

**MINUTES OF THE 92nd MEETING OF STATE LEVEL ENVIRONMENT IMPACT ASSESSMENT AUTHORITY (SEIAA),
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Present :

The following members were present:

1.	Sri S. Balasubramnayam I.A.S (Retired).	Chairman
2.	Prof. G.M.Jagannadha Raju, Department of Chemical Engineering, A.U College of Engineering, Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh.	Member
3.	Sri.Surendra Pandey,I.F.S. Special Secretary, Environment, Forests, Sciences and Technology Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh.	Member Secretary

I. Issues related to EIA Notification,2006 :

102-A: Issues related violation cases.

Recommendations of the SEAC on 21.03.2017:

- *The MoEF&CC, New Delhi has issued Notification vide S.O.804(E), dated 14th March 2017 on the procedure to be followed while dealing with the case of violations of the Environment Impact Assessment Notification , 2006 . In the Para (2) of the said Notification, the following is stated”*

“(2) In case the projects or activities requiring prior environmental clearance under Environment Impact Assessment Notification, 2006 from the concerned Regulatory Authority are brought for environmental clearance after starting the construction work, or have undertaken expansion, modernization, and change in product mix without prior environmental clearance, these projects shall be treated as cases of violations and in such cases even Category B projects which are granted environmental clearance by State Environmental Impact Assessment Authority constituted under Sub-section(3) Section 3 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 shall be appraised for grant of Environmental clearance only by the Expert Appraisal Committee and environmental clearance will be granted at the Central level“.

- *The SEAC, AP discussed this issues mentioned in the said notification with regard to Category ‘B’ projects.*
- *Presently the credible action is being initiated against the violators of EIA*
- *Notification 2006, by prosecuting the project proponents in the Hon’ble Courts. However in the present Notification it was stated in case of violation, action will be taken against the project proponent by the respective State or State Pollution*

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Control Board under the provisions of Section 19 of the Environment (Protection) Act 1986. However there is no clarity for the violation cases for which already credible action was initiated/ are in the process of credible action against the project proponents based on the appraisal already done by SEAC.

- *The SEAC recommended that a letter may be addressed to the MoEF &CC, New Delhi that all such projects applied to SEIAA and pending for credible action as on the date of Notification i.e., 14th March 2017, be permitted to be cleared by the SEAC & SEIAA at State level.*

Decision of SEIAA: In the said Notification No. S.O.804(E), dated 14th March 2017 issued by MoEF&cc, GoI, New Delhi stated that all cases of violations including category B projects shall be appraised for grant of Environmental clearance only by the Expert Appraisal Committee and Environmental Clearance will be granted at the Central level. Hence, all cases of violations under EIA Notification 2006 shall be transmitted to the MoEF&cc for further processing and inform to them to approach the MoEF&CC for appraisal. Also inform to all the project proponents of violation cases which were dealt by SEIAA,A.P as on 14th March 2016, to approach the MoEF&CC for further appraisal.

102-B: Issues related monitoring of Projects.

- As per the practices in vogue, the project proponent is required to submit the certified copy of the compliance from the Regional office, MoEF&CC, in case of expansion or modernization projects.
- The project proponent is mandated to submit 6 monthly post project compliance report. The MoEF& CC is also mandated to upload the 6 monthly reports on their website.
- Based on the experiences being faced by SEAC & SEIAA that such compliance reports are not being received in time from the regional office of MoEFF &CC, the SEAC recommended to address a letter to the MoEF&CC, New Delhi, to follow the alternative mechanism as suggested below:
- The Committee will download the six monthly post project compliance reports and shall use for the appraisal of Category 'B' projects.
- After appraisal by the SEAC, their recommendations for issue / rejection of EC/ TOR of the project proposal will be sent to the SEIAA for review and decision. Subsequently, the EC/TOR letter or rejections letter will be communicated to the project proponent. The copy of the same will be communicated to the MOEF&CC, Regional Office, Chennai for monitoring. During the course of monitoring if any violations observed /noted, the EC/TOR will be revoked.

Decision of SEIAA: In addition to above, as recommended by SEAC, the project proponent, while applying for EC/TOR for their expansion or modernization projects, they shall submit their six monthly compliance reports and an undertaking duly attested by notary that they have not violated the EC conditions and in future if they violate any of the EC conditions, their EC can be revoked without any notice.

A letter may be addressed to the MoEF&CC, GoI, New Delhi on the above subject matter with a request to permit the SEIAA,A.P to process the expansion or modernization projects proposals based on the projects' six monthly compliance reports, in case of non-receipt of the certified compliance from the MoEF&CC, RO, Chennai.

