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Minutes of the 459th Meeting of the State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, UP (SEIAA) held on 05.04.2021

The meeting of 459th State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, UP (SEIAA) was held on 05.04.2021 at the Directorate of Environment. The following were present in the meeting:-

1. Prof. Rana Pratap Singh

2. Dr. (Smt.) Madhu Bhardwaj

3. Sri Ashish Tiwari

Chairman, SEIAA, U.P.

Member, SEIAA, U.P.

Member Secretary, SEIAA, U.P.

Agenda-A: -Complaints/letters -Nil

Agenda-B: -Reply--Nil

Agenda-C: - Minutes of 528th SEAC Meeting Dated 03/03/2021

1. Building Stone (Khanda, Gitti& Boulder) Mine at Gata No./Araji No./Plot No.-719, Khand No.-30, at Village- Goramachhiya, Jhansi, Shri Ashish Kumar Singh., M/s Ashish Enterprises, Area 1.214 ha. File No. 4852/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/37042/2019

SEIAA agreed with the recommendation of SEAC that the matter shall be discussed after submission of online information on prescribed portal.

2. Granite (Khanda/Boulder) & Morrum Mining at Khasra/Gata No.-2131/6, Vill,-RauliKalyanpur, Karwi, Chitrkoot., Shri Ashok Kumar, Area-2.4289 Ha. File No. 5407/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/49890/2020

SEIAA agreed with the recommendation of SEAC that the matter shall be discussed after submission of online information on prescribed portal.

3. Sand/Morrum Mining from Ken Riverbed at Gata No.-455, Village-Khapatiha Kalan, Tehsil-Pailani, Banda, U.P., Smt. Renu Gupta, M/s Om Prakash Ram Autar, Area 23.00 Ha. File No. 5658/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/53067/2020

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Sand/Morrum Mining from Yamuna River bed at Khand No.- 05, Gata No.- 376Mi, 377Mi, 374Mi, 415Mi, 414MI, 378, 381Mi, 413MI, 379, 380Mi, 412 Mi, 409, 408Mi, 411Mi, 410, 406Mi, 438Mi, 439, 405, 398Mi, 399Mi, 440Mi, 404Mi, 403Mi, 435, Village- Adhaval, Fatehpur., Shri TaarakNathKaviraaj, M/s Lime Light Dealers Pvt. Ltd., Area 23.00 Ha. File No. 6185/4563/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/60697/2018

SEIAA agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC to grant the prior Environmental Clearance to the proposed project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by the SEAC adding following specific condition as follows:-

- Directions/suggestions given during public hearing and commitment made by the project proponent should be strictly complied.
- The project proponent shall obtain the forest clearance and permission of Central and State Government as per law under the provisions of Forest (conservation) Act, 1980 before the start of work.
- The mining lease holders shall, after ceasing mining operations, undertake re-grassing the mining area and any other area which may have been disturbed due to their mining activities and restore the land to a condition which is fit for growth of fodder, flora fauna etc.
- In compliance to Hon'ble Supreme Court order dated 13/01/2020 in IA no. 158128/2019 and 158129/2019 in Writ petition no. 13029/1985 (MC Mehta Vs GOI and others) anti-smog guns shall be installed to reduce dust during excavation.
- If the proposed project is situated in notified area of ground water extraction, where creation of new wells for ground water extraction is not allowed, requirement of fresh water shall be met from alternate water sources other than ground water or legally valid source and permission from the competent authority shall be obtained to use it.
- Stone (Sand Stone) Mining at Gata No.-705 at Village- Bhagautidei, Tehsil- Chunar, Mirzapur, U.P., Shri Mahusoodan Singh,M/s MaaVindhyavasini Construction, Area -1.01 ha. File No. 6122/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/59846/2021

SEIAA agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to issue the additional ToR;s to the title proposal for conducting EIA studies. The SEIAA also added the following points to TOR;-

