 500 meters:  |
| j) | Letter of Intent  | Letter of Intent issued on dated 14/10/2020<br>(Valid for one year i.e. up to 13/10/2023)   |
| k) | EMP Cost  | Capital Cost Rs. 11.82 Lakhs and Recurring Cost Rs. 34.49 Lakhs for five years.   |
| l) | CER cost  | Rs. 8.00 Lakhs.   |

Online proposal for EC was submitted on dated 09/05/2023 and accepted by the SEIAA secretariat on dated 26/06/2023 and forwarded to SEAC secretariat. The hard copy was submitted by Project proponent on dated 28/04/2023.

The case was listed in 94<sup>th</sup> meeting of the SEAC held on 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> August, 2023. Approved/ Authorized consultant did not appear before the Committee, therefore, application was deferred.

The case was again listed in 102<sup>nd</sup> meeting of SEAC held on dated 19<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> August, 2024. The SEAC recommended the case application for consideration of grant of environmental clearance by the SEIAA.

The matter was listed before SEIAA in its 70<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 30/9/2024. The SEIAA decided to refer back the application to SEAC for further re-examination as per the following observations:

1. The SEIAA while looking at the project site using drone video and kml file observed that the SEAC may reexamine the application assessing how much stability of surrounding area will be affected due to proposed mining.
2. Sub Committee shall visit the proposed project site and submit its report to the SEAC, the subcommittee may consult the adjoining farm land owners for their view on proposed mining activities.

In compliance to the observations of the SEIAA, the case was again placed before SEAC in its 103<sup>rd</sup> meeting for reexamination on dated 21-10-2024. The SEAC reexamined the proposal and reviewed the case application as per advice from the SEIAA. The SEAC observed that the application was dealt and recommended after examining all technical aspects, however, in order to further ensure that the mining activities doesn't affect the surrounding area environment and stability, clarification from Project Proponent and Industry Department may be obtained once again apart from field level assessment by deputing a sub committee.

The point wise clarification/ reply received from the Deptt. of Industries, Himachal Pradesh vide letter Dated 14/11/2024 vide which Industry department informed that the proposal has been recommended after completing all codal formalities by the committee headed by SDO(C) after joint inspection of the site. All aspects of environmental sustainability have been taken into consideration, if the pp work according to the approved mining plan there will be no impact on stability of surrounding area.

According to observation a sub committee of SEAC along with Officers/ Officials from DEST&CC also visited the site on dated 22.12.2024 to verify the facts and submitted site inspection report before SEAC Committee for appraisal.

The case application was again listed in 104<sup>th</sup> meeting of SEAC held on dated 31/12/2024. The SEAC again recommended the case application for consideration of grant of environmental clearance by the SEIAA subject to the fulfillment of conditions annexed at Annexure-I with following additional special condition that:

1. The capital cost (@ Rs. 4.00 lacs per  $\leq$  ha.) under CER, shall be deposited in the form of Demand Draft/ transfer of funds in the bank account number mentioned in EC letter to the office of Director (DEST&CC), GOHP. The Director (DEST&CC) may devise a plan for this purpose as per CER guidelines.
2. The project proponent shall provide one plastic waste shredder machine to DEST& CC, Shimla within one month from the date of issuance of EC letter, for further distribution under CER. The machines will be purchased from authorised/ approved sources and CMC/AMC will be assured with supplier for at least three years from date of installation. The Project proponent shall be responsible for functioning of the machines. The size of the shredded plastic shall be less than 2.36 mm. Technical specifications of the plastic waste shredder are as under:

Plastic Waste Shredder specifications (250Kg/Hr.)	
PARAMETER	SPECIFICATION
Mechanism type	Double shaft with rotating blades
Application	Shredding of RDF waste (Plastic bags, polythene, rags, leather, rubber etc. found in the Municipal Waste)
Shredder capacity	250-300 Kg/hr
Machine Size	Height- 4.5 ft, Length- Any & Width- Any.
Blade MOC	WP 45/ENOS (Harden)
Minimum height of hook above shaft & disc	70-SOmm
Output shredded material size	<2.36 mm
Working chamber	300mm X 380 mm
Motor HP	7.5HP
Total motor	1 Nos.
RPM of shafts	30-40
Motor make	Havells/ Crompton
Motor rating	IE2

Total gearbox	1Nos.
Hopper size	500mm X 350mm
Structure & cover & Hopper MOC	MS with paint
Extrafeatures	Cladding total body
Supply	3 Phase 440V- 50Hz.
Panel	
Panel function	Overload Protection, Short Circuit protection, Tower light, Limit switch for safety (when machine front cover open machine to stop working)
Warranty	
Duration	12 months or more
Scopeunderwarranty	All the spares & repair work including labor

3. The project proponent shall sensitize and create awareness among people working within the project area as well as its surrounding area on the ban of SUP in order to ensure the compliance of Notification published by MoEF& CC on 12/08/2021. A report, along with photographs, on the measures taken shall also be included in the six monthly compliance report being submitted by the project proponents.
4. The project proponent shall ensure that mining is carried out strictly in accordance with the approved mining plan failing which strict action under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 will be initiated against the proponent and environmental compensation shall be imposed as per orders of Hon'ble NGT dated 19.02.2019 in the matter of OA No. 593/2017 (W.P.) (Civil) No. 375/2012).
5. The Department of Industries, Himachal Pradesh shall ensure that the mining is carried out strictly as per the Terms & Conditions of the Environment Clearance.
6. The Geological Wing of the Department of Industries, Himachal Pradesh and Project proponent shall ensure that the mining outside the riverbed on Patta Land/ Khatedari Land be granted when there is possibility of replenishment of material. In case, there is no replenishment then mining lease shall only be granted when there is no riverbed mining possibility within 5 KM of the Patta Land/ Khatedari land.
7. The Midterm review of hill slope mining activity shall be undertaken in case of any deviation from terms and conditions of EC/ Mining plan the EC shall be withdrawn along with environmental compensation imposed as per orders of Hon'ble NGT dated 19.02.2019 in the matter of OA No. 593/2017 (W.P.) (Civil) No. 375/2012).
8. The project proponent will ensure that no harm to the adjoining land or environmental degradation is caused due to mining activities and the mining activities are undertaken strictly as per approved mining plan.
9. This Environmental Clearance shall become operational only after receiving formal Forest Clearance (FC) under the provision of Forest Conservation Act, 1980, if applicable to the Project.

The Authority in its 73<sup>rd</sup> meeting held w.e.f. 24-25 February, 2025 approved grant of Environmental Clearance with the conditions as recommended by SEAC 104<sup>th</sup> meeting held on dated 31/12/2024 and with the following additional conditions:

1. The project proponent shall ensure that the mining activity is carried out after leaving the required buffer zone and distance from existing habitation/village. Measures will be taken to protect the nearby habitation from noise, water and air pollution.

2.3 Sh. Virender Bhateria, Joginder Singh, S/o Sh. Baljeet Singh and S/o Sh. Hari Singh, R/o Village-Gadiyara, P.O. Geeta Peeth and Village-Kutballa, P.O. Lambagoan, Tehsil Jaisinghpur, Distt. Kangra, Himachal Pradesh.

**Brief outline of the project:**

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| a) | Proposal No.   | SIA/HP/MIN/430677/2023<br>HP SEIAA/2023-1085  |
| b) | Processing fee   | UPI Transaction number 413236554265 dated 11.05.2024 of Rs. 15,000/-  |
| c) | Project type   | Extraction/collection of Sand, Stone & Bajri.   |
| d) | Project Location   | Khasra number 1386 falling in Mohal Kutballa, Mohal Lambagaon, Tehsil Jaisinghpur, District-Kangra, HP.   |
| e) | Jamabandi  | Jamabandi for the year 2019-20  |
| f) | Land Status  | Private Land, River bed.  |
| g) | Capacity   | 18,405 TPA.   |
| h) | Mining Area  | 00-89-42 hectare, Private land/river bed.   |
| i) | Leases with in 500 meter from the periphery of the area applied. | One mining lease exist within 500 meters:<br>1. Sh. Anil Sharma (2-97-25 Hect.)   |
| j) | Letter of Intent   | Letter of Intent issued on dated 20/02/2023<br>(Valid for one year i.e. up to 19/02/2024) Extension of Lol issued on dated 19/2/2025 vide letter No. 11178 by Deptt. of Industries HP |
| k) | EMP Cost   | Capital cost: Rs 7.60 Lakhs and Recurring cost: Rs 1.44 Lakhs.  |
| l) | CER cost   | Rs 4.00 Lakhs.  |

Online proposal for EC was submitted on dated 01/06/2023 and accepted by the SEIAA secretariat on dated 26/06/2023 and forwarded to SEAC secretariat. The hard copy was submitted by Project proponent on dated 21/06/2023.

The case was listed in 94<sup>th</sup> meeting of the SEAC held on 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> August, 2023 with observations.

The case was again listed before the SEAC in 96<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 29/11/2023 with observations.

The case was again listed in 98<sup>th</sup> meeting of the SEAC held on 6<sup>th</sup> January, 2024. The SEAC did not recommend the case for grant of EC in view of the MoEF&CC directions issued vide F. No. IA3-22/11/2023-IA.III (E-208230) dated 28<sup>th</sup> April, 2023 w.r.t. Hon'ble NGT order dated 07.12.2022 passed in O.A.142 of 2022 in the matter of Jayant Kumar vs. MoEF&CC; to scrutinize and appraise the EC proposals based on the updated District Survey Report after five years, approved by SEIAA as per Ministry's Notification S.O 3611(E) dated 25.07.2018.

In view of the above, the SEAC decided to list the case of the proposed mining area after ascertaining the current status of mining area, in next meeting after submission of updated District Survey Report duly endorsed by SEIAA.

After submission of the compliance, the case was listed in 102<sup>nd</sup> meeting of SEAC held on dated 19<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> August, 2024 with observations. The proponent submitted the compliance to above observation on dated 16/9/2024.

The case was again listed in 104<sup>th</sup> meeting of SEAC held on dated 31/12/2024. The SEAC recommended the case application for consideration of grant of environmental clearance by the SEIAA subject to the fulfillment of conditions annexed at Annexure-I with following special condition that:

1. The capital cost (@ Rs. 4.00 lacs per  $\leq$  ha.) under CER, shall be deposited in the form of Demand Draft/ transfer of funds in the bank account number mentioned in EC letter to the office of Director (DEST&CC), GOHP. The Director (DEST&CC) may device a plan for this purpose as per CER guidelines.
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Warranty	
Duration	12 months or more
Scope under warranty	All the spares & repair work including labor

3. The project proponent shall sensitize and create awareness among people working within the project area as well as its surrounding area on the ban of SUP in order to ensure the compliance of Notification published by MoEF& CC on 12/08/2021. A report, along with photographs, on the measures taken shall also be included in the six monthly compliance report being submitted by the project proponents.
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**The Authority in its 73<sup>rd</sup> meeting held w.e.f. 24-25 February, 2025 approved grant of Environmental Clearance with the conditions as recommended by SEAC 104<sup>th</sup> meeting held on dated 31/12/2024.**

**2.4 Sh. Varun Sharma, S/o Sh. Ganesh Dutt Sharma, Vill. Talona, P.O. Kakkarhatti, Tehsil & District-Solan, H.P.**

**Brief outline of the project: -**

a)	Proposal No.	SIA/HP/MIN/440916/2023 HP SEIAA/2023-1109
b)	Processing fee	DD no. 002713 dated 29.04.2024 of Rs. 15,000/- HDFC Bank
c)	Project type	Extraction of Stone.
d)	Project Location	Khasra number 20 falling in Mauza Dhar Jokhari, Tehsil & District- Solan, H.P.
e)	Jamabandi	Jamabandi for the year 2017-2018
f)	Land Status	Private land/ hill slope.
g)	Capacity	44,272 TPA.
h)	Mining Area	02-50-36 Ha, 33-05-08 Bighas, Private land/hill slope.
i)	Leases within 500 meter from the periphery of the area applied.	No mining lease exists in 500 meters.
j)	Letter of Intent	Letter of Intent issued on dated 08.12.2021 (Valid for one year i.e. up to 07.12.2023)
k)	EMP Cost	Capital Cost- Rs.12.10 Lakhs, Recurring Cost- Rs.3.15 Lakhs annually.
l)	CER cost	Rs. 12.00 Lakhs

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**Brief outline of the project:**

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b)	Processing fee	DD no. 002713 dated 29.04.2024 of Rs. 15,000/- HDFC Bank
c)	Project type	Extraction of Stone.
d)	Project Location	Khasra number 115/107/1 falling in Mauza/Mohal Thana, Tehsil & District-Solan, H.P
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f)	Land Status	Private land/ hill slope.
g)	Capacity	65,777 TPA.
h)	Mining Area	02-98-73 Ha, 38-09 Bighas, Private land.
i)	Leases with in 500 meter from the periphery of the area applied.	No mining lease exists.
j)	Letter of Intent	Letter of Intent issued on dated 30.09.2022 (Valid for one year i.e. up to 29.09.2023)
k)	EMP Cost	Capital Cost- Rs.10.50 Lakhs, Recurring Cost- Rs. 3.12 Lakhs annually.
l)	CER cost	Rs. 12.00 lakhs

Online proposal for granting EC was submitted on dated 11/09/2023 and accepted by the SEIAA secretariat on dated 18/11/2023 and forwarded to SEAC secretariat. The hard copy was submitted by Project proponent on dated 21/09/2023

The case was listed before the SEAC in 96<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 29/11/2023 with observations. The project proponent submitted the compliance to the above observations on dated:03-07-2024

The case was listed in 102<sup>nd</sup> meeting of SEAC held on dated 19<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> August, 2024. The Committee observed that the proposed mining lease is in accordance with the DSR duly endorsed by the SEIAA. The SEAC recommended the case application for consideration of grant of environmental clearance by the SEIAA.

