

**Minutes of the 807th Meeting of the State Level Environment Impact Assessment
Authority, UP (SEIAA) held on 21-03-2024**

The meeting of 807th State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, UP (SEIAA) was held on-line on 21.03.2024 the Directorate of Environment. The following were present in the meeting:-

1. Smt. Mamta Sanjeev Dubey
2. Shri Paras Nath
3. Shri Sanjeev Kumar Singh

Chairman, SEIAA, U.P
Member, SEIAA, U.P
Member Secretary, SEIAA, U.P

Agenda-A- Minutes of 838th SEAC-1 Meeting Dated 27/02/2024

1. **"Ordinary Earth Mining" Project at Gata No.- 251/1, Village- Beyora Nawalpur, Tehsil-Ajeetmal, District- Auraiya, Shri Anurag Singh Area- 1.90 Ha., 8677/SIA/UP/MIN/458821/2024.**

As per para 8(ii) of EIA notification 2006 -The regulatory authority shall normally accept the recommendations of the Expert Appraisal Committee or State Level Expert Appraisal Committee concerned. Hence in light of all these facts EC is being granted to the title proposal.

SEIAA opined to accept the recommendation of SEAC and grant EC to the said project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by SEAC taking into consideration discussion held in SEIAA meeting no. 597 dated 05.05.2022 regarding reply of SEAC-1 and SEAC-2 for compliance/action taken on TOR/Public hearing, adding following specific conditions:-

1. If in future during the progressive mining this lease area becomes part of cluster i.e. area equal to or more than 5 ha., limited to B-1 category, then additional conditions based on the EIA conducted by the concerned lease holders shall be imposed and joint EMP shall be implemented. The lease holder shall mandatorily follow all the imposed conditions otherwise it will amount to violation of E.C. conditions. If the certificate related to cluster provided by the competent authority is found false or incorrect then punitive actions as per the law shall be initiated against the authority issuing the cluster certificate.
2. Validity period of this EC is 3 months from the date of issue as the Lol has been issued for a period of 3 months or co-terminus with the validity of current mine plan or current lease period whichever is earlier. After this period the EC will become null and void.
3. A certificate from Forest Department shall be obtained that no forest land is involved in mining or as a route and if forest land is involved the project proponent shall obtain forest clearance and permission of Central and State Government as per the provisions of Van Sanrakshan evam Samvardhan Adhiniyam, 2023 and submit before the start of work.

4. The mining lease holders shall ensure to comply with mine reclamation plan as submitted
 5. If the proposed project is situated in notified area of ground water extraction, where creation of new wells for ground water extraction is not allowed, requirement of fresh water shall be met from alternate water sources other than ground water or legally valid source and permission from the competent authority shall be obtained to use it.
 6. Project Proponent should submit action plan for carrying out plantation at least @1,000 plants / ha of lease area. In this case, PP should prepare a plan, duly approved either by Forest Department or district plantation committee, for planting at least 2,000 plants, either on government land or community land, within a periphery of 5 km from the boundary of the lease area along with provision for maintenance for 5 years. Also, the coordinates of area earmarked for plantation should be clearly spelt and polygon should be attached and submitted within a month. Survival of plants should not be less than the survival rate notified by Uttar Pradesh Forest Department otherwise it will be treated as violation of EC condition.
 7. The project proponent shall ensure that water bodies do not get polluted due to mining activity.
 8. Department of Geology and Mines, Government of Uttar Pradesh and / or concerned district administration, before releasing the security deposit to Project Proponent will ensure that Project Proponent has fully complied with the EC conditions. Non-compliance, if any, should be reported to UPSPCB for appropriate legal action and recovery of compensation.
 9. Any application for transfer of this EC, during its validity period unless it is cancelled by a competent authority, has to be necessarily accompanied with status of compliance of EC conditions duly certified by IRO, MoEFCC, GoI, Lucknow.
 10. The project proponent shall install rooftop solar plant in one school in the vicinity of project area and construct toilets especially in girls' school as part of CER activity.
 11. **Project Proponent shall submit the Six-monthly Compliance on the Environment Clearance condition prescribed in the Prior Environment Clearance letter as per MoEF&CC OM F.no- IAS-22/01/2022-IA-III (E-172624) Dated 14-06-2022.**
 12. This EC shall be subject to any order from any court/tribunal or any guidelines issued by MOEFCC.
2. **Building Stone (Granite), Khanda-Boulder/ Gitti- Ballast Mine at Arazi No.- 654/3, Khand No- 13, Village: Goramachhiya, Tehsil: Sadar, Jhansi, Shri. Rajesh Kumar Agarwa, Area: 1.618 Ha., 8679/SIA/UP/MIN/458873/2024.**
- The issue was deliberated upon in depth and SEIAA noted that the DSRs were being updated by Geology and Mining Department Uttar Pradesh before 4/12/2023 on the basis of extant notifications and guidelines and leases had been auctioned and proposals for ToR had been uploaded on Parivesh portal. These proposals have also been appraised and recommended for grant of ToR by SEAC. As per para 8(ii) of EIA notification 2006 -The regulatory authority shall normally accept the recommendations of the Expert Appraisal Committee or State Level Expert Appraisal Committee concerned. Hence in light of all these facts ToR is being granted to the title proposal for conducting EIA studies. SEIAA added following points to ToR-
- 1- Since no intimation has been submitted regarding available monitoring data, hence data will be collected after issuance of ToR.
 - 2- All pages of technical documents/EIA/EMP etc. should be signed by the consultant and project proponent both.