- All pages of technical documents/EIA/EMP etc. should be signed by the consultant and project proponent both.
- 2- Copy of all the analysis reports duly signed by analyst approved by NABL or MoEF&CC shall be annexed with the EIA report and original analysis reports should be presented at the time of presentation.
- 3- MOU signed between the project proponent and the consultant should be submitted.
- 4- The project proponent shall obtain the forest clearance and permission of Central and State Government as per law under the provisions of Forest (conservation) Act, 1980 and submit along with EIA.
- 5- The lease area its address and production per annum should match with as mentioned in DSR and LoI. In case there is any difference clarification/ amendment letter from competent authority shall be submitted along with EIA. EIA and public hearing shall be conducted as per the lease area its address and production per annum mentioned in DSR and LoI.
- 6- Public hearing shall be conducted as per EIA notification, 2006 (as amended).
- 7- SEIAA opined that the project proponent shall submit permission of CGWA or proposal for alternative source of fresh water.

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6. Stone (Sand Stone) Mining at Gata No.-180/2, at Village- Bhagautidei, Chunar, Mirzapur., Shri Mahusoodan Singh, M/s Maa Vindhyavasini Construction, Area -1.21 ha. File No. 6123/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/59848/2021

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- Copy of all the analysis reports duly signed by analyst approved by NABL or MoEF&CC shall be annexed with the EIA report and original analysis reports should be presented at the time of presentation.
- 3- MOU signed between the project proponent and the consultant should be submitted.
- 4- The project proponent shall obtain the forest clearance and permission of Central and State Government as per law under the provisions of Forest (conservation) Act, 1980 and submit along with EIA.
- 5- The lease area its address and production per annum should match with as mentioned in DSR and Lol. In case there is any difference clarification/ amendment letter from competent authority shall be submitted along with EIA. EIA and public hearing shall be conducted as per the lease area its address and production per annum mentioned in
- 6- Public hearing shall be conducted as per EIA notification, 2006 (as amended).
- 7- SEIAA opined that the project proponent shall submit permission of CGWA or proposal for alternative source of fresh water.
- 7. Sand/Morrum Mining from Betwa river bed at Gata No.-1064, Khand No.-03, Village-Kahtamirpur, Tehsil-Kalpi-Jalaun, Shri Satya Prakash Gupta., M/s Vaishno Agro Industries, Area-12.145 Ha. File No. 6134/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/60026/2021

SEIAA agreed with the recommendation of SEAC that the matter shall be discussed after submission of online information on prescribed portal.

8. Khanda-Boulder/ Bailast- Gitti Mininig at Araji No.-773, Khand No.-02, at Village-Rannagar, Tehsil-Moth, Jhansi., Smt. MeeraSarawat., M/s Venus Stone Crushing Company., Area-1.529 ha. File No. 6135/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/60064/2021

SEIAA agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to issue the additional ToR;s to the title proposal for conducting EIA studies. The SEIAA also added the following points to TOR;-

- 1- All pages of technical documents/EIA/EMP etc. should be signed by the consultant and project proponent both.
- 2- Copy of all the analysis reports duly signed by analyst approved by NABL or MoEF&CC shall be annexed with the EIA report and original analysis reports should be presented at the time of presentation.
- 3- MOU signed between the project proponent and the consultant should be submitted.
- 4- The project proponent shall obtain the forest clearance and permission of Central and State Government as per law under the provisions of Forest (conservation) Act, 1980 and submit along with EIA.
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- 6- Public hearing shall be conducted as per EIA notification, 2006 (as amended).
- 7- SEIAA opined that the project proponent shall submit permission of CGWA or proposal for alternative source of fresh water.
- Khanda-Boulder/ Ballast- Gitti Mininig at Gata No.-515, Khand No.-06, Village- Sirvo, Tehsil-Garautha, Jhansi., Shri Harpal Singh., M/s Parmar Brothers, Area-1.618 ha. File No. 6136/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/60130/2021

SEIAA agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to issue the additional ToR;s to the title proposal for conducting EIA studies. The SEIAA also added the following points to TOR;-

