

MINUTES

841st MEETING

**STATE LEVEL ENVIRONMENT IMPACT ASSESSMENT
AUTHORITY-TAMIL NADU**

Date:18.06.2025.

**MINUTES OF THE 841st MEETING OF THE STATE LEVEL ENVIRONMENT IMPACT
ASSESSMENT AUTHORITY HELD ON 06.06.2025 & 11.06.2025.**

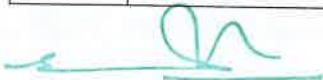
Agenda No	Description	File No.	Minutes
a)	Confirmation of the minutes of the 840 th meeting of the Authority held on 17.06.2025.		The minutes of the 840 th meeting of the Authority held on 17.06.2025 was confirmed.
1.	Proposed Rough Stone quarry lease over an extent of 2.94.01 Ha at S.F.Nos. 168/2A(P), 168/2B(P), 169/1C(P) & 169/2A(P), of Idayarpalayam Village, Sulur Taluk, Coimbatore District, Tamil Nadu by M/s. Ultra Readymix Concrete Private Limited- For Environmental Clearance. (SIA/TN/MIN/532973/2025)	12025	<p>The authority noted that the subject was placed in the 571st SEAC-II meeting held on 29.05.2025. SEAC-II has furnished its recommendations for granting Environmental Clearance subject to the conditions stated therein.</p> <p>After detailed discussions, the Authority taking into account the recommendations of SEAC-II and also the safety aspects and to ensure sustainable, scientific and systematic mining, decided to grant Environmental Clearance for the quantity of 3,18,706m³ of Rough stone & 32,304m³ of Gravel up to the depth of 38m BGL as per the approved mining plan and the annual peak production should not exceed 69,710m³ of Rough stone & 16,788m³ of Gravel. This is also subject to the conditions imposed by SEAC-II, normal conditions stipulated by MOEF&CC in addition to the following conditions and the conditions in Annexure 'A' of this minutes.</p> <p>1. Keeping in view of MoEF&CC's</p>


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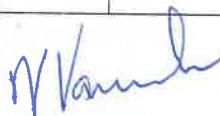

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			<p>notification S.O.1533(E) dated.14.09.2006 and S.O. 1807(E) dated 12.04.2022, this Environmental Clearance is valid as per the approved mine plan period.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. The EC granted is subject to review by District Collector, Mines Dept. and TNPCB on completion of every 5 years and also during the mine plan period, till the project life so as to review the EC Conditions and to ensure that they have all been adhered to and implemented 3. The project proponent shall submit a Certified Compliance Report obtained from RO of MoEF&CC to the monitoring, regulatory and other concerned authorities including SEIAA, while seeking a renewal of the mining plan to cover the project life. 4. There should be regular monitoring of air quality, water quality, ground water level and noise quality and reports regarding the same should be submitted to TNPCB, SEIAA & RO of MoEF&CC once in every 6 months. 5. The proponent shall strictly adhere to the mining plan and half yearly and annual returns shall be submitted to
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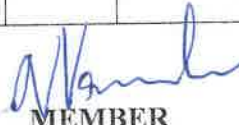


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		<p>the Director of Geology and Mining Department with copy marked to TNPCB, SEIAA & RO of MoEF&CC</p> <p>6. Biodiversity in and around the project area should be monitored frequently and detailed biodiversity report should be submitted every year to SEIAA & RO of MoEF&CC.</p> <p>7. The progressive and final mine closure plan including the green belt implementation and Environmental norms should be strictly followed as per the EMP and as per the amount committed and approved in EC for EMP. Status of progressive mine closure and green belt implementation should be included in the half yearly compliance report submitted to TNPCB, SEIAA & RO of MoEF&CC</p> <p>8. As per the OM vide F. No. IA3-22/1/2022-IA-III [E- 172624] Dated: 14.06.2022, the Project Proponents are directed to submit the six-monthly compliance on the Environmental conditions prescribed in the prior Environmental clearance letter(s) through newly developed compliance module in the PARIVESH Portal from the respective login. A copy of the half yearly compliance report should be mailed to envcompseiaatn@gmail.com.</p>
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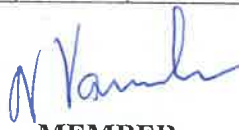


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2.	Proposed Rough Stone & Gravel Quarry lease over an extent of 1.28.5 Ha at S.F.No. 36/1, 37/1, 37/2A & 37/2B of K. Krishnapuram Village, Palladam Taluk, Tiruppur District, Tamil Nadu by Thiru. K.M. Nachimuthu- For Environmental Clearance (SIA/TN/MIN/436325/2025)	12029	<p>The authority noted that the subject was placed in the 571st SEAC-II meeting held on 29.05.2025 and the SEAC-II decided to defer the proposal for the want of following additional particulars:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. The PP shall furnish the Certified Compliance Report (CCR) from the competent authority. ii. The PP shall furnish the existing pit details from the AD/Department of Geology & Mining. <p>The Authority noted the minutes of SEAC-II.</p>



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3.	Proposed Ordinary Earth quarry over an Extent 3.14.0 Ha at S.F. No. 487/1B & 487/2 of K.Varatharajapuram Village, Srivaikundam Taluk, Thoothukkudi District Tamil Nadu by Thiru. S. Nagarajan- For Environmental Clearance. (SIA/TN/MIN/532821/2025)	12037	<p>The Authority noted that the subject was appraised in the 571st SEAC-II meeting held on 29.05.2025. SEAC-II has furnished its recommendations for granting Environmental Clearance subject to the conditions stated therein.</p> <p>After detailed discussions, the Authority taking into account the recommendations of SEAC-II and also the safety aspects and to ensure sustainable, scientific and systematic mining, decided to grant Environmental Clearance for the quantity of 46,876 m³ of ordinary earth up to the restricted depth of 2.0m (2m below ground level) as per the approved mining plan and the annual peak production should not exceed 19,000 m³ of ordinary earth. This is also subject to the conditions imposed by SEAC-II, normal conditions stipulated by MOEF&CC in addition to the following conditions and the conditions in Annexure 'A' of this minutes.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Keeping in view of MoEF&CC's notification S.O.1533(E) dated.14.09.2006 and S.O. 1807(E) dated 12.04.2022, this Environmental Clearance is valid strictly as per the approved mine plan period (3 years). 2. The mining activity should be strictly confined to the approved co-ordinates. 3. There should not be any damage to the trees, biodiversity, soil and soil organisms within and outside the
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			<p>project site.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4. Activity should not result in soil erosion nor obstruct the waterflow in river, lakes & waterbodies. 5. No new roads or structures should be formed for the proposed project activity. 6. The activity should not result in fragmentation of water body. The entity of water body should be retained & maintained. 7. The EC granted is subject to review by District Collector, Mines Dept. and TNPCB on completion of every 5 years and also during the mine plan period, till the project life so as to review the EC conditions and to ensure that they have all been adhered to and implemented. 8. The Mining activities should not impact Agricultural/Horticulture and livelihood around the project area. 9. The project proponent shall submit a Certified Compliance Report obtained from RO of MoEF&CC to the monitoring, regulatory and other concerned authorities including SEIAA, while seeking a renewal of the mining plan to cover the project life. 10. There should be regular monitoring of air quality, water quality, ground water level and noise quality and reports regarding the same should be
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		<p>submitted to TNPCB, SEIAA & RO of MoEF&CC once in every 6 months.</p> <p>11. The proponent shall strictly adhere to the mining plan and half yearly and annual returns shall be submitted to the Director of Geology and Mining Department with copy marked to TNPCB, SEIAA & RO of MoEF&CC.</p> <p>12. Biodiversity in and around the project area should be monitored frequently and detailed biodiversity report should be submitted every year to SEIAA & RO of MoEF&CC.</p> <p>13. The progressive and final mine closure plan including the green belt implementation and Environmental norms should be strictly followed as per the EMP and as per the amount committed and approved in EC for EMP. Status of progressive mine closure and green belt implementation should be included in the half yearly compliance report submitted to TNPCB, SEIAA & RO of MoEF&CC.</p> <p>14. As per the OM vide F. No. IA3-22/1/2022-IA-III [E- 172624] Dated: 14.06.2022, the Project Proponents are directed to submit the six-monthly compliance on the Environmental conditions prescribed in the prior Environmental clearance letter(s) through newly developed compliance module in the PARIVESH Portal from</p>
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4.	<p>Proposed Expansion of Institutional Buildings at SF. No: 74/3, 75/3, 76/2E1A, 76/2E3, 76/3, 76/4, 76/6, 76/7, 76/8, 77/1A, 77/1B, 77/1C, 77/1D, 77/2, 77/5, 78/1 of Kondampatty Village, Kinathukadavu Taluk, Coimbatore District, Tamil Nadu by M/s. Eshwar Trust- for Environmental Clearance. (SIA/TN/INFRA2/533151/2025)</p>	12041	<p>The authority noted that the subject was appraised in the 571st SEAC-II meeting held on 29.05.2025. Based on the presentation and documents furnished by the project proponent, SEAC-II decided to call for the following additional particular from the PP:</p> <p>1. The PP should submit the CTO obtained from the TNPCB for the existing Building, STP and ETP Adequacy Report, Report of Analysis (RoA) of the effluent sample. In</p>