II. Regular Agenda Items:

Agenda Item:92.01	15.407 Ha Road Metal of Sri P.S. Ramprasad Gravel Quarry, Sy.No.158/1 to 7, 159, 160, 173(p) & 174, VKR Puram (V), Nagiri (M), Chittoor District, Andhra Pradesh - Environmental Clearance - Reg.
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Recommendations of the SEAC on 21.03.2017:

The representative of project proponent and their consultant M/s. B.S. Enviro Tech Pvt.Ltd., have attended the meeting.

Committee noted that this is a new mine and the in-principle letter was issued by the Deputy Director of Mines & Geology, Kadapa on 24.01.2017 for grant of mine lease for 20 years.

The mining plan was approved on 07.03.2017 for 5 years. The Asst.Director of Mines & Geology, Chittoor vide letter dated 10.03.2017 stated that there is no existing mine within 500 meters.

The Committee recommended for **issue of Environmental clearance** to this **Gravel Quarry** mining project for the production quantities - 57,624 m³/annum, duly stipulating a condition that the project proponent shall maintain the setback distance 7.5 meters buffer zone all around the mine lease area for greenbelt development and other conditions to be fulfilled. Also the project proponent shall develop the greenbelt in vacant spaces of the mine lease area, not to disturb the existing vegetation(9.326 Ha), and enhance the tree density with native species and to specify coordinates where they are developing the vegetation.

Decision of SEIAA: Agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC.

Agenda Item:92.02	8.144 Ha Colour Granite Mine of Sri P Eswara Reddy, Sy. No. 231(Old),240(New), Kommalapadu (V), Santhamaguluru (M), Prakasam District, Andhra Pradesh State - Environmental Clearance - Reg.
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Recommendations of the SEAC on 21.03.2017:

The project proponent and their consultant M/s. B.S.Enviro-Tech (P) Ltd., have attended the meeting.

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Committee noted that this is a new mine and the in-principle letter was issued by the Director of Mines & Geology, Hyderabad on 05.10.2016 for grant of mine lease for 20 years. The mining plan was approved on 21.11.2016 for 5 years.

The project proponent has not furnished the details sought in the earlier meeting.

The Committee recommended that the project proponent shall furnish (i). Allocation of budget for the formation of ghat road along with technical design as this mine is a hillock. (ii). The trench height details & safety measures proposed, during mining activities. Hence due to lack of the information the SEAC recommended to defer the case

Decision of SEIAA: [Noted.](#)

Agenda Item: 92.03	GMK Labs Private Limited (formerly M/s. Anjali Drugs India Pvt. Ltd.), Plot No.27/B, Road No.02, IDA Kondapalli, Kondapalli (V), Ibrahimpatnam (M), Krishna Dist, Andhra Pradesh – Expansion of existing Bulk drug unit - Reg.
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Recommendations of the SEAC on 21.03.2017:

The project proponent and their consultant M/s. Right Source Industrial Solutions (P) Ltd., have attended the meeting and present the final EIA report.

The Committee recommended that the following details are to be presented: i. Base line data for soils, water and air to be submitted. ii. Analysis of VOCs data to be submitted. iii. Reuse of roof water for harvesting plans to be submitted iv. Occupational health check-up data to be submitted v. Green belt development plan to be submitted, vi. Design of the evaporators is to be submitted vii. Hazardous studies and risk analysis are to be submitted. viii. The project proponent shall segregate high TDS & low TDS effluents & shall treat the APPCB-consent norms before transporting through a separate dedicated pipelines for LTDS and High TDS to the CETP, Kondapally only.

Decision of SEIAA: [Noted.](#)

Agenda Item: 92.04	3.3 Ha Manganese Ore Benefication Plant of M/s. Radhika Metals & Minerals, Sy. No. 67/1 & 67/3, Chintapallipeta (V), Gurla Mandal, Vizianagaram District. – TOR issued – EIA report submitted – Environmental Clearance - Reg.
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Recommendations of the SEAC on 21.03.2017:

The representative of project proponent and their consultant M/s. Team Labs & Consultants have attended the meeting and presented the final EIA report.

The Committee recommended for **issue of Environmental clearance** to this proposed Manganese Ore Benefication Plant – 4.5 lakh TPA, duly stipulating conditions. Also the project proponent shall utilize the mine discharge for the Benefication Plant. The proponent can make use of only 2 KLD water that too only for domestic purpose as committed by the them. The remaining water needs if any are to be essentially to be used from mine discharges as proposed by the proponent.

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Decision of SEIAA: Agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC. The project proponent shall take suitable measures to control dust suppression system including water sprinkling system.

Agenda Item: 92.05	Construction Project of M/s CARE Hospitals, Sy No. 58 Part, Chinagadili (V), Visakhapatnam District, Andhra Pradesh – Environmental Clearance – Reg.
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Recommendations of the SEAC on 21.03.2017:

The representative of project proponent and their consultant M/s. Team Labs & Consultants have attended the meeting.

The committee noted that the project proponent has not earmarked the parking area and areas required for other amenities in the proposed site area. Also there is no setback space allocated in the proposed project.