- 3- The lease area its address and production per annum should match with as mentioned in DSR and Lol. In case there is any difference clarification/ amendment letter from competent authority shall be submitted along with EIA. EIA and public hearing shall be conducted as per the lease area its address and production per annum mentioned in DSR and Lol.
- 4- Public hearing shall be conducted as per EIA notification, 2006 (as amended).
- 5- Detailed Mine Reclamation plan and Plan for using the mine void for productive use in consultation with local administration and gram-panchayat should be submitted along with EIA-EMP.
- 6- SEIAA opined that the project proponent shall submit permission of CGWA or proposal for alternative source of fresh water.
- 7- Latest KML file for the area and mining lease area should be provided.
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- 10- Road network to be used by the project should be clearly shown on Survey of India toposheet in 1:50,000 scale. In case road network involves forest road, permission should be obtained from Forest Department and a copy of the same should be submitted at the time of appraisal of EIA-EMP report.
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 - (i) If the earlier and present lease holder are same then compliance report of previous EC should be submitted.
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- 13- Observations raised in public hearing, replies submitted by project proponent, suitable modifications carried out should be mentioned in EIA-EMP report.
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 - 17- The project proponent shall submit along with EIA the details of School in the vicinity of project area in which rooftop solar plant, toilets will be constructed specially girl school under CER activities.
 - 18- These TORs shall be subject to any order from any court/tribunal or any guidelines issued by MOEFCC.
3. "Ordinary Earth Mining" Project at Gata No.- 76, 82, 83, 80, Village-Bhikhepur Phaphund, Tehsil- Auraiya, District- Auraiya, Shri Rinku Singh, Area-0.7253 Ha., 8681/SIA/UP/MIN/458955/2024.

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4. **"Riverbed Ordinary Sand" mining River Ganga in Khand No. 32 at Village-Paraanipur IV (under construction high tension line tower to Paranipur main road) & Kandala - Kasaudhan, Tehsil-Meja, District – Prayagraj, Shri Deeraj Singh, Area - 5.0 ha., 8683/SIA/UP/MIN/458815/2024.**

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- 1- Proposed production per annum shall be as per approved replenishment study report and it should be submitted to SEIAA, UPSPCB and IRO, MoEFCC.
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 - 14- PP/consultant in compliance to Hon'ble NGT order dated 06.05.2022 in OA no. 141/2021 (With report dated 31.03.2022) Raj Kumar Vs. State of UP and Others and with OA no. 141/2021 Rajkaran Karn Vs. State of UP and Others, will submit replenishment study, duly approved by DGM, along with EIA-EMP report for seeking EC.
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5. "Sand/Morrum Mine" from Riverbed of Betwa River, at Khand No.- 22/12, Village- Rirua Basriya, Tehsil- Sarila, District- Hamirpur, Shri Pramod Kumar Singh, Area-12.145 Ha., 8685/7877/SIA/UP/MIN/459011/2024.

