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Minutes of the 483rd Meeting of the State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, UP (SEIAA) held on 24.08.2021

The meeting of 483rd State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, UP (SEIAA) was held on-line on 24.08.2021 at the Directorate of Environment. The following were present in the meeting:-

1. Dr. Rajiv Kumar Garg
2. Shri Paras Nath
3. Shri Ajay Kumar Sharma

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

Agenda-A: -Complaints/letters –Nil

Agenda-B: -Replies–Nil

Agenda-C: -(A) Minutes of 550th SEAC-2 Meeting Dated 16/07/2021

In light of decision taken in the Joint meeting of SEIAA, SEAC-1 and SEAC-2 held on 15.07.2021, SEAC-1 vetted the minutes of SEAC-2 Meeting Dated 16/07/2021 in its meeting dated 31.07.2021.

1. **Common Biomedical Waste Treatment Facility at Khasra No.- 167 Mi& 90 Mi, at Village-Maleya, Tehsil-Sandila, Hardoi., M/s AV Biomedical Waste Services. File No. 6288/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIS/62770/2021**

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

2. **Sand Stone Mining at Araj No.-639, Village-Rampur Sakteshgarh, Tehsil- Chunar, Mirzapur, U.P., Area -3.64 ha. File No. 4807/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/210394/2021**

SEIAA noted that SEAC has recommended to amend the terms of reference letter no. 281/Parya/SEAC/4807/2019 dated 27/09/2019 as per District Magistrate, Mirzapur letter dated 21/12/2020 which mentions that the geo coordinates of the project have changed during reassessment of the project site. SEIAA opined that the project proponent shall submit documents related to the revised total area duly signed by the competent authority along with a certificate from DMO certifying that no mining has been conducted till date.

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3. Soil Excavation at Gata No.-627, 638 & 757, Village-Salempur Mustakam, Tehsil-Kanth, Moradabad., Shri Rishipal Singh. Area 1.409 ha. File No. 6294/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/209036/2021

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 but the SEIAA replaces the specific condition regarding cluster certificate as "If in future during the progressive mining this lease area becomes part of cluster i.e. area equal to or more than 5 ha., limited to B-1 category, then additional conditions based on the EIA conducted by the concerned lease holders shall be imposed and joint EMP shall be implemented. The lease holder shall mandatorily follow all the imposed conditions otherwise it will amount to violation of E.C. conditions. If the certificate related to cluster provided by the competent authority is found false or incorrect then punitive actions as per the law shall be initiated against the authority issuing the cluster certificate". And adding following conditions:-

1. A certificate from Forest Department shall be obtained that no forest land is involved and if forest land is involved 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 before the start of work.
2. 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.
3. Three tier green shelter belt of 7.5m width should be developed on the periphery of mine lease area. Local and native species should be planted in consultation with Forest/Horticulture Department/Agriculture University.
4. 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.
5. This EC is valid provided the mine lease period is still available to project proponent. Further this EC is valid provided no mining has been carried out earlier without obtaining valid EC.

4. Expansion of Production of 3300 MTPA TMT Bars to 99000 MTPA TMT Bars & Ingot through Induction Furnace Route at Khasra No.-767, 768 & 769, Village-Sandhawali, Muzaffarnagar., M/s Aman Rolling Mills Pvt. Ltd. File No. 6296/Proposal No. SIA/UP/IND/63024/2021

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

5. Soil Mining at Gata No.-129, 146mi, 104mi, 8mi, 153, 77mi, 123/158, Village- Kurreya mu. Khanpur, Tehsil-Puwanya, Shahjahanpur., Shri Rajesh Kumar Verma., Area -3.652 ha. File No. 6237/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/203404/2021

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 but the SEIAA replaces the specific condition regarding cluster certificate as "If in future during the progressive mining this lease area

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6. Sand/ Morrum Mining from Yamuna River Bed at Khasra/Gata No.-1152, 1087, 1155, 1153, 1156, 1157, 1158, 1159, 1160, 1154, 1171, 1163 & 1164, Village- Hardauli, Tehsil- Ghatampur, District-Kanpur Nagar, U.P., Shri Khwajalftikhar Uddin, M/s SarangInfratech, Lease Area: 14.0 ha. File No. 6300/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/62646/2021

SEIAA noted that SEAC has recommended to issue the terms of reference along with additional ToR that approved khasra map along with geo-coordinates from the competent authority should be provided at the time of EIA presentation. SEIAA opined that since all ToR/EC are site specific, ToR cannot be issued until the site is confirmed. Hence SEIAA opined to refer back the project to SEAC to confirm the geo-coordinates of the area and to ascertain if data can be collected before LOI is issued.