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			<p>additional, the STP and ETP to be connected with TNPCB's Care Air Centre.</p> <p>2. The PP should submit the traffic study report,</p> <p>3. The PP should submit the Carbon mitigation plan.</p> <p>The Authority noted the minutes of SEAC-II.</p>
5.	<p>Proposed Gravel Quarry lease over an extent of 3.83.5 Ha at S.F.No. 131/6, 131/7, 131/8, 131/9, 131/10, 131/11 & 13/12 of Aranmanai siruvayal Village, karaikudi Taluk, Sivaganga District, Tamil Nadu by Thiru. C. Ilambarathi, - For Environmental Clearance (SIA/TN/MIN/533681/2025)</p>	12046	<p>The authority noted that the subject was placed in the 571st SEAC-II meeting held on 29.05.2025. SEAC-II has furnished its recommendations for granting Environmental Clearance subject to the conditions stated therein.</p> <p>After detailed discussions, the Authority taking into account the recommendations of SEAC-II and also the safety aspects and to ensure sustainable, scientific and systematic mining, decided to grant Environmental Clearance for the quantity of 61,290m³ of Gravel up to the restricted depth of 2m BGL as per the approved mining plan and the annual peak production should not exceed 30,646m³ of Gravel. This is also subject to the conditions imposed by SEAC-II, normal conditions stipulated by MOEF&CC in addition to the following conditions and the conditions in Annexure 'A' of this minutes.</p> <p>1. Keeping in view of MoEF&CC's notification S.O.1533(E) dated.14.09.2006 and S.O. 1807(E)</p>



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			<p>dated 12.04.2022, this Environmental Clearance is valid strictly as per the approved mine plan period (2 years).</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. The mining activity should be strictly confined to the approved co-ordinates. 3. There should not be any damage to the trees, biodiversity, soil and soil organisms within and outside the project site. 4. Activity should not result in soil erosion nor obstruct the waterflow in river, lakes & waterbodies. 5. No new roads or structures should be formed for the proposed project activity. 6. The activity should not result in fragmentation of water body. The entity of water body should be retained & maintained. 7. The EC granted is subject to review by District Collector, Mines Dept. and TNPCB on completion of every 5 years and also during the mine plan period, till the project life so as to review the EC conditions and to ensure that they have all been adhered to and implemented. 8. The Mining activities should not
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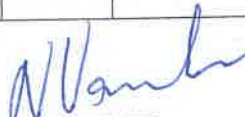

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		<p>impact Agricultural/Horticulture and livelihood around the project area.</p> <p>9. The project proponent shall submit a Certified Compliance Report obtained from RO of MoEF&CC to the monitoring, regulatory and other concerned authorities including SEIAA, while seeking a renewal of the mining plan to cover the project life.</p> <p>10. There should be regular monitoring of air quality, water quality, ground water level and noise quality and reports regarding the same should be submitted to TNPCB, SEIAA & RO of MoEF&CC once in every 6 months.</p> <p>11. The proponent shall strictly adhere to the mining plan and half yearly and annual returns shall be submitted to the Director of Geology and Mining Department with copy marked to TNPCB, SEIAA & RO of MoEF&CC.</p> <p>12. Biodiversity in and around the project area should be monitored frequently and detailed biodiversity report should be submitted every year to SEIAA & RO of MoEF&CC.</p> <p>13. The progressive and final mine</p>
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14. As per the OM vide F. No. IA3-22/1/2022-IA-III [E- 172624] Dated: 14.06.2022, the Project Proponents are directed to submit the six-monthly compliance on the Environmental conditions prescribed in the prior Environmental clearance letter(s) through newly developed compliance module in the PARIVESH Portal from the respective login. A copy of the half yearly compliance report should be mailed to envcompseiatn@gmail.com.

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			<p>compliance report submitted and also should be brought to the notice of concerned authorities during inspections.</p> <p>16. The plantation of saplings shall be carried out in the earmarked greenbelt area as a part of the tree plantation campaign “Ek Ped Ma Ke Naam” and the details of the same shall be uploaded in the MeriLiFE Portal (https://merilife.nic.in).</p>
6.	<p>Proposed Rough Stone and Gravel Quarry over an Extent 4.20.0 Ha at S.F. No. 34/1A,1B,2, 52/2,3 & 60/2 of Viralipatti village, Vadipatti Taluk, Madurai District, Tamil Nadu by Thiru. S.R. Muthupandi - For Environmental Clearance. (SIA/TN/MIN/533393/2025)</p>	12051	<p>The authority noted that the subject was appraised in the 571st SEAC-II meeting held on 29.05.2025. The Committee noted that the Project Proponent was absent from the meeting and had informed the Committee of his absence via an email dated 26.05.2025. SEAC-II decided to defer the subject to a later date.</p> <p>The Authority Noted the Minutes of SEAC-II.</p>
7.	<p>Proposed Construction of High-Rise Residential Group Development Building at SF. No. 122/1A,123/1,123/2,126/1B, 126/2A2, 126/B2 of Thirumalayampalayam Village, Madukkarai Taluk, Coimbatore District, Tamil Nadu. by M/s. NDR Space Private Limited – For Environmental Clearance. (SIA/TN/INFRA2/533031/2025)</p>	12053	<p>The authority noted that the subject was placed in the 571st SEAC-II meeting held on 29.05.2025. SEAC-II has furnished its recommendations for granting Environmental Clearance subject to the conditions stated therein.</p> <p>After detailed discussions, the Authority accepts the recommendation of SEAC-II and decided to grant Environmental Clearance subject to the conditions as recommended by SEAC-II & normal/standard conditions</p>

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stipulated by MoEF&CC and the following conditions and the conditions in Annexure 'C' of this minutes.