The Committee recommended for deferring case. The Project Proponent shall furnish the revised conceptual plan & layout for the construction project duly specified for the proposed project duly mentioning the areas allocated for adequate Parking(i.e., silt parking within the buildings) and other amenities and with setback spaces in the proposed site area.

Decision of SEIAA: Noted.

Agenda Item:92.06	8.0 Ha Road metal and Boulders Mine of Sri R. M. Eswara Naidu, Sy Nos. 502, Nallangadu (V), Bangarupalem (M), Chittoor District, Andhra Pradesh - Environmental Clearance - Reg.
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Recommendations of the SEAC on 21.03.2017:

The representative of project proponent and their consultant M/s. Team Labs & Consultants have attended the meeting.

The committee noted that the mine lease was issued on 04.06.2012. The mining plan was approved on 10.01.2017 for 2016-2017.

The Committee recommended that the project proponent shall furnish the production details from 2012 to 2017 from the Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Chittoor for further appraisal.

Decision of SEIAA: Noted.

Agenda Item: 92.07	Iron Ore Beneficiation Plant of M/s. Sri Arunachala Siva Minerals, Sy. No. 1008, Gutupalli (V), Bethamcherla (M), Kurnool District – Environmental Clearance - Reg.
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Recommendations of the SEAC on 21.03.2017:

The representative of project proponent and their consultant M/s. Team Labs & Consultants have attended the meeting.

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The committee noted that as per MoEF O.M. dated 24.12.2013, the Beneficiation Plant capacity $\leq 20,000$ TPA involving only physical beneficiation comes under Category 'B2'.

The Committee recommended for **issue of Environmental clearance** to this proposed Iron Ore Beneficiation Plant – 20,000 TPA, duly stipulating conditions that (i) The project proponent shall furnish an undertaking that the total capacity throughout the year involving physical beneficiation only shall not exceed 20,000 TPA under any circumstances and (ii) The Project Proponent shall remit the balance EC processing charges of Rs.80,000/- .

Decision of SEIAA: [Agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC.](#)

Agenda Item:92.08	Sri Kusuma Haranadha Agro fural Limited, Unit II, Sy Nos. 119/3, 120/7, 118/2, 119/3, 98/4, 118/2, 117/2, 119/6, 120/2 and 120/5, Allivedu Revenue Village, Vijaya Rai Panchayat, Pedavegi Mandal, West Godavari District, Andhra Pradesh - Reg.
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Recommendations of the SEAC on 21.03.2017:

The representative of project proponent and their consultant M/s. Team Labs & Consultants have attended the meeting and presented the proposed TOR for the Synthetic Organic Chemicals (Bulk Drugs & Intermediates) manufacturing unit.

*The Committee after detailed discussions recommended for **issue the Standard Terms of Reference with Public hearing** to the above proposed project, along with additional TOR as follows: i) Baseline data, ii) Fugitive emission control methods iii) ground water table, iv) VOC.*

Decision of SEIAA: [Agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC.](#)

Agenda Item:92.09	5.4 Ha of Black Granite Mine of M/s Nagamani Granites, Compartment No. 218, Veerasettipalli B.R.F (V), Yadamarri (M), Chittoor District, Andhra Pradesh – Environmental Clearance – Reg.
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Recommendations of the SEAC on 21.03.2017:

The representative of project proponent and their consultant M/s. Team Labs & Consultants have attended the meeting.

The Committee noted that earlier SEAC reviewed in the meeting held on 25.09.2016 and recommended and the same was agreed by SEIAA on 14.10.2016.

The Committee recommended that this proposal was already agreed by SEIAA, the same may be placed before the SEIAA.

Decision of SEIAA: [Agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC in its meetings held on 25.09.2016 & 21.03.2017 as the initiation of credible does not arise as in 2005 already Consent for 300 m³/month was given and now request is for 510 m³/annum.](#)

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Agenda Item:92.10	24.21 Ha Sand and Road Metal Quarry of M/s. Rai Bahadur Seth Shreeram Narasingdas Private Limited, Sy.No. 24 (569), 854,855,857,858,859 & 860, Somandepalli (V &M), Ananthapuramu District, Andhra Pradesh – Environmental Clearance – Reg.
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Recommendations of the SEAC on 21.03.2017:

The representative of project proponent and their consultant M/s. Team Labs & Consultants have attended the meeting and presented their project proposal with EMP for the road metal quarry and also to manufacture robo sand.

The representative of the project proponent and their consultant M/s. Team Labs & Consultants, have attended the meeting. The Deputy Director of Mines & Geology Department, Guntur issued a memo dated 04.10.2016 asked the proponent to submit the approved mining plan. Vide Memo.No.5039/Q4/2016,dt.04.10.2016 for the grant of lease to this mine. The mining plan was approved on 14.12.2016 for the period 2016-17 to 2020-21. Further Committee noted that this is a new mine, the Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Anantapuramu stated that there are no existing leases within 500 meters.

