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Dated-31, October, 2023

Minutes of the 15th Meeting of SEIAA (Day-II) held on 28th October, 2023

The meeting was chaired by Shri A.R. Sinha, Chairman, SEIAA Uttarakhand and was attended by the following:

(i) Dr. Chandra Bhushan Prasad Member, SEIAA Uttarakhand.

(ii) Shri S.P. Subudhi, Secretary, SEIAA Uttarakhand.

The meeting started with welcome note by the Chairman. The Member Secretary informed that total 11 proposals (B1 & B2) are under consideration for grant of EC and 3 proposal for ToR in this meeting. After detailed discussion and deliberation on each of the proposal as per agenda item, decision taken by the Authority is as under -

 Environmental Clearance for Proposed Printing of Aluminium Foil & manufacturing of Poly Bags at E-8/2, 8/3 UPSIDC Industrial Area, Selaqui, Tehsil- Vikas Nagar, Dehradun by M/s Almed Printing Solutions Private Limited by Shri Kailash Chand Melana (Director). Online proposal No SIA/UK/IND1/447568/2023.

The Authority agreed with the recommendations of SEAC and decided to grant the Environment Clearance with the terms and conditions recommended by it.

 Environmental Clearance for Expansion of Existing Hospital located at Khasra no. 1011/2 Village-Cental Hope Town, Tehsil- Vikas Nagar, Dehradun) by M/s Medicare Hospital by Dr. Hemendra Singh Rawat (Director). Online proposal No SIA/UK/INFRA2/447408/2023.

The Authority agreed with the recommendations of SEAC and decided to grant the Environment Clearance with the terms and conditions recommended by it.

 Environmental Clearance for Extraction of Soapstone at Village – Garuwa Sirmoli, Tehsil- Kanda, Dist- Bageshwar by Shri Darban Singh Parihar S/o Shri Guman Singh Parihar. (Area-5.809 Ha). Online proposal No SIA/UK/MIN/407293/2022.

The Authority agreed with the recommendations of SEAC and decided to grant the Environment Clearance with the terms and conditions recommended by it and SEIAA also imposed following conditions.

Socio-economic study shall be done in detail in the 10 km radius area of the mine. The questioners should be site specific and shall be repeated after three years. The indicator, sample etc for the study shall be clearly marked this shall be done in next three months and submitted to SEIAA, Uttarakhand.

ii. The flora of core area is in the 500 mt radius of the mine shall be again noted and the report shall be submitted to SEIAA within three months.

iii. In the plantation activity plants shall be planted on the advice of local DFO. Preference will be to shrubs and grasses.

iv. Disaster management plan shall be made and submitted to SEIAA, Adequate provision of fund shall be given. This plan shall be submitted within three months.

v. In the 7.5 meter width safety zone local shrubs like berberis agave spp, mulberry will be planted at the 1.5 mt spacing. Minimum two rows will be planted around the mine

vi. Conservation plan for wild animals present in the area approval by DFO shall be submitted to this office within three months.

4) Environmental Clearance for Extraction of Soapstone at Village - Amjhajoo, Tehsil- Dungakuri, Dist- Bageshwar by Smt. Manju Bisht wo Shri Balam Singh Bisht. (Area 5.794 Ha.) Online proposal No SIA/UK/MIN/408280/2022.

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- 5) Environmental Clearance for Extraction of Soapstone at Village- Bhauro Chobtta, Tok Kumaldev, Tehsil & District-Bageshwar by Smt. Khimuli Devi w/o Late Shri Harak Singh Kanwal. (Area 2.710 Ha). Online proposal No SIA/UK/MIN/408672/2022.

The Authority agreed with the recommendations of SEAC and decided to grant the Environment Clearance with the terms and conditions recommended by it and SEIAA also imposed following conditions.

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 The indicator, sample etc for the study shall be clearly marked this shall be done in next three months and submitted to SEIAA, Uttarakhand.
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- vi. Conservation plan for wild animals present in the area approval by DFO shall be submitted to this office within three months.
- 6) Environmental Clearance for Extraction of Soapstone at Village Sasola, Tehsil Kanda, District-Bageshwar by Shri Ashok Pal S/o Shri Ramesh Pal. (Area 4.752 Ha). Online proposal No SIA/UK/MIN/411066/2022.

The Authority agreed with the recommendations of SEAC and decided to grant the Environment Clearance with the terms and conditions recommended by it and SEIAA also imposed following conditions.