- i) The building plan & design should strictly adhere to LCA norms.
- ii) The building geometry, design & engineering should ensure congestion free atmosphere within and outside.
- iii) The wind direction & the aerodynamics should not be disturbed because of the proposed building.
- iv) The building design should not impair the visibility of structures & features around
- v) There should be enough green space within and outside the building.
- vi) The building design and engineering should not lead to oxygen starvation
- vii) Cool roofs should be provided to curtail heat absorption
- viii) As per the OM vide F. No. IA3-22/1/2022-IA-III [E- 172624] Dated: 14.06.2022, the Project Proponents are directed to submit the six-monthly compliance on the Environmental conditions


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			<p>prescribed in the prior Environmental clearance letter(s) through newly developed compliance module in the PARIVESH Portal from the respective login. A copy of the half yearly compliance report should be mailed to envcompseiatn@gmail.com.</p> <p>ix) The plantation of saplings shall be carried out in the earmarked greenbelt area as a part of the tree plantation campaign “Ek Ped Ma Ke Naam” and the details of the same shall be uploaded in the MeriLiFE Portal (https://merilife.nic.in).</p>
8.	Proposed Rough Stone and Gravel Quarry of Extent 1.92.5 Ha at S.F.Nos.157/1 and 157/2 in Santhaiyur Village, Sattur Taluk, Virudhunagar District, Tamil Nadu by Tmt.G.Sneha- For Environmental Clearance. (SIA/TN/MIN/532934/2025)	12057	<p>The authority noted that the subject was appraised in the 571st SEAC-II meeting held on 29.05.2025. SEAC-II has furnished its recommendations for granting Environmental Clearance subject to the conditions stated therein.</p> <p>After detailed discussions, the Authority decided to defer the proposal and seek for the following details:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. As the Golwarpatti Dam lies at a distance of 3.2 km (within 5km radius) from the proposed quarry, the Authority decided to request MS-SEIAA to write a letter to the Dam Safety Directorate regarding the



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			implications of the proposed mining activity involving blasting on the safety of the dam and to obtain their remarks.
9.	Proposed Rough Stone and Gravel quarry over an extent of 4.52.0 Ha at S.F.No. 531/1B (Part) of Ponmanai 'A' Village, Thiruvattar Taluk, Kanniyakumari District, Tamil Nadu by Thiru. Alex Paul- For Environmental Clearance. (Old Online No:SIA/TN/MIN/408810/2022, New Online No: SIA/TN/MIN/540327/2025, dated: 01.12.2022).	9625	The Authority noted that the subject was appraised in the 571 st SEAC-II meeting held on 29.05.2025. SEAC-II has furnished its recommendations for granting Environmental Clearance subject to the conditions stated therein. After detailed discussions, the Authority taking into account the recommendations of SEAC-II and also the safety aspects and to ensure sustainable, scientific and systematic mining, decided to grant Environmental Clearance for the quantity of 4,43,015 m ³ of rough stone & 30,958 m ³ of gravel up to the depth of 116m (96m AGL + 20m BGL) as per the approved mining plan and the annual peak production should not exceed 94,810 m ³ of rough stone & 14,118 m ³ of gravel. This is also subject to the conditions imposed by SEAC-II, normal conditions stipulated by MOEF&CC in addition to the following conditions and the conditions in Annexure 'A' of this minutes. 1. Keeping in view of MoEF&CC's notification S.O.1533(E) dated.14.09.2006 and S.O. 1807(E) dated 12.04.2022, this Environmental Clearance is valid as per the approved mine plan period.


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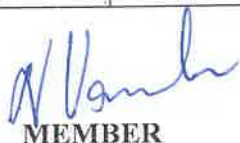

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10.	<p>Proposed Rough Stone and Gravel Quarry lease area over an extent of 2.83.70 Ha at S.F Nos.365/1A and 365/1B1 of Kuchanur Village, Uthamapalayam Taluk, Theni District, Tamil Nadu by Thiru. S. Sivakumar - For Environmental Clearance. (SIA/TN/MIN/438908/2023)</p>	10341	<p>. The authority noted that the subject was appraised in the 571st SEAC-II meeting held on 29.05.2025. SEAC-II has furnished its recommendations for granting Environmental Clearance subject to the conditions stated therein.</p> <p>After detailed discussions, the Authority taking into account the recommendations of SEAC-II and also the safety aspects and to ensure sustainable, scientific and systematic mining, decided to grant Environmental Clearance for the quantity of 2,04,390 m³ of rough stone & 29,824 m³ of gravel up to the depth of 42m BGL as per the approved mining plan and the annual peak production should not exceed 41,170 m³ of rough stone & 15,050 m³ of gravel. This is also subject to the conditions imposed by SEAC-II, normal conditions stipulated by MOEF&CC in addition to the following conditions and the conditions in Annexure ‘A’ of this minutes.</p>


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			<p>9. The amount allocated for EMP should be kept in a separate account and both the capital and recurring expenditures should be done year wise for the works identified, approved and as committed. The work & expenditure made under EMP should be elaborated in the bi-annual compliance report submitted and also should be brought to the notice of concerned authorities during inspections.</p> <p>10. The plantation of saplings shall be carried out in the earmarked greenbelt area as a part of the tree plantation campaign “<i>Ek Ped Ma Ke Naam</i>” and the details of the same shall be uploaded in the MeriLiFE Portal (https://merilife.nic.in).</p>
11.	<p>Proposed Rough stone quarry lease over an extent of 1.50.5 Ha at S.F.No. 425/14A1 & 425/32 of Lembalakudi Village, Thirumayam Taluk, Pudukkottai District, Tamil Nadu by Tmt. M. Selvarani - For Environmental Clearance. (SIA/TN/MIN/453493/2023)</p>	8831	<p>The authority noted that the subject was appraised in the 571st SEAC-II meeting held on 29.05.2025. SEAC-II has furnished its recommendations for granting Environmental Clearance subject to the conditions stated therein.</p> <p>After detailed discussions, the Authority taking into account the recommendations of SEAC-II and also the safety aspects and to ensure sustainable, scientific and systematic mining, decided to grant Environmental Clearance for the quantity of 1,85,478 m³ of rough stone up to the depth of 47 m</p>


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		<p>BGL as per the approved mining plan and the annual peak production should not exceed 48,222 m3 of rough stone. This is also subject to the conditions imposed by SEAC-II, normal conditions stipulated by MOEF&CC in addition to the following conditions and the conditions in Annexure 'A' of this minutes.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Keeping in view of MoEF&CC's notification S.O.1533(E) dated.14.09.2006 and S.O. 1807(E) dated 12.04.2022, this Environmental Clearance is valid as per the approved mine plan period. 2. The EC granted is subject to review by District Collector, Mines Dept. and TNPCB on completion of every 5 years and also during the mine plan period, till the project life so as to review the EC conditions and to ensure that they have all been adhered to and implemented. 3. The project proponent shall submit a Certified Compliance Report obtained from RO of MoEF&CC to the monitoring, regulatory and other concerned authorities including SEIAA, while seeking a renewal of the mining plan to cover the project life. 4. There should be regular monitoring of air quality, water quality, ground water
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level and noise quality and reports regarding the same should be submitted to TNPCB, SEIAA & RO of MoEF&CC once in every 6 months.

5. The proponent shall strictly adhere to the mining plan and half yearly and annual returns shall be submitted to the Director of Geology and Mining Department with copy marked to TNPCB, SEIAA & RO of MoEF&CC.
6. Biodiversity in and around the project area should be monitored frequently and detailed biodiversity report should be submitted every year to SEIAA & RO of MoEF&CC.
7. The progressive and final mine closure plan including the green belt implementation and Environmental norms should be strictly followed as per the EMP and as per the amount committed and approved in EC for EMP. Status of progressive mine closure and green belt implementation should be included in the half yearly compliance report submitted to TNPCB, SEIAA & RO of MoEF&CC.
8. As per the OM vide F. No. IA3-22/1/2022-IA-III [E- 172624] Dated: 14.06.2022, the Project Proponents are directed to submit the six-monthly


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			<p>compliance on the Environmental conditions prescribed in the prior Environmental clearance letter(s) through newly developed compliance module in the PARIVESH Portal from the respective login. A copy of the half yearly compliance report should be mailed to envcompseiaatn@gmail.com.</p> <p>9. The amount allocated for EMP should be kept in a separate account and both the capital and recurring expenditures should be done year wise for the works identified, approved and as committed. The work & expenditure made under EMP should be elaborated in the bi-annual compliance report submitted and also should be brought to the notice of concerned authorities during inspections.</p> <p>10. The plantation of saplings shall be carried out in the earmarked greenbelt area as a part of the tree plantation campaign "Ek Ped Ma Ke Naam" and the details of the same shall be uploaded in the MeriLiFE Portal (https://merilife.nic.in).</p>
12.	Proposed Rough Stone and Gravel quarry over an extent of 2.17.0 Ha at S.F. Nos. 15/1A1B & 15/3 of Paladurai Village, Madukkarai Taluk, Coimbatore District, Tamil	9195	The authority noted that the subject was placed in the 571st meeting of SEAC-II held on 29.05.2025. SEAC-II has furnished its recommendations for granting Environmental Clearance subject to the conditions stated


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therein.