The matter was listed before SEIAA in its 70<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 30/9/2024. After detailed deliberations the SEIAA decided to refer back the application to SEAC for further re-examination as per the following observations:

1. The SEIAA while looking at the project site using drone video and kml file observed that the SEAC may reexamine the application assessing how much stability of surrounding area will be affected due to proposed mining.

In compliance to the observations of the SEIAA, the case was again placed before SEAC in its 103<sup>rd</sup> meeting for reexamination on dated 21-10-2024.

The SEAC reexamined the proposal and reviewed the case application as per advice from the SEIAA. The SEAC observed that the application was dealt and recommended after examining all technical aspects, however, in order to further ensure that the mining activities doesn't affect the surrounding area environment and stability clarification from Project Proponent and Industry Department may be obtained once again.

The point wise clarification/ reply received from the Deptt. of Industries, Himachal Pradesh vide letter Dated 14/11/2024 vide which Industry department informed that the proposal has been recommended after completing all codal formalities by the committee headed by SDO(C) after joint inspection of the site. All aspects of environmental sustainability have been taken into consideration, if the pp work according to the approved mining plan there will be no impact on stability of surrounding area.

The case application was again listed in 104<sup>th</sup> meeting of SEAC held on dated 31/12/2024. The SEAC again recommended the case application for consideration of grant of environmental clearance by the SEIAA subject to the fulfillment of conditions annexed at Annexure-I with following additional special condition that:

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1. The capital cost (@ Rs. 4.00 lacs per  $\leq$  ha.) under CER, shall be deposited in the form of Demand Draft/ transfer of funds in the bank account number mentioned in EC letter to the office of Director (DEST&CC), GOHP. The Director (DEST&CC) may device a plan for this purpose as per CER guidelines.
2. The project proponent shall provide one plastic waste shredder machine to DEST& CC, Shimla within one month from the date of issuance of EC letter, for further distribution under CER. The machines will be purchased from authorised/ approved sources and CMC/AMC will be assured with supplier for at least three years from date of installation. The Project proponent shall be responsible for functioning of the machines. The size of the shredded plastic shall be less than 2.36 mm. Technical specifications of the plastic waste shredder are as under:

Plastic Waste Shredder specifications (250Kg/Hr.)	
PARAMETER	SPECIFICATION
Mechanism type	Double shaft with rotating blades
Application	Shredding of RDF waste (Plastic bags, polythene, rags, leather, rubber etc. found in the Municipal Waste)
Shredder capacity	250-300 Kg/hr
Machine Size	Height- 4.5 ft, Length- Any & Width- Any.
Blade MOC	WP 45/ENOS (Harden)
Minimum height of hook above shaft & disc	70-SOmm
Output shredded material size	<2.36 mm
Working chamber	300mm X 380 mm
Motor HP	7.5HP
Total motor	1 Nos.
RPM of shafts	30-40
Motor make	Havells/ Crompton
Motor rating	IE2
Total gearbox	1Nos.
Hopper size	500mm X 350mm
Structure & cover & Hopper MOC	MS with paint
Extrafeatures	Cladding total body
Supply	3 Phase 440V- 50Hz.
Panel	
Panel function	Overload Protection, Short Circuit protection, Tower light, Limit switch for safety (when machine front cover open machine to stop working)
Warranty	
Duration	12 months or more
Scope under warranty	All the spares & repair work including labor

3. The project proponent shall sensitize and create awareness among people working within the project area as well as its surrounding area on the ban of SUP in order to ensure the compliance of Notification published by MoEF& CC on 12/08/2021. A report, along with photographs, on the measures taken shall also be included in the six monthly compliance report being submitted by the project proponents.
4. The project proponent shall ensure that mining is carried out strictly in accordance with the approved mining plan failing which strict action under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 will be initiated against the proponent and environmental compensation shall be imposed as per orders of Hon'ble NGT dated 19.02.2019 in the matter of OA No. 593/2017 (W.P.) (Civil) No. 375/2012).
5. The Department of Industries, Himachal Pradesh shall ensure that the mining is carried out strictly as per the Terms & Conditions of the Environment Clearance.
6. The Geological Wing of the Department of Industries, Himachal Pradesh and Project proponent shall ensure that the mining outside the riverbed on Patta Land/ Khatedari Land be granted when there is possibility of replenishment of material. In case, there is no replenishment then mining lease shall only be granted when there is no riverbed mining possibility within 5 KM of the Patta Land/ Khatedari land.
7. The Midterm review of hill slope mining activity shall be undertaken in case of any deviation from terms and conditions of EC/ Mining plan the EC shall be withdrawn along with environmental compensation imposed as per orders of Hon'ble NGT dated 19.02.2019 in the matter of OA No. 593/2017 (W.P.) (Civil) No. 375/2012).
8. The project proponent will ensure that no harm to the adjoining land or environmental degradation is caused due to mining activities and the mining activities are undertaken strictly as per approved mining plan.
9. This Environmental Clearance shall become operational only after receiving formal Forest Clearance (FC) under the provision of Forest Conservation Act, 1980, if applicable to the Project.

The Authority in its 73<sup>rd</sup> meeting held w.e.f. 24-25 February, 2025 approved grant of Environmental Clearance with the conditions as recommended by SEAC 104<sup>th</sup> meeting held on dated 31/12/2024 and with the following additional conditions:

1. The project proponent shall ensure that the mining activity is carried out after leaving the required buffer zone and distance from existing habitation/village. Measures will be taken to protect the nearby habitation from noise, water and air pollution.

2.6 M/s Kalgidhar Trust, VPO-Baddu Sahib, Tehsil-Pachhad, District-Sirmour, Himachal Pradesh.

**Brief outline of the project:-**

a)	Proposal No.	SIA/HP/MIN/444340/2023 (EC) (HP SEIAA/2023-1127)
b)	Processing fee	UTR number 036169853211 of Rs. 25,000/- dated 04.05.2024
c)	Project type	Extraction of Stone boulder, Sand & Bajri.
d)	Project Location	Khasra number 156/127/1 falling in Mohal / Mauza Baddu, Tehsil-Pachhad, Distt.-Sirmour, HP.
e)	Jamabandi	Jamabandi for the year 2016-2017
f)	Land Status	Private Land.
g)	Capacity	23,500 TPA.
h)	Mining Area	50-00 Bighas, 4.2146 ha, Private land.
i)	Leases with in 500 meter from the periphery of the area applied.	No mining lease exist within 500 meters,
j)	Letter of Intent	Letter of Intent issued on dated 03.09.2015 Clarification letter no. Udyog-Bhu (Khani-4) Laghu-168/ 2013- 1676 dated 23-08-2023.
k)	EMP Cost	Capital Cost Rs. 0.30 Lakhs and Recurring Cost Rs. 1.40 Lakhs annually.
l)	CER cost	Rs. 20.00 Lakhs.

Online proposal for granting EC was submitted on dated 14/09/2023 and accepted by the SEIAA secretariat on date 13/12/2023 and forwarded to SEAC secretariat. The hard copy was submitted by Project proponent on dated 13/10/2023.

It was observed by the committee that the proponent was granted EC earlier at District level vide no. LRK-SDM/N/ Mine/ 2017- 84 dated 05-01-2018 for a period of five years. But the pp could not get the grant order executed in his favor in this period and hence due to expiry of the EC has now reapplied for the renewal of EC at SEIAA level. The letter of Intent in this case has not been issued a fresh as clarified by Mining Department vide letter no. Udyog-Bhu(Khani-4) Laghu-168/ 2013- 1676 dated 23-08-2023.

The case was listed in 98<sup>th</sup> meeting of the SEAC held on 6<sup>th</sup> January, 2024. The PP requested to defer the case for next meeting; therefore, the case appraisal was deferred by SEAC.

The case was listed in 102<sup>nd</sup> meeting of SEAC held on dated 19<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> August, 2024. The Committee observed that the proposed mining lease is in accordance with the DSR duly endorsed by the SEIAA. The SEAC recommended the case application for consideration of grant of environmental clearance by the SEIAA.

The matter was listed before SEIAA in its 70<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 30/9/2024. After detailed deliberations the SEIAA decided to refer back the application to SEAC for further re-examination as per the following observations:

1. The SEIAA while looking at the project site using drone video and kml file observed that the SEAC may reexamine the application assessing how much stability of surrounding area will be affected due to proposed mining.

In compliance to the observations of the SEIAA, the case was again placed before SEAC in its 103<sup>rd</sup> meeting for reexamination on dated 21-10-2024.

The SEAC reexamined the proposal and reviewed the case application as per advice from the SEIAA. The SEAC observed that the application was dealt and recommended after examining all technical aspects, however, in order to further ensure that the mining activities doesn't affect the surrounding area environment and stability clarification from Project Proponent and Industry Department may be obtained once again.

The point wise clarification/ reply received from the Deptt. of Industries, Himachal Pradesh vide letter Dated 14/11/2024 vide which Industry department informed that the proposal has been recommended after completing all codal formalities by the committee headed by SDO(C) after joint inspection of the site. All aspects of environmental sustainability have

been taken into consideration, if the pp work according to the approved mining plan there will be no impact on stability of surrounding area.

The case application was again listed in 104<sup>th</sup> meeting of SEAC held on dated 31/12/2024. The SEAC again recommended the case application for consideration of grant of environmental clearance by the SEIAA subject to the fulfillment of conditions annexed at Annexure-I with following additional special condition that:

1. The capital cost (@ Rs. 4.00 lacs per ≤ ha.) under CER, shall be deposited in the form of Demand Draft/ transfer of funds in the bank account number mentioned in EC letter to the office of Director (DEST&CC), GOHP. The Director (DEST&CC) may device a plan for this purpose as per CER guidelines.
2. The project proponent shall provide one plastic waste shredder machine to DEST& CC, Shimla within one month from the date of issuance of EC letter, for further distribution under CER. The machines will be purchased from authorised/ approved sources and CMC/AMC will be assured with supplier for at least three years from date of installation. The Project proponent shall be responsible for functioning of the machines. The size of the shredded plastic shall be less than 2.36 mm. Technical specifications of the plastic waste shredder are as under:

Plastic Waste Shredder specifications (250Kg/Hr.)	
PARAMETER	SPECIFICATION
Mechanism type	Double shaft with rotating blades
Application	Shredding of RDF waste (Plastic bags, polythene, rags, leather, rubber etc. found in the Municipal Waste)
Shredder capacity	250-300 Kg/hr
Machine Size	Height- 4.5 ft, Length- Any & Width- Any.
Blade MOC	WP 45/ENOS (Harden)
Minimum height of hook above shaft & disc	70-SOmm
Output shredded material size	<2.36 mm
Working chamber	300mm X 380 mm
Motor HP	7.5HP
Total motor	1 Nos.
RPM of shafts	30-40
Motor make	Havells/ Crompton
Motor rating	IE2
Total gearbox	1Nos.
Hopper size	500mm X 350mm
Structure & cover & Hopper MOC	MS with paint
Extrafeatures	Cladding total body
Supply	3 Phase 440V- 50Hz.
Panel	
Panel function	Overload Protection, Short Circuit protection, Tower light, Limit switch for safety (when machine front cover open machine to stop working)
Warranty	
Duration	12 months or more
Scope under warranty	All the spares & repair work including labor

3. The project proponent shall sensitize and create awareness among people working within the project area as well as its surrounding area on the ban of SUP in order to ensure the compliance of Notification published by MoEF& CC on 12/08/2021. A report, along with photographs, on the measures taken shall also be included in the six monthly compliance report being submitted by the project proponents.
4. The project proponent shall ensure that mining is carried out strictly in accordance with the approved mining plan failing which strict action under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 will be initiated against the proponent and environmental compensation shall be imposed as per orders of Hon'ble NGT dated 19.02.2019 in the matter of OA No. 593/2017 (W.P.) (Civil) No. 375/2012).
5. The Department of Industries, Himachal Pradesh shall ensure that the mining is carried out strictly as per the Terms & Conditions of the Environment Clearance.
6. The Geological Wing of the Department of Industries, Himachal Pradesh and Project proponent shall ensure that the mining outside the riverbed on Patta Land/ Khatedari Land be granted when there is possibility of replenishment of material. In case, there is no replenishment then mining lease shall only be granted when there is no riverbed mining possibility within 5 KM of the Patta Land/ Khatedari land.
7. The Midterm review of hill slope mining activity shall be undertaken in case of any deviation from terms and conditions of EC/ Mining plan the EC shall be withdrawn along with environmental compensation imposed as per orders of Hon'ble NGT dated 19.02.2019 in the matter of OA No. 593/2017 (W.P.) (Civil) No. 375/2012).

