



STATE ENVIRONMENT IMPACT ASSESSMENT AUTHORITY, ASSAM  
Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Government of India  
BAMUNIMAIDAM, GUWAHATI 781021, ASSAM

Minutes of the 44<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the SEIAA, Assam held on 28/12/2022

The 44<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the SEIAA, Assam was held at Conference Hall of the Pollution Control Board, Assam, Guwahati-21 on 28/12/2022 at 3.30 p.m.

The following Members were present

- Sri Pradyut Kumar Choudhury, Chairman, SEIAA, Assam.
- Sri IndreswarKalita, ACS, Addl. Secretary, Environment and Forest Department, Govt. of Assam and Member Secretary, SEIAA, Assam.
- Dr. Hari Prasad Sarma, Member, SEIAA, Assam.

Sri Pradyut Kumar Choudhury, Chairman, SEIAA, Assam presided over the meeting.

Agenda Item 1.

Actions on the recommendations of 51<sup>th</sup> Meeting of SEAC held on 16<sup>th</sup> December, 2022.

1. **Proposal requesting extension of EC for mining of Ordinary clay from "Balakuchi Ordinary Earth or Clay Mining Permit Area under North Kamrup Forest Division proposed by Sri Girish Deka. (SEIAA.1354 /2020,(SIA/AS/MIN/ 295206/2022).**

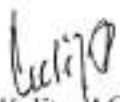
SEAC Resolution 51/2:


The proposal asking modification of EC for mining of ordinary earth/clay from "Balakuchi Ordinary Earth/ Clay Mining Permit Area" under North Kamrup Forest Division proposed by Sri Girish Deka is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. The previous EC was granted on 9<sup>th</sup> Oct 2020 with validity of two years for extraction of 37232 cu.m. Ordinary earth. The proponent could not extract entire allotted quantity within the stipulated period. Reportedly learnt that only 12000 cu.m ordinary earth within the stipulated period as communicated vide letter No. NOC/898/orest/2021/77 dated 20<sup>th</sup> Sept. 2022 by the Deputy Commissioner, Nalbari. Accordingly a fresh approved mining plan dated 14<sup>th</sup> Nov.2022 submitted for extraction of balance quantity of minable materials. The issue has been deliberated thoroughly. *The committee after due deliberation and considering the recommendation made in the Mining Plan (at page no. 8) recommended for modification approving to extract (20358 cu. - 12000 cu.) = 8358 Cu.m. ordinary earth from the proposed mining site within 1 (one) year period. The proponent shall have to strictly follow all terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.*


The Divisional Forest Officer, North Kamrup Forest Division, Rangia is requested to ensure due vigilances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. Further, he is requested to ensure that mining is allowed only within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same.

SEIAA Resolution 44/1:

**Approved for issuance of EC as per condition laid down by SEAC.**

  
Sri IndreswarKalita, ACS,  
Addl. Secretary, Env& Forest, Assam  
cum Member Secretary, SEIAA, Assam.

  
Dr. Hari Prasad Sarma,  
Member, SEIAA, Assam

  
Sri Pradyut Kumar Choudhury,  
Chairman, SEIAA, Assam.

2. **Proposal requesting extension of EC for mining of Brick earth from “Brick Earth Mining Permit Area” at Newuldova under Kamrup West Division proposed by Md. Lal Chand Ali. SEIAA. 1341/2020, (SIA/AS/MIS/293344/2022).**

SEAC Resolution 51/3:

The modification proposal of EC requesting for extract of balance quantity of brick earth from the “**Brick Earth Mining Permit Area**” at Newuldova under Kamrup West Division proposed by **Md. Lal Chand Ali** is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and deliberation. The previous EC was granted on 22<sup>nd</sup> Oct. 2020 for extraction of 9506 cu.m. brick earth from the approved 0.5 hect project area within a period of two years. Fresh approved mining plan dated 17<sup>th</sup> March 2022 has been furnished for extraction of balance quantity of brick earth. The Divisional Forest Officer, Kamrup West Division submitted status report stating that the proponent could extract only 4753 cu.m within the stipulated time vide letter dated 21<sup>st</sup> Oct 2022. The issue is discussed in detail and after due deliberation the committee *recommended the modification proposal approving to extract balance 4753 cu.m. brick earth from the proposed site within a period of one year. The proponent shall have to strictly follow all terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.*

The Divisional Forest Officer, Kamrup West Forest Division is requested to ensure due vigilances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. Further, he is requested to ensure that mining is allowed only within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same.

SEIAA Resolution 44/2:

**Approved for issuance of EC as per condition laid down by SEAC.**

3. **Proposal of EC for mining of stone from “Govt. Permit Area of Chiri River Minor Mineral Unit-4(Stone) under Cachar Division, proposed by the Divisional Forest Officer, Cachar Division. (SEIAA. 3161/2022), (SIA/AS/MIN/ 402447/2022)**


SEAC Resolution 51/5:

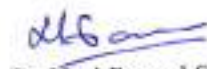
The project proposal asking EC for mining of river bed stone from the “**Govt. Permit Area of Chiri River Minor Mineral Unit-4(Stone)**” under Cachar Division, proposed by the **Divisional Forest Officer, Cachar Division** is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Proposed project area is 4.9 hect. that located in the Chiri River. Necessary documents submitted in support of the proposal is examined and appraised. Recommendation of the concerned DFO dated 27<sup>th</sup> Sept. 2022 and dated 28<sup>th</sup> Feb 2022 is deliberated. The Mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam dated 14<sup>th</sup> Aug. 2022 is discussed in detailed. Due deliberation is held and the committee recommended the project proposal approving to *extract 86800 cu.m. river bed stone from the proposed mining site within a period of 2 (two) years subject to the condition that (a) at least 50 meters gap has to be kept between the GPS coordinated 24°57' 52.17" -N; 93°3'27.34"-E and 24°57' 53.67" -N; 93°3'28.33"-E within the proposed mining site as buffer/ non mining zone. (b) The active bank of the river is not get disturbed because of mining operation and transportation of mining materials. The proponent is allowed to extract 43400 cu.m. river bed stone from the proposed mining site annually and should strictly follow all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.*

The Divisional Forest Officer, Cachar Forest Division, Silchar is requested to ensure due vigilances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. Further, he is requested to ensure that mining be allowed only within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. Accordingly he will mark the boundary of the mining site on the ground fixing permanent pillars following the GPS coordinates mentioned in the approved mining plan.

SEIAA Resolution 44/3:

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Sri Pradyut Kumar Choudhury,  
Chairman, SEIAA, Assam.