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7. Riverbed sand/morrum mining project from Ken River of Uncle And Sons Associates, Prop. Shri Vinod Kumar Yadav, located at Gata No. 5029, 5030Ka, 5093 Ka, 5094 Ka & 5097, Village- Durendi, Tehsil- Banda, Banda, Area- 20.00 ha., 8689/SIA/UP/MIN/459015/2024.
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8. Building Stone (Sandstone) Mine at Gata No.- 705, Village- Bhagauti Dei, Tehsil- Chunar, District- Mirzapur, Shri Abhay Singh, Area- 1.01 Ha., 8691/SIA/UP/MIN/459123/2024.
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- 9- In case project proponent intends to temporarily store mined out material or any tools, equipment's or other material outside mine lease area then NOC from competent authority for doing so should be submitted and details of such area and associated Environmental impacts should be included in EIA-EMP report. This should also be clearly mentioned during public hearing.
- 10- Road network to be used by the project should be clearly shown on Survey of India toposheet in 1:50,000 scale. In case road network involves forest road, permission should be obtained from Forest Department and a copy of the same should be submitted at the time of appraisal of EIA-EMP report.
- 11- The project proponent should clearly spell out whether it is a green field or brown field project. In case it is a brown field project and -
 - (i) If the earlier and present lease holder are same then compliance report of previous EC should be submitted.
 - (ii) If the earlier and present lease holder are different then environmental footprint of the site and mitigation measures should be included in EIA-EMP report.
- 12- In case of expansion /renewal of earlier EC, following information should be submitted
 - a. Status of compliance of earlier EC conditions by Integrated Regional Office, MoEFCC, Gol, Lucknow.
 - b. Copy of CTE and CTO issued by SPCB.
 - c. Status of submission of six-monthly compliance report to EC granted earlier
 - d. Court cases, if any.
- 13- Observations raised in public hearing, replies submitted by project proponent, suitable modifications carried out should be mentioned in EIA-EMP report.
- 14- PP / consultant in compliance to Hon'ble NGT order dated 06.05.2022 in OA no. 141/2021 (With report dated 31.03.2022) Raj Kumar Vs. State of UP and Others and

with OA no. 141/2021 Rajkaran Karn Vs. State of UP and Others, will submit replenishment study, duly approved by DGM, along with EIA-EMP report for seeking EC.

- 15- Project Proponent should submit action plan for carrying out plantation at least @1,000 plants / ha of lease area. In this case, PP should prepare a plan, duly approved either by Forest Department or Horticulture Department, for planting at least 8,000 plants, either on government land or community land, within a periphery of 5 km from the boundary of the lease area along with provision for maintenance for 5 years. Also, the coordinates of area earmarked for plantation should be clearly spelt in the EIA/EMP and polygon should be attached. Survival of plants below Uttar Pradesh Forest Department's survival rate will be treated as violation of EC condition.
- 16- The project proponent shall ensure that water bodies do not get polluted due to mining activity.
- 17- Along with the EIA-EMP report, PP / consultant will also submit in tabular form as to how they have addressed entire ToR while preparing draft EIA-EMP report for PH. Further, PP / consultant will submit in tabular form as to how they have addressed issues raised during public hearing and have incorporated the same in final EIA-EMP report. A presentation to this effect should be made before SEAC at the time of EIA-EMP presentation.
- 18- The project proponent shall submit along with EIA the details of School in the vicinity of project area in which rooftop solar plant, toilets will be constructed specially girl school under CER activities.
- 19- Number of mining projects are coming up in district. Department of Geology & Mines, GoUP to carry out regional EIA-EMP report including carrying capacity of environmental components to assess the capacity to further bear the pollution load for such areas within a period of 1 year and submit the same to SEIAA, UP for evaluation.
- 20- Department of Geology & Mines, GoUP in consultation with UPSPCB will establish required number of CAAQMS in district within a period of one year and submit geo-referenced map of these stations along with data. Details of existing CAAQMS, if any, be submitted within a period of three months.
- 21- These TORs shall be subject to any order from any court/tribunal or any guidelines issued by MOEFCC.

10. Sand/Morrum Mining at Gata No: 01K (Khand 02), Village- Kukargaow, Tehsil- Tahrauli, District- Jhansi, Shri Bharat Pahwa, M/s P.S.A. Contractor L.L.P ,Area: 9.712 ha., 8695/7187/SIA/UP/MIN/459252/2024.

SEIAA agreed with the recommendations of SEAC to close/delist the file as the project proponent did not appear and open only after submission of online request on prescribed online portal.