8. The project proponent will ensure that no harm to the adjoining land or environmental degradation is caused due to mining activities and the mining activities are undertaken strictly as per approved mining plan.
9. This Environmental Clearance shall become operational only after receiving formal Forest Clearance (FC) under the provision of Forest Conservation Act, 1980, if applicable to the Project.

The Authority in its 73<sup>rd</sup> meeting held w.e.f. 24-25 February, 2025 approved grant of Environmental Clearance with the conditions as recommended by SEAC 104<sup>th</sup> meeting held on dated 31/12/2024 and with the following additional conditions:

1. The project proponent shall ensure that the mining activity is carried out after leaving the required buffer zone and distance from existing habitation/village. Measures will be taken to protect the nearby habitation from noise, water and air pollution.

2.7 Sh. Roshan Lal, Prop: M/s Bhagwati Stone Crusher, Village Banoh, P.O. Kakkarhatti, Tehsil Arki, Distt. Solan, Himachal Pradesh.

**Brief outline of the project:-**

a)	Proposal No.	SIA/HP/MIN/450718/2023 HP SEIAA/2023/1120
b)	Processing fee	Transaction number 417714135996 dated 25.06.2024 of Rs. 20,000/-
c)	Project type	Extraction of Sand/stone.
d)	Project Location	Khasra number 314/245, 315/245 & 243/5/2/1 falling in Mauza/Mohal-Banoh, Tehsil-Arki, District-Solan, HP.
e)	Jamabandi	Jamabandi for the year 2017-18
f)	Land Status	Private Land, Hill slope.
g)	Capacity	26,339 TPA.
h)	Mining Area	19-02 Bighas, Private land.
i)	Leases with in 500 meter from the periphery of the area applied.	No mining lease exist within 500 meters:
j)	Letter of Intent	Letter of Intent issued on dated 25/04/2023 (Valid for one year i.e. up to 24/04/2024) Extension of EC issued on dated 23/7/2027 vide letter No. 3154 of Deptt. of Industries HP.
k)	EMP Cost	Capital cost: Rs 5.50 Lakhs and Recurring cost: Rs 1.44 Lakhs annually.
l)	CER cost	Rs. 8.00 Lakhs.

Online proposal for EC was submitted on dated 30/10/2023 and accepted by the SEIAA secretariat on dated 25/11/2023 and forwarded to SEAC secretariat. The hard copy was submitted by Project proponent on dated 18/11/2023.

The case application was listed before the SEAC in 97<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 7/12/2023 with observations:

After submission of the compliance by the PP the case was listed in 102<sup>nd</sup> meeting of SEAC held on dated 19<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> August, 2024. The SEAC recommended the case application for consideration of grant of environmental clearance by the SEIAA

The matter was listed before SEIAA in its 70<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 30/9/2024. After detailed deliberations the SEIAA decided to refer back the application to SEAC for further re-examination as per the following observations:

1. The SEIAA while looking at the project site using drone video and kml file observed that the SEAC may reexamine the application assessing how much stability of surrounding area will be affected due to proposed mining.

In compliance to the observations of the SEIAA, the case was again placed before SEAC in its 103<sup>rd</sup> meeting for reexamination on dated 21-10-2024.

The SEAC reexamined the proposal and reviewed the case application as per advice from the SEIAA. The SEAC observed that the application was dealt and recommended after examining all technical aspects, however, in order to further ensure that the mining activities doesn't affect the surrounding area environment and stability clarification from Project Proponent and Industry Department may be obtained once again.

The point wise clarification/ reply received from the Deptt. of Industries, Himachal Pradesh vide letter Dated 14/11/2024 vide which Industry department informed that the proposal has been recommended after completing all codal formalities by the committee headed by SDO(C) after joint inspection of the site. All aspects of environmental sustainability have been taken into consideration, if the pp work according to the approved mining plan there will be no impact on stability of surrounding area.

The case application was again listed in 104<sup>th</sup> meeting of SEAC held on dated 31/12/2024. The SEAC again recommended the case application for consideration of grant of environmental clearance by the SEIAA subject to the fulfillment of conditions annexed at Annexure-I with following additional special condition that:

1. The capital cost (@ Rs. 4.00 lacs per  $\leq$  ha.) under CER, shall be deposited in the form of Demand Draft/ transfer of funds in the bank account number mentioned in EC letter to the office of Director (DEST&CC), GOHP. The Director (DEST&CC) may devise a plan for this purpose as per CER guidelines.
2. The project proponent shall provide one plastic waste shredder machine to DEST& CC, Shimla within one month from the date of issuance of EC letter, for further distribution under CER. The machines will be purchased from authorised/ approved sources and CMC/AMC will be assured with supplier for at least three years from date of installation. The Project proponent shall be responsible for functioning of the machines. The size of the shredded plastic shall be less than 2.36 mm. Technical specifications of the plastic waste shredder are as under:

Plastic Waste Shredder specifications (250Kg/Hr.)	
PARAMETER	SPECIFICATION
Mechanism type	Double shaft with rotating blades
Application	Shredding of RDF waste (Plastic bags, polythene, rags, leather, rubber etc. found in the Municipal Waste)
Shredder capacity	250-300 Kg/hr
Machine Size	Height- 4.5 ft, Length- Any & Width- Any.
Blade MOC	WP 45/ENOS (Harden)
Minimum height of hook above shaft & disc	70-SOmm
Output shredded material size	<2.36 mm
Working chamber	300mm X 380 mm
Motor HP	7.5HP
Total motor	1 Nos.
RPM of shafts	30-40
Motor make	Havells/ Crompton
Motor rating	IE2
Total gearbox	1Nos.
Hopper size	500mm X 350mm
Structure & cover & Hopper MOC	MS with paint
Extrafeatures	Cladding total body
Supply	3 Phase 440V- 50Hz.
Panel	
Panel function	Overload Protection, Short Circuit protection, Tower light, Limit switch for safety (when machine front cover open machine to stop working)
Warranty	
Duration	12 months or more
Scopeunderwarranty	All the spares & repair work including labor

3. The project proponent shall sensitize and create awareness among people working within the project area as well as its surrounding area on the ban of SUP in order to ensure the compliance of Notification published by MoEF& CC on 12/08/2021. A report, along with photographs, on the measures taken shall also be included in the six monthly compliance report being submitted by the project proponents.
4. The project proponent shall ensure that mining is carried out strictly in accordance with the approved mining plan failing which strict action under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 will be initiated against the proponent and environmental compensation shall be imposed as per orders of Hon'ble NGT dated 19.02.2019 in the matter of OA No. 593/2017 (W.P.) (Civil) No. 375/2012).
5. The Department of Industries, Himachal Pradesh shall ensure that the mining is carried out strictly as per the Terms & Conditions of the Environment Clearance.
6. The Geological Wing of the Department of Industries, Himachal Pradesh and Project proponent shall ensure that the mining outside the riverbed on Patta Land/ Khatedari Land be granted when there is possibility of replenishment of material. In case, there is no replenishment then mining lease shall only be granted when there is no riverbed mining possibility within 5 KM of the Patta Land/ Khatedari land.
7. The Midterm review of hill slope mining activity shall be undertaken in case of any deviation from terms and conditions of EC/ Mining plan the EC shall be withdrawn along with environmental compensation imposed as per orders of Hon'ble NGT dated 19.02.2019 in the matter of OA No. 593/2017 (W.P.) (Civil) No. 375/2012).
8. The project proponent will ensure that no harm to the adjoining land or environmental degradation is caused due to mining activities and the mining activities are undertaken strictly as per approved mining plan.

9. This Environmental Clearance shall become operational only after receiving formal Forest Clearance (FC) under the provision of Forest Conservation Act, 1980, if applicable to the Project.

The Authority in its 73<sup>rd</sup> meeting held w.e.f. 24-25 February, 2025 approved grant of Environmental Clearance with the conditions as recommended by SEAC 104<sup>th</sup> meeting held on dated 31/12/2024 and with the following additional conditions:

1. The project proponent shall ensure that the mining activity is carried out after leaving the required buffer zone and distance from existing habitation/village. Measures will be taken to protect the nearby habitation from noise, water and air pollution.

2.8 Sh. Dev Dutt, Village-Lana Kasar, PO. Sarsoo, Narag, Tehsil-Pachhad, District Sirmaur, Himachal Pradesh.

**Brief outline of the project:**

a)	Proposal No.	SIA/HP/MIN/450868/2023 HP SEIAA/2023-1115
b)	Processing fee	DD number 316405 dated 29.04.2024 of Rs. 25,000 /- Canara Bank, Shimla.
c)	Project type	Extraction of Stone.
d)	Project Location	Khasra number 117/76/3 falling in Mauza-Lana Kansar (Upsampada Lana KansarSarahan), Tehsil-Pachhad, District-Sirmaur, Himachal Pradesh.
e)	Jamabandi	Jamabandi for the year 2020-2021
f)	Land Status	Private land, hill slope.
g)	Capacity	40,000 MT/year.
h)	Mining Area	19-13 Bighas, 1.5483 ha, Private land/hill slope.
i)	Leases within 500 meter from the periphery of the area applied.	No mining lease exists within 500 meters.
j)	Letter of Intent	The letter of Intent dated 14.08.2024 has been issued by Industries Deptt. in favour of Sh. Yashpal Chauhan.
k)	EMP Cost	Capital Cost Rs.10.00 Lakhs, Recurring Cost Rs. 2.8 Lakhs annually
l)	CER cost	Rs. 8.00 lakhs.

Online proposal for granting EC was submitted on dated 01/11/2023 and accepted by the SEIAA secretariat on dated 25/11/2023 and forwarded to SEAC secretariat.

The case application was listed before the SEAC in 97<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 7/12/2023 with observations. Project proponent submitted the documents. It was also intimated by project proponent Sh. Dev Dutt that the said mining lease has been transferred in the name of Sh. Yashpal Chauhan C/o Gitika Niwas, Parimahal, Shimla, Himachal Pradesh. The letter of Intent dated 14.08.2024 has been revised / reissued in favour of Sh. Yashpal Chauhan and mining plan has also been transferred on dated 14.08.2024 on same terms and conditions.

Committee observed that the online application is in the name of Sh. Dev Dutt and required to be refilled through an online request by the new owner, both the seller and buyer were present in the meeting during the presentation.

After submission of the compliance by the pp the case was listed in 102<sup>nd</sup> meeting of SEAC held on dated 19<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> August, 2024. The SEAC recommended the case application for consideration of grant of environmental clearance by the SEIAA.

The matter was listed before SEIAA in its 70<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 30/9/2024. After detailed deliberations the SEIAA decided to refer back the application to SEAC for further re-examination as per the following observations:

1. The SEIAA while looking at the project site using drone video and kml file observed that the SEAC may reexamine the application assessing how much stability of surrounding area will be affected due to proposed mining.
2. The project proponent shall submit a certificate to the extent that there is no river bed mining lease in 5 km distance.

The application was placed before the SEAC in its 103<sup>rd</sup> meeting held on 21/10/2024 with observations. In compliance to the observations of the the PP also submitted the reply apart from reply from Industry department in the matter.

The SEAC reexamined the proposal and reviewed the case application as per advice from the SEIAA. The SEAC observed that the application was dealt and recommended after examining all technical aspects, however, in order to further ensure that the mining activities doesn't affect the surrounding area environment and stability clarification from Project Proponent and Industry Department may be obtained once again.

The point wise clarification/ reply received from the Deptt. of Industries, Himachal Pradesh vide letter Dated 14/11/2024 vide which Industry department informed that the proposal has been recommended after completing all codal formalities by the committee headed by SDO(C) after joint inspection of the site. All aspects of environmental sustainability have been taken into consideration, if the pp work according to the approved mining plan there will be no impact on stability of surrounding area.