The Committee recommended for **issue of Environmental clearance** to this proposed **Road metal quarry and manufacture of sand** - 23,15,425.5 TPA, duly stipulating a condition that the project proponent shall maintain the setback distance 7.5 meters buffer zone all around the mine lease area for greenbelt development and other conditions to be fulfilled.

Decision of SEIAA: [Agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC.](#)

Agenda Item: 92.11	Godavari Bio Management Bio Medical Waste Treatment Facility, Sy.No. 258, Marripudi (V), Rangampeta (M), East Godavari District, Andhra Pradesh – Terms of Reference(TOR) for Amendment – Earlier defer case - Reg.
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Recommendations of the SEAC on 21.03.2017:

The project proponent and their consultant M/s.Team Labs and Consultants have attended the meetings and requested for TOR amendment.

The Committee noted earlier TOR was issued to this project proposal on 29.10.2016 and presently requesting for the enhancement of common bio medical waste treatment facility (CBMWTF) from 0.8 TPD to 3.0 TPD.

Also the Committee noted that there is a legal issue on the new common bio medical waste treatment facilities in East Godavari District.

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Also the Committee noted that there is a legal issue on the new common bio medical waste treatment facilities in East Godavari District.

The project proponent submitted the clarification on the legal aspects on BMW facilities in East Godavari District and stated they are not the respondents in that legal issues.

The Committee recommended for **issue amendment of standard Terms of References (TOR)** to this proposed Common Bio-medical Waste Treatment Facility for enhancement of capacity from 0.8 TPD to 3.0 TPD, without prejudice to the orders of any Hon'ble Courts.,

Additional TOR: (i).The project proponent shall comply with the conditions stipulated in the APPCB Letter dated 16.08.2016.

Decision of SEIAA: [Agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC.](#)

Agenda Item:92.12	6.667 Ha Gravel Mine of Sri Ranga Reddy, Sy Nos. 259/2 of Kurugonda Village, Ozili Mandal, SPSR Nellore District, Andhra Pradesh - Environmental Clearance - Reg.
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Recommendations of the SEAC on 21.03.2017:

The representative of project proponent and their consultant M/s. Team Labs & Consultants have attended the meeting.

The Committee noted that in principle letter issued vide their Notice No: 5280/Q5/2016, dated 14-10-2016 by the Deputy Director of Mines &Geology, Guntur, for mining lease -10 years. The mining plan was approved on 07.12.2016 for 5years. This is a new mine. The Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Nellore vide Letter dated.03.02.2017, that there is no existing leases within 500 meters.

The Committee recommended for **issue of Environmental clearance** to this proposed **Gravel quarry** project for the production quantities - 42,590 m³/annum, duly stipulating a condition that the project proponent shall maintain the setback distance 7.5 meters buffer zone all around the mine lease area for greenbelt development and other conditions to be fulfilled.

Decision of SEIAA: [Agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC.](#)

Agenda Item:92.13	6.811 Ha. Road Metal & Gravel Mine of Sri T.Yugandhar, Sy. No.558/39, Valparla (V), Martur (M), Prakasam District, Andhra Pradesh - Environmental Clearance - Reg.
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Recommendations of the SEAC on 21.03.2017:

The project proponent has attended the meeting and presented their mining proposal.

The Committee noted that in principle letter issued vide their Notice No: 5338/Q4/2016, dated 19-10-2016 by the Deputy Director of Mines &Geology, Guntur, for mining lease -10 years. The mining plan was approved on 08.12.2016 for 5years. This is a new mine. The Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Nellore vide Letter dated.03.02.2017, that there is one mine of an area -8.660 Ha is existing within 500 meters.

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The Committee recommended for issue of Environmental clearance to this proposed Road metal and Gravel quarry project for the production quantities - 58,000 m³/annum, duly stipulating a condition that the project proponent shall maintain the setback distance 7.5 meters buffer zone all around the mine lease area for greenbelt development and other conditions to be fulfilled.

Decision of SEIAA: The project proponent may be asked to submit the EMP for the cluster of mines within 500 meters of M/s. T.Yugandhar (new mine - 6.811 Ha) and M/s. Archana Granites - 8.66 Ha. After receipt of the cluster EMP, the SEAC,A.P. may examine the same.

Agenda Item:92.14	10.0 Ha. Colour Granite Mine of M/s. Simha Granites, Sy. No. 738/P, Vandadi (V), Chinnamandyam (M), Kadapa District - Environmental Clearance - Reg.
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Recommendations of the SEAC on 21.03.2017:

The project proponent has attended the meeting and presented their mining proposal.