7. Building Stone (Khand, Boulder & (Gitti) Bailast) Mining at Gata No.-216, Khand No.- 01, Village- Gauhari, Tehsil- Sadar, District- Mahoba, U.P., Shri Siddh Gopal Sahu., Leased Area -1.619 ha. File No. 6301/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/63432/2021

The SEIAA agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to issue the additional ToR to the 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- The lease area its address and production per annum should match with as mentioned in DSR and Lol. In case there is any difference clarification/ amendment letter from competent authority shall be submitted along with EIA. EIA and public hearing shall be conducted as per the lease area its address and production per annum mentioned in DSR and Lol.
- 3- Public hearing shall be conducted as per EIA notification, 2006 (as amended).



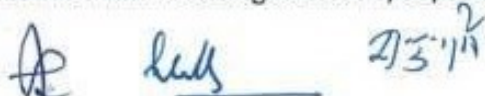
- 4- SEIAA opined that the project proponent shall submit permission of CGWA or proposal for alternative source of fresh water.
- 5- KML file for the area and mining lease area should be provided.
- 6- Status of leases granted/to be granted in various mining khand along with production since the formulation of DSR, duly certified by competent authority should be submitted.
- 7- In case project proponent intends to temporarily store mined out material or any tools, equipments or other material outside mine lease area then NOC from competent authority for doing so should be submitted and details of such area and associated Environmental impacts should be included in EIA-EMP report. This should also be clearly mentioned during public hearing.
- 8- Road network to be used by the project should be clearly shown on Survey of India toposheet in 1:50,000 scale. In case road network involves forest road permission should be obtained from Forest Department and a copy of the same should be submitted at the time of appraisal of EIA-EMP report.
- 9- The project proponent should clearly spell out whether it is a green field or brown field project. In case it is a brown field project and -
 - (i) if the earlier and present lease holder are same then compliance report of previous EC should be submitted.
 - (ii) if the earlier and present lease holder are different then environmental footprint of the site and mitigation measures should be included in EIA-EMP report.
- 10- In case of expansion / renewal of earlier EC, following information should be submitted
 - a. Status of compliance of earlier EC conditions by Integrated Regional Office, MoEFCC, GoI, Lucknow.
 - b. Copy of CtE and CtO issued by SPCB.
 - c. Status of submission of six-monthly compliance report to EC granted earlier
 - d. Court cases, if any.
- 11- Observation raised in public hearing, replies submitted by project proponent, suitable modification carried out in EIA-EMP report.

8. Sand/Morrum Mining along Yamuna river bed at Khand No.-14/07 to 14/10, Village-Katri, Tehsil-Manjhanpur, Kaushambi, U.P., Shri Achintay Karvariya, M/s Vashishth Associates, Area-17.00 Ha. File No. 6152/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/60480/2021

SEIAA noted that SEAC has recommended to issue the terms of reference. SEIAA gone through file and documents and found that the above area is not present in the DSR available with the Secretariat. Hence SEIAA opined that the project proponent shall submit the same along with the information that the above project is a green field or brown field project. If it is a brown field project the project proponent shall submit steps taken for restoration of environment.

9. Stone (Sand Stone) Mining at Gata No.-760, 762, 766, 768, 769 & 770, at Village-SemriMangardaha, Tehsil-Lalganj, Mirzapur., Shri Dilip Singh Suryavanshi, M/s DilipBuildcon Ltd. , Area -1.61 ha. File No. 6127/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/192916/2021

SEIAA noted that SEAC has recommended to grant the environmental clearance for the project proposal in the name of M/s Dilip Buildcon Ltd. along with general and specific conditions earlier stipulated in 533rd SEAC meeting dated 16/03/2021.