11. Gitti-Boulder (Sandstone) Mining Project Araj no. 30/49, Village- Sukrit, Tehsil- Robertsganj, District- Sonbhadra, Shri Gyanendra Yadav, M/s J. N. Enterprises , Area- 3.5127 Ha., 8699/SIA/UP/MIN/459377/2024.

The issue was deliberated upon in depth and SEIAA noted that the DSRs were being updated by Geology and Mining Department Uttar Pradesh before 4/12/2023 on the basis of extant notifications and guidelines and leases had been auctioned and proposals for ToR had been uploaded on Parivesh portal. These proposals have also been appraised and recommended for grant of ToR by SEAC. As per para 8(ii) of EIA notification 2006 -The

regulatory authority shall normally accept the recommendations of the Expert Appraisal Committee or State Level Expert Appraisal Committee concerned. Hence in light of all these facts ToR is being granted to the title proposal for conducting EIA studies. SEIAA added following points to ToR-

- 1- The project proponent shall submit measures taken to control air pollution since the area is near human habitat.
- 2- Since no intimation has been submitted regarding available monitoring data, hence data will be collected after issuance of ToR.
- 3- All pages of technical documents/EIA/EMP etc. should be signed by the consultant and project proponent both.
- 4- The lease area its address and production per annum should match with as mentioned in DSR and Lol. In case there is any difference clarification/ amendment letter from competent authority shall be submitted along with EIA. EIA and public hearing shall be conducted as per the lease area its address and production per annum mentioned in DSR and Lol.
- 5- Public hearing shall be conducted as per EIA notification, 2006 (as amended).
- 6- Detailed Mine Reclamation plan and Plan for using the mine void for productive use in consultation with local administration and gram-panchayat should be submitted along with EIA-EMP.
- 7- SEIAA opined that the project proponent shall submit permission of CGWA or proposal for alternative source of fresh water.
- 8- Latest KML file for the area and mining lease area should be provided.
- 9- Status of leases granted/to be granted in various mining khands along with production since the formulation of DSR, duly certified by the competent authority should be submitted.
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 - (i) If the earlier and present lease holder are same then compliance report of previous EC should be submitted.
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 - a. Status of compliance of earlier EC conditions by Integrated Regional Office, MoEFCC, GoI, Lucknow.
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 - c. Status of submission of six-monthly compliance report to EC granted earlier
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- 14- Observations raised in public hearing, replies submitted by project proponent, suitable modifications carried out should be mentioned in EIA-EMP report.

- 15- Project Proponent should submit action plan for carrying out plantation at least @1,000 plants / ha of lease area. In this case, PP should prepare a plan, duly approved either by Forest Department or Horticulture Department, for planting at least 4,000 plants, either on government land or community land, within a periphery of 5 km from the boundary of the lease area along with provision for maintenance for 5 years. Also, the coordinates of area earmarked for plantation should be clearly spelt in the EIA/EMP and polygon should be attached. Survival of plants below Uttar Pradesh Forest Department's survival rate will be treated as violation of EC condition.
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 - 21- Project Proponent in consultation with UPSPCB will establish required number of CAAQMS within a period of one year and submit geo-referenced map of these stations along with data on six-monthly basis.
 - 22- These TORs shall be subject to any order from any court/tribunal or any guidelines issued by MOEFCC.
12. "Ordinary Earth Excavation/Mining Project" at Gata No.- 194, Village: Saraiya Baldeosingh, Tehsil: Sidhauli, District- Sitapur, Shri Ram Gopal, Area: 0.87 Ha., 8701/SIA/UP/MIN/459408/2024.
- As per para 8(ii) of EIA notification 2006 -The regulatory authority shall normally accept the recommendations of the Expert Appraisal Committee or State Level Expert Appraisal Committee concerned. Hence in light of all these facts EC is being granted to the title proposal.
- SEIAA opined to accept the recommendation of SEAC and grant EC to the said project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by SEAC taking into consideration discussion held in SEIAA meeting no. 597 dated 05.05.2022 regarding reply of SEAC-1 and SEAC-2 for compliance/action taken on TOR/Public hearing, adding following specific conditions:-
1. If in future during the progressive mining this lease area becomes part of cluster i.e. area equal to or more than 5 ha., limited to B-1 category, then additional conditions based on the EIA conducted by the concerned lease holders shall be imposed and joint

EMP shall be implemented. The lease holder shall mandatorily follow all the imposed conditions otherwise it will amount to violation of E.C. conditions. If the certificate related to cluster provided by the competent authority is found false or incorrect then punitive actions as per the law shall be initiated against the authority issuing the cluster certificate.