4. **Proposal of EC for mining of Sand-Gravel from "Garumarachar Part- I Mahal" under Parbatjorah Division proposed by Sri Mrinal Roy. SEIAA.3183/2022, (SIA/AS/MIS/403374/2022).**

SEAC Resolution 51/6:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of Sand-Gravel from the "Garumarachar Part- I Mahal" under Parbatjorah Forest Division, BTC proposed by Sri Mrinal Roy is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. The project area is 3.34 hect and the mining plan duly approved by the DGM, Assam dated 21<sup>st</sup> Sept. 2022. Scrutinized the documents submitted by the proponent. The recommendation of the DFO, Porbotjhora Forest Division in pursuance to the approval of the Secretary, BTC dated 23<sup>rd</sup> Sept. 2022 and dated 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2022 are discussed in detailed. The committee after thorough deliberation *recommended the project proposal approving to extract 63000 cu.m sand-gravel from the proposed mining site within a period of five (5) years subject to the condition that the maximum mining depth is recommended two (2) meters from the unmined ground surface. The proponent is allowed to extract 12600 cu.m. approved minable materials per year strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.*

The Divisional Forest Officer, Porbotjhora Forest Division under BTC is requested to ensure due vigilances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. Further, he is requested to ensure that mining be allowed only within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. Accordingly he will mark the boundary of the mining site on the ground fixing permanent pillars following the GPS coordinates mentioned in the approved mining plan. Compliance by the proponent of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC shall have to be ensured by the concerned Divisional Forest Officer.

SEIAA Resolution 44/4:

**Approved for issuance of EC as per condition laid down by SEAC.**

5. **Proposal of E.C for mining of Sand from "Mineral Concession Area in Dhansiri River (2 No Parghat)" under Golaghat Forest Division proposed by the Divisional Forest Officer Golaghat Forest Division. SEIAA. 3200/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/405911/2022).**


SEAC Resolution 51/7:


The project proposal asking EC for mining of Sand from the "Mineral Concession Area in Dhansiri River (2 No Parghat)" under Golaghat Forest Division proposed by the Divisional Forest Officer Golaghat Forest Division is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Proposed project area is 4.8 hect in Dhansiri River and the requisite mining Plan has duly been approved by the DGM, Assam vide letter dated 21<sup>st</sup> Oct. 2022. Necessary documents submitted by the proponent have been examined. The letter issued by the DFO, Golaghat dated 3<sup>rd</sup> Nov. 2022 is also discussed in detail. Thorough deliberation is held and the committee *recommended the proposal to excavate 51000 cu.m. sand from the proposed location within a period of two (2) years with the following conditions : (i) Maximum mining depth is recommended up to two (2) meters from the unmined ground surface, & (ii) Mining activities should be restricted in the sand bar area keeping 50 meters away from the left bank of the river. The proponent is permitted to extract 25500 cu.m. Sand from the approved mining site annually adhering to the conditions mentioned above.*

The Divisional Forest Officer, Golaghat Forest Division is requested to ensure due vigilances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. Further, he is requested to ensure that mining be allowed only within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. Accordingly he will mark the boundary of the mining site on the ground fixing permanent pillars following the GPS coordinates mentioned in the approved mining plan. Compliance by the proponent of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC shall have to be ensured by the concerned Divisional Forest Officer (proponent).

SEIAA Resolution 44/5:

**Approved for issuance of EC as per condition laid down by SEAC.**

  
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Addl. Secretary, Env & Forest, Assam  
cum Member Secretary, SEIAA, Assam.

  
Dr. Hari Prasad Sarma,  
Member, SEIAA, Assam

  
Sri Pradyut Kumar Choudhury,  
Chairman, SEIAA, Assam.

6. **Proposal asking EC for mining of Sand -Gravel from “Kw/19 Gohalkona(2022-29) Sand Gravel MCA at Boko River under Kamrup West Division proposed by the Assam Mineral Development Corporation Limited. SEIAA.3241/2022, (SIA/AS/MIS/ 409424/2022).**

SEAC Resolution 51/8:

The project proposal requesting EC for mining of Sand-Gravel from the “Kw/19 Gohalkona (2022-29) Sand Gravel MCA at Boko River” under Kamrup West Division proposed by the Assam Mineral Development Corporation Limited is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. The proposed project area is 5.0 hect that comes under category B<sub>2</sub>. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam vide letter dated 23<sup>rd</sup> Nov. 2022 allowing to extract 50000 cu.m. Sand-gravel within five years. Necessary LOI issued by the concerned Divisional Forest Officer vide letter dated 16<sup>th</sup> Aug. 2022. The DFO’s recommendation dated 29<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2022 is also discussed in detailed. The committee after due deliberation recommended the proposal *approving to extract 50000 cu.m. Sand-gravel from the proposed mining site within a period of five (5) years with the conditions noted below, (i) Maximum mining depth is approved up to two (2) meter from the unmined ground surface & (ii) the river bank should not be disturbed during mining operation and transportation of mining materials. The proponent is permitted to extract 10000 cu.m. minable materials per year strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.*

The Divisional Forest Officer, Kamrup West Forest Division is requested to ensure due vigilances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. Further, she is requested to ensure that mining be allowed only within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. Accordingly she will arrange to mark the boundary of the mining site on ground fixing permanent pillars following the GPS coordinates mentioned in the approved mining plan. Compliance by the proponent of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC shall have to be ensured by the concerned Divisional Forest Officer.

SEIAA Resolution 44/6:


**Approved for issuance of EC as per condition laid down by SEAC.**


7. **Proposal of EC for construction of Building “Proposed 2B+G+8 Storied Commercial Building at Sarumataria, under Beltola Mauza, Guwahati-06 in Kamrup Metro District proposed by Paramount Taj. SEIAA. 3112/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/279151/2022).**

SEAC Resolution 51/9:

The project proposal requesting EC for construction of building “Proposed 2B+G+8 Storied Commercial Building at Sarumataria” under Beltola Mauza, Guwahati-06 in Kamrup Metro District proposed by Paramount Taj is placed before the SEAC for review, appraisal and detail discussion. **Project plot area is 5353.18 Sq.m and built up area is proposed 21856 Sq.m.** which falls under category 8(a) B<sub>2</sub>. The subcommittee of the SEAC, Assam physically inspected the proposed site on 10<sup>th</sup> Sept. 2022 and submitted their report on 23<sup>rd</sup> Sept. 2022. Necessary documents furnished by the proponent including reply on ADS are discussed in detailed. The proponent was invited to give presentation describing detail activities proposed therein and to participate in the subsequent discussion. The proponent accordingly with assistance of his consultant have given presentation before the SEAC and participated in the open deliberation. The Security Clearance provided by the Special Branch Headquarters, Assam Ploice, Kahilipara, Guwahati-19 vide letter No. SB.VIII/77/S-Plan/Paramount/2021-22 dated 1<sup>st</sup> July 2022 is also discussed I detailed. The committee after thorough deliberation recommended for issuance of EC with the following conditions.

  
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Addl. Secretary, Env & Forest, Assam  
cum Member Secretary, SEIAA, Assam.

  
Dr. Hari Prasad Sarma,  
Member, SEIAA, Assam

  
Sri Pradyut Kumar Choudhury,  
Chairman, SEIAA, Assam.

1. All the terms and condition laid down in the Security Clearance given by the Assam Police, Special Branch Headquarters vide letter No. SB.VIII/77/S-Plan/Paramount/2021-22 dated 1<sup>st</sup> July 2022 shall have to adhere to in letter and spirit as the proposed site located in the high security zone.
2. All other terms and condition laid down in the EC shall have to strictly follow during construction and post construction period.
3. Sprinkling of water should be carried out in the project site regularly to suppress dust in the project site and its surroundings.

**SEIAA Resolution 44/7:**

Approved for issuance of EC as per condition laid down by SEAC.