The Industry department also stated that the Geological Wing of the Department of Industries, Himachal Pradesh is ensuring that the mining outside the riverbed on Patta Land/ Khatedari Land be granted when there is possibility of replenishment of material. In case, there is no replenishment then mining lease is granted when there is no riverbed mining possibility within 5 KM of the Patta Land/ Khatedari land.

The case application was again listed in 104<sup>th</sup> meeting of SEAC held on dated 31/12/2024. The SEAC again recommended the case application for consideration of grant of environmental clearance by the SEIAA subject to the fulfillment of conditions annexed at Annexure-I with following additional special condition that:

1. The capital cost (@ Rs. 4.00 lacs per  $\leq$  ha.) under CER, shall be deposited in the form of Demand Draft/ transfer of funds in the bank account number mentioned in EC letter to the office of Director (DEST&CC), GOHP. The Director (DEST&CC) may devise a plan for this purpose as per CER guidelines.
2. The project proponent shall provide one plastic waste shredder machine to DEST& CC, Shimla within one month from the date of issuance of EC letter, for further distribution under CER. The machines will be purchased from authorised/ approved sources and CMC/AMC will be assured with supplier for at least three years from date of installation. The Project proponent shall be responsible for functioning of the machines. The size of the shredded plastic shall be less than 2.36 mm. Technical specifications of the plastic waste shredder are as under:

Plastic Waste Shredder specifications (250Kg/Hr.)	
PARAMETER	SPECIFICATION
Mechanism type	Double shaft with rotating blades
Application	Shredding of RDF waste (Plastic bags, polythene, rags, leather, rubber etc. found in the Municipal Waste)
Shredder capacity	250-300 Kg/hr
Machine Size	Height- 4.5 ft, Length- Any & Width- Any.
Blade MOC	WP 45/ENOS (Harden)
Minimum height of hook above shaft & disc	70-SOmm
Output shredded material size	<2.36 mm
Working chamber	300mm X 380 mm
Motor HP	7.5HP
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RPM of shafts	30-40
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Hopper size	500mm X 350mm
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Panel function	Overload Protection, Short Circuit protection, Tower light, Limit switch for safety (when machine front cover open machine to stop working)
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Duration	12 months or more
Scopeunderwarranty	All the spares & repair work including labor

3. The project proponent shall sensitize and create awareness among people working within the project area as well as its surrounding area on the ban of SUP in order to ensure the compliance of Notification published by MoEF& CC on 12/08/2021. A report, along with photographs, on the measures taken shall also be included in the six monthly compliance report being submitted by the project proponents.
4. The project proponent shall ensure that mining is carried out strictly in accordance with the approved mining plan failing which strict action under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 will be initiated against the proponent and environmental compensation shall be imposed as per orders of Hon'ble NGT dated 19.02.2019 in the matter of OA No. 593/2017 (W.P.) (Civil) No. 375/2012).

5. The Department of Industries, Himachal Pradesh shall ensure that the mining is carried out strictly as per the Terms & Conditions of the Environment Clearance.
6. The Geological Wing of the Department of Industries, Himachal Pradesh and Project proponent shall ensure that the mining outside the riverbed on Patta Land/ Khatedari Land be granted when there is possibility of replenishment of material. In case, there is no replenishment then mining lease shall only be granted when there is no riverbed mining possibility within 5 KM of the Patta Land/ Khatedari land.
7. The Midterm review of hill slope mining activity shall be undertaken in case of any deviation from terms and conditions of EC/ Mining plan the EC shall be withdrawn along with environmental compensation imposed as per orders of Hon'ble NGT dated 19.02.2019 in the matter of OA No. 593/2017 (W.P.) (Civil) No. 375/2012).
8. The project proponent will ensure that no harm to the adjoining land or environmental degradation is caused due to mining activities and the mining activities are undertaken strictly as per approved mining plan.
9. This Environmental Clearance shall become operational only after receiving formal Forest Clearance (FC) under the provision of Forest Conservation Act, 1980, if applicable to the Project.

The Authority in its 73<sup>rd</sup> meeting held w.e.f. 24-25 February, 2025 approved grant of Environmental Clearance with the conditions as recommended by SEAC 104<sup>th</sup> meeting held on dated 31/12/2024 and with the following additional conditions:

1. The project proponent shall ensure that the mining activity is carried out after leaving the required buffer zone and distance from existing habitation/village. Measures will be taken to protect the nearby habitation from noise, water and air pollution.

2.9 Sh. Rakesh Chander, S/o Sh. Kishori Lal, Village GharyaniTukralan, PO Lafran, Tehsil Dhatwal (Bijhar), District Hamirpur, H.P.

**Brief outline of the project:**

a) Proposal No.	SIA/HP/MIN/451408/2023 HP SEIAA/2023-1114
b) Project type	Extraction of Sand, Stone.
c) Project Location	Khasra number 43falling in Mauza/Mohal Baroti, Sub Tehsil Kalol, District-Bilaspur, H.P
d) Jamabandi	Jamabandi for the year 2020-2021
e) Land Status	Private land, hill slope.
f) Capacity	10,000 MT/year.
g) Mining Area	04-17 Bighas, Private land/hill slope.
h) Leases within 500 meter from the periphery of the area applied.	No mining lease exists within 500 meters.
i) Letter of Intent	LoI letter extension dated 25/6/2024 valid upto 19/3/2025.
j) EMP Cost	Capital Cost- Rs.5.50 Lakhs, Recurring Cost- Rs.1.44 Lakhs annually
k) CER cost	Rs. 4.00 Lakhs.

Online proposal for granting EC was submitted on dated 06/11/2021 and accepted by the SEIAA secretariat on dated 25/11/2023 and forwarded to SEAC secretariat. The hard copy was submitted by Project proponent on dated 05/11/2023.

The case was listed before the SEAC in 96<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 29/11/2023 with observations. The project proponent submitted the clarification and compliance to above observations on dated 27-12-2023.

After submission of compliance of the observations, the case was again listed in 98<sup>th</sup> meeting of the SEAC held on 6<sup>th</sup> January, 2024. The SEAC did not recommend the case for grant of EC in view of the MoEF&CC directions issued vide F. No. IA3-22/11/2023-IA.III (E-208230) dated 28<sup>th</sup> April, 2023 w.r.t. Hon'ble NGT order dated 07.12.2022 passed in O.A.142 of 2022 in the matter of Jayant Kumar vs. MoEF&CC; to scrutinize and appraise the EC proposals based on the updated District Survey Report after five years, approved by SEIAA as per Ministry's Notification S.O 3611(E) dated 25.07.2018.

In view of the above, the SEAC decided to list the case of the proposed mining area after ascertaining the current status of mining area, in next meeting after submission of updated District Survey Report duly endorsed by SEIAA.

After submission of the compliance, the case was listed in 102<sup>nd</sup> meeting of SEAC held on dated 19<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> August, 2024. The SEAC recommended the case application for consideration of grant of environmental clearance by the SEIAA.

The matter was listed before SEIAA in its 70<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 30/9/2024. After detailed deliberations the SEIAA decided to refer back the application to SEAC for further re-examination as per the following observations:



1. The SEIAA while looking at the project site using drone video and kml file observed that the SEAC may reexamine the application assessing how much stability of surrounding area will be affected due to proposed mining.

In compliance to the observations of the SEIAA, the case was again placed before SEAC in its 103<sup>rd</sup> meeting for reexamination on dated 21-10-2024.

The SEAC reexamined the proposal and reviewed the case application as per advice from the SEIAA. The SEAC observed that the application was dealt and recommended after examining all technical aspects, however, in order to further ensure that the mining activities doesn't affect the surrounding area environment and stability clarification from Project Proponent and Industry Department may be obtained once again.

The point wise clarification/ reply received from the Deptt. of Industries, Himachal Pradesh vide letter Dated 14/11/2024 vide which Industry department informed that the proposal has been recommended after completing all codal formalities by the committee headed by SDO(C) after joint inspection of the site. All aspects of environmental sustainability have been taken into consideration, if the pp work according to the approved mining plan there will be no impact on stability of surrounding area.

The Industry department also stated that the Geological Wing of the Department of Industries, Himachal Pradesh is ensuring that the mining outside the riverbed on Patta Land/ Khatedari Land be granted when there is possibility of replenishment of material. In case, there is no replenishment then mining lease is granted when there is no riverbed mining possibility within 5 KM of the Patta Land/ Khatedari land.

The case application was again listed in 104<sup>th</sup> meeting of SEAC held on dated 31/12/2024. The SEAC again recommended the case application for consideration of grant of environmental clearance by the SEIAA subject to the fulfillment of conditions annexed at Annexure-I with following additional special condition that:

1. The capital cost (@ Rs. 4.00 lacs per  $\leq$  ha.) under CER, shall be deposited in the form of Demand Draft/ transfer of funds in the bank account number mentioned in EC letter to the office of Director (DEST&CC), GOHP. The Director (DEST&CC) may device a plan for this purpose as per CER guidelines.
2. The project proponent shall provide one plastic waste shredder machine to DEST& CC, Shimla within one month from the date of issuance of EC letter, for further distribution under CER. The machines will be purchased from authorised/ approved sources and CMC/AMC will be assured with supplier for at least three years from date of installation. The Project proponent shall be responsible for functioning of the machines. The size of the shredded plastic shall be less than 2.36 mm. Technical specifications of the plastic waste shredder are as under:

Plastic Waste Shredder specifications (250Kg/Hr.)	
PARAMETER	SPECIFICATION
Mechanism type	Double shaft with rotating blades
Application	Shredding of RDF waste (Plastic bags, polythene, rags, leather, rubber etc. found in the Municipal Waste)
Shredder capacity	250-300 Kg/hr
Machine Size	Height- 4.5 ft, Length- Any & Width- Any.
Blade MOC	WP 45/ENOS (Harden)
Minimum height of hook above shaft & disc	70-SOmm
Output shredded material size	<2.36 mm
Working chamber	300mm X 380 mm
Motor HP	7.5HP
Total motor	1 Nos.
RPM of shafts	30-40
Motor make	Havells/ Crompton
Motor rating	IE2
Total gearbox	1Nos.
Hopper size	500mm X 350mm
Structure & cover & Hopper MOC	MS with paint
Extrafeatures	Cladding total body
Supply	3 Phase 440V- 50Hz.
Panel	
Panel function	Overload Protection, Short Circuit protection, Tower light, Limit switch for safety (when machine front cover open machine to stop working)
Warranty	
Duration	12 months or more

Scope under warranty	All the spares & repair work including labor
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3. The project proponent shall sensitize and create awareness among people working within the project area as well as its surrounding area on the ban of SUP in order to ensure the compliance of Notification published by MoEF& CC on 12/08/2021. A report, along with photographs, on the measures taken shall also be included in the six monthly compliance report being submitted by the project proponents.
4. The project proponent shall ensure that mining is carried out strictly in accordance with the approved mining plan failing which strict action under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 will be initiated against the proponent and environmental compensation shall be imposed as per orders of Hon'ble NGT dated 19.02.2019 in the matter of OA No. 593/2017 (W.P.) (Civil) No. 375/2012).
5. The Department of Industries, Himachal Pradesh shall ensure that the mining is carried out strictly as per the Terms & Conditions of the Environment Clearance.
6. The Geological Wing of the Department of Industries, Himachal Pradesh and Project proponent shall ensure that the mining outside the riverbed on Patta Land/ Khatedari Land be granted when there is possibility of replenishment of material. In case, there is no replenishment then mining lease shall only be granted when there is no riverbed mining possibility within 5 KM of the Patta Land/ Khatedari land.
7. The Midterm review of hill slope mining activity shall be undertaken in case of any deviation from terms and conditions of EC/ Mining plan the EC shall be withdrawn along with environmental compensation imposed as per orders of Hon'ble NGT dated 19.02.2019 in the matter of OA No. 593/2017 (W.P.) (Civil) No. 375/2012).
8. The project proponent will ensure that no harm to the adjoining land or environmental degradation is caused due to mining activities and the mining activities are undertaken strictly as per approved mining plan.
9. This Environmental Clearance shall become operational only after receiving formal Forest Clearance (FC) under the provision of Forest Conservation Act, 1980, if applicable to the Project.

The Authority in its 73<sup>rd</sup> meeting held w.e.f. 24-25 February, 2025 approved grant of Environmental Clearance with the conditions as recommended by SEAC 104<sup>th</sup> meeting held on dated 31/12/2024 and with the following additional conditions:

1. The project proponent shall ensure that the mining activity is carried out after leaving the required buffer zone and distance from existing habitation/village. Measures will be taken to protect the nearby habitation from noise, water and air pollution.