- 1- All pages of technical documents/EIA/EMP etc. should be signed by the consultant and project proponent both.
- 2- Copy of all the analysis reports duly signed by analyst approved by NABL or MoEF&CC shall be annexed with the EIA report and original analysis reports should be presented at the time of presentation.
- 3- MOU signed between the project proponent and the consultant should be submitted.
- 4- The project proponent shall obtain the forest clearance and permission of Central and State Government as per law under the provisions of Forest (conservation) Act, 1980 and submit along with EIA.
- 5- The lease area its address and production per annum should match with as mentioned in DSR and LoI. In case there is any difference clarification/ amendment letter from competent authority shall be submitted along with EIA. EIA and public hearing shall be conducted as per the lease area its address and production per annum mentioned in DSR and LoI.
- 6- Public hearing shall be conducted as per EIA notification, 2006 (as amended).
- 7- SEIAA opined that the project proponent shall submit permission of CGWA or proposal for alternative source of fresh water.
- Stone, Gitti & Pahadi Morrum Mining at Gata No.-315, Khand No.-04, at Village- Masani, Tehsil
 -Naraini, Banda, U.P., Shri Rajesh Kumar Tripathi., Area -2.00 ha. File No. 6138/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/60185/2021

SEIAA agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC to defer the matter as per the request made by the project proponent and directed to defer the matter in coming SEAC meeting. Hence it will be taken after submission of online request on prescribed portal.

Stone, Gitti & Pahadi Morrum Mining at Gata No.-315, Khand No.-05, at Village- Masani, Tehsil
 -Naraini, District- Banda, U.P., Shri Ram Singh, M/s Jai Shri Sankat Mochan Stone Mill, Area
 2.00 ha. File No. 6139/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/60189/2021

SEIAA agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC to defer the matter as the request made by the project proponent and directed to defer the matter in coming SEAC meeting. Hence it will be taken after submission of online request on prescribed portal.

 Sand Stone Mine at Araji No.-997mi, at Village- Sindhora, Tehsil- Sadar, Mirzapur. Shri Rajesh Kumar Singh, M/s Rudrabali Traders, Area-1.21 ha. File No. 5130/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/44056/2019

SEIAA noted that SEAC has recommended to grant environmental clearance to the above project. SEIAA gone through file and documents and found that in DSR there are

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multiple leases with same address. Geo-coordinates are not clear. Geo-coordinates mentioned in mining plan are not clear and overwritten. Hence SEIAA opined that certificate from competent authority regarding Geo-coordinates must be submitted.

 Building Stone (Sand Stone) Mine at Araji No.-01, Village- Ahirupur, Tehsil- Chunar, District-Mirzapur, U.P., Shri Govind Singh, M/s Dipali Traders, Leased Area -1.01 ha. File No. 6108/5131/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/191194/2021

SEIAA noted that SEAC has recommended to grant environmental clearance to the above project. SEIAA gone through file and documents and found that in DSR there are multiple leases with same address. Geo-coordinates are not clear. Geo-coordinates mentioned in mining plan are not clear and overwritten. Hence SEIAA opined that certificate from competent authority regarding Geo-coordinates must be submitted.

 Building Stone (Sand Stone) Mining at Araji No.- 428, at Village-Dhuriya, Tehsil-Chunar, Mirzapur, Shri Rasbihari Singh, Area-1.862 ha. File No. 5092/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/42529/2019

SEIAA agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC to grant the prior Environmental Clearance to the proposed project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by the SEAC adding following specific condition as follows:-

- Directions/suggestions given during public hearing and commitment made by the project proponent should be strictly complied.
- The project proponent shall obtain the forest clearance and permission of Central and State Government as per law under the provisions of Forest (conservation) Act, 1980 before the start of work.
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- 5. If the proposed project is situated in notified area of ground water extraction, where creation of new wells for ground water extraction is not allowed, requirement of fresh water shall be met from alternate water sources other than ground water or legally valid source and permission from the competent authority shall be obtained to use it.

(Shri Ashish Tiwari,IFS) Member-Secretary

SEIAA

(Dr.(Smt.)Madhu Bhardwa)

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Chairman