8. Proposal of EC for "Establishment of a New Standalone Cement Grinding Unit of Capacity 2.0 MTPA at Village Chamata Pather, Tehsil Sonapur in the District of Kamrup (Metro), Assam proposed by Star Cement North East Limited. SEIAA. 3248/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/407155/2022)

**SEAC Resolution 51/10:**

The project proposal asking EC for "Establishment of a New Standalone Cement Grinding Unit of Capacity 2.0 MTPA" at Village Chamata Pather, Tehsil Sonapur in the District of Kamrup (Metro), Assam proposed by Star Cement North East Limited is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail deliberation. On receipt of the proposal by SEIAA a subcommittee of the SEAC, Assam was constituted vide O.O. No. 03 dated 25<sup>th</sup> Feb 2022 for site inspection. Accordingly, the subcommittee so constituted has physically inspected the proposed project site on 26<sup>th</sup> Feb.2022 and submitted report. Subsequently requisite TOR was issued on 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2022 with a direction to submit detail EIA report along with report on Public Hearing. The proponent has furnished report on public hearing duly conducted in presence of the authorized members of both the Dist. Administration and State PCB on 29<sup>th</sup> Aug. 2022 along with detail EIA report on 26<sup>th</sup> Oct. 2022.

The proponent was invited to give detail presentation before the SEAC on the project proposal basing on the EIA report. The proponent with the assistance of their consultant has given detail presentation on different activities and measures proposed relating to the proposal. Detail deliberation is held in presence of the proponent. The proposal comes under category B<sub>1</sub> of Schedule 3(b) as per EIA notification. *The proposed grinding unit with capacity 2.0 MTPA will be established on a land area of 12.85 hect.* This is adjacent to a grinding unit by its group company, Star Cement Limited. The committee after thorough deliberation and discussion the committee recommended the proposal with the following conditions:

- (1) Land conversion from Agriculture land to Industrial land is to be completed.
- (2) Adequate sprinkling in the project site, approach road from the National High Way and peripheral areas of the project site is required during construction and operation stage of the project.
- (3) An appropriately designed reservoir / pond to hold adequate rain water and project discharge area is to be constructed within the project boundary, so that it held adequate water for sprinkle throughout the year whenever necessary.
- (4) CSR activities including health camp should be carried out on regular basis. CSR activities in the adjoining villages should be executed in consultation with the inhabiting population and the local bodies.
- (5) The approach road from the NH-37 to the project site should be upgraded and adequately maintained to minimize traffic congestion from the heavy vehicles.
- (6) The measures proposed in the EIA report should strictly be adhered to in the interest to contain better environment over the area.
- (7) Native plant species having evergreen nature should be planted in the green area.

**SEIAA Resolution 44/8:**

Approved for issuance of EC as per condition laid down by SEAC.



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Addl. Secretary, Env & Forest, Assam  
cum Member Secretary, SEIAA, Assam.



Dr. Hari Prasad Sarma,  
Member, SEIAA, Assam



Sri Pradyut Kumar Choudhury,  
Chairman, SEIAA, Assam.

9. **Proposal of EC for "Construction of A New Medical College and Hospital at Tamulpur, Assam under NIDA proposed by Govt. of Assam, Health and Family Welfare Department. SEIAA. 3135/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/241097/2022).**

SEAC Resolution 51/11:

The project proposal requesting EC for "Construction of A New Medical College and Hospital at villgaje Kachubari, Mouza Pub Baska in the District Tamulpur (BTAD), Assam" under NIDA proposed by Govt. of Assam, Health and Family Welfare Department is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detailed discussion. The proposal comes under category B<sub>2</sub> in Schedule 8 (a) covering the plot of land 214048 Sq.m. and built up area 95502.97 Sq.m. proposed building is ground plus 6<sup>th</sup> floor. The proposal was initially appraised and discussed in the 47<sup>th</sup> SEAC meeting held on 21<sup>st</sup> Oct. 2022 and certain additional information was sought. Examined the required documents submitted by the proponent including reply on ADS. Necessary allotment of land given by the Principal Secretary, Bodoland Territorial Council communicated vide letter No. BTC/LR. 196/2020/61 dated 20<sup>th</sup> July 2021 is discussed. Necessary Administrative Approval conveyed by the Project Director, Assam Infrastructure Financing Authority communicated vide letter No. AIFA 23/2021/44 dated 22<sup>nd</sup> Feb.2022 is also discussed in detailed. The proponent was invited to give detail presentation on the project before the SEAC and accordingly necessary presentation is given by the concerned consultant in the 51<sup>st</sup> SEAC meeting elaborating the activities/ measures proposed therein. Followed by the presentation detail deliberation is held in presence of the proponent/ consultant. The committee after thorough *discussion recommended the project proposal with the following conditions:*

- (1) *The storm water from the project site is planned to be released in the natural drainage/ nalla located along the Eastern boundary of the project site. As such it is suggested that the storm water from the project site should be passed through a discharge pit which should be designed to arrest all solid waste in the pit and it should be followed by a filter system to remove any unwanted contamination before the entire storm water from the project site is released to the nalla/natural drainage.*
- (2) *During construction stage adequate measures are to be adopted for dust suppression.*
- (3) *A Biomedical Waste Treatment facility should be included in the project to maintain better environmental status.*
- (4) *Since it appears that the only source of water is ground water. Appropriate permission to use ground water for the project is to be taken for construction as well as operation stage of the project. The proponent is advised to consult the state PHE Department to set up of a PHE Sub Division for optimum, uninterrupted water supply.*
- (5) *Native plant species having evergreen nature should be planted covering the green area.*

SEIAA Resolution 44/9:

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Dr. Hari Prasad Sarma,  
Member, SEIAA, Assam



Sri Pradyut Kumar Choudhury,  
Chairman, SEIAA, Assam.

10. **Proposal of E.C for collection of Ordinary Sand and Gravel from “Debasthan Ordinary Sand and Gravel Mining Unit No. 2 under Nagaon South Forest Division, Hojai proposed by Kamal Ahmed. SEIAA. 3189/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/403697/2022)**

SEAC Resolution 51/12:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of ordinary sand and gravel from “**Debasthan Ordinary Sand and Gravel Mining Unit No. 2**” under Nagaon South Forest Division, Hojai proposed by **Kamal Ahmed** is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Project area is 5.0 hect in the Jamuna River bed. Necessary documents submitted by the proponent has been examined and appraised. The Mining Plan approved by the DGM, Assam vide letter dated 14<sup>th</sup> Aug. 2022 and LOI issued by the concerned DFO dated 1<sup>st</sup> Aug. 2022 is also discussed. Recommendation of the DFO, Nagaon South Forest Division dated 1<sup>st</sup> Aug. 2022 is discussed in detail. The committee after due deliberation *recommended the proposal approving to extract 55000 cu.m minable materials (i.e 41250 cu.m. ordinary sand + 13750 cu.m. gravel= 55000 cu.m) from the proposed mine area within 5 (five) years with the condition that (i) maximum mining depth is fixed at 2 (two) meters from the unmined ground surface & (ii) high rise river bank should not be disturbed during mining operation and transportation of materials. The proponent is allowed to extract 11000 cu.m. minable materials i.e ordinary sand 8250 cu.m. and gravel 2750 cu.m. annually strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.*

The Divisional Forest Officer, Nagaon South Forest Division, Hojai is requested to ensure due vigilances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. Further, she is requested to ensure that mining be allowed only within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. Accordingly she will arrange to mark the boundary of the mining site on ground fixing permanent pillars following the GPS coordinates mentioned in the approved mining plan. Compliance by the proponent of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC shall have to be ensured by the concerned Divisional Forest Officer.