2.10 Sh. Atul Sharma, S/o Sh. M.D. Sharma, Village-Sainj, P.O. Kirti, Tehsil-Kumarsain, District-Shimla, Himachal Pradesh.

**Brief outline of the project:**

a) Proposal No.	SIA/HP/MIN/453395/2023 (HP SEIAA/2023-1126)
b) Processing fee	UPI transaction number 41696880995 dated 14.05.2024
c) Project type	Extraction of Sand, Stone & Bajri.
d) Project Location	Khasra number 5681 falling in Mauza/ Mohal-Nithar Himri, Sub-Tehsil-Nithar, District-Kullu, HP.
e) Jamabandi	Jamabandi for the year 2019-2020
f) Land Status	Private Land
g) Capacity	10,014 MT/year
h) Mining Area	05-00 Bighas, Private land.
i) Leases within 500 meter from the periphery of the area applied.	Three other mining lease exists within 500 meters:- 1. Sh. Rakesh Verma, 8-02 Bighas. 2. Sh. Veer Singh, 6-05 Bighas 3. Sh. Atil Sharma, 20-11 Bighas
j) Letter of Intent	LOI extension issued on 2/7/24 valid upto 2/4/25
k) EMP Cost	Capital cost: Rs 8.25 Lakhs and Recurring cost: Rs 1.44 Lakhs annually.
l) CER cost	Rs. 4.00 Lakhs.

Online proposal for EC was submitted on dated 26/11/2023 and accepted by the SEIAA secretariat on dated 13/11/2023 and forwarded to SEAC secretariat. The hard copy was submitted on dated 30/11/2023.

The case was listed in 98<sup>th</sup> meeting of the SEAC held on 6<sup>th</sup> January, 2024. The PP requested to defer the case for next meeting; therefore, the case appraisal was deferred by the SEAC.

The case was listed in 102<sup>nd</sup> meeting of SEAC held on dated 19<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> August, 2024. The SEAC recommended the case application for consideration of grant of environmental clearance by the SEIAA.

The matter was listed before SEIAA in its 70<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 30/9/2024. After detailed deliberations the SEIAA decided to refer back the application to SEAC for further re-examination as per the following observations:

1. The SEIAA while looking at the project site using drone video and kml file observed that the SEAC may reexamine the application assessing how much stability of surrounding area will be affected due to proposed mining.

In compliance to the observations of the SEIAA, the case was again placed before SEAC in its 103<sup>rd</sup> meeting for reexamination on dated 21-10-2024.

The SEAC reexamined the proposal and reviewed the case application as per advice from the SEIAA. The SEAC observed that the application was dealt and recommended after examining all technical aspects, however, in order to further ensure that the mining activities doesn't affect the surrounding area environment and stability clarification from Project Proponent and Industry Department may be obtained once again.

The point wise clarification/ reply received from the Deptt. of Industries, Himachal Pradesh vide letter Dated 14/11/2024 vide which Industry department informed that the proposal has been recommended after completing all codal formalities by the committee headed by SDO(C) after joint inspection of the site. All aspects of environmental sustainability have been taken into consideration, if the pp work according to the approved mining plan there will be no impact on stability of surrounding area.

The Industry department also stated that the Geological Wing of the Department of Industries, Himachal Pradesh is ensuring that the mining outside the riverbed on Patta Land/ Khatedari Land be granted when there is possibility of replenishment of material. In case, there is no replenishment then mining lease is granted when there is no riverbed mining possibility within 5 KM of the Patta Land/ Khatedari land.

The case application was again listed in 104<sup>th</sup> meeting of SEAC held on dated 31/12/2024. The SEAC again recommended the case application for consideration of grant of environmental clearance by the SEIAA subject to the fulfillment of conditions annexed at Annexure-I with following additional special condition that:

1. The capital cost (@ Rs. 4.00 lacs per  $\leq$  ha.) under CER, shall be deposited in the form of Demand Draft/ transfer of funds in the bank account number mentioned in EC letter to the office of Director (DEST&CC), GOHP. The Director (DEST&CC) may device a plan for this purpose as per CER guidelines.
2. The project proponent shall provide one plastic waste shredder machine to DEST& CC, Shimla within one month from the date of issuance of EC letter, for further distribution under CER. The machines will be purchased from authorised/ approved sources and CMC/AMC will be assured with supplier for at least three years from date of installation. The Project proponent shall be responsible for functioning of the machines. The size of the shredded plastic shall be less than 2.36 mm. Technical specifications of the plastic waste shredder are as under:

Plastic Waste Shredder specifications (250Kg/Hr.)	
PARAMETER	SPECIFICATION
Mechanism type	Double shaft with rotating blades
Application	Shredding of RDF waste (Plastic bags, polythene, rags, leather, rubber etc. found in the Municipal Waste)
Shredder capacity	250-300 Kg/hr
Machine Size	Height- 4.5 ft, Length- Any & Width- Any.
Blade MOC	WP 45/ENOS (Harden)
Minimum height of hook above shaft & disc	70-SOmm
Output shredded material size	<2.36 mm
Working chamber	300mm X 380 mm
Motor HP	7.5HP
Total motor	1 Nos.
RPM of shafts	30-40
Motor make	Havells/ Crompton
Motor rating	IE2
Total gearbox	1Nos.
Hopper size	500mm X 350mm
Structure & cover & Hopper MOC	MS with paint
Extrafeatures	Cladding total body
Supply	3 Phase 440V- 50Hz.
Panel	
Panel function	Overload Protection, Short Circuit protection, Tower light, Limit switch for safety (when machine front cover open machine to stop

	working)
Warranty	
Duration	12 months or more
Scope under warranty	All the spares & repair work including labor

3. The project proponent shall sensitize and create awareness among people working within the project area as well as its surrounding area on the ban of SUP in order to ensure the compliance of Notification published by MoEF& CC on 12/08/2021. A report, along with photographs, on the measures taken shall also be included in the six monthly compliance report being submitted by the project proponents.
4. The project proponent shall ensure that mining is carried out strictly in accordance with the approved mining plan failing which strict action under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 will be initiated against the proponent and environmental compensation shall be imposed as per orders of Hon'ble NGT dated 19.02.2019 in the matter of OA No. 593/2017 (W.P.) (Civil) No. 375/2012).
5. The Department of Industries, Himachal Pradesh shall ensure that the mining is carried out strictly as per the Terms & Conditions of the Environment Clearance.
6. The Geological Wing of the Department of Industries, Himachal Pradesh and Project proponent shall ensure that the mining outside the riverbed on Patta Land/ Khatedari Land be granted when there is possibility of replenishment of material. In case, there is no replenishment then mining lease shall only be granted when there is no riverbed mining possibility within 5 KM of the Patta Land/ Khatedari land.
7. The Midterm review of hill slope mining activity shall be undertaken in case of any deviation from terms and conditions of EC/ Mining plan the EC shall be withdrawn along with environmental compensation imposed as per orders of Hon'ble NGT dated 19.02.2019 in the matter of OA No. 593/2017 (W.P.) (Civil) No. 375/2012).
8. The project proponent will ensure that no harm to the adjoining land or environmental degradation is caused due to mining activities and the mining activities are undertaken strictly as per approved mining plan.
9. This Environmental Clearance shall become operational only after receiving formal Forest Clearance (FC) under the provision of Forest Conservation Act, 1980, if applicable to the Project.

The Authority in its 73<sup>rd</sup> meeting held w.e.f. 24-25 February, 2025 approved grant of Environmental Clearance with the conditions as recommended by SEAC 104<sup>th</sup> meeting held on dated 31/12/2024 and with the following additional conditions:

1. The project proponent shall ensure that the mining activity is carried out after leaving the required buffer zone and distance from existing habitation/village. Measures will be taken to protect the nearby habitation from noise, water and air pollution.

**2.11 ATAL INSTITUTE OF MEDICAL SUPER SPECIALTIES (AIMSS), Village-Chamyana, District Shimla, Himachal Pradesh.**

**Brief outline of the project:**

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| a) | Online Proposal No.          | SIA/HP/INFRA2/416107/2023<br>HP SEIAA/2023-1053   |
| b) | Project type                 | EXPANSION PROJECT<br>Construction of Additional block of ATAL INSTITUTE OF MEDICAL SUPER SPECIALTIES"(AIMSS)<br>Building and construction project (Category 8-a). |
| c) | Project Location             | Khasra number 682/2/1, 683/1 and 684/1, village-Chamyana/Malyana, District-Shimla, Himachal Pradesh   |
| d) | Built up area                | Previous area: 28,556 Sq. Meter<br>Proposed area: 14,406.143 Sq. Meter  |
| e) | Plot area                    | Previous area :1700 Sq. Meter (4.20 acres)<br>Total Proposed area: 45,286 Sq. Meter   |
| f) | Parking proposed             | Previous:30 cars and 70 Ambulances<br>Proposed: 201(car + Ambulance)  |
| g) | STP                          | Previous: 185 KLD<br>Proposed: 40 KLD<br>Total after expansion: 225 KLD   |
| h) | ETP                          | Previous: 15 KLD<br>Proposed: 30 KLD<br>Total after expansion: 45 KLD   |
| i) | Water consumption            | Previous water requirement: 224 KLD<br>Proposed water requirement (for proposed expansion blocks):<br>124.18 KLD  |
| j) | Total waste water generation | Proposed waste water generation: 0.4 KLD  |

k)	Power requirement	Previous: Appr. 2490.10 KVA Proposed: 998 KVA
l)	Project cost	Previous cost: Rs. 213.01 Crores Proposed cost: Rs. 54.60 crores
m)	EMP Cost	Previous: Capital Cost: Rs. 553 lakhs; Recurring Cost: Rs. 12 lakhs (construction phase). <b>Expansion Proposed: Capital Rs. 726.00 Lakhs Recurring Rs. 126.00 Lakhs</b>
n)	CER Cost	Previous : Capital Cost: Rs. 43 lakhs

Online proposal for granting EC was submitted on dated 01/03/2023 and accepted by the SEIAA secretariat on dated 17/03/2023 and forwarded to SEAC secretariat. The hard copy was submitted by Project proponent on dated 28/06/2023.

The Environment Clearance was granted by HPSEIAA vide proposal number SIA/HP/MIS/193365/2021, HPSEIAA-2021-812 in the name of the Additional Director INDIRA GANDHI MEDICAL COLLEGE, SHIMLA situated at Khasra no **682/ 1, 678, 682/2/2 and 638/ 1** situated in village-Chamyana, Near Bhattakufar, Shimla situated in village-Chamyana, Near Bhattakufar, Shimla.

The project proponent has applied for constructing of additional blocks (Blood Bank, Mortuary, Diagnostic labs, guest room and other infrastructure).

The case was listed in 94<sup>th</sup> meeting of the SEAC held on 7-8 August, 2023. After deliberating on the information submitted by the project proponent and considering the facts placed before the Committee, the SEAC decided to list the case in next meeting after compliance to the following observations:

1. A sub-committee of SEAC shall visit the project site to check and assess all environmental clearance terms and conditions compliance of existing developments project physically and submit its report to the Committee in its next meeting for expansion.

According to observation a sub committee of SEAC along with Officers/ Officials from DEST&CC also visited the site on dated 02.01.2025 to verify the facts and submitted site inspection report before SEAC Committee for appraisal.

The case was listed in 105<sup>th</sup> meeting of SEAC held on dated 23/1/2025. The case was discussed in details and after reviewing the information submitted by the project proponent, the inspection report, and other relevant facts, the Committee made the following observations:

1. The earlier Environment Clearance (EC) for the existing block of the AIMSS, granted by HPSEIAA on August 11, 2022, was also identified as a violation under similar circumstances.
2. The project proponent initiated construction activities for the additional block of the Atal Institute of Medical Super Specialties (AIMSS) without obtaining prior Environmental Clearance (EC), which constitutes a violation of the EIA Notification, 2006.
3. Approximately 60% of the construction work for the Mortuary and Bio-Medical Waste Plant, along with a single-story building, was already completed without prior approval.
4. The construction of Diagnostic Labs, Guest Rooms, and associated facilities in a four-story building was found to be nearly 50% complete.
5. The Critical Care Centre was approximately 30% complete at the time of inspection.
6. Construction debris (muck) was observed in front of the Diagnostic Labs building, indicating improper management of construction waste.
7. The project proponent has committed repeated violation, disregarding the terms and conditions of EC and procedures mandated under the EIA Notification.
8. The SEAC expressed serious concerns over the repeated non-compliance by the project proponent and emphasized the need for stringent measures to address such violations.

In view of the above facts, it was recommended that the case may be referred to Authority for giving further appropriate decision in the matter.