After detailed discussions, the Authority taking into account the recommendations of SEAC-II and also the safety aspects and to ensure sustainable, scientific and systematic mining, decided to grant Environmental Clearance for the quantity of 71,508m³ of rough stone up to the depth of 47m BGL and the annual peak production should not exceed 15,040m³ of rough stone. This is also subject to the conditions imposed by SEAC-II, normal conditions stipulated by MOEF&CC in addition to the following conditions and the conditions in Annexure 'A' of this minutes.

1. Keeping in view of MoEF&CC's notification S.O.1533(E) dated.14.09.2006 and S.O. 1807(E) dated 12.04.2022, this Environmental Clearance is valid as per the approved mine plan period.
2. The EC granted is subject to review by District Collector, Mines Dept. and TNPCB on completion of every 5 years and also during the mine plan period, till the project life so as to review the EC Conditions and to ensure that they have all been adhered to and implemented
3. The project proponent shall submit a Certified Compliance Report obtained


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		<p>from RO of MoEF&CC to the monitoring, regulatory and other concerned authorities including SEIAA, while seeking a renewal of the mining plan to cover the project life.</p> <p>4. There should be regular monitoring of air quality, water quality, ground water level and noise quality and reports regarding the same should be submitted to TNPCB, SEIAA & RO of MoEF&CC once in every 6 months.</p> <p>5. The proponent shall strictly adhere to the mining plan and half yearly and annual returns shall be submitted to the Director of Geology and Mining Department with copy marked to TNPCB, SEIAA & RO of MoEF&CC</p> <p>6. Biodiversity in and around the project area should be monitored frequently and detailed biodiversity report should be submitted every year to SEIAA & RO of MoEF&CC.</p> <p>7. The progressive and final mine closure plan including the green belt implementation and Environmental norms should be strictly followed as per the EMP and as per the amount committed and approved in EC for EMP. Status of progressive mine</p>
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closure and green belt implementation should be included in the half yearly compliance report submitted to TNPCB, SEIAA & RO of MoEF&CC

8. As per the OM vide F. No. IA3-22/1/2022-IA-III [E- 172624] Dated: 14.06.2022, the Project Proponents are directed to submit the six-monthly compliance on the Environmental conditions prescribed in the prior Environmental clearance letter(s) through newly developed compliance module in the PARIVESH Portal from the respective login. A copy of the half yearly compliance report should be mailed to envcompseiaatn@gmail.com.

9. The amount allocated for EMP should be kept in a separate account and both the capital and recurring expenditures should be done year wise for the works identified, approved and as committed. The work & expenditure made under EMP should be elaborated in the bi-annual compliance report submitted and also should be brought to the notice of concerned authorities during inspections

10. The plantation of saplings shall be carried out in the earmarked greenbelt


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			<p>area as a part of the tree plantation campaign “<i>Ek Ped Ma Ke Naam</i>” and the details of the same shall be uploaded in the MeriLiFE Portal (https://merilife.nic.in).</p>
13.	<p>Proposed Rough Stone and Gravel quarry over an extent of 4.72.0 Ha at S.F. Nos. 10/2A, 17/1 & 17/3 of Kodangipatti Village, Bodinaickanur Taluk, Theni District, Tamil Nadu by Thiru. R. Subburaj – For Environmental Clearance. (SIA/TN/MIN/451949/2023)</p>	10679	<p>. The authority noted that the subject was appraised in the 571st SEAC-II meeting held on 29.05.2025. SEAC-II has furnished its recommendations for granting Environmental Clearance subject to the conditions stated therein.</p> <p>After detailed discussions, the Authority taking into account the recommendations of SEAC-II and also the safety aspects and to ensure sustainable, scientific and systematic mining, decided to grant Environmental Clearance for the quantity of 6,40,440 m³ of rough stone & 31,164 m³ of gravel up to the depth of 46m BGL as per the approved mining plan and the annual peak production should not exceed 1,28,560 m³ of rough stone & 31,164 m³ of gravel. This is also subject to the conditions imposed by SEAC-II, normal conditions stipulated by MOEF&CC in addition to the following conditions and the conditions in Annexure ‘A’ of this minutes.</p> <p>1. Keeping in view of MoEF&CC’s notification S.O.1533(E) dated.14.09.2006 and S.O. 1807(E) dated 12.04.2022, this Environmental Clearance is valid as per the approved</p>


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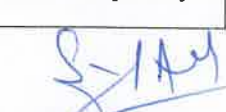

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			<p>mine plan period.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. The EC granted is subject to review by District Collector, Mines Dept. and TNPCB on completion of every 5 years and also during the mine plan period, till the project life so as to review the EC conditions and to ensure that they have all been adhered to and implemented. 3. The project proponent shall submit a Certified Compliance Report obtained from RO of MoEF&CC to the monitoring, regulatory and other concerned authorities including SEIAA, while seeking a renewal of the mining plan to cover the project life. 4. There should be regular monitoring of air quality, water quality, ground water level and noise quality and reports regarding the same should be submitted to TNPCB, SEIAA & RO of MoEF&CC once in every 6 months. 5. The proponent shall strictly adhere to the mining plan and half yearly and annual returns shall be submitted to the Director of Geology and Mining Department with copy marked to TNPCB, SEIAA & RO of MoEF&CC. 6. Biodiversity in and around the project area should be monitored frequently
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			<p>and detailed biodiversity report should be submitted every year to SEIAA & RO of MoEF&CC.</p> <p>7. The progressive and final mine closure plan including the green belt implementation and Environmental norms should be strictly followed as per the EMP and as per the amount committed and approved in EC for EMP. Status of progressive mine closure and green belt implementation should be included in the half yearly compliance report submitted to TNPCB, SEIAA & RO of MoEF&CC.</p> <p>8. As per the OM vide F. No. IA3-22/1/2022-IA-III [E- 172624] Dated: 14.06.2022, the Project Proponents are directed to submit the six-monthly compliance on the Environmental conditions prescribed in the prior Environmental Clearance letter(s) through newly developed compliance module in the PARIVESH Portal from the respective login. A copy of the half yearly compliance report should be mailed to envcompseiaatn@gmail.com.</p> <p>9. The amount allocated for EMP should be kept in a separate account and both the capital and recurring expenditures should be done year wise for the works identified, approved and as</p>
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			<p>committed. The work & expenditure made under EMP should be elaborated in the bi-annual compliance report submitted and also should be brought to the notice of concerned authorities during inspections.</p> <p>10. The plantation of saplings shall be carried out in the earmarked greenbelt area as a part of the tree plantation campaign “<i>Ek Ped Ma Ke Naam</i>” and the details of the same shall be uploaded in the MeriLiFE Portal (https://merilife.nic.in).</p>
14.	Existing Rough stone and Gravel quarry over an extent of 1.62.50Ha at S.F.Nos. 94/2B, 96/1(Part) and 97/2B1(Part) of Kanakkampalayam Village, Tiruppur North Taluk, Tiruppur District, Tamil Nadu by Thiru P. Thangamuthusamy- For Environmental Clearance. (SIA/TN/MIN/500475/2024)	11344	<p>The authority noted that the subject was appraised in the 571st SEAC-II meeting held on 29.05.2025. SEAC-II has furnished its recommendations for granting Environmental Clearance subject to the conditions stated therein.</p> <p>After detailed discussions, the Authority decided to defer the proposal and seek for the following details:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Since the proposed site is located within 10 km (3.78 km approx.) of Nanjarayan Bird Sanctuary and the ESZ for the Sanctuary is yet to be notified, the clearance from NBWL may be furnished. <p>Upon receipt of the same, further deliberations shall be done.</p>
15.	Proposed Rough Stone & Gravel	12192	The authority noted that the subject was placed