SEIAA Resolution 44/10:

Approved for issuance of EC as per condition laid down by SEAC.

11. **Proposal asking EC for mining of Sand from “Jiabharali Sand Mahal No.4” under Sonitpur Forest Division proposed by DFO, Sonitpur East Forest Division. SEIAA.3251/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/ 410377/2022).**

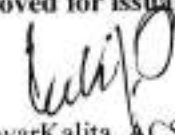
SEAC Resolution 51/16:


The project proposal asking EC for mining of Sand from the “**Jiabharali Sand Mahal No.4**” under Sonitpur Forest Division proposed by **the Divisional Forest Officer, Sonitpur East Forest Division** is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Area of the project is 4.67 hect. that comes under B<sub>2</sub> category. The Mining Plan approved by the DGM, Assam vide letter dated 22<sup>nd</sup> Sept. 2022 is discussed in detail. The recommendation of the DFO, Sonitpur East Division communicated vide letter dated 4<sup>th</sup> Aug. 2022 and 12<sup>th</sup> Oct. 2022 are also discussed thoroughly. The committee after due *deliberation recommended the proposal approving to extract 45000 cu.m. sand from the proposed mining site within a period of 5(five) years subject to the condition that maximum mining depth is approved up to 2 (two) meters from the unmined ground surface. The proponent is allowed to extract 9000 cu.m. sand from the approved mine site annually strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.*


The Divisional Forest Officer, Sonitpur East Forest Division, Biswanath Chariali is requested to ensure due vigilances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. Further, he is requested to ensure that mining be allowed only within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. Accordingly he will arrange to mark the boundary of the mining site on ground fixing permanent pillars following the GPS coordinates mentioned in the approved mining plan. Compliance by the proponent of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC shall have to be ensured by the concerned Divisional Forest Officer.

SEIAA Resolution 44/11:

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Addl. Secretary, Env & Forest, Assam  
cum Member Secretary, SEIAA, Assam.

  
Dr. Hari Prasad Sarma,  
Member, SEIAA, Assam

  
Sri Pradyut Kumar Choudhury,  
Chairman, SEIAA, Assam.

12. **Proposal asking EC for mining of river bed Stone from "Sankosh Khoksaguri No.3 Stone Mahal under Kachugaon Forest Division under BTC proposed by Jandu Construction India Private Limited. SEIAA.3232/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/409665/2022).**

SEAC Resolution 51/17:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of river bed stone from the "Sankosh Khoksaguri No.3 Stone Mahal" under Kachugaon Forest Division under BTC proposed by **Jandu Construction India Private Limited** is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. The project area is 4.74 hect and comes under B<sub>2</sub> category. Scrutinized the required documents submitted by the proponent. The Mining Plan approved by the DGM, Assam vide letter dated 22<sup>nd</sup> Sept. 2022 is discussed in detailed. The recommendation of the DFO, Kachugaon Forest Division under BTC communicated vide letter dated 18<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2022 and 19<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2022 is also discussed. The committee after thorough *deliberation recommended the proposal approving to extract 60000 cu.m. river bed stone from the proposed mining site within a period of two (2) years with the condition that the maximum mining depth is approved two (2) meters from the unmined ground surface. The proponent is allowed to extract 30000 cu.m. river bed stone from the approved mine site per year strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.*

The Divisional Forest Officer, Kachugaon Forest Division under BTC is requested to ensure due vigilances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. Further, he is requested to ensure that mining be allowed only within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. Accordingly he will arrange to mark the boundary of the mining site on ground fixing permanent pillars following the GPS coordinates mentioned in the approved mining plan. Compliance by the proponent of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC shall have to be ensured by the concerned Divisional Forest Officer.

SEIAA Resolution 44/12:

Approved for issuance of EC as per condition laid down by SEAC.

13. **Proposal asking EC for mining of Sand from "DBR/52/ Buridehing/ Deorighat/ Sand MCA for 2022-29 under Dibrugarh Forest Division proposed by the Divisional Forest Officer, Dibrugarh. SEIAA.3225/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/406783/2022).**

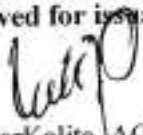
SEAC Resolution 51/18:


The project proposal asking EC for mining of Sand from the "DBR/52/ Buridehing/ Deorighat/ Sand MCA for 2022-29" under Dibrugarh Forest Division proposed by **the Divisional Forest Officer, Dibrugarh** is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. The project area is 4.94 hect in the Buridehing River and comes under B<sub>2</sub> category. Necessary documents are scrutinized and appraised. The Mining Plan approved by the DGM, Assam vide letter dated 29<sup>th</sup> Sept. 2022 is discussed in detail. Recommendation of the DFO, Dibrugarh Forest Division communicated vide letter dated 25<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2022 is also deliberated. The committee after due deliberation recommended the project proposal *approving to extract 97000 cu.m. river bed sand from the proposed mining site within a period of 5 (five) years subject to the condition that (i) the maximum mining depth is recommended up to 2 (two) meters from the unmined ground surface & (ii) the active river bank should not be disturbed during mining operation and transportation of materials. The proponent is allowed to extract 19400 cu.m. sand from the proposed site annually strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.*


The Divisional Forest Officer, Dibrugarh Forest Division is requested to ensure due vigilances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. Further, he is requested to ensure that mining be allowed only within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. Accordingly he will arrange to mark the boundary of the mining site on ground fixing permanent pillars following the GPS coordinates mentioned in the approved mining plan. Compliance by the proponent of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC shall have to be ensured by the concerned Divisional Forest Officer.

SEIAA Resolution 44/13:

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14. Proposal asking EC for "Expansion (additional 6 nos. of E&A Wells & 4 nos. of EPU/QPUs) in "Onshore Oil & Gas Exploration, Appraisal & Early Production in AA-ONHP-2017/4 Hydrocarbon Block", Jorhat District, Assam proposed by M/S Vedanta Limited. SEIAA.3247/2022, (SIA/AS/IND2/ 401351/2021).

SEAC Resolution 51/19:

The project proposal requesting EC for "Expansion (additional 6 nos. of E&A Wells & 4 nos. of EPU/QPUs) in "Onshore Oil & Gas Exploration, Appraisal & Early Production in AA-ONHP-2017/4 Hydrocarbon Block", Jorhat District, Assam proposed by M/S Vedanta Ltd. is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail deliberation. The documents/ records furnished by the proponent as per SOP and in support of their proposal are scrutinized and appraised. The committee deliberated the proposal thoroughly.

The committee after thread bare deliberation recommended approving to issue EC against four nos. of well pad (a) SPN-1, (b) SPN-2, (c) SPN-3 & (d) SPN-4. The other two well pads namely SP-1A & SP-1B falling inside Dissoi Valley Reserved Forests under Jorhat Forest Division and will be considered after receiving due Forest Clearance from the competent authority followed by detail presentation.