10. Expansion of manufacturing plants for Synthetic Organic chemicals Products of Jubilant Life Science at Gajraula, U.P., UPSIDC, J.P. Nagar. File No. 1188/Proposal No. SIA/UP/IND2/202818/2021

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

Agenda-C: -(B) Minutes of 551st SEAC-1 Meeting Dated 22/07/2021

1. Group Housing at khasra No.-183 P, Village- Ardaunamau & Khasra No.- 18p, 19, 20, 21, 22P, 23, 24P, 25P, 44P, 45P, 49P AND 46 in Village-Ahimanmau, PaarthAadyant Complex, Gomti Nagar Extension, Lucknow, U.P., M/s PaarthInfrabuild Pvt. Ltd. File No. 1498/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIS/ 207473/2021

SEIAA noted that the application is made for extension of validity of environmental clearance. SEIAA opined that the project proponent shall submit a certified compliance report of the previous EC no. 973/Parya/SEAC/1498/2013/AD(S) dated 06.08.2013.

2. Group Housing at Plot No.- SC-02/E, Sector- 150, Noida, District- Gautam Buddha Nagar, U.P., M/s Samridhi Buildmart Pvt. Ltd. File No. 6221 Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIS/ 207473/2021

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

3. Stone (Khanda, Boulder, Gitti & Ballast Mining at Gata No.-291, (Khand No.-02New), Village- Majhol, Tehsil- CharKhari, Mahoba., Shri Rakesh Kumar Goswami., Area- 0.809 ha. File No.6284 Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/ 205741/2021

SEIAA noted that SEAC has recommended to grant environmental clearance. SEIAA gone through file and documents and found that via letter no. 8443/MMC-30 khani(2020-21) dated 08.03.2021 amendment in DSR has been made. SEIAA opined that amendment in DSR should be signed by competent authority. SEIAA also found that two mining plan approval letter has been submitted by project proponent bearing the same letter no. but the dates are different and in one letter minable quantity per annum is mentioned and in another quantity is not mentioned. Hence SEIAA opined that the project proponent shall clarify the same.

4. Group Housing at Plot No.- A-99, Sector- 51, Noida, District Gautam Budha Nagar, U.P., Shri S.K. Sharma, M/s Uflex Ltd. File No. 6285 Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIS/ 208731/2021

SEIAA noted that SEAC has recommended to grant EC to the above project. The project requires a detailed scrutiny which is not possible through video conferencing. Hence SEIAA opined that this project shall be taken when the meeting is held in person at Directorate of Environment, Lucknow.

5. Sand Mining at Gata No.- 388, Village- Bhoovra Ehatmali, Tehsil- Swar, Rampur, U.P., Shri Satpal Singh, Area: 2.3400 ha File No. . 6290/ 5917 Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/ 62729/2020

SEIAA noted that SEAC has recommended to grant EC to the above project. SEIAA gone through file and documents and found that there are two same Khasra map in the file one is without geo-coordinates and the other bear geo-coordinates. Hence SEIAA opined to refer back the project to SEAC for clarification.

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6. Sand Mining at Gata No.33, Village-Assampur, Tehsil-Amritpur, Farrukhabad, U.P., Shri Anantram Shakya, M/s Kamla Contractor & Supplier Assampur Amritpur, Area -10.05 ha File No. 6291/ 5795 Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/ 62489/2020

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 **for one year only** adding following specific condition as follows:-

1. Directions/suggestions given during public hearing and commitment made by the project proponent should be strictly complied.
2. A certificate from Forest Department shall be obtained that no forest land is involved and if forest land is involved 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 before the start of work.

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If forest land involved in mining or as a route 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 before the start of work.

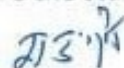
3. The mining lease holders shall, after ceasing mining operations, undertake re-grassing the mining area and any other area which may have been disturbed due to their mining activities and restore the land to a condition which is fit for growth of fodder, flora fauna etc.
4. Three tier green shelter belt of 7.5m width should be developed on the periphery of mine lease area. Local and native species should be planted in consultation with Forest/Horticulture Department/Agriculture University.
5. If the proposed project is situated in notified area of ground water extraction, where creation of new wells for ground water extraction is not allowed, requirement of fresh water shall be met from alternate water sources other than ground water or legally valid source and permission from the competent authority shall be obtained to use it.
6. Replenishment study, duly approved by the competent authority for approving DSR for the district should be submitted within one year. In the absence of replenishment study keeping in mind various orders issued by Hon'ble NGT and development works in the State EC is accorded for a period of one year.

7. Khanda Gitti Mining at Khand No.-09, Araj No.-93/1, Village-Lakhanapur, Lalitpur, Shri Santosh Kumar Singh, Area-1.396 Ha. File No. 4978 Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/ 40449/2019

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 **for one year only** adding following specific condition as follows:-

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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.
6. EC will be extended for the remaining period only after submission of replenishment study, duly approved by the competent authority.