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	<p>Quarry lease over an extent of 2.45.0 Ha at S.F.No. 1087/2 and 1087/3 of Thamaraikulam BiT-1 Village, Periyakulam Taluk, Theni District, Tamil Nadu by Thiru.A. Saravanakumar- For Environmental Clearance. (SIA/TN/MIN/537956/2025)</p>		<p>in the 571st SEAC-II meeting held on 29.05.2025 and the SEAC-II decided to defer the proposal for the want of following additional particulars:</p> <p>i. As Vaigai Dam is situated within a distance of 5km (i.e., 3.66km SE) from the proposed site. SEIAA may write to the Dam Safety Directorate regarding the implications of the proposed mining activity involving blasting on the safety of the dam and to obtain their remarks.</p> <p>The Authority noted the minutes of SEAC-II. Further, the Authority decided to request MS-SEIAA to write a letter to the Dam Safety Directorate regarding the implications of the proposed mining activity involving blasting on the safety of the dam and to obtain their remarks.</p>
<p>16.</p>	<p>Proposed Expansion of Industrial Building from 40,005.15 Sq.m. to 50,118.96 Sq.m. at S.F. No. 1724part, 1725part, Plot No. A13, A14, A15 & A16, SIPCOT Industrial Growth Centre, Gangaikondan of Gangaikondan Part-I Village, Tirunelveli Taluk, Tirunelveli District, Tamil Nadu by M/s. Britannia Industries Limited - Environmental Clearance Issued (SIA/TN/INFRA2/484862/2024, Dated: 10.07.2024) - Notice under section 30(1)(b) of the NGT Act</p>	<p>11085</p>	<p>Earlier, the Petition was placed in the 826th Authority meeting held on 21.06.2025 & 22.02.2025 The authority noted the following:</p> <p>i) Earlier, EC was issued vide EC Identification No. EC24C3806TN5152168N Dated 05.09.2024.</p> <p>ii) A notice under section 30(1)(b) of the NGT Act 2010 by Mr.S.P. Muthu Raman was received relating to the aforesaid EC issued 05.09.2024.</p> <p>iii) In view of the above petition, the Authority, after detailed deliberations, decided to forward the subject to SEAC-II for remarks.</p>

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2010 by SP Muthu Raman was received relating to the aforesaid EC issued 05.09.2024. (SIA/TN/INFRA2/484862/2024)

On receipt of clarification from the committee, the proposal was now placed in **841st Authority meeting held on 18.06.2025.** The Authority noted that the subject was placed in **571st SEAC Meeting Held on 29.05.2025,** wherein the following clarification was furnished:

“The Committee is of the opinion that as per the directions given by the Hon’ble NGT, the MoEF&CC is in the process of clarifying the applicability of General Conditions for the Construction activity under item 8(a) & 8(b) of the Schedule of the EIA Notification, 2006, wherein it has mentioned as General Condition shall not apply by the way of issuing a draft notification S.O. 4844 (E) Dated: 07.11.2024. Therefore, considering the above Hon’ble NGT order dated 09.08.2024 & draft notification S.O. 4844 (E) dated 07.11.2024, Environmental Clearance was recommended to the proponent, M/s. Britannia Industries Limited in the 491st meeting of SEAC held on 14.08.2024 with the conditions stated therein.

In view of all the above concerns, SEAC-II decided to request SEIAA to obtain a legal opinion for sharing the above clarifications before responding to the petition”.

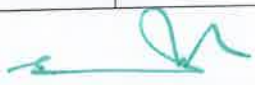
The Authority noted that the clarification notification issued by MoEF&CC vide S.O. dated.29.01.2025 is under subjudice. Hence, the Authority decided to refer back the subject


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			to SEAC for re-examination.
17.	<p>Arasu Magnesite & Dunite Mine lease over an extent of 96.34Ha at Kurumbapatti Reserve Forest of Shevaroy's South Range Village, Omalur Taluk, Salem District, Tamil Nadu by M/s. Tamil Nadu Magnesite Limited- For Bank Guarantee Time extension request. (Earlier Online No: SIA/TN/MIN/51099/2018)</p>	6671	<p>The authority noted that the project proponent, TAMIN has obtained Environmental under violation category vide SEIAA-TN/F.No.6671/ALR/1(a)/EC-4398, dated: 14.10.2024 for the proposed Arasu Magnesite & Dunite Quarry over an extent of 96.34.0 Ha at Kurumbapatti Reserve Forest of Shervaroy's South Range Village, Omalur Taluk, Salem District, Tamil Nadu with the conditions stated therein. Subsequently, the PP has informed obtaining one year EC extension vide its letter dated 23.09.2021, 24.03.2023 & 20.03.2024, respectively.</p> <p>Now, the PP has submitted the requisition letter vide Ref. TANMAG/Mines(EC-6671/RCO)/2025/857 dated 24.03.2025, wherein it is stated as follows:</p> <p><i>"...As per EC conditions, M/s. TANMAG has to allocate an amount of Rs.178.25 lakhs towards Ecological Remediation Plan, Nature Resources Augmentation and Community Resource Development works. However, we have completed the works for an amount of Rs.181.74 lakhs.</i></p> <p><i>In this regard, it is to inform that, all the works are completed. Now, Scrutinizing / Compiling of documents and preparation of compliance</i></p>



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			<p>report to be submitted to TNPCB is under process.</p> <p>Current Extension of Bank Guarantee No.008071120000026 for Rs.178.25 lakhs from Indian Overseas Bank, Salem dated.26.03.2024 issued to TNPCB will be expired on 31.03.2025.</p> <p>Hence, we request the Member Secretary, SEIAA-TN to extend the last date to submission of documents under Ecological Damage, Natural Resource Augmentation and Community Resource Augmentation for six months, that is up to 30.09.2025 and not revoke any action against the EC conditions.”</p> <p>The Authority noted the PP’s requisition letter vide Ref. TANMAG/Mines(EC-6671/RCO)/2025/857 dated 24.03.2025, wherein it is mentioned in Page no: 03 that out of the total value of works to the tune of Rs.1,78,25,000/- as stipulated in EC Condition, the completed work has been mentioned as Rs. 1,81,74,304/-</p> <p>Under these circumstances, in case the work is completed, then why the process of time extension of Bank Guarantee is required.</p> <p>In view of the above, the clarification may be furnished.</p>
18.	Proposed rough stone & gravel Quarry over an extent of 4.74.0 Ha SF.No. 14(p),28/2B(p), Irukkandurai Part II Village,	9465	The Authority noted that the project proponent, Thiru. S. Venkatesan has applied for Environmental Clearance for the Proposed rough stone & gravel Quarry over an extent of


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<p>Radhapuram Taluk, Thirunelveli District, Tamil Nadu by Thiru S.Venkatesan – Environmental Clearance Rejected – Reconsideration Request. (Earlier Online No:SIA/TN/MIN/290409/2022)</p>		<p>4.74.0 Ha located at SF.No. 14(p), 28/2B(p), Irukkandurai Part II Village, Radhapuram Taluk, Thirunelveli District, Tamil Nadu. The proposal was appraised in 360th & 387th SEAC meeting and the committee decided not to recommend the proposal for the grant of Environmental Clearance. Subsequently, the subject was placed in 637th meeting of SEIAA held on 11.07.2023 and decided to accept the SEAC's decision and grant rejection letter vide Letter No. SEIAA-TN/F. No. 9465/2023 dated 18.08.2023.</p> <p>Authority decided to take up the PP's reconsideration request dated 08.04.2025 for discussion along with the Rejection letter issued dated.18.08.2023.</p>
<p>19. Existing Limestone mine Lease over an extent of 2.18.5 Ha at S.F.No.202/6A(P),202/6B, 203/3, 4, 5J, 5K, 5L, 5M, 5N & 5O of Reddimangudi Village, Lalgudi Taluk, Tiruchirappalli District, Tamil Nadu by Thiru.S.Saravanan - Extension of validity for the Terms of References "Under Violation". (Earlier Online No: SIA/TN/MIN/268922/2022)</p>	<p>6277</p>	<p>The authority noted that the PP has obtained Terms of Reference under violation (ToR) was issued vide Lr. No. SEIAATN/F.No.6277/TOR-533/2018, Dated: 30.07.2018 for the Existing Limestone Mine quarry over an extent of 2.18.5 Ha at S.F.No.202/6A(P), 202/6B, 203/3, 4, 5J, 5K, 5L, 5M, 5N & 5O of Reddimangudi Village, Lalgudi Taluk Tiruchirappalli District, Tamil Nadu.</p> <p>Further, the PP has obtained ToR extension vide Lr. No, SEIAA-TN/F. No.6277/SEAC/ToR533/Ext/Dated: 21.12.2022, valid upto 29.07.2023.</p> <p>Now, the PP has requested Time extension for</p>