The Committee noted that in principle letter issued vide their Notice dated 28-08-2015 by the Deputy Director of Mines &Geology, Kurnool, for mining lease -20 years. The mining plan was approved on 24.12.2015 for 5years. This is a new mine. The Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Kadapa vide Letter dated.16.09.2016, that there are surrounding mines (14.633 Ha, 9.950 Ha, 4.615 Ha&7.152Ha). It was also noted that ECs were issued for these mines in October 2015.

The Committee recommended for **issue of Environmental clearance** to this proposed **Colour Granite** project for the production quantities - 8039 m³/annum, duly stipulating a condition that the project proponent shall maintain the setback distance 7.5 meters buffer zone all around the mine lease area for greenbelt development and other conditions to be fulfilled.

Decision of SEIAA: The project proponent may be asked to submit the EMP for the cluster of mines of M/s. Simha Granites (new mine - 10.00 Ha) & other 4 mines within 500 meters. After receipt of the cluster EMP, the SEAC,A.P. may examine the same.

Agenda Item: 92.15	Construction Project of Sri Valli Pravas M/s. Undavalli Constructions Pvt Ltd., R.S.No.139/1A, Kaza (V), Mangalagiri (M), Guntur District, Andhra Pradesh – Environmental Clearance – Reg.
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Recommendations of the SEAC on 22.03.2017:

The project proponent and their consultant M/s. Pridhvi Envirotech Pvt.Ltd., have attended the meeting and presented the proposed construction project details and requested for EC.

The committee noted that the project proponent has not earmarked the parking area and areas required for other amenities in the proposed site area. Also there is no setback space allocated in the proposed project. Also the committee noted that the traffic volume data presented was that of area in another district and no way connected to the project. The particulars of STP, stack height, calculation of parking area, solar energy supply system, and clarity on solid waste management are to be submitted in the conceptual plan.

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Decision of SEIAA: [Noted](#).

Agenda Item:92.16	10.117 Ha Silica Sand Mine of M/s. Naseeb Mining Company, Sy. No. 256/P, Vellapalem (V), Chillakur (M), SPSR Nellore (Dt), Andhra Pradesh – Environmental Clearance – Reg.
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Recommendations of the SEAC on 22.03.2017:

The project proponent and their consultant M/s. S.V. Enviro Labs & consultants., have attended the meeting and requested for postponement of their presentation. Hence the committee recommended to defer this case next meeting.

Decision of SEIAA: [Noted](#).

Agenda Item:92.17	7.0 Ha. Black Granite Mine of M/s. Eliezer Mines Private Limited, Sy.No. Sy.No.367/1,16,17&18, 367/2(P), 3P,12P, 13 to 15, 22 to 25, Devarapalem Village, Chimakurthy Mandal, Prakasam District - Environmental Clearance - Reg.
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Recommendations of the SEAC on 22.03.2017:

The project proponent and their consultant M/s. S.V. Enviro Labs & consultants., have attended the meeting.

The Committee noted that M/s. Sun Rocks & Minerals, Existing EC order No. SEIAA/AP/PKM-166/2013 Dt:08.10.2015 over an extent of 5.0 Ha with production capacity of 4988m³ /annum. M/s. Sun Rocks & Minerals, Existing EC order No. SEIAA/AP/PKM-87/2013 Dr:02.05.2013 over an extent of 2.0 Ha with production capacity of 688.8 m³ /annum. Now transfer and clubbing the two black galaxy granite quarry leases from M/s. Sun Rocks & Minerals to M/s. Eliezer Mines Private Limited. Clubbing and transfer of mine leases vide letter dated 05.07.2016 of Director of Mines, A.P.The Mining Plan was approved by Deputy Director of Mines & Geology, Guntur vide Lr.dated.07.10.2016.

The Committee recommended for **issue of Environmental clearance** to this **Black Granite** mining project for the production quantities - 36,000 m³/annum, duly stipulating a condition that the project proponent shall maintain the setback distance 7.5 meters buffer zone all around the mine lease area for greenbelt development and other conditions to be fulfilled.

Decision of SEIAA: [Agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC](#).

Agenda Item:92.18	6.248 Ha Road Metal Mine of M/s. Dilip Buildcon Limited, Sy.No. 58/P, Budawada (V), Chimakurthy (M), Prakasam District, Andhra Pradesh - Environmental Clearance - Reg.
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The project proponent and their consultant M/s. S.V. Enviro Labs & consultants., have attended the meeting.

The Committee noted that the MoEF&CC issued Notification vide S.O.804(E), dated 14th March 2017 on the procedure to be followed while dealing with the cases of violations of the Environment Impact Assessment Notification, 2006.

In light of the said Notification, the Committee recommended for differing this case for next meeting for appraisal.