2. Validity period of this EC is 3 months from the date of issue as the Lol has been issued for a period of 3 months or co-terminus with the validity of current mine plan or current lease period whichever is earlier. After this period the EC will become null and void.
3. A certificate from Forest Department shall be obtained that no forest land is involved in mining or as a route and if forest land is involved the project proponent shall obtain forest clearance and permission of Central and State Government as per the provisions of Van Sanrakshan evam Samvardhan Adhiniyam, 2023 and submit before the start of work.
4. The mining lease holders shall ensure to comply with mine reclamation plan as submitted
5. If the proposed project is situated in notified area of ground water extraction, where creation of new wells for ground water extraction is not allowed, requirement of fresh water shall be met from alternate water sources other than ground water or legally valid source and permission from the competent authority shall be obtained to use it.
6. Project Proponent should submit action plan for carrying out plantation at least @1,000 plants / ha of lease area. In this case, PP should prepare a plan, duly approved either by Forest Department or district plantation committee, for planting at least 1,000 plants, either on government land or community land, within a periphery of 5 km from the boundary of the lease area along with provision for maintenance for 5 years. Also, the coordinates of area earmarked for plantation should be clearly spelt and polygon should be attached and submitted within a month. Survival of plants should not be less than the survival rate notified by Uttar Pradesh Forest Department otherwise it will be treated as violation of EC condition.
7. The project proponent shall ensure that water bodies do not get polluted due to mining activity.
8. Department of Geology and Mines, Government of Uttar Pradesh and / or concerned district administration, before releasing the security deposit to Project Proponent will ensure that Project Proponent has fully complied with the EC conditions. Non-compliance, if any, should be reported to UPSPCB for appropriate legal action and recovery of compensation.
9. Any application for transfer of this EC, during its validity period unless it is cancelled by a competent authority, has to be necessarily accompanied with status of compliance of EC conditions duly certified by IRO, MoEFCC, GoI, Lucknow.
10. The project proponent shall install rooftop solar plant in one school in the vicinity of project area and construct toilets especially in girls' school as part of CER activity.
11. **Project Proponent shall submit the Six-monthly Compliance on the Environment Clearance condition prescribed in the Prior Environment Clearance letter as per MoEF&CC OM F.no- IAS-22/01/2022-IA-III (E-172624) Dated 14-06-2022.**
12. This EC shall be subject to any order from any court/tribunal or any guidelines issued by MOEFCC.

13. "Charkakhadar Sand/Morrum Mining Project" on the riverbed of Yamuna River, at Gata No.- 21, Khand No.- 04, at village: Charkakhadar, Tehsil: Baberu, District: Banda, Shri Sanjeev Saxena, Area 11.0 Ha., 8703/SIA/UP/MIN/459443/2024.

SEIAA noted that SEAC has recommended to grant ToR to the above project. SEIAA gone through file and documents and noted that in the MoM Proposed Production is mentioned as 1,65,000 cum/6months or 2,97,000 tonnes /6 months. It is not clear what conversion factor is used and is there any standard conversion factor adopted by mining department. Hence SEIAA opined to refer back the project to SEAC for review and clarification.

14. "Granite Gitti, Khanda / Boulders" Project at Gata No./ Khand No.- 715 / 17, Village- Gonda, Tehsil- Karwi, District- Chitrakoot, Shri Rasmeet Singh Malhotra, Area : 2.024 ha., 8705/SIA/UP/MIN/459539/2024.

SEIAA noted that SEAC has recommended to grant ToR to the above project. SEIAA gone through file and documents and noted that according to KML submitted mining is being carried out. Hence SEIAA opined to refer back the project to SEAC for review.



15. "Ordinary Earth Excavation Project" at Gata No.- 491, 525 in Village: Bhatpura, Tehsil: Hasanganj, District- Unnao, Smt Sonam Singh, M/s Shivanya Enterprises, Area: 0.733 Ha., 8707/SIA/UP/MIN/459516/2024.