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			<p>the validity of ToR issued under violation vide email dated 25.04.2023. After a detailed deliberation, the authority decided the following:</p> <p>Due to violation occurred in this case, it cannot be considered for the extension of ToR.</p> <p>Further, penal action for violation to be taken, if not already initiated.</p>
20.	<p>Proposed Rough stone & Gravel Quarry over an extent of 2.37.0 Ha at S.F.Nos.191/1A2 (P), 191/1B & 192/1 of Velampalayam Village, Palladam Taluk, Tirupur District, Tamil Nadu by Tmt.K.J.Anuradha- Environmental Clearance Rejected – Reconsideration Request. (Earlier Online No: SIA/TN/MIN/457180/2023)</p>	10641	<p>The PP has obtained EC rejection letter vide EC23C0108TN5829730N Dated: 29.04.2024 to the Proposed Rough stone & Gravel Quarry over an extent of 2.37.0 Ha at S.F.Nos. 191/1A2 (P), 191/1B & 192/1 of Velampalayam Village, Palladam Taluk, Tirupur District, Tamil Nadu by Tmt.K.J.Anuradha based on the recommendations made in the 454th SEAC & 713th authority meeting, respectively.</p> <p>Now, the Project proponent has submitted reconsideration letter dated 11.06.2025, wherein it is stated as,</p> <p><i>“We fully understand the importance of adhering to the Tamil Nadu Minor Mineral Concession Rules, 1959, and the safety and environmental guidelines outlined therein. In response to the concerns raised, we have obtained a No Objection Certificate (NOC) from the Spinning Mill. The attached NOC explicitly confirms that the mill has no objections to the proposed quarrying activities within the 300-meter radius, provided that</i></p>


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			<p><i>certain safety measures are rigorously implemented.”</i></p> <p>The Authority noted the NOC obtained from the Spinning Mill and after a detailed deliberation, the authority decided that the NOC from the spinning mill cannot overrule the Tamil Nadu Minor Mineral Concession Rules, 1959. Hence, the PP's reconsideration request is rejected.</p>
21.	Existing quarry of Black Granite (Dolerite) Quarry Project at over an Extent of 1.79.0Ha of in S.F.Nos. 52/1 and 52/2A1 of Thondamanur Village, Thandarampattu Taluk, Tiruvannamalai District, Tamil Nadu State by Thiru. M.Ramasamy- Amendment in the Environmental Clearance – Reg. (SIA/TN/MIN/540271/2025)	12269	<p>The subject was placed before the 841st Authority meeting held on 18.06.2025. The Authority, after deliberations, decided to obtain the following from the project proponent for processing the proposal further:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The Project Proponent shall submit the Second Scheme of Mining approved by the Commissioner, Department of Geology and Mining, Chennai, along with the approval letter. <p>Upon receipt of the same, further deliberations shall be done.</p>
22.	Proposed Rough stone & Gravel quarry lease over an extent of 1.50.0Ha at S.F.No.209/1B of Sampatty Village, Manapparai Taluk, Tiruchirapalli District, Tamil Nadu by Thiru.D.Prasath - For Environmental Clearance. (SIA/TN/MIN/498700/2024)	11328	<p>Earlier, the subject was placed in the 834th Authority meeting held on 04.06.2025. The Authority noted that the subject was placed in the 566th Meeting of SEAC-II held on 16.05.2025. The Committee has furnished its recommendations for granting Environmental Clearance subject to the conditions stated therein.</p> <p>After detailed discussions, the Authority noted</p>


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		<p>all the non-compliances reported in the Certified Compliance Report (CCR) from the MoEF&CC, IRO, Chennai vide F. No. EP/12.1/2024-25/SEIAA/138/TN/547 dated 04.04.2025 and the action taken report furnished by the PP.</p> <p>The Authority, after deliberations, decided to direct the Proponent to comply with the following EC conditions which were not complied earlier:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The PP shall conduct the free silica test and furnish a report on the same.2. The PP shall submit the year wise expenditure.3. The PP shall submit the periodical report to the concerned department. <p>On receipt of PP's reply, the subject was placed in the 841st Authority meeting held on 18.06.2025. The authority noted that the PP has not complied the above-mentioned EC conditions yet and decided not to accept the PP's reply. Hence. the authority decided to consider the proposal only after the compliances of above EC conditions.</p> <p>On receipt of the same, further deliberations will be done.</p>
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ANNEXURE 'A' – FOR MINING EC

a) EC Compliance:

1. The Environmental Clearance is accorded based on the assurance from the project proponent that there will be full and effective implementation of all the undertakings given in the Application Form, Pre-feasibility Report, mitigation measures as assured in the Environmental Impact Assessment/ Environment Management Plan and the mining features including Progressive Mine Closure Plan as submitted with the application.
2. All the conditions as presented by the proponent in the PPT during SEAC appraisal should be addressed in Full.
3. The proponent shall submit Compliance Reports on the status of compliance of the stipulated EC conditions including results of monitored data. It shall be sent to the respective Regional Office of Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change, Govt. of India and also to the Office of State Environment Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA).
4. Concealing the factual data or submission of false/fabricated data and failure to comply with any of the conditions mentioned above may result in withdrawal of this clearance and attract action under the provisions of Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.

b) Applicable Regulatory Frameworks:

5. The project proponent shall strictly adhere to the provisions of Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, the Environment(Protection) Act, 1986, the Public Liability Insurance Act, 1991, along with their amendments, Minor Mineral Conservation & Development Rules, 2010 framed under MMDR Act 1957, National Commission for protection of Child Right Rules, 2006, Wildlife Protection Act, 1972, Forest Conservation Act, 1980, Biodiversity Conservation Act, 2016, the Biological Diversity Act, 2002, Biological diversity Rules, 2004 & TN Forest Act, 1882 and Rules made there under and also any other orders passed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India/Hon'ble High Court of Madras and any other Courts of Law relating to the subject matter.

c) Safe mining Practices:

6. The AD/DD, Dept. of Geology & Mining shall ensure operation of the proposed quarry after the submission of slope stability study conducted through the reputed research & Academic Institutions such as NIRM, IITs, NITS Anna University, and any CSIR Laboratories, etc., and ensure strict compliance and implementation of bench wise recommendations/action plans as


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recommended in the scientific slope stability study.