Decision of SEIAA: [The project proponent may be informed to approach the MoEF&CC, GOI, New Delhi for appraisal of their project proposal.](#)

Agenda Item: 92.19	M/s.Indian Oil Corporation Limited Proposed additional 3 X 600 MT Mounded LPG storage at Parawada, Visakhapatnam – Terms of Reference (TOR) - Reg.
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Recommendations of the SEAC on 22.03.2017:

The project proponent has not attended the meeting. The Committee recommended for **deferring** this case to the next meeting.

Decision of SEIAA: [Noted.](#)

Agenda Item:92.20	9.712 Ha. Road Metal / Building Stone/ Robo/Manufacture Sand Mine of M/s. Surya Enterprises, Sy Nos. 743, Somandepalli (V), Somandepalli (M), Ananthapuramu District, Andhra Pradesh - Environmental Clearance - Reg.
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Recommendations of the SEAC on 22.03.2017:

The project proponent and their consultant M/s. Global Enviro Labs have attended the meeting.

The Committee recommended that the project proponent shall furnish the revised Form-I duly mentioning the Road metal mining quantity and Robo sand manufacturing quantity with EMP for further appraisal.

Decision of SEIAA: [Noted.](#)

Agenda Item:92.21	6.44 Ha Steatite, Clay & Dolomite Mine of Sri P.Nageswara Rao, Sy. No:455/1A,455/1B, Lingala (V & M), Kadapa District - Environmental Clearance - Reg.
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The project proponent and their consultant M/s. Global Enviro Labs have attended the meeting.

The Committee noted that the MoEF&CC issued Notification vide S.O.804(E), dated 14th March 2017 on the procedure to be followed while dealing with the cases of violations of the Environment Impact Assessment Notification, 2006.

In light of the said Notification, the Committee recommended for differing this case for next meeting for appraisal.

Decision of SEIAA: The project proponent may be informed to approach the MoEF&CC, GOI, New Delhi for appraisal of their project proposal.

Agenda Item:92.22	5.302 Ha. Dolomite & Natural Clay Mine of Smt. N. Sameem Banu , Sy.No. 328/P, Chandana (V), Yadki (M), Anantapur District - Environmental Clearance - Reg.
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Recommendations of the SEAC on 22.03.2017:

The project proponent has not attended the meeting. The Committee recommended for **deferring** this case to the next meeting.

Decision of SEIAA: *The Dolomite & Natural Clay Mine is a major mineral and subsequently the it was notified as minor mineral by the Ministry of Mines, GoI, New Delhi vide notification GSR No.423(E), dated 10th Feb 2015. As per the EIA Notification 1994 and EIA Notification 2006, this Dolomite & Natural Clay mine shall obtain the Environmental Clearance. This mine has carried out the mining activity from the year 2010 - 2017 without obtaining the Environmental Clearance.*

The project proponent may be informed to approach the MoEF&CC, GOI, New Delhi for appraisal of their project proposal.

Agenda Item:92.23	15.0 Ha Colour Granite Mine of Sri. R. Jaya Prakash Naidu Sy. No: 85, T. Sadum Village, Tanakallu Mandal, Anantapuram District, Andhra Pradesh - Environmental Clearance - Reg.
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Recommendations of the SEAC on 22.03.2017:

The representative of project proponent and their consultant M/s. Sri Sai Manasa Tech Pvt. Ltd., have attended the meeting.

The Committee noted that in principle letter issued vide their Notice dated 24-08-2016 by the Director of Mines & Geology, Hyderabad, for mining lease -20 years. The mining plan was approved on 23.12.2016 for 5 years. This is a new mine. The Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Ananthapuramu vide Letter dated.10.03.2017, that there are stated that there is no existing lease within 500 mtrs.

The Committee recommended for **issue of Environmental clearance** to this proposed **Colour Granite** project for the production quantities - 18,080 m³/annum, duly stipulating a condition that the project proponent shall maintain the setback distance 7.5 meters buffer zone all around the mine lease area for greenbelt development and other conditions to be fulfilled.

Decision of SEIAA: [Agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC.](#)

Agenda Item:92.24	32.704 Ha. Quartz Mine of M/s. Gnana Iswarya Mines& Minerals Sy. No. 381,382,387,388,389 and 462/P, Hussainpuram village, Veligandla Mandal, Prakasam District –Reg.
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Recommendations of the SEAC on 22.03.2017:

The project proponent has attended the meeting.

The Committee noted that the MoEF&CC issued Notification vide S.O.804(E), dated 14th March 2017 on the procedure to be followed while dealing with the cases of violations of the Environment Impact Assessment Notification, 2006.

In light of the said Notification, the Committee recommended for differing this case for next meeting for appraisal.

Decision of SEIAA: [The project proponent may be informed to approach the MoEF&CC, GOI, New Delhi for appraisal of their project proposal.](#)

Agenda Item:92.25	4.08 Ha. Limestone Mine of Sri V.Pedda Kond Reddy, Sy. No. 78, 91 & 92, Venkatapuram (V), Banaganapalli (M), Kurnool District - Environmental Clearance - Reg.
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Recommendations of the SEAC on 22.03.2017:

The representative of project proponent and their consultant M/s. Ramky Enviro Engineers Limited have attended the meeting.