As per para 8(ii) of EIA notification 2006 -The regulatory authority shall normally accept the recommendations of the Expert Appraisal Committee or State Level Expert Appraisal Committee concerned. Hence in light of all these facts EC is being granted to the title proposal.

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Agenda-B- Letter/Reply

1. पत्रांक सं०- एच 05469/सी०-2/एन०जी०टी०- 66/बंदी आदेश/2024 दिनांकित 10-01-2024 के सम्बन्ध में स्पष्टीकरण।

SEIAA gone through the letter dated 29.01.2024 of Shri Sidhinath Singh regarding CTE/CTO. Hence SEIAA opined to refer the letter to UPPCB for necessary action.

2. जनपद कौशांबी के तहसील मझनपुर थाना महेवाघाट के ग्राम जमुनापुर व रामनगर महेवाघाट के बीच नावों के आवागमन हेतु यमुना नदी के सोता में बनाये गये बंधा को कटाने तथा बंधा बांधने वाले व प्रतिबंधित एक्सकेवेटर मशीनों से खनन करने वाले खनन पट्टाधारक के विरुद्ध कार्यवाही करने के सम्बन्ध में।

SEIAA gone through the letter dated 10.01.2024 of Shri Rakesh regarding the above subject. Hence SEIAA opined to refer the letter to DM, Kaushambi, DGM and Irrigation Department for necessary action.

3. Proposed Project of Common Biomedical Waste Treatment Plant, Town- Hapur, Plot No.- 102-104, District- Hapur, U.P., M/s Environ Waste Connections. File No. 4488/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIS/29098/2018.

SEIAA gone through the letter dated 12.12.2023 of Authorized Signatory for Director M/s Environ Waste Connections regarding repeated inspection of site. SEIAA noted that inspection report has not been submitted and further action can be taken only after submission of report.

4. Building Stone (Khanda, Boulder, Gitty) sandstone mine at Khasra no./Plot no.- 2098 (khand - B) at Village – Bhatauti, Tehsil- Meja, District- Prayagraj, Shri Lal Babu Singh, Area- 6.073 ha., 8237/SIA/UP/MIN/443570/2023.

SEIAA noted that the above project was taken in 768th meeting in which SEIAA noted that SEAC has recommended to grant ToR to the above project where in 90% of the area seems to abandoned mine hence further mining will require adequate safety measures to avoid any mishap/ evidence. Hence SEIAA opined to send a letter to DGM to provide the information regarding mining of such leases as how the mining activity will be carried out. The project proponent has submitted a letter dated 23.01.2024 along with letter dated 11.01.2024 of Senior mine officers Prayagraj stating that Dewatering of rain water can be conducted for mining of the area.

The issue was deliberated upon in depth and SEIAA noted that the DSRs were being updated by Geology and Mining Department Uttar Pradesh before 4/12/2023 on the basis of extant notifications and guidelines and leases had been auctioned and proposals for ToR had been uploaded on Parivesh portal. These proposals have also been appraised and recommended for grant of ToR by SEAC. As per para 8(ii) of EIA notification 2006 -The regulatory authority shall normally accept the recommendations of the Expert Appraisal Committee or State Level Expert Appraisal Committee concerned. Hence in light of all these facts ToR is being granted to the title proposal for conducting EIA studies. SEIAA added following points to ToR-

- 1- The project proponent shall submit photographs of the site before and after dewatering at the time of EIA submission.
- 2- Since no intimation has been submitted regarding available monitoring data, hence data will be collected after issuance of ToR.

- 3- All pages of technical documents/EIA/EMP etc. should be signed by the consultant and project proponent both.
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5. Building Stone (Sandstone) mine, at Gata No. /Araji /Plot No. 1006, at Village - Sariya, Tehsil- Chunar, District- Mirzapur, Shri Digvijay Singh,, Area: 0.809 ha., 7790/5068/SIA/UP/MIN/425145/2023.


SEIAA noted that the above project was taken in 772th meeting in which SEIAA noted that SEAC has recommended to grant EC to the above project and SEIAA gone through file and documents and opined that the project proponent shall submit verified geo-coordinates. The project proponent has submitted a letter dated 20.12.2023 mentioning that lease map with verified geo-coordinates are being enclosed but it is not enclosed along with the letter. Hence SEIAA opined that legible geo-coordinates verified by DMO shall be submitted.

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