7. A minimum buffer distance specified as per existing rules and statutory orders shall be maintained from the boundary of the quarry to the nearest dwelling unit or other structures, and from forest boundaries or any other ecologically sensitive and archeologically important areas or the specific distance specified by SEIAA in EC as per the recommendations of SEAC depending on specific local conditions.

d) Water Environment– Protection and mitigation measures:

8. The proponent shall ensure that the activity does not disturb the water bodies, neighboring open wells, bore wells and natural flow of surface and groundwater, nor cause any pollution, to water sources in the area nor effect the water quality and water quantity in the water sources.
9. Water level in the nearest dug well in the downstream side of the quarry should be monitored regularly and included in the Compliance Report.
10. Quality of water discharged from the quarry should be monitored regularly as per the norms of State Pollution Control Board and included in the Compliance Report.
11. Rain Water Harvesting facility should be installed as per the prevailing provisions of TNMBR/TNCDBR, unless otherwise specified. Maximum possible solar energy generation and utilization shall be ensured as an essential part of the project.
12. Regular monitoring of flow rates and water quality upstream and downstream of the springs and perennial nallahs flowing in and around the mine lease area shall be carried out and reported in the compliance reports to SEIAA. At any stage, if it is observed that ground water table is getting depleted due to the mining activity; necessary corrective measures shall be carried out.
13. Garland drains and silt traps are to be provided in the slopes around the core area to channelize storm water. De-silting of Garland canal and silt traps have to be attended on a daily basis. A labour has to be specifically assigned for the purpose. The proponent shall ensure the quality of the discharging storm water as per the General Effluent Discharge Standards of CPCB.

e) Air Environment– Protection and mitigation measures:

14. The activity should not result in CO2 release and temperature rise and add to micro climate alternations.
15. The proponent shall ensure that Monitoring is carried out with reference to the quantum of


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particulate matter during excavation; blasting; material transport and also from cutting waste dumps and haul roads.

f) Soil Environment– Protection and mitigation measures:

16. The proponent shall ensure that the operations neither result in loss of soil biological properties and nutrients nor deplete the indigenous soil seed bank and disturb the mycorrhizal fungi, soil organism, soil community and result in eutrophication of soil and water. Further, the activities should not disturb the soil properties and seed and plant growth. Soil amendments as required to be carried out, to improve soil health.
17. Bio remediation using microorganisms should be carried out to restore the soil Environment to enable carbon sequestration.
18. The proponent shall ensure that the mine restoration is done using mycorrhizal VAM, vermin composting, Biofertilizers and the topsoil is protected and used in planting activities, site restoration and establishment of green belt in the area to ensure soil health and biodiversity conservation.
19. The top soil shall be temporarily stored at earmarked place (s) and used for land reclamation and plantation. The over burden (OB) generated during the mining operations shall be stacked at earmarked dump site(s) only. The OB dumps should be scientifically vegetated with suitable native species to prevent erosion and surface run off. At critical points, use of geotextile shall be undertaken for stabilization of the dump. Protective wall or gabions should be made around the dump to prevent erosion / flow of sediments during rains. The entire excavated area shall be backfilled.
20. Activities should not result in invasion of site by exotic and alien plant and animal species and disturb the native biodiversity and soil micro flora and fauna.

g) Noise Environment– Protection and mitigation measures:

21. The peak particle velocity at 500m distance or within the nearest habitation, whichever is closer shall be monitored periodically as per applicable DGMS guidelines. The activity of the proponent should not effect the biological clock of the villages resulting in stress, sleeping disorders affecting health.

h) Biodiversity - Protection and mitigation measures:

22. The proponent should ensure that there is no disturbance to the agriculture plantations, social forestry plantations, waste lands, forests, sanctuary or national parks. There should be no impact on the land, water, soil and biological Environment and other natural resources due to


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the mining activities.

23. No trees in the area should be removed and all the trees numbered and protected. In case trees fall within the proposed quarry site the trees may be transplanted in the Greenbelt zone. The proponent shall ensure that the activities in no way result in disturbance to forest and trees in vicinity. The proponent shall ensure that the activity does not disturb the movement of grazing animals and free ranging wildlife. The proponent shall ensure that the activity does not disturb the biodiversity, the flora & fauna in the ecosystem. The proponent shall ensure that the activities do not disturb the resident and migratory birds. The proponent shall ensure that the activities do not disturb the vegetation and wildlife in the adjoining reserve forests and areas around. Also, the activities should not disturb the agro biodiversity, agro farms, green lands and grazing fields of all types. Actions to be taken to promote agroforestry, mixed plants to support biodiversity conservation in the mine restoration effort.
24. The proponent shall ensure that all mitigation measures listed in the EIA/EMP are taken to protect the biodiversity and natural resources in the area.

i) Climate Change:

25. There should be least disturbance to landscape resulting in land use change, contamination and alteration of soil profiles leading to Climate Change.
26. Operations should not result in GHG releases and extra power consumption leading to Climate Change.
27. Mining through operational efficiency, better electrification, energy use, solar usage, use of renewable energy should try to decarbonize the operations.
28. Mining should not result in water loss from evaporation, leaks and wastage and should support to improve the ground water.
29. Mining activity should be flood proof with designs and the drainage, pumping techniques shall ensure climate-proofing and socio-economic wellbeing in the area and vicinity.

j) Reserve Forests & Protected Areas:

30. The activities should provide nature-based support and solutions for forest protection and wildlife conservation.
31. The project activities should neither result in forest fires, encroachments nor create forest fragmentation and disruption of forest corridors and alter the geodiversity and geological heritage of the area.
32. There should be no disturbance to the freshwater flow from the forest impacting the water table and wetlands.


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33. The project proponent should support all activities of the forest department in creating awareness to local communities on forest conservation.
34. The activities should not result in temperature rise due to increased fossil fuels usage disrupting the behaviour of wildlife and flora.
35. The activities should support and recognise the rights and roles of indigenous people and local communities and also support sustainable development.
36. The project activities should support the use of renewables for carbon capture and carbon storage in the project site and forest surrounds.
37. The project activities should not result in changes in forest structure, habitats and genetic diversity within forests.

k) Green Belt Development:

38. The proponent shall ensure that in the green belt development more indigenous trees species as suggested in Appendix of SEAC Minutes are planted and that the area is restored and rehabilitated with native trees .

l) Workers and their protection:

39. The project proponent is responsible for implementing all the provisions of labour laws applicable from time to time to quarrying /Mining operations. The workers on the site should be provided with on-site accommodation or facilities at a suitable boarding place, protective equipment such as ear muffs, helmet, etc.
40. The proponent has to provide insurance protection to the workers and the working hours and wages shall be implemented/enforced as per the Mines Act, 1952 in the case of existing mining or provide the affidavit in case of fresh lease before execution of mining lease.

m) Transportation:

41. No Transportation of the minerals shall be allowed in case of roads passing through villages/ habitations. In such cases, PP shall construct a bypass road for the purpose of transportation of the minerals leaving an adequate gap (say at least 200 meters) so that the adverse impact of sound and dust along with chances of accidents could be mitigated. All costs resulting from widening and strengthening of existing public road network shall be borne by the PP in consultation with nodal State Govt. Department. Transportation of minerals through road movement in case of existing village/ rural roads shall be allowed in consultation with nodal State Govt. Department only after required strengthening such that the carrying capacity of roads is increased to handle the traffic load. The pollution due to transportation load on the


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Environment will be effectively controlled and water sprinkling will also be done regularly. Vehicular emissions shall be kept under control and regularly monitored. Project should obtain Pollution Under Control (PUC) certificate for all the vehicles from authorized pollution testing centres.