The Committee noted that in principle letter issued vide their Notice dated 24-09-2016 by the Director of Mines & Geology, Hyderabad, for mining lease -20 years. The mining plan was approved on 16.12.2016 for 5years. This is a new mine. The Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Banaganapalle vide Letter dated.27.02.2017, that there are 5 mine leases with total extent of **13.835 Ha.** within 500 meters

The Committee recommended for **issue of Environmental clearance** to this **Limestone** mining project for the production quantities - 70,000 Tons per annum, duly stipulating a condition that the project proponent shall maintain the setback distance 7.5 meters buffer zone all around the mine lease area for greenbelt development, the garland drain shall be located in the mine lease area duly following the contour properly and other conditions to be fulfilled. Also the adequate budget allotment for the implementation of EMP shall be allocated.

Decision of SEIAA: [The project proponent may be asked to submit the EMP for the cluster of mines of M/s.V.Pedda Kond Reddy \(new mine - 4.08 Ha\) & other 5 mines with in 500 meters. After receipt of the cluster EMP, the SEAC,A.P. may examine the same.](#)

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Agenda Item: 92.26	M/s. K.S.R. Developers Pvt. Ltd., at Sy.No. 106/1B2, NH-5, Marripalem (V), Visakhapatnam (M), Visakhapatnam District – Amendment to Environmental Clearance -Reg.
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Recommendations of the SEAC on 22.03.2017:

The representative of project proponent and their consultant M/s. S.V. Enviro Labs & consultants., have attended the meeting and presented their proposal for the proposed building project and requested for amendment to the EC for conversion of 3 Nos. of Multiplexes plan to Hotel of 121 rooms by putting additional slab without increasing building height.

The committee noted that as there are changes in the areas of the floors and not properly compiled nor presented the details of their proposed project.

The Committee recommended for deferring case. The Project Proponent shall submit the revised conceptual plan of the proposed project duly mentioning the areas allocated for floors, Parking and other amenities in the proposed site area.

Decision of SEIAA: Noted.

Agenda Item:92.27	1.7 Ha of Colour Granite Mine of Lakshmi S.T. Mining & Leasing Labour Contact Mutually Aided Co-operative Society Ltd., at Sy No. 68/4 to 6& 69/2, Terapalli(V), Chinthapalli(M), Visakhapatnam District Andhra Pradesh - Environmental Clearance – Reg.
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Recommendations of the SEAC on 22.03.2017:

The project proponent and their consultant M/s. Pioneer Enviro Laboratories and consultants have attended the meeting. The Committee noted that, as per the letter issued by Assistant Director of Mines, Visakhapatnam stated that “there is only one quarry lease existing within 500 Mtrs periphery which was held by Sri J. Mark Raju for Colour Granite over an extent of 7.99 Ha in Sy.No.68 & 69 of Terapalli (V), Chintapalli(M), Visakhapatnam District from the proposed quarry lease area of M/s. The Lakshmi S.T. Mining & Leasing labour Contract Mutually Aided Cooperative Society Limited, Rep. by President: Sri Banavathu Pandu over an extent of 1.70 Ha in Sy.No. 68/4 to 6 and 69/2 of Terapalli (V), Chintapalli (M), Visakhapatnam District. The total area of cluster comes to more than 5 Ha”.

As per Notification S.o.No. 141 , dated 15.01.2016 , the DEAC/DEIAA can appraise the mining projects , in case of cluster , if cluster area of mine lease is greater than 5.0 Hectare and less than 25.0 Ha and also the individual mine lease area shall not be more than 5.0 Ha. In the present case, the mine lease of the applicant is only 1.7 Ha., but the other mine lease in the cluster is 7.9 Ha. i.e., more than 5.0 Ha. Hence, the present case does not come under the purview of the DEAC/DEIAA and hence the SEAC has taken a decision to appraise this mining project.

The Committee recommended for **issue of Environmental clearance** to this **Colour Granite** mining project for the production quantities - 9,307.20 m³/ annum, duly stipulating a

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condition that the project proponent shall maintain the setback distance 7.5 meters buffer zone all around the mine lease area for greenbelt development and other conditions to be fulfilled.

Decision of SEIAA: The project proponent may be asked to approach the DEIAA, Visakhapatnam for appraisal of their project proposal.

Agenda Item: 92.28	Construction Project of M/s. Apollo Hospitals Enterprise Ltd., Sy No. 75/P & 76, Health City (V), Chinagadila (M), Visakhapatnam District, Andhra Pradesh – Environmental Clearance – Reg.
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Recommendations of the SEAC on 22.03.2017:

The representative of project proponent and their consultant M/s. S.V. Enviro Labs & consultants, have attended the meeting and requested for the postponement.