SEIAA Resolution 44/14:

Approved for issuance of EC as per condition laid down by SEAC.

15. Proposal asking EC for mining of Sand from "Digaru Sand Permit Area No. 4 MMC (For Permit Area and Govt. Works Permit) under Kamrup East Forest Division proposed by Sri Bhriendra Nobis. SEIAA.3220/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/ 405775/2022).

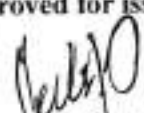
SEAC Resolution 51/21:


The project proposal asking EC for mining of sand from "Digaru Sand Permit Area No. 4 MMC (For Permit Area and Govt. Works Permit)" under Kamrup East Forest Division proposed by Sri Bhriendra Nobis is placed before the SEAC for scrutiny, appraisal and discussion. Necessary documents submitted by the proponent has been examined and appraised. The Mining Plan approved by the DGM, Assam dive letter dated 28<sup>th</sup> July 2022 is discussed in detailed. Recommendation of the DFO, Kamrup East Division, Basistha, Guwahati communicated vide latter dated 7<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2022 and 29<sup>th</sup> June 2022 is discussed. Due deliberation is held on the proposal and the committee considering all the relevant issues recommended the proposal approving to *extract river bed sand 40000 cu.m. from the proposed mine site within a period of two (2) years with the conditions: (a) maximum mining depth is recommended up to 2 meters from the unmined ground surface, (b) five (5) meters distance from both active bank of the river is to be kept as non mining zone & (c) high rise bank of the river should not be disturbed by mining operation and transportation. The proponent is recommended to extract 20000 cu.m. sand from the proposed site annually strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.*


The Divisional Forest Officer, Kamrup East Forest Division, Basistha, Guwahati is requested to ensure due vigilances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. Further, he is requested to ensure that mining be allowed only within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. Accordingly he will arrange to mark the boundary of the mining site on ground fixing permanent pillars following the GPS coordinates mentioned in the approved mining plan. Compliance by the proponent of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC shall have to be ensured by the concerned Divisional Forest Officer

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Sri Pradyut Kumar Choudhury,  
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16. **Proposal asking EC for mining of Stone from “Sankosh Khoksaguri No.2 Stone Mahal” under Kachugaon Division proposed by Jandu Construction India Private Limited. SEIAA.3233/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/ 409683/2022).**

SEAC Resolution 51/22:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of river bed stone from “Sankosh Khoksaguri No.2 Stone Mahal” under Kachugaon Division under BTAD proposed by **Jandu Construction India Private Limited** is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Project area is 4.83 hect and comes under B<sub>2</sub> category. The Mining Plan approved by the DGM, Assam dated 1<sup>st</sup> Dec. 2022 is discussed in detailed. Recommendation of the DFO, Kachugaon Forest Division communicated vide letter dated 19<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2022 and approval thereon communicated by the CHD (Forest), BTAD vide letter dated 18<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2022 are also discussed in detailed. Due deliberation is held on the project and the committee recommended approving EC to extract 100000 cu.m. river bed stone from the proposed mining site within a period of two years with the condition that the active river bank should not be disturbed due to mining operation and transportation of materials. The proponent is allowed to extract 50000 cum river bed stone from the mining site annually strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Kachugaon Forest Division, Gossaigaon under BTC is requested to ensure due vigilances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. Further, he is requested to ensure that mining be allowed only within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. Accordingly he will arrange to mark the boundary of the mining site on ground fixing permanent pillars following the GPS coordinates mentioned in the approved mining plan. Compliance by the proponent of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC shall have to be ensured by the concerned Divisional Forest Officer.

SEIAA Resolution 44/16:

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17. **Proposal asking EC for mining of Stone from “Jatinga River Minor Mineral Unit-3(Stone), (Mining Permit Area, Govt. Land)” under Cachar Division proposed by Sri Panna Deb. SEIAA.3180/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/ 401683/2022).**

SEAC Resolution 51/25:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of river bed stone from the “Jatinga River Minor Mineral Unit-3(Stone), (Mining Permit Area, Govt. Land)” under Cachar Forest Division proposed by **Sri Panna Deb** is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Project area is 4.67 hect and falls under category B<sub>2</sub>. The Mining Plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 12<sup>th</sup> Aug. 2022 is discussed in detailed. Recommendation of the DFO, Cachar Forest Division communicated vide letter dated 22<sup>nd</sup> Sept. 2022 is also discussed. Due deliberation is held and the committee recommended the proposal approving to **extract 56000 cu.m. river bed stone** from the proposed mining site within a **period of two years with the condition that the maximum mining depth is fixed at two meters from the unmined ground surface. The proponent is permitted to extract 28000 cu.m. river bed stone from the proposed site annually strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.**

The Divisional Forest Officer, Cachar Forest Division, Silchar is requested to ensure due vigilances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. Further, he is requested to ensure that mining be allowed only within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. Accordingly he will arrange to mark the boundary of the mining site on ground fixing permanent pillars following the GPS coordinates mentioned in the approved mining plan. Compliance by the proponent of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC shall have to be ensured by the concerned Divisional Forest Officer.

SEIAA Resolution 44/17:

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18. Proposal asking EC for mining of Sand from "Jhanji River Sand MPA "E" (Sandghat-A)" under Sivasagar Forest Division proposed by Sri Mousoom Borah. SEIAA.3194/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/ 402743/2022).

SEAC Resolution 51/26:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of river bed sand from "Jhanji River Sand MPA "E" (Sandghat-A)" under Sivasagar Forest Division proposed by Sri Mousoom Borah is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Project area is 1.93 hect. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam vide letter dated 21<sup>st</sup> Sept. 2022 is discussed in detailed. Recommendation of the Divisional Forest Officer, Sivasagar Forest Division communicated vide letter dated 26<sup>th</sup> Sept. 2022 is also discussed. The committee after due deliberation recommended the project proposal approving to *extract 1354 cu.m. river bed sand from the proposed mining area with validity of the EC for two (2) months only. The proponent shall have to strictly follow all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.*

The Divisional Forest Officer, Sivasagar Forest Division, Sivasagar is requested to ensure due vigilances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. Further, he is requested to ensure that mining be allowed only within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. Accordingly he will arrange to mark the boundary of the mining site on ground fixing permanent pillars following the GPS coordinates mentioned in the approved mining plan. Compliance by the proponent of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC shall have to be ensured by the concerned Divisional Forest Officer.

SEIAA Resolution 44/18:

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19. Proposal asking EC for mining of Sand & Gravel from "Simen River Sand and Gravel, Govt. Permit Area" under Dhemaji Forest Division proposed by Sri Biju Kumbang. SEIAA.3244/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/ 408244/2022).