The Authority in its 73<sup>rd</sup> meeting held w.e.f. 24-25 February, 2025 decided that the matter may be referred back to SEAC:

1. To examine the matter as per the EIA notification. Since it is the case of expansion, the MOEF&CC, Gol provisions vide circular No.J-11011/618/2010-1A(II)(1) dated 30/05/2012 may also be examined.
2. SEAC may also consider to issue show cause notice to the project proponent as why appropriate fine should not be imposed for violation.

2.12 Sh. Bhupesh Sharma, S/o Sh. Jeeva Nand Sharma, Village-Narhali, PO-Gohar, Tehsil Chachyott, District-Mandi, H.P.

**Brief outline of the project:**

a)	Online Proposal No.	SIA/HP/MIN/225177/2021 HP SEIAA/2021-867
b)	Project type	Extraction of Sand, Stone & Bajri.
c)	Project Location	Khasra number 1363 falling in Mauza & Mohal Har & Jaladi, Tehsil Kangra, District-Kangra, H.P
d)	Jamabandi	Jamabandi for the year 2017-2018
e)	Land Status	Government land.
f)	Capacity	72,596 TPA.
g)	Mining Area	4-81-07 ha, Government land, <b>river bed</b> .
h)	Leases with in 500 meter from the periphery of the area applied.	No mining lease exists within 500 meters.
i)	Letter of Intent	Extension of Letter of Intent dated 13.07.2022 (Valid for one year i.e. up to 23.06.2023)
j)	EMP Cost	Capital Cost: Rs. 2.80 Lakhs, Recurring Cost: Rs. 11.85 Lakhs for 5 years.
k)	CER cost	Rs. 23.00 lakhs

The proposed project is extraction of Sand, Stone & Bajri from Baner Khad. Online proposal for granting EC was submitted on dated 20/08/2021 and accepted by the SEIAA secretariat on dated 31/08/2021 and forwarded to SEAC secretariat. The hard copy was submitted by Project proponent on dated 29/07/2021.

The case was appraised by the SEAC in its 81<sup>st</sup> meeting with certain observations. The case was listed before the SEAC in its 88<sup>th</sup> meeting with observations. After submission of the compliance, the case was relisted in 90<sup>th</sup> meeting of the SEAC held on 23-24<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 with observations. After submission of desired information, the case was listed in 93<sup>rd</sup> meeting of the SEAC held on 7<sup>th</sup> June, 2023. The project proponent did not submitted revised mining plan. Hence decided to list the case in next meeting after submission of the revised reply by the project proponent as per discussion with revised mining plan clearly restricting the mining area, defining adequate buffer zone so that no damage is caused to existing HEP. The documents with revised check list have been submitted on dated 23.12.2024. The committee observed that the proposed mining site is also located in the stretches which are indicated in the updated District Survey Report dully endorsed by SEIAA.

The case was again listed in 105<sup>th</sup> meeting of SEAC held on dated 23/1/2025. The SEAC recommended the case application for consideration of grant of environmental clearance by the SEIAA subject to the fulfillment of standard conditions with following additional special condition that:

1. The project proponent shall not cause any harm to the adjoining Hydro-Power Project i.e. Yogendra Power located along the proposed minig site. an adequate buffer shall be maintained from the boundary of the hydro power project.
2. The capital cost (@ Rs. 4.00 lacs per ≤ ha.) under CER, shall be deposited in the form of Demand Draft/ transfer of funds in the bank account number mentioned in EC letter to the office of Director (DEST&CC), GOHP. The Director (DEST&CC) may device a plan for this purpose as per CER guidelines.
3. The project proponent shall provide one plastic waste shredder machine to DEST& CC, Shimla within one month from the date of issuance of EC letter, for further distribution under CER. The machines will be purchased from authorised/ approved sources and CMC/AMC will be assured with supplier for at least three years from date of installation. The Project proponent shall be responsible for functioning of the machines. The size of the shredded plastic shall be less than 2.36 mm. Technical specifications of the plastic waste shredder are as under:

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Working chamber	300mm X 380 mm
Motor HP	7.5HP
Total motor	1 Nos.

RPM of shafts	30-40
Motor make	Havells/ Crompton
Motor rating	IE2
Total gearbox	1Nos.
Hopper size	500mm X 350mm
Structure & cover & Hopper MOC	MS with paint
Extrafeatures	Cladding total body
Supply	3 Phase 440V- 50Hz.
Panel	
Panel function	Overload Protection, Short Circuit protection, Tower light, Limit switch for safety (when machine front cover open machine to stop working)
Warranty	
Duration	12 months or more
Scopeunderwarranty	All the spares & repair work including labor

4. The project proponent shall sensitize and create awareness among people working within the project area as well as its surrounding area on the ban of SUP in order to ensure the compliance of Notification published by MoEF & CC on 12/08/2021. A report, along with photographs, on the measures taken shall also be included in the six monthly compliance reports being submitted by the project proponents.
5. The project proponent shall ensure that mining is carried out strictly in accordance with the approved mining plan failing which strict action under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 will be initiated against the proponent and environmental compensation shall be imposed as per orders of Hon'ble NGT dated 19.02.2019 in the matter of OA No. 593/2017 (W.P.) (Civil) No. 375/2012).
6. The project proponent shall submit the copy of renewal of LOI – valid LOI within 15days positively.
7. The Department of Industries, Himachal Pradesh shall ensure that the mining is carried out strictly as per the Terms & Conditions of the Environment Clearance.
8. The project proponent will ensure that no harm to the adjoining land or environmental degradation is caused due to mining activities and the mining activities are undertaken strictly as per approved mining plan.
9. This Environmental Clearance shall become operational only after receiving formal Forest Clearance (FC) under the provision of Forest Conservation Act, 1980, if applicable to the Project.

The Authority in its 73<sup>rd</sup> meeting held w.e.f. 24-25 February, 2025 approved grant of Environmental Clearance with the conditions as recommended by SEAC 105<sup>th</sup> meeting held on dated 23/1/2025.

2.13 Sh. Nagin Chand, S/o Late Sh. Tara Chand, Village Moin, P.O Nirath, Sub-tehsil Nithar, District-Kullu, HP.

**Brief outline of the project:**

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| a) | Online Proposal No.  | SIA/HP/MIN/231355/2022<br>HP SEIAA/2022-1025   |
| b) | Project type   | Extraction/collection of Sand & Stone.   |
| c) | Project Location   | Khasra number 2526, 2527, 2507/1, 2507/2, 2507/3 & 2508 falling in Mauza /Mohal-Nithar, Sub-tehsil-Nithar, Distt. Kullu, HP.   |
| d) | Jamabandi  | Jamabandi for the year 2004-2005   |
| e) | Land Status  | Private Land.  |
| f) | Capacity   | 14,440 MT/year.  |
| g) | Mining Area  | 10-18 Bighas, Private land ( <b>Hill Slope</b> )   |
| h) | Leases with in 500 meter from the periphery of the area applied. | Mining leases exist within 500 meters:<br>5 mining leases as per certificate issued on 22/11/21 by Deptt. of Industries, GoHP. |
| i) | Letter of Intent   | Letter of Intent issued on dated 14.03.2018<br>Extended upto 13/3/2023.  |
| j) | EMP Cost   | Capital Cost- Rs.1.80 Lakhs, Recurring Cost- Rs.1.26 Lakhs/PA  |
| k) | CER cost   | Rs. 4.00 lakhs   |

The proposed project is Extraction/ Collection of Sand & Stone.

The case was appraised by SEAC in its 88<sup>th</sup> Meeting with observations. The case was again appraised in 90<sup>th</sup> meeting of the SEAC held on 23-24<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 with observations. After submission of the compliance by the project proponent the case was again appraised in 94<sup>th</sup> meeting of the SEAC held on 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> August, 2023 with observations. The project proponent submitted the compliance to the observation on dated 23.12.2024. The committee observed that the proposed mining site is also located in the stretches which are indicated in the updated District Survey Report dully endorsed by SEIAA.

The case was again listed in 105<sup>th</sup> meeting of SEAC held on dated 23/1/2025. The SEAC recommended the case application for consideration of grant of environmental clearance by the SEIAA subject to the fulfillment of standard conditions and with following additional special conditions that:

1. The capital cost (@ Rs. 4.00 lacs per  $\leq$  ha.) under CER, shall be deposited in the form of Demand Draft/ transfer of funds in the bank account number mentioned in EC letter to the office of Director (DEST&CC), GOHP. The Director (DEST&CC) may devise a plan for this purpose as per CER guidelines.
2. The project proponent shall provide one plastic waste shredder machine to DEST& CC, Shimla within one month from the date of issuance of EC letter, for further distribution under CER. The machines will be purchased from authorised/ approved sources and CMC/AMC will be assured with supplier for at least three years from date of installation. The Project proponent shall be responsible for functioning of the machines. The size of the shredded plastic shall be less than 2.36 mm. Technical specifications of the plastic waste shredder are as under:

Plastic Waste Shredder specifications (250Kg/Hr.)	
PARAMETER	SPECIFICATION
Mechanism type	Double shaft with rotating blades
Application	Shredding of RDF waste (Plastic bags, polythene, rags, leather, rubber etc. found in the Municipal Waste)
Shredder capacity	250-300 Kg/hr
Machine Size	Height- 4.5 ft, Length- Any & Width- Any.
Blade MOC	WP 45/ENOS (Harden)
Minimum height of hook above shaft & disc	70-SOmm
Output shredded material size	<2.36 mm
Working chamber	300mm X 380 mm
Motor HP	7.5HP
Total motor	1 Nos.
RPM of shafts	30-40
Motor make	Havells/ Crompton
Motor rating	IE2
Total gearbox	1Nos.
Hopper size	500mm X 350mm
Structure & cover & Hopper MOC	MS with paint
Extrafeatures	Cladding total body
Supply	3 Phase 440V- 50Hz.
Panel	
Panel function	Overload Protection, Short Circuit protection, Tower light, Limit switch for safety (when machine front cover open machine to stop working)
Warranty	
Duration	12 months or more
Scopeunderwarranty	All the spares & repair work including labor

3. The project proponent shall sensitize and create awareness among people working within the project area as well as its surrounding area on the ban of SUP in order to ensure the compliance of Notification published by MoEF& CC on 12/08/2021. A report, along with photographs, on the measures taken shall also be included in the six monthly compliance report being submitted by the project proponents.
4. The project proponent shall ensure that mining is carried out strictly in accordance with the approved mining plan failing which strict action under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 will be initiated against the proponent and environmental compensation shall be imposed as per orders of Hon'ble NGT dated 19.02.2019 in the matter of OA No. 593/2017 (W.P.) (Civil) No. 375/2012).
5. The Department of Industries, Himachal Pradesh shall ensure that the mining is carried out strictly as per the Terms & Conditions of the Environment Clearance.
6. The Geological Wing of the Department of Industries, Himachal Pradesh and Project proponent shall ensure that the mining outside the riverbed on Patta Land/ Khatedari Land be granted when there is possibility of replenishment of material. In case, there is no replenishment then mining lease shall only be granted when there is no riverbed mining possibility within 5 KM of the Patta Land/ Khatedari land.
7. The Midterm review of hill slope mining activity shall be undertaken in case of any deviation from terms and conditions of EC/ Mining plan the EC shall be withdrawn along with environmental compensation imposed as per orders of Hon'ble NGT dated 19.02.2019 in the matter of OA No. 593/2017 (W.P.) (Civil) No. 375/2012).
8. The project proponent shall submit the copy of renewal of LOI – valid LOI within 15days positively.
9. The project proponent will ensure that no harm to the adjoining land or environmental degradation is caused due to mining activities and the mining activities are undertaken strictly as per approved mining plan.



10. This Environmental Clearance shall become operational only after receiving formal Forest Clearance (FC) under the provision of Forest Conservation Act, 1980, if applicable to the Project.

The Authority in its 73<sup>rd</sup> meeting held w.e.f. 24-25 February, 2025 approved grant of Environmental Clearance with the conditions as recommended by SEAC 105<sup>th</sup> meeting held on dated 23/1/2025 and with the following additional conditions:

1. The project proponent shall ensure that the mining activity is carried out after leaving the required buffer zone and distance from existing habitation/village. Measures will be taken to protect the nearby habitation from noise, water and air pollution.