The Committee recommended for deferring this case to the next meeting, based on the request for postponement by the proponent

Decision of SEIAA: Noted.

Agenda Item: 92.29	5.0 Ha - Colour Granite Mine of M/s.Benita Granite Limited, Sy.No.217/2p and 226/1, Chintaluru (V), Madugula (M), Vishakhapatnam District – Environmental Clearance – Reg.
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Recommendations of the SEAC on 25.09.2016:

“Earlier the committee in its meeting held on 07.08.2016 recommended for issue of Environment clearance to this existing mining project. The Committee noted that the mine lease was granted on 04.12.2006. This mining proposal is covered under the MoEF&CC, New Delhi Notification S.O.No.2269(E), dated 01.07.2016 as this mine’s lease was granted prior to 9th September 2013. Also this is an existing mine and credible action was taken against the mine for earlier violation (Case No. 17 /2016).

This mine lease area is 5.0 Ha and other surrounding mines (i.e. within 500 m) lease areas are 10.0 Ha and 5.504 Ha (i.e., more than 5.0 Ha.). EC was issued to M/s.Smt. A.B.Laxmi Tayaru (10.0 Ha) on 02.09.2016 and EC issued to M/s.Smt.Gajalatha Mine on 04.04.2015.

As per the MoEF&CC Notification S.O.No.2269 (E), dt.01.07.2016, this mining proposal comes under purview of SEIAA and hence earlier recommended for EC by the SEAC.

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The Committee re-examined and recommended for issue of Environmental clearance to this Colour granite mining project for quantity 7773.60 m³/annum.(max), in view of the above mentioned facts, duly stipulating a condition that the project proponent shall maintain the setback distance 7.5 meters buffer zone all around the mine lease area for greenbelt development.

Decision of SEIAA : The Govt. of A.P. vide letter dated 08.03.2017 has advised to refer the case to the DEIAA, Visakhapatnam. The project proposal may be sent to DEIAA, Visakhapatnam for appraisal.

Agenda Item: 92.30	Storage of Bulk Liquid Cargo by M/s. K.G.O.C Terminals Pvt Ltd., at Sy. No: 274P, 275P, 236/2CP, 239/2P & 249/2P, Suryaraopeta (V), Kakinada, East Godavari (Dist), Andhra Pradesh - Terms of Reference(TOR) for Amendment –Reg.
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Recommendations of the SEAC on 23.02.2017:

The project proponent has attended the meeting and requested for TOR amendment in the TOR issued on 08.12.2016 with exemption of public hearing as the proposed site is a leased of Kakinada Port land with lease agreement with the Director of Ports, Kakinada and the proposed project is a isolated storage of Class – A chemicals only.

The Committee noted that the project Proponent submitted the following and requested to categorise as “B 2 Category” and to exempt from public hearing:

- The project is related to storage of Bulk liquid cargo only and does involve any manufacturing activity.*
- The site is allotted by the Director of Ports, Kakinada vide lease document dated 5th March, 2016.*
- The plot is surrounded on all the four sides by the Port Land.*
- The SEIAA,Gujarat vide order issued EC in the year 2010, to M/s. Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Ltd., (HPCL), Old Mundra Port Road, Mundra, Kutch, for establishing additional storage capacity of petroleum products, stating that “The project activity is covered in 6(b) and is of B2 Category. The unit is located in the GIDC-Chhatral which is a notified industrial area; the public consultation is not required as per paragraph 7 (III) of the Environment Assessment Notification-2006”.*
- The MoEF letter dated 13th Marh 2015 issued EC to M/s.Aegis Logistics Ltd, for development of Cryogenic LPG import, storage and distribution facility along with infrastructure at Hadia Dock complex,West Bengal State. In the said EC order vide Para No.3, it was stated that “the Committee has taken a note of the submissions of he Project Proponent and recommended for exemption of the Public Hearing.”*
- The SEIAA,Gujarat vide letter dt. 13.03.2016 order issued EC to M/s. Gujarat State Fertilizers and Chemicals Ltd., Fertilizer Nagar Vadohara, Gujarat State. In the EC order it was stated that “Since, the proposed project is located in the notified industrial*

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area, public consultation is not required as per paragraph 7(i) (III) (b) of the Environment Impact Assessment Notification-2006”

The Committee recommended for the amendment in the TOR issued dated 08.12.2016 that the Public hearing is exempted for this proposed project (for Isolated Storage Facility of Class- A Chemicals only) stipulating a condition that there shall not be any processing activity and/or any pipeline transportation of hazardous chemicals from/to this proposed project.

Decision of SEIAA :

The opinion of the APPCB Standing Counsel vide letter dt.03.04.2017, may be sent to the SEAC, A.P. for its consideration and recommendations.

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