SEAC Resolution 51/27:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of Sand & Gravel from the "Simen River Sand and Gravel, Govt. Permit Area" under Dhemaji Forest Division proposed by Sri Biju Kumbang is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Project area is 3.90 hect. The Mining Plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 16<sup>th</sup> Nov, 2022 is discussed in detailed. Replies on both FDS/ADS are examined and appraised. Additional information provided by the concerned DFO vide letter No. FD MT/B/EIA/2022/2607 dated 8<sup>th</sup> Dec.2022 is also discussed. Due deliberation is held on the project proposal. The committee after necessary deliberation recommended the project proposal *approving to extract 10000 cu.m. Sand and 20000 cu.m. Sand- gravel (total 30000 cu.m.) from the proposed mining site within a period of two (2) years with the condition that the maximum mining depth is permitted up to two (2) meters from the unmimed ground surface. The proponent is allowed to extract 5000 cu.m sand and 10000 cu.m. sand -gravel from the proposed mining site per year strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.*

The Divisional Forest Officer, Dhemaji Forest Division is requested to ensure due vigilances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. Further, he is requested to ensure that mining be allowed only within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. Accordingly he will arrange to mark the boundary of the mining site on ground fixing permanent pillars following the GPS coordinates mentioned in the approved mining plan. Compliance by the proponent of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC shall have to be ensured by the concerned Divisional Forest Officer.

SEIAA Resolution 44/19:

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20. Proposal asking EC for mining of Stone from "Mahadevpur Area Patta Land Minor Mineral Stone Mining Permit Area under Cachar Division proposed by Sri Nishi Das, SEIAA.3138/2021, (SIA/AS/MIN/276940/2022).

SEAC Resolution 51/29:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of stone from the "Mahadevpur Area Patta Land Minor Mineral Stone Mining Permit Area" under Cachar Forest Division proposed by Sri Nishi Das is placed before the SEAC for review, appraisal and detail discussion. Project area is 1.35 hect. The Mining Plan approved by the DGM, Assam vide letter dated 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2022 and replies furnished on both EDS/ADS are discussed. the recommendation of the concerned DFO communicated vide letter dated 4<sup>th</sup> Feb. 2022 & 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2022 are also discussed in detailed. The committee after due deliberation recommended the proposal approving to extract 24000 cu.m. stone from the proposed mining site within a period of 2 (two) years. The proponent is allowed to extract 12000 cu.m stone from the approved site annually strictly following all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Cachar Forest Division, Silchar is requested to ensure due vigilances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. Further, he is requested to ensure that mining be allowed only within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. Accordingly he will arrange to mark the boundary of the mining site on ground fixing permanent pillars following the GPS coordinates mentioned in the approved mining plan. Compliance by the proponent of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC shall have to be ensured by the concerned Divisional Forest Officer.

SEIAA Resolution 44/20:

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21. Proposal asking EC for mining of Ordinary earth from "Mazirgaon Village Patta Land Ordinary Earth Mining Permit Area" under Kamrup East Division proposed by Sri Bhaben Mazumder. SEIAA.3218/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/258683/2022).

SEAC Resolution 51/30:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of ordinary earth from the "Mazirgaon Village Patta Land Ordinary Earth Mining Permit Area" under Kamrup East Division proposed by Sri Bhaben Mazumder is placed before the SEAC for review, appraisal and detail discussion. Necessary documents furnished by the proponent along with the approved Mining Plan in support of the proposal are discussed in detailed. Necessary NOC issued by the ADM, Kamrup Metro District dated 14<sup>th</sup> Dec. 2020, report of the C.O. Azara dated 1<sup>st</sup> Dec. 2020 and report of the concerned DFO dated 10<sup>th</sup> Dec.2020 are also deliberated. JVR conducted on 13<sup>th</sup> Jan. 2020 and land records are examined. Due deliberation is held and the committee recommended the proposal approving to extract 3400 cu.m. ordinary earth from the proposed site within a period of two years with the condition that maximum mining depth is approved up to two meters from the unmined ground surface. The proponent is allowed to extract 1700 cu.m. ordinary earth annually strictly following all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Kamrup East Forest Division, Basistha, Guwahati is requested to ensure due vigilances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. Further, he is requested to ensure that mining be allowed only within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. Accordingly he will arrange to mark the boundary of the mining site on ground fixing permanent pillars following the GPS coordinates mentioned in the approved mining plan. Compliance by the proponent of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC shall have to be ensured by the concerned Divisional Forest Officer.

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22. **Proposal asking EC for mining of Ordinary Clay from “Buridehing River Ordinary Clay (Silt) Mining Permit Area, Horeghat” under Dibrugarh Forest Division proposed by Ganpati Builders. SEIAA.3253/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/ 407966/2022).**

**SEAC Resolution 51/31:**

The project proposal asking EC for mining of ordinary clay/silt from the “**Buridehing River Ordinary Clay (Silt) Mining Permit Area, Horeghat**” under Dibrugarh Forest Division proposed by **Ganpati Builders** is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Necessary documents are scrutinized and appraised. The report of the DFO, Dibrugarh Division dated 26<sup>th</sup> Oct. 2022; 13<sup>th</sup> Oct 2022 is discussed. The Mining Plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 18<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2022 is also discussed. The report submitted by the Executive Engineer, WR Department, Dibrugarh vide letter dated 30<sup>th</sup> Sept.2022 is deliberated. Due discussion is held and the committee recommended the proposal approving to **extract 42000 cu.m. ordinary clay/silt from the proposed mining location within a period of two years with the conditions that (i) the maximum mining depth is approved up to two meters from the unmined ground surface & (ii) the condition laid down by the E.E. WR Deptt. Dibrugarh vide letter dated 30<sup>th</sup> Sept, 2022 relating to this mining should also be strictly followed during mining operation. The proponent is recommended to extract 21000 cu.m. Ordinary clay/silt annually from the proposed location strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.**

The Divisional Forest Officer, Dibrugarh Forest Division, Dibrugarh is requested to ensure due vigilances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. Further, he is requested to ensure that mining be allowed only within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. Accordingly he will arrange to mark the boundary of the mining site on ground fixing permanent pillars following the GPS coordinates mentioned in the approved mining plan. Compliance by the proponent of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC shall have to be ensured by the concerned Divisional Forest Officer

**SEIAA Resolution 43/22:**

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23. **Proposal asking EC for mining of Sand from “Dhaleswari Sand Mining Contract Unit- 1” under Hailakandi Forest Division proposed by Sri Himangshu Roy. SEIAA.3242/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/ 409135/2022).**


**SEAC Resolution 50/32:**


The project proposal asking EC for mining of river bed sand from the “**Dhaleswari Sand Mining Contract Unit- 1**” under Hailakandi Forest Division proposed by **Sri Himangshu Roy** is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Project area is 4.95 hect. The Mining Plan approved by the DGM, Assam vide letter dated 18<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2022 is discussed in detailed. Report of the DFO, Hailakandi Forest Division communicated vide letter dated 8<sup>th</sup> Aug. 2022 and Addl. PCCF, Assam’s letter dated 18<sup>th</sup> July 2022 approving the project is also discussed in detailed. Necessary LOI is also examined. Due deliberation is held on the project proposal. The committee after necessary deliberation recommended the project proposal approving to **excavate 75000 cu.m. river bed sand from the proposed mining site within a period of five (5) years. The proponent is also recommended to excavate 15000 cu.m. river bed sand per year strictly following all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.**


The Divisional Forest Officer, Hailakandi Forest Division, Hailakandi is requested to ensure due vigilances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. Further, he is requested to ensure that mining be allowed only within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. Accordingly he will arrange to mark the boundary of the mining site on ground fixing permanent pillars following the GPS coordinates mentioned in the approved mining plan. Compliance by the proponent of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC shall have to be ensured by the concerned Divisional Forest Officer.