2.14 Sh. Kamal Dev Pathania, Village-Gori, P.O. Kulhera, Tehsil-Barsar, District-Hamirpur, H.P.

**Brief outline of the project:**

a)	Online Proposal No.	SIA/HP/MIN/63515/2021 (TOR's), HP SEIAA/2021-839 SIA/HP/MIN/400903/2021 (EC's), HP SEIAA/2022-991
b)	Processing fee	UPI Transaction ID: 455932982188 dated 11.07.2024 of Rs. 50,000/-
c)	Project type	Extraction of sand, Stone & Bajri.
d)	Project Location	Khasra number 346, 359, 620 & 621 falling in Mauza & Mohal-Kathiana & Datwal, District- Hamirpur, H.P.
e)	Jamabandi	Jamabandi for the year 2015-2016
f)	Land Status	Government land, <b>River Bed</b> .
g)	Capacity	95,625 TPA.
h)	Mining Area	06-54-40 ha,
i)	Leases within 500 meter from the periphery of the area applied.	No mining lease exists.
j)	Letter of Intent	Letter of Intent issued on dated 04.03.2021 (Revised and valid for one year i.e. up to 07.03.2025)
k)	EMP Cost	Capital Cost: Rs. 4.07 Lakhs, Recurring Cost: Rs. 4.53 Lakhs/PA
l)	CER cost	Rs. 28.0 Lakhs

The proposed project is Extraction of Sand, Stone & Bajri from Sukker Khad Part-III. Online proposal for granting ToR was submitted on dated 27/05/2021. After recommendations of the SEAC in its 81<sup>st</sup> meeting TOR's letter was issued on dated 24.09.2021. Online proposal for granting EC was submitted on dated 06/10/2022 and accepted by the SEIAA secretariat on dated 13/10/2022 and forwarded to SEAC secretariat.

After completion of EIA report, the proponent through SPCB hold the public hearing (PH) on dated 08/04/2022 for said project being B1 category project and proceedings of PH were received from the office of Director DEST.

Accordingly, after the completion of procedural process *ibid* for Cat B1 projects, the case was listed in 90<sup>th</sup> meeting of the SEAC held on 23-24<sup>th</sup> March, 2023. The SEAC appraised the case and decided to list the case in next meeting after compliance the observations. The case application was again appraised by SEAC in 97<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 7/12/2023 with observations. After submission of the compliance, the case was appraised by SEAC in its 102<sup>nd</sup> meeting held on dated 19<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> August, 2024 with observations.

The project proponent submitted the documents on dated 25.11.2024. The committee observed that the proposed mining site is also located in the stretches which are indicated in the updated District Survey Report duly endorsed by SEIAA.

The case was listed in 105<sup>th</sup> meeting of SEAC held on dated 23/1/2025. The SEAC recommended the case application for consideration of grant of environmental clearance by the SEIAA subject to the fulfillment of conditions annexed at Annexure-I with following additional special condition that:

1. The capital cost (@ Rs. 4.00 lacs per  $\leq$  ha.) under CER, shall be deposited in the form of Demand Draft/ transfer of funds in the bank account number mentioned in EC letter to the office of Director (DEST&CC), GOHP. The Director (DEST&CC) may devise a plan for this purpose as per CER guidelines.
2. The project proponent shall provide one plastic waste shredder machine to DEST& CC, Shimla within one month from the date of issuance of EC letter, for further distribution under CER. The machines will be purchased from authorised/ approved sources and CMC/AMC will be assured with supplier for at least three years from date of installation. The Project proponent shall be responsible for functioning of the machines. The size of the shredded plastic shall be less than 2.36 mm. Technical specifications of the plastic waste shredder are as under:

Plastic Waste Shredder specifications (250Kg/Hr.)	
PARAMETER	SPECIFICATION
Mechanism type	Double shaft with rotating blades

Application	Shredding of RDF waste (Plastic bags, polythene, rags, leather, rubber etc. found in the Municipal Waste)
Shredder capacity	250-300 Kg/hr
Machine Size	Height- 4.5 ft, Length- Any & Width- Any.
Blade MOC	WP 45/ENOS (Harden)
Minimum height of hook above shaft & disc	70-SOmm
Output shredded material size	<2.36 mm
Working chamber	300mm X 380 mm
Motor HP	7.5HP
Total motor	1 Nos.
RPM of shafts	30-40
Motor make	Havells/ Crompton
Motor rating	IE2
Total gearbox	1Nos.
Hopper size	500mm X 350mm
Structure & cover & Hopper MOC	MS with paint
Extrafeatures	Cladding total body
Supply	3 Phase 440V- 50Hz.
Panel	
Panel function	Overload Protection, Short Circuit protection, Tower light, Limit switch for safety (when machine front cover open machine to stop working)
Warranty	
Duration	12 months or more
Scopeunderwarranty	All the spares & repair work including labor

3. The project proponent shall sensitize and create awareness among people working within the project area as well as its surrounding area on the ban of SUP in order to ensure the compliance of Notification published by MoEF& CC on 12/08/2021. A report, along with photographs, on the measures taken shall also be included in the six monthly compliance report being submitted by the project proponents.
4. The project proponent shall ensure that mining is carried out strictly in accordance with the approved mining plan failing which strict action under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 will be initiated against the proponent and environmental compensation shall be imposed as per orders of Hon'ble NGT dated 19.02.2019 in the matter of OA No. 593/2017 (W.P.) (Civil) No. 375/2012).
5. The Department of Industries, Himachal Pradesh shall ensure that the mining is carried out strictly as per the Terms & Conditions of the Environment Clearance.
6. The project proponent will ensure that no harm to the adjoining land or environmental degradation is caused due to mining activities and the mining activities are undertaken strictly as per approved mining plan.
7. This Environmental Clearance shall become operational only after receiving formal Forest Clearance (FC) under the provision of Forest Conservation Act, 1980, if applicable to the Project.

The Authority in its 73<sup>rd</sup> meeting held w.e.f. 24-25 February, 2025 approved grant of Environmental Clearance with the conditions as recommended by SEAC 105<sup>th</sup> meeting held on dated 23/1/2025.

- 2.15 Smt. Lachhami Devi, W/o Sh. Chattar Singh, Prop: M/s Mahalaxmi Stone Crusher, Village Bair, P.O. Tilli, Tehsil-Sadar, District-Mandi, Himachal Pradesh.

**Brief outline of the project:**

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| a) | Online Proposal No.  | SIA/HP/MIN/426167/2023<br>HP SEIAA/2023-1078   |
| b) | Project type   | Extraction of Stone.   |
| c) | Project Location   | Khasra number 1229/1/1 falling in Mohal/MauzaKathalag/141, Tehsil-Sadar, District-Mandi, H.P.          |
| d) | Jamabandi  | Jamabandi for the year 2015-16   |
| e) | Land Status  | Private Land.  |
| f) | Capacity   | 52,659 TPA.  |
| g) | Mining Area  | 09-01-16 Bighas, Private land/hill slope.  |
| h) | Leases with in 500 meter from the periphery of the area applied. | One mining lease exist within 500 meters:-<br>1. Sh. Jagdish Kumar (08-05-13 Bighas)                   |
| i) | Letter of Intent   | Extension of Letter of Intent issued on dated 26/12/2022<br>(Valid for one year i.e. up to 19/12/2025) |
| j) | EMP Cost   | Capital Cost Rs.3.15 Lakhs and Recurring Cost Rs. 4.45 Lakhs/ PA                                       |

k) CER cost Rs 4.00 Lakhs.

The proposed project is Extraction of Stone. Online proposal for EC was submitted on dated 19/04/2023 and accepted by the SEIAA secretariat on dated 26/06/23 and forwarded to SEAC secretariat. The hard copy was submitted by Project proponent on dated 31/05/2023.

The case was again listed in 94<sup>th</sup> meeting of the SEAC held on 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> August, 2023. The consultant appeared for the project proponent was not approved under NABL, therefore, the case was deferred. The case application was appraised by SEAC in 97<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 7/12/2023 with observations. The project proponent submitted the documents on dated 23.12.2024.

The case was listed in 105<sup>th</sup> meeting of SEAC held on dated 23/1/2025. The SEAC recommended the case application for consideration of grant of environmental clearance by the SEIAA subject to the fulfillment of standard conditions and with following additional special conditions that:

1. The capital cost (@ Rs. 4.00 lacs per ≤ ha.) under CER, shall be deposited in the form of Demand Draft/ transfer of funds in the bank account number mentioned in EC letter to the office of Director (DEST&CC), GOHP. The Director (DEST&CC) may devise a plan for this purpose as per CER guidelines.
2. The project proponent shall provide one plastic waste shredder machine to DEST& CC, Shimla within one month from the date of issuance of EC letter, for further distribution under CER. The machines will be purchased from authorised/ approved sources and CMC/AMC will be assured with supplier for at least three years from date of installation. The Project proponent shall be responsible for functioning of the machines. The size of the shredded plastic shall be less than 2.36 mm. Technical specifications of the plastic waste shredder are as under:

Plastic Waste Shredder specifications (250Kg/Hr.)	
PARAMETER	SPECIFICATION
Mechanism type	Double shaft with rotating blades
Application	Shredding of RDF waste (Plastic bags, polythene, rags, leather, rubber etc. found in the Municipal Waste)
Shredder capacity	250-300 Kg/hr
Machine Size	Height- 4.5 ft, Length- Any & Width- Any.
Blade MOC	WP 45/ENOS (Harden)
Minimum height of hook above shaft & disc	70-SOmm
Output shredded material size	<2.36 mm
Working chamber	300mm X 380 mm
Motor HP	7.5HP
Total motor	1 Nos.
RPM of shafts	30-40
Motor make	Havells/ Crompton
Motor rating	IE2
Total gearbox	1Nos.
Hopper size	500mm X 350mm
Structure & cover & Hopper MOC	MS with paint
Extrafeatures	Cladding total body
Supply	3 Phase 440V- 50Hz.
Panel	
Panel function	Overload Protection, Short Circuit protection, Tower light, Limit switch for safety (when machine front cover open machine to stop working)
Warranty	
Duration	12 months or more
Scopeunderwarranty	All the spares & repair work including labor

3. The project proponent shall sensitize and create awareness among people working within the project area as well as its surrounding area on the ban of SUP in order to ensure the compliance of Notification published by MoEF& CC on 12/08/2021. A report, along with photographs, on the measures taken shall also be included in the six monthly compliance report being submitted by the project proponents.
4. The project proponent shall ensure that mining is carried out strictly in accordance with the approved mining plan failing which strict action under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 will be initiated against the proponent and environmental compensation shall be imposed as per orders of Hon'ble NGT dated 19.02.2019 in the matter of OA No. 593/2017 (W.P.) (Civil) No. 375/2012).

5. The Department of Industries, Himachal Pradesh shall ensure that the mining is carried out strictly as per the Terms & Conditions of the Environment Clearance.
6. The Geological Wing of the Department of Industries, Himachal Pradesh and Project proponent shall ensure that the mining outside the riverbed on Patta Land/ Khatedari Land be granted when there is possibility of replenishment of material. In case, there is no replenishment then mining lease shall only be granted when there is no riverbed mining possibility within 5 KM of the Patta Land/ Khatedari land.
7. The Midterm review of hill slope mining activity shall be undertaken in case of any deviation from terms and conditions of EC/ Mining plan the EC shall be withdrawn along with environmental compensation imposed as per orders of Hon'ble NGT dated 19.02.2019 in the matter of OA No. 593/2017 (W.P.) (Civil) No. 375/2012).
8. The project proponent will ensure that no harm to the adjoining land or environmental degradation is caused due to mining activities and the mining activities are undertaken strictly as per approved mining plan.
9. This Environmental Clearance shall become operational only after receiving formal Forest Clearance (FC) under the provision of Forest Conservation Act, 1980, if applicable to the Project.

The Authority in its 73<sup>rd</sup> meeting held w.e.f. 24-25 February, 2025 approved grant of Environmental Clearance with the conditions as recommended by SEAC 105<sup>th</sup> meeting held on dated 23/1/2025 and with the following additional conditions:

1. The project proponent shall ensure that the mining activity is carried out after leaving the required buffer zone and distance from existing habitation/village. Measures will be taken to protect the nearby habitation from noise, water and air pollution.

2.16 Sh. Shrikant Sharma, S/o Lt. Sh. Chander Dutt, Village Berti, P.O. Ghatti, Tehsil & Distt. Solan, Himachal Pradesh.

**Brief outline of the project:**

a)	Online Proposal No.	SIA/HP/MIN/431349-2023 (HP SEIAA/2023-1086)
b)	Project type	Extraction of Sand, Stone & Bajri.
c)	Project Location	Khasra number 263/1 min & 413 falling in Mauza Berti and Sheel, Tehsil & District Solan, HP.
d)	Jamabandi	Jamabandi for the year 2019-20
e)	Land Status	Private Land. (Hill Slope)
f)	Capacity	11,636 TPA.
g)	Mining Area	09-11 Bighas, 0.719 hectare, Private land.
h)	Leases with in 500 meter from the periphery of the area applied.	Ono mining lease exist within 500 meters: 1. Sh. Chatter Singh (09-02 Bighas)
i)	Letter of Intent	Letter of Intent issued on dated 07/02/2023 (Valid for one year i.e. up to 05/02/2025)
j)	EMP Cost	Capital cost: Rs 3.40 Lakhs and Recurring cost: Rs 2.01 Lakhs.
k)	CER cost	Rs 4.00 Lakhs.