42. The Main haulage road within the mine lease should be provided with a permanent water sprinkling arrangement for dust suppression. Other roads within the mine lease should be wetted regularly with tanker-mounted water sprinkling system. The other areas of dust generation like crushing zone, material transfer points, material yards etc. should invariably be provided with dust suppression arrangements. The air pollution control equipments like bag filters, vacuum suction hoods, dry fogging system etc. shall be installed at Crushers, belt- conveyors and other areas prone to air pollution. The belt conveyor should be fully covered to avoid generation of dust while transportation. PP shall take necessary measures to avoid generation of fugitive dust emissions.

n) Storage of wastes

43. The project proponent shall store/dump the waste generated within the earmarked area of the project site for mine closure as per the approved mining plan.

o) CER/EMP:

44. The CER should be fully Implemented and fact reflected in the Half-yearly compliance report.
45. The EMP shall also be implemented in consultation with local self-government institutions & Govt. departments as indicated in SEAC meeting.

p) Directions for Reclamation of mine sites:

46. The mining closure plan should strictly adhere to appropriate soil rehabilitation measures to ensure ecological stability of the area. Reclamation/Restoration of the mine site should ensure that the Geotechnical, physical, chemical properties are sustainable that the soil structure composition is buildup, during the process of restoration. The proponent shall ensure that the mine closure plan is followed as per the mining plan and the mine restoration should be done with native species, and site restored to near original status. The proponent shall ensure that the area is ecologically restored to conserve the ecosystems and ensure flow of goods and services.
47. A crucial factor for success of reclamation site is to select sustainable species to enable develop a self-sustaining eco system. Species selected should easily establish, grow rapidly, and possess good crown and preferably be native species. Species to be planted in the


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boundary of project site should be un palatable for cattle's/ goats and should have proven capacity to add leaf-litter to soil and decompose. The species planted should be adaptable to the site conditions. Should be preferably pioneer species, deciduous in nature to allow maximum leaf-litter, have deep root system, fix atmospheric nitrogen and improve soil productivity. Species selected should have the ability to tolerate altered pit and toxicity of and site. They should be capable of meeting requirement of local people in regard to fuel fodder and should be able to attract bird, bees and butterflies. The species should be planted in mixed association.

48. Top soil with a mix of beneficial microbes (Bacteria/Fungi) to be used for reclamation of mine spoils. AM Fungi (Arbuscular mycorrhizal fungi), plant growth promoting Rhizo Bacteria and nitrogen fixing bacteria to be utilized. Soil and moisture conservation and water harvesting structures to be used where ever possible for early amelioration and restoration of site. Top soil is most important for successful rehabilitation of mined sites. Topsoil contains majority of seeds and plant propagation, soil microorganism, Organic matter and plant nutrients. Wherever possible the topsoil should be immediately used in the area of the for land form reconstruction, to pre mining conditions.
49. Over burdens may be analyzed and tested for soil characteristics and used in the site for revegetation. Wherever possible seeds, rhizome, bulbs, etc., of pioneering spices should be collected, preserved and used in restoring the site. Native grasses seeds may be used as colonizers and soil binders, to prevent erosion and allow diverse self- sustaining plant communities to establish. Grasses may offer superior tolerance to drought, and climatic stresses.
50. Reclamation involves planned topographical reconstruction of site. Care to be taken to minimize erosion and runoff. Topsoil should have necessary physical, chemicals, ecological, properties and therefore should be stored with precautions and utilized for reclamation process. Stocked topsoil should be stabilized using grasses to protect from wind. Seeds of various indigenous and local species may be broad casted after topsoil and treated overburden are spread. Alkaline soils, acidic soils, Saline soils should be suitably treated/amended using green manure, mulches, farmyard manure to increase organic carbon. The efforts should be taken to landscape and use the land post mining. The EMP and mine closure plan should provide adequate budget for re-establishing the site to pre-mining conditions. Effective steps should be taken for utilization of over burden. Mine waste to be used for backfilling, reclamation, restoration, and rehabilitation of the terrain without


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affecting the drainage and water regimes. The rate of rehabilitation should be similar to rate of mining. Efforts should be taken to aesthetically improve the mine site. Action taken for restoration of the site should be specifically mentioned in the EC compliances.

ANNEXURE 'C' – CONSTRUCTION EC

Climate Change

1. The proponent shall adopt strategies to decarbonize the building, reduce carbon footprints and develop strategies for climate proofing and mitigation.
2. The proponent shall adopt strategies to reduce carbon & GHG emissions during operation (operational phase and building materials).
3. The proponent shall adopt methodology to control thermal Environment and other shocks in the building.
4. The proponent shall adopt strategies to ensure the buildings in blocks are not trapping heat to become local urban heat islands.
5. The proponent shall ensure that the building does not create artificial wind tunnels creating cold water and uncomfortable living conditions resulting in health issues.
6. The activities should in no way cause emission and build-up Green House Gases. All actions to be eco-friendly and support sustainable management of the natural resources within and outside the campus premises.
7. The proponent shall ensure that the buildings does not cause any damage to water Environment, air quality and should be carbon neutral building.

Health

8. The proponent shall adopt strategies to maintain the health of the inhabitants within and in the vicinity.

Energy

9. The proponent shall adopt strategies to reduce electricity demand and consumption.
10. The proponent shall provide provisions for automated energy efficiency.
11. The proponent shall provide provisions for controlled ventilation and lighting systems.
12. The proponent shall provide adequate capacity of DG set (standby) for the proposed STP so as to ensure continuous and efficient operation.

Regulatory Frameworks

13. The proponent shall effectively implement and strictly adhere to the Solid Waste Management Rules, 2016, E-Waste (Management) Rules, 2016, Plastic Waste


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Management Rules, 2016 as amended, Bio-Medical Waste Management Rules, 2016 as amended, Hazardous and Other Wastes (Management and Transboundary Movement) Rules, 2016 as amended, Construction and Demolition Waste Management Rules, 2016, & Batteries (Management and Handling) Rules, 2001.

14. The proponent shall provide elevator as per rules CMDA/DTCP.

Database maintenance & audits

15. The database record of Environmental conditions of all the events from pre- construction, construction and post-construction should be maintained in digitized format.

16. The proponent should maintain Environmental audits to measure and mitigate Environmental concerns.

Biodiversity

17. The proponent shall ensure that the proposed activities in no way result in the spread of invasive species.

18. The proponent shall adopt sustainability criteria to protect the micro-Environment from wind turbulences and change in aerodynamics since high rise buildings may stagnate air movements.

19. The proponent shall ensure utmost safety for the existing biodiversity, trees, flora & fauna and the critically endangered species & endangered species shall not disturb under any circumstances.

20. The proponent shall develop building-friendly pest control strategies by using non chemical measures so as to control the pest population thereby not losing beneficial organisms.

21. The proponent shall adopt strategies to prevent birds getting hit by the high buildings.

Safety measures

22. The proponent should develop an emergency response plan & safety evacuation plan (including disabled people) in addition to the disaster management plan.

23. All bio-safety standards, hygienic standards and safety norms of working staff to be strictly followed as stipulated in EIA/EMP.

24. The disaster management/disaster mitigation standards& fire safety standards as prescribed by competent authorities.

25. The proponent shall provide the emergency exit in the buildings.

Water/Sewage

26. The proponent shall ensure that no untreated sewage is let outside the project site under any


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circumstances. Further, the treated water shall not be disposed off through any other means other than the permitted mode of disposal.

27. The proponent shall provide STP of adequate capacity as committed and shall continuously & efficiently operate STP so as to satisfy the treated sewage discharge standards prescribed by the TNPCB time to time.
28. The proponent shall periodically test the treated sewage through TNPCB lab /NABL accredited laboratory and submit report to the TNPCB & RO of MoEF&CC.
29. The proponent shall ensure that provision should be given for proper utilization of recycled water.
30. The project proponent shall adhere to storm water management plan as committed.

Parking

31. The project proponent shall provide sufficient parking space for the visitors and sufficient space shall be made inside the project area for free turn of vehicles, so as to avoid traffic congestion inside the premises. Separate In-gate and out gate shall be provided for the vehicular movement.

Solid waste Management

32. The proponent shall ensure that no form of municipal solid waste shall be disposed outside the proposed project site at any time.
33. The proponent should strictly comply with, Tamil Nadu Government order regarding ban on one time use and throwaway plastics irrespective of thickness with effect from 01.01.2019 under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.

EMP

34. The proponent shall strictly adhere to the EIA/EMP report.
35. The proponent shall ensure that the green belt plan is implemented as indicated in EMP. Also, the proponent shall explore possibilities to provide sufficient grass lawns.

Others

36. As per the 'Polluter Pay Principle', the proponent will be held responsible for any Environmental damage caused due to the proposed activity including withdrawal of EC and stoppage of work.
37. The project proponent shall adhere to height of the buildings as committed.


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