**SEIAA Resolution 43/23:**

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24. **Proposal asking EC for mining of Brick Earth from "Uttar Khola Brick Earth Permit Area, Mining Permit Area, (P.P. Land) under Nagaon Division proposed by Sri Bipin Rava. SEIAA.3216/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/ 407388/2022).**

SEAC Resolution 51/33:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of brick earth from the "**Uttar Khola Brick Earth Permit Area, Mining Permit Area, (P.P. Land)**" under Nagaon Division proposed by **Sri Bipin Rava** is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Project area is 2.0 hect. The Mining Plan approved by the DGM, Assam vide letter dated 30<sup>th</sup> March 2022 is discussed. The recommendation of the concerned DFO dated 15<sup>th</sup> Feb. 2022 and 4<sup>th</sup> April 2022 are also discussed in detail. The project is deliberated thoroughly and the committee *recommended the proposal approving to extract 5000 cu.m. brick earth within a period of one (1) year with the condition that the maximum depth should not exceed 2 meters from the unmined ground surface. The proponent shall have to strictly follow all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.*

The Divisional Forest Officer, Nagaon Forest Division, Nagaon is requested to ensure due vigilances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. Further, he is requested to ensure that mining be allowed only within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. Accordingly he will arrange to mark the boundary of the mining site on ground fixing permanent pillars following the GPS coordinates mentioned in the approved mining plan. Compliance by the proponent of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC shall have to be ensured by the concerned Divisional Forest Officer.

SEIAA Resolution 43/24:

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25. **Proposal asking EC for mining of Sand from "Bhogdoi River Dhodarali Mining Permit Area for Sand under Jorhat Division proposed by Sri Suresh Agarwalla. SEIAA.3252/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/ 406321/2022).**


SEAC Resolution 51/34:


The project proposal asking EC for mining of river bed sand from the "**Bhogdoi River Dhodarali Mining Permit Area**" for Sand under Jorhat Division proposed by **Sri Suresh Agarwalla** is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Project area is 3.5 hect in the Bhogdoi River under Jorhat Forest Division. The proposal was discussed in the previous SEAC meeting and certain additional information sought. The Mining Plan approved by the DGM, Assam vide letter dated 21<sup>st</sup> Oct. 2022 is discussed in detailed. Recommendation of the DFO, Jorhat communicated dated 28<sup>th</sup> Oct 2022 as well as additional information furnished by the concerned DFO vide letter dated 28<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2022 is deliberated in detailed. The committee after due deliberation recommended the project proposal *approving to extract 4100 cu.m. river bed sand from the proposed mining site within a period of two years with the condition that the maximum mining depth is recommended up to 1.5 meters from the unmined ground surface. The proponent is allowed to extract 2050 cu.m sand from the proposed site per year strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.*


The Divisional Forest Officer, Jorhat Forest Division, Jorhat is requested to ensure due vigilances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. Further, he is requested to ensure that mining be allowed only within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. Accordingly he will arrange to mark the boundary of the mining site on ground fixing permanent pillars following the GPS coordinates mentioned in the approved mining plan. Compliance by the proponent of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC shall have to be ensured by the concerned Divisional Forest Officer.

SEIAA Resolution 43/25:

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**26. Proposal asking EC for mining of Sand from "Katakhal Sand Mining Contract Unit 1(C)" under Hilakandi Foest Division proposed by the AMDCL. SEIAA.3254/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/410399/2022).**

**SEAC Resolution 51/35:**

The project proposal asking Ec for mining of river bed sand from the "Katakhal Sand Mining Contract Unit 1(C)" under Hilakandi Forest Division proposed by the AMDCL is placed before the SEAC for scrutiny, appraisal and detail discussion. Necessary documents furnished by the proponent in support of the proposal is examined and appraised. The project area is 4.95 hect. & falls under B<sub>2</sub> category. The Mining Plan approved by the DHM, Assam vide letter dated 21<sup>st</sup> Sept. 2022 is discussed in detailed. Recommendation of the DFO, Hailakandi Forest Division communicated vide letter dated 12<sup>th</sup> Dec. 2022 & 18<sup>th</sup> Aug. 2022 are deliberated. The request made by the MD, AMDCL vide latter dated 28<sup>th</sup> June 2022 is also discussed. The committee after requisite deliberation recommended the project proposal *approving to extract 58500 cu.m. sand from the approved/ proposed mining site within a period of five (5) years with the condition that the maximum mining depth is recommended up to 2 (two) meters from the unmined ground surface. The proponent is allowed to extract 11700 cu.m. sand from the proposed area annually strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.*

The Divisional Forest Officer, Hailakandi Forest Division, Hailakandi is requested to ensure due vigilances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. Further, he is requested to ensure that mining be allowed only within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. Accordingly he will arrange to mark the boundary of the mining site on ground fixing permanent pillars following the GPS coordinates mentioned in the approved mining plan. Compliance by the proponent of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC shall have to be ensured by the concerned Divisional Forest Officer.

**SEIAA Resolution 44/26:**

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**27. Proposal asking EC for mining of Ordinary Earth from "Haberikura P.P. Land Ordinary Earth Mining Permit Area" under N.K Forest Division proposed by Sri Manu Ram Deka. SEIAA.3236/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/245931/2021).**

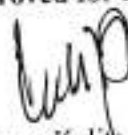
**SEAC Resolution 51/36:**


The project proposal asking EC for mining of ordinary earth from the "Haberikura P.P. Land Ordinary Earth Mining Permit Area" under N.K Forest Division proposed by Sri Manu Ram Deka s placed before the SEAC for appraial and deatil discussion. Project area is only 0.28 hect and requested for mining of ordinary earth. The Mining Plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide latter dated 4<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2021 is discussed in detailed. The recommendations issued by the concerned DFO vide latter dated 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2021 and 16<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2021 is delberated. The committee after due deliberation recommended the project proposal *approving to extract 3348 cu.m. ordinary earth from the proposed mine site within a period of two years with the condition that the maximum mining is recommended up to 2 (two) meters from the unmined ground surface. The prponent is allowed to extrcat 1674 cu.m. ordinary earth annually strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining site.*


The Divisional Forest Officer, North Kamrup Forest Division, Rangia is requested to ensure due vigilances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. Further, he is requested to ensure that mining be allowed only within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. Accordingly he will arrange to mark the boundary of the mining site on ground fixing permanent pillars following the GPS coordinates mentioned in the approved mining plan. Compliance by the proponent of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC shall have to be ensured by the concerned Divisional Forest Officer.

**SEIAA Resolution 44/27:**

**Approved for issuance of EC as per condition laid down by SEAC.**

  
Sri Indreswar Kalita, ACS,  
Addl. Secretary, Env & Forest, Assam  
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Dr. Hari Prasad Sarma,  
Member, SEIAA, Assam

  
Sri Pradyut Kumar Choudhury,  
Chairman, SEIAA, Assam.