The proposed project is Extraction of Sand, Stone & Bajri.

Online proposal for EC was submitted on dated 02/06/2023 and accepted by the SEIAA secretariat on dated 26/06/2023 and forwarded to SEAC secretariat. The hard copy was submitted by Project proponent on dated 20/06/2023. The case was listed in 94<sup>th</sup> meeting of the SEAC held on 7th & 8th August, 2023. Authorized consultant did not appear before the Committee, therefore, deferred.

The case was appraised by the SEAC in 96<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 29/11/2023 with observations. After submission of compliance of the observations, the case was again listed in 98<sup>th</sup> meeting of the SEAC held on 6<sup>th</sup> January, 2024. After deliberating on the information submitted by the project proponent and considering the facts & compliance placed before the committee, the SEAC did not recommend the case for grant of EC in view of the MoEF&CC directions issued vide F. No. IA3-22/11/2023-IA.III (E-208230) dated 28<sup>th</sup> April, 2023 w.r.t. Hon'ble NGT order dated 07.12.2022 passed in O.A.142 of 2022 in the matter of Jayant Kumar vs. MoEF&CC; to scrutinize and appraise the EC proposals based on the updated District Survey Report after five years, approved by SEIAA as per Ministry's Notification S.O 3611(E) dated 25.07.2018.

In view of the above, the SEAC decided to list the case of the proposed mining area after ascertaining the current status of mining area, in next meeting after submission of updated District Survey Report dully endorsed by SEIAA.

The project proponent submitted the documents on dated 18.12.2024. The committee observed that the proposed mining site is also located in the stretches which are indicated in the updated District Survey Report dully endorsed by SEIAA.

The case was listed in 105<sup>th</sup> meeting of SEAC held on dated 23/1/2025. The SEAC recommended the case application for consideration of grant of environmental clearance by the SEIAA subject to the fulfillment of standard conditions and with following additional special conditions that:

1. The capital cost (@ Rs. 4.00 lacs per  $\leq$  ha.) under CER, shall be deposited in the form of Demand Draft/ transfer of funds in the bank account number mentioned in EC letter to the office of Director (DEST&CC), GOHP. The Director (DEST&CC) may devise a plan for this purpose as per CER guidelines.
2. The project proponent shall provide one plastic waste shredder machine to DEST& CC, Shimla within one month from the date of issuance of EC letter, for further distribution under CER. The machines will be purchased from authorised/ approved sources and CMC/AMC will be assured with supplier for at least three years from date of installation. The Project proponent shall be responsible for functioning of the machines. The size of the shredded plastic shall be less than 2.36 mm. Technical specifications of the plastic waste shredder are as under:

Plastic Waste Shredder specifications (250Kg/Hr.)	
PARAMETER	SPECIFICATION
Mechanism type	Double shaft with rotating blades
Application	Shredding of RDF waste (Plastic bags, polythene, rags, leather, rubber etc. found in the Municipal Waste)
Shredder capacity	250-300 Kg/hr
Machine Size	Height- 4.5 ft, Length- Any & Width- Any.
Blade MOC	WP 45/ENOS (Harden)
Minimum height of hook above shaft & disc	70-SOmm
Output shredded material size	<2.36 mm
Working chamber	300mm X 380 mm
Motor HP	7.5HP
Total motor	1 Nos.
RPM of shafts	30-40
Motor make	Havells/ Crompton
Motor rating	IE2
Total gearbox	1Nos.
Hopper size	500mm X 350mm
Structure & cover & Hopper MOC	MS with paint
Extrafeatures	Cladding total body
Supply	3 Phase 440V- 50Hz.
Panel	
Panel function	Overload Protection, Short Circuit protection, Tower light, Limit switch for safety (when machine front cover open machine to stop working)
Warranty	
Duration	12 months or more
Scopeunderwarranty	All the spares & repair work including labor

3. The project proponent shall sensitize and create awareness among people working within the project area as well as its surrounding area on the ban of SUP in order to ensure the compliance of Notification published by MoEF& CC on 12/08/2021. A report, along with photographs, on the measures taken shall also be included in the six monthly compliance report being submitted by the project proponents.
4. The project proponent shall ensure that mining is carried out strictly in accordance with the approved mining plan failing which strict action under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 will be initiated against the proponent and environmental compensation shall be imposed as per orders of Hon'ble NGT dated 19.02.2019 in the matter of OA No. 593/2017 (W.P.) (Civil) No. 375/2012).
5. The Department of Industries, Himachal Pradesh shall ensure that the mining is carried out strictly as per the Terms & Conditions of the Environment Clearance.
6. The Geological Wing of the Department of Industries, Himachal Pradesh and Project proponent shall ensure that the mining outside the riverbed on Patta Land/ Khatedari Land be granted when there is possibility of replenishment of material. In case, there is no replenishment then mining lease shall only be granted when there is no riverbed mining possibility within 5 KM of the Patta Land/ Khatedari land.
7. The Midterm review of hill slope mining activity shall be undertaken in case of any deviation from terms and conditions of EC/ Mining plan the EC shall be withdrawn along with environmental compensation imposed as per orders of Hon'ble NGT dated 19.02.2019 in the matter of OA No. 593/2017 (W.P.) (Civil) No. 375/2012).
8. The project proponent will ensure that no harm to the adjoining land or environmental degradation is caused due to mining activities and the mining activities are undertaken strictly as per approved mining plan.

9. This Environmental Clearance shall become operational only after receiving formal Forest Clearance (FC) under the provision of Forest Conservation Act, 1980, if applicable to the Project.

The Authority in its 73<sup>rd</sup> meeting held w.e.f. 24-25 February, 2025 approved grant of Environmental Clearance with the conditions as recommended by SEAC 105<sup>th</sup> meeting held on dated 23/1/2025 and with the following additional conditions:

1. The project proponent shall ensure that the mining activity is carried out after leaving the required buffer zone and distance from existing habitation/village. Measures will be taken to protect the nearby habitation from noise, water and air pollution.

2.17 Smt. Lachhami Devi Chandel, W/o Sh. Chattar Singh, Village Bair, P.O. Tilli, Tehsil-Sadar, District-Mandi, HP.

**Brief outline of the project:**

a)	Online Proposal No.	SIA/HP/MIN/441509/2023 (HP SEIAA/2023-1123)
b)	Processing fee	UTR number PUNBL24226234727 of Rs. 15,000/- dated 13.08.2024.
c)	Project type	Extraction/ Collection of Sand & Stone.
d)	Project Location	Khasra number 69/2/1 & 69/2/2 falling in Mauza/Mohal Choukhari/270, Tehsil-Balh, Distt.-Mandi, HP.
e)	Jamabandi	Jamabandi for the year 2016-17.
f)	Land Status	Private Land, <b>Hill slope</b> .
g)	Capacity	15,794 TPA.
h)	Mining Area	10-14-14 Bighas, Private land.
i)	Leases with in 500 meter from the periphery of the area applied.	No mining lease exist within 500 meters:
j)	Letter of Intent	Letter of Intent issued on dated 31/08/2022 (Valid for one year i.e. up to 30/08/2025)
k)	EMP Cost	Capital Cost Rs. 3.68 Lakhs and Recurring Cost Rs. 4.08 Lakhs annually.
l)	CER cost	Rs. 4.00 Lakhs.

The proposed project is Extraction/collection of Sand & Stone. Online proposal for amendment in EC was submitted on dated 25.08.2023 and accepted by the SEIAA secretariat on dated 13.12.2023 and forwarded to SEAC secretariat. The hard copy was submitted by Project proponent on dated 05.09.2023.

The case was listed in 98<sup>th</sup> meeting of the SEAC held on 6<sup>th</sup> January, 2024. The project proponent did not appear before the Committee; therefore, the case appraisal was deferred by SEAC.

The project proponent has also submitted the documents as per revised check list on dated 23.12.2024. The case was listed in 105<sup>th</sup> meeting of SEAC held on dated 23/1/2025. The SEAC recommended the case application for consideration of grant of environmental clearance by the SEIAA subject to the fulfillment of standard conditions and with following additional special conditions that:

1. The capital cost (@ Rs. 4.00 lacs per ≤ ha.) under CER, shall be deposited in the form of Demand Draft/ transfer of funds in the bank account number mentioned in EC letter to the office of Director (DEST&CC), GOHP. The Director (DEST&CC) may devise a plan for this purpose as per CER guidelines.
2. The project proponent shall provide one plastic waste shredder machine to DEST& CC, Shimla within one month from the date of issuance of EC letter, for further distribution under CER. The machines will be purchased from authorised/ approved sources and CMC/AMC will be assured with supplier for at least three years from date of installation. The Project proponent shall be responsible for functioning of the machines. The size of the shredded plastic shall be less than 2.36 mm. Technical specifications of the plastic waste shredder are as under:

Plastic Waste Shredder specifications (250Kg/Hr.)	
PARAMETER	SPECIFICATION
Mechanism type	Double shaft with rotating blades
Application	Shredding of RDF waste (Plastic bags, polythene, rags, leather, rubber etc. found in the Municipal Waste)
Shredder capacity	250-300 Kg/hr
Machine Size	Height- 4.5 ft, Length- Any & Width- Any.
Blade MOC	WP 45/ENOS (Harden)
Minimum height of hook above shaft & disc	70-SOmm
Output shredded material size	<2.36 mm
Working chamber	300mm X 380 mm

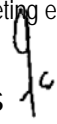
Motor HP	7.5HP
Total motor	1 Nos.
RPM of shafts	30-40
Motor make	Havells/ Crompton
Motor rating	IE2
Total gearbox	1Nos.
Hopper size	500mm X 350mm
Structure & cover & Hopper MOC	MS with paint
Extrafeatures	Cladding total body
Supply	3 Phase 440V- 50Hz.
Panel	
Panel function	Overload Protection, Short Circuit protection, Tower light, Limit switch for safety (when machine front cover open machine to stop working)
Warranty	
Duration	12 months or more
Scopeunderwarranty	All the spares & repair work including labor

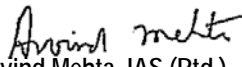
3. The project proponent shall sensitize and create awareness among people working within the project area as well as its surrounding area on the ban of SUP in order to ensure the compliance of Notification published by MoEF& CC on 12/08/2021. A report, along with photographs, on the measures taken shall also be included in the six monthly compliance report being submitted by the project proponents.
4. The project proponent shall ensure that mining is carried out strictly in accordance with the approved mining plan failing which strict action under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 will be initiated against the proponent and environmental compensation shall be imposed as per orders of Hon'ble NGT dated 19.02.2019 in the matter of OA No. 593/2017 (W.P.) (Civil) No. 375/2012).
5. The Department of Industries, Himachal Pradesh shall ensure that the mining is carried out strictly as per the Terms & Conditions of the Environment Clearance.
6. The Geological Wing of the Department of Industries, Himachal Pradesh and Project proponent shall ensure that the mining outside the riverbed on Patta Land/ Khatedari Land be granted when there is possibility of replenishment of material. In case, there is no replenishment then mining lease shall only be granted when there is no riverbed mining possibility within 5 KM of the Patta Land/ Khatedari land.
7. The Midterm review of hill slope mining activity shall be undertaken in case of any deviation from terms and conditions of EC/ Mining plan the EC shall be withdrawn along with environmental compensation imposed as per orders of Hon'ble NGT dated 19.02.2019 in the matter of OA No. 593/2017 (W.P.) (Civil) No. 375/2012).
8. The project proponent will ensure that no harm to the adjoining land or environmental degradation is caused due to mining activities and the mining activities are undertaken strictly as per approved mining plan.
9. This Environmental Clearance shall become operational only after receiving formal Forest Clearance (FC) under the provision of Forest Conservation Act, 1980, if applicable to the Project.

The Authority in its 73<sup>rd</sup> meeting held w.e.f. 24-25 February, 2025 approved grant of Environmental Clearance with the conditions as recommended by SEAC 105<sup>th</sup> meeting held on dated 23/1/2025 and with the following additional conditions:

1. The project proponent shall ensure that the mining activity is carried out after leaving the required buffer zone and distance from existing habitation/village. Measures will be taken to protect the nearby habitation from noise, water and air pollution.

The Meeting ended with a vote of thanks to & from the Chair.

  
D.C. Rana, IAS  
Member Secretary  
HPSEIAA

  
Arvind Mehta, IAS (Rtd.)  
Chairman, HPSEIAA

Date: 25<sup>th</sup> February, 2025  
Place: Shimla