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 The questioners should be site specific and shall be repeated after three years.
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- vi. Conservation plan for wild animals present in the area approval by DFO shall be submitted to this office within three months.

7) Environmental Clearance for Extraction of Soapstone at Village - Khuldaudi, Tehsil & Dist-Bageshwar by Smt. Nirmala Devi W/o Shri Narendra Singh. (Area 3.834 Ha). Online proposal No SIA/UK/MIN/411535/2022.

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- 8). Environmental Clearance for Extraction of Sand/Bajri/Boulder at Village- Digra, Tehsil- Didihat, District- Pithoragarh by Shri BansiDhar Bhatt S/o Shri BhawaniDutt Bhatt (Area 0.72 Ha). Online proposal No SIA/UK/MIN/413763/2023.

The Authority agreed with the recommendations of SEAC and decided to grant the Environment Clearance with the terms and conditions recommended by it.

9) Environmental Clearance for Extraction of Soapstone at Village- Mayoo Moosa, Tehsil & District-Bageshwar by M/s Dev Bhoomi Mines. (Area 9.988 Ha). Online proposal No SIA/UK/MIN/443837/2023.

The Authority agreed with the recommendations of SEAC and decided to grant the Environment Clearance with the terms and conditions recommended by it and SEIAA also imposed following conditions.

- Socio-economic study shall be done in detail in the 10 km radius area of the mine.
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- vi. Conservation plan for wild animals present in the area approval by DFO shall be submitted to this office within three months.
- Environmental Clearance for Extraction of Soapstone at Village-Malla Sanyuda, Tehsil & District-Bageshwar by M/s Rudrani Mines. (Area 14.062 Ha). Online proposal No SIA/UK/MIN/447398/2023.

The Authority agreed with the recommendations of SEAC and decided to grant the Environment Clearance with the terms and conditions recommended by it and SEIAA also imposed following conditions.

- Socio-economic study shall be done in detail in the 10 km radius area of the mine.
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11) Environmental Clearance for Extraction of Soapstone at Village: Khunauli Thaklad, Tehsil & District-Bageshwar by Smt. Bharti Devi W/o Shri Govind Singh. (Area 5,871 Ha). Online proposal No SIA/UK/MIN/448348/2023.

The Authority agreed with the recommendations of SEAC and decided to grant the Environment Clearance with the terms and conditions recommended by it and SEIAA also imposed following conditions.

- Socio-economic study shall be done in detail in the 10 km radius area of the mine. The questioners should be site specific and shall be repeated after three years. The indicator, sample etc for the study shall be clearly marked this shall be done in next three months and submitted to SEIAA, Uttarakhand.
- ii. The flora of core area is in the 500 mt radius of the mine shall be again noted and the report shall be submitted to SEIAA within three months.
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- vi. Conservation plan for wild animals present in the area approval by DFO shall be submitted to this office within three months.
- 12) Regarding ToR for Re-Appraisal of existing Soapstone mining at Village-Dhanu & Oliyagaon, Teh-Gangolihat (Ganai Gangoli), District-Pithoragarh by Shri Thakur Singh Dasila S/o Shri Sher Singh Dasila. (Area 2.295 Ha). Online proposal No SIA/UK/MIN/435078/2023.

The Authority observed that the proposed mine area is surrounded by villages (within a radius of -1 Km) and hence decided to ask SEAC to visit the said site before finalizing ToR. The proposal is referred back to SEAC.

13) Regarding ToR for Extraction of Soapstone at Village-Chirang, Tehsil & Distt-Bageshwar by M/s Baba Bagnath Mines. (Area 4.85 Ha) Online proposal No SIA/UK/MIN/448333/2023.

The Authority agreed with the recommendation of SEAC and decided to grant the ToR for conducting EIA studies.

14) Regarding ToR for Extraction of Soapstone at Village-Thadaijar, Tehsil- Kanda, Distt-Bageshwar by Shri Govind Singh Mehra S/o Late Shri Sher Singh Mehra & Kunjar Sing Raikhola S/o Shri Nandan Singh Raikhola. (Area 4.700 Ha) Qnline proposal No SIA/UK/MIN/447441/2023.

The Authority agreed with the recommendation of SEAC and decided to grant the ToR for conducting EIA studies.

A.R. Sinha) Chairman,

SEIAA, Uttarakhand

(DR. Chandra Bhushan Prasad)

Member, SEIAA, Uttarakhand

(S.P. Subudhi Member, Secretary, SEIAA, Uttarakhand

Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to :-

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(S.P. Subudhi) Member Secretary SEIAA, Uttarakhand