28. Proposal asking EC for mining of Sand from "Singla sand Minor Mineral Unit Block -A" under Karimganj Forest Division proposed by Sri Sidhartha Dutta. SEIAA.3227/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/407591/2022).

SEAC Resolution 51/37:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of Sand from the "Singla sand Minor Mineral Unit Block -A" under Karimganj Forest Division proposed by Sri Sidhartha Dutta is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. The project area is 4.96 hect. in Singla river & comes under Category B2. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam vide latter dated 21<sup>st</sup> Oct. 2022 is deliberated thoroughly. The LOI issued by the DFO, Karimganj Forest Division dated 17<sup>th</sup> Sept. 2022 and recommendation communicated vide latter dated 117<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2022 is discussed in detailed. The committee after due deliberation recommended the project proposal approving to **excavate 60000 cu.m. river bed sand from the approved/ proposed mining site within a period of 5 (five) years** subject to the condition that the maximum mining depth is recommended up to 2 (two) meters from the unmined ground surface. The proponent is permitted to excavate **12000 cu.m. sand annually** strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Karimganj Forest Division, Karimganj is requested to ensure due vigilances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. Further, he is requested to ensure that mining be allowed only within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. Accordingly he will arrange to mark the boundary of the mining site on ground fixing permanent pillars following the GPS coordinates mentioned in the approved mining plan. Compliance by the proponent of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC shall have to be ensured by the concerned Divisional Forest Officer.

SEIAA Resolution 44/28:

Approved for issuance of EC as per condition laid down by SEAC.


29. Proposal asking EC for mining of Ordinary earth from "Bor Nizara P.P. Land Ordinary Earth Mining Permit Area" under N.K Forest Division proposed by Mohammad Ahmed. SEIAA.3256/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/407203/2022).


SEAC Resolution 51/38:


The project proposal asking E for mining of ordinary earth from the "Bor Nizara P.P. Land Ordinary Earth Mining Permit Area" under North Kamrup Forest Division proposed by Mohammad Ahmed is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Project area is 0.50 hect falls under B<sub>2</sub> category. The Mining Plan approved by the DGM, Assam vide letter dated 4<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2022 is discussed in detailed. Recommendation of the DFO, North Kamrup Forest Division communicated vide latter dated 21<sup>st</sup> Sept. 2022 & 9<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2022 is deliberated. Necessary NOC issued by the Addl. Deputy Commissioner communicated vide letter dated 29<sup>th</sup> Sept. 2022 and the JVR conducted on 9<sup>th</sup> Sept. 2022 are discussed in detailed. The committee after due deliberation recommended the proposal approving to extract 100000 cu.m. ordinary earth from the proposed mining site within a period of two years. The proponent shall have to construct necessary site specific guard walls/ retaining walls wherever necessary to arrest soil erosion/ land slide during mining operation. The proponent is allowed to extract 50000 cu.m. ordinary earth from the proposed mining location per year strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan. The Divisional Forest Officer, North Kamrup Forest Division, Rangia is requested to ensure due vigilances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. Further, he is requested to ensure that mining be allowed only within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. Accordingly he will arrange to mark the boundary of the mining site on ground fixing permanent pillars following the GPS coordinates mentioned in the approved mining plan. Compliance by the proponent of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC shall have to be ensured by the concerned Divisional Forest Officer.

SEIAA Resolution 44/29:

Approved for issuance of EC as per condition laid down by SEAC.

  
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30. **Proposal of E.C for mining of Ordinary Clay from “Bormurikona Ordinary Clay Mining Permit Area under North Kamrup Division proposed by Sri Shyamal Mahanta. SEIAA, 3210/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/405264/2022)**

SEAC Resolution 51/13:

The project proposal requesting EC for mining of ordinary clay from “**Bormurikona Ordinary Clay Mining Permit Area**” under North Kamrup Forest Division proposed by **Sri Shyamal Mahanta** is placed before the SEAC for scrutiny, appraisal and deliberation. Allotted area of the project is quoted 1.0 hect. and minable area is 0.87 shown in two different blocks hect. and the proposal is forwarded by the Deputy Commissioner, Nalbari District. Scrutinized the documents submitted by the proponent. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam dated 28<sup>th</sup> Jan. 2022, DC, Nalbari’s letter dated 3<sup>rd</sup> Jan. 2022 and JVR dated 20<sup>th</sup> Dec. 2022 is discussed in detailed. Report of the Water Resources Department is also discussed. Due deliberation is held and the committee resolved as below:

*Since the plot shape in the sketch/ trace map of the revenue department & KML file do not match, and the proposed mining area is within 150 meters from the nearby embankment as reported by the Water Resources, Deptt vide letter No. WR/NLB/M-18/Pt-XX/2015/60 dated 30<sup>th</sup> Aug. 2022, as such, the committee decided **not to recommend** the project.*

SEIAA Resolution 44/30:

**Rejected as per condition laid down by SEAC.**

31. **Proposal asking EC for mining of Stone from “Naupani Kaiphoi Anglong P.P. Land Stone Quarry” under Karbi Anglong East Division proposed by Sri Jiten Engai. SEIAA.3219/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/407462/2022).**


SEAC Resolution 50/18:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of stone from the “**Naupani Kaiphoi Anglong P.P. Land Stone Quarry**” under Karbi Anglong East Division proposed by **Sri Jiten Engai** is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and discussion. Project area is 0.58 hect as approved by the DGM, Assam vide letter dated 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2022. The concerned DFO’s letter dated 30<sup>th</sup> Dec. 2021 and 21<sup>st</sup> March 2022 are also discussed. Land records furnished by the proponent are examined. Due deliberation is held and it resolved by the committee as mentioned below.

*The trace map and the area bounded by the KML file do not match. The trace map shows that the proposed plot is bounded by the Napani River but the KML file does not show any such river nearby in Google map. The area also has primary forest and has no road connectivity, and well inside forested area. The proposal is not recommended following the above discussion.*

SEIAA Resolution 44/31:

**The SEIAA in its 44<sup>th</sup> meeting discussed the SEAC Resolution no. 50/18 taken in 51<sup>st</sup> SEAC meeting and decided to seek report about the status of the proposed site from the concerned DFO after his physical visit. The report shall thereafter be placed before the SEAC for re-consideration.**

  
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32. Proposal asking EC for mining of Earth & Stone from "Sila P.P. Land Earth & Stone Mining Permit Area" under North Kamrup Forest Division proposed by Sri Anup Boro. SEIAA.3176/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/401271/2022).

SEIAA Resolution 44/32:

The SEAC in its 50<sup>th</sup> meeting vide Resolution no. 50/21 observed that trace map and the KML file do not match and hence sought clarification from PP and the reply thereof be placed before the SEIAA for approval.

Accordingly the ADS reply of the P.P was scrutinized in 44<sup>th</sup> meeting of SEIAA. It was observed that the trace map submitted was not to scale and therefore the distance between the road and plot of land in question could not be ascertained. As such, the Circle Officer, North Guwahati, Amingaon shall be requested to submit the same indicating the Dag no & Patta No of the plot.

The meeting came to an end with a vote of thanks from the Chair.



(Sri Pradyut Kumar Choudhury)  
Chairman,  
SEIAA, Assam



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