8. Sand/Morrum Mining from Yamuna River Bed at Gata No.- 4, 5, 16, 17, 18, 25, 48 & 56, Village- Ghazipur, Tehsil-Khaga, Fatehpur., Shri Sunil Kumar, M/s The Sunworld Travels., Area:15.0 ha. File No. 5733 Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/ 54711/2020

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

9. Common Biomedical Waste Treatment Facility at Khasra No.- 49, at Village- Kapasi, Post- Imiliya, Tehsil- Orai, District- Jalaun, U.P., M/s Maa Sharda B.M.W. Management Pvt. Ltd., File No. 6297 Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIS/ 62681/2021

SEIAA noted that SEAC has decided to send the complaint letter dated 21/7/2021 made by the complainant; Shri Rajendra Singh, posted by Ramautar Singh College Of Education Gujeni Banda vide e-mail dated 21/7/2021 to Project proponent/ Consultant and get their reply latest by 23/07/2021, and the case will be taken only after receiving the pointwise reply from the Project Proponent/Consultant.

10. Common Integrated Hazardous & Electronic waste treatment, storage, and disposal facility at Khata No.- 446, Gata No.- 552 K, 555 K, 594 K, 555, 706 G, 694, 695, 696, Village- Kumbhi, Tehsil- Akbarpur, District- Kanpur Dehat, U.P., M/s Bharat Oil & Waste Management Ltd. File No. 6298 Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIS/ 63227/2021

The 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- Public hearing shall be conducted as per EIA notification, 2006 (as amended).
- 3- SEIAA opined that the project proponent shall submit permission of CGWA or proposal for alternative source of fresh water.

- 4- Observation raised in public hearing, replies submitted by project proponent, suitable modification carried out in EIA-EMP report.

With the permission of the Chairman:-

1. General Discussion:-

Since the replies of the following projects are awaited for more than 6 months SEIAA opined to delist the following projects as per MoEF&CC OM J-11013/5/2009-IA-II(part) dated 30.10.2012, which will be reopened when their reply is received:-

1. Building Stone (Khanda, Gitti & Boulder) Project at Gata No.-128, Khand No.- 01, Village- Marhathi, Tehsil- Mahoba, District- Mahoba, U.P. (Leased Area : 1.619 ha.) File no. 5432
2. Stone Mining at Gata No.-119Ka, 212Ka, at Village- Mouja-Jatajuwa, Tehsil- Dudhhi, Sonbhadra, U.P. M/s Champions Group Area- 6.603 Ha. File No. 4618/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/30524/2018
3. "Integrated Township" at Gata No.- 731,732,729,737, 739, 568, Village Mangupura & Mehlakpur Mafi- District-Moradabad, U.P., M/s Chadha Infratech Pvt. Ltd. File No. 5610/4904/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIS/50786/2019
4. "Vihaan Heights" at Plot No.-2B/GH-04, Vrindavan Yojana, District-Lucknow, U.P., M/s Vivek Infratech Pvt. Ltd. File No. 5785/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIS/168952/2020
5. Building Stone (Khanda, Gitti & Boulder) Mine at Gata No.-587, Khand No.-03, at Village- Nahari, Tehsil-Naraini, District Banda. Shri Ankur Shivhare., Area-2.0 ha., File No.-5844/4784/SIA/UP/MIN/56743/2019
6. Building Stone(Khanda, Gitti & Boulder)Mine at Gata No.-587, Khand No.-06,at Village-Nahari, Tehsil-Naraini, Banda. M/s Maa Sharda Associates., Area-2.0 ha. File No.- 5848/4791SIA/UP/MIN/50695/2019
7. Group Housing at Plot No.-76, Sector SIGMA IV, Greater Noida, District-Gautam Buddha Nagar., Shri Sunil Kumar Thakur, M/s S S Awas Samiti Ltd., File No.- 5892 SIA/UP/MIS/174016/2020
8. Building Stone (Khanda,Gitti, Boulder) Mining at Gata No.-267, Khand No.- 01 at Village- Silari, Tehsil-Moth, District -Jhansi, U.P., Shri Vijay Kumar Khatri, Area-1.416 ha. File No. 6017/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/186644/2020

A reference from SEIAA be made to concerning authorities (for projects at serial no. 3, 4, 7) that no construction activities be taken without obtaining prior EC. And in case work has commenced without seeking EC, action taken for violation of EPA 1986 should be reported.

2. "Building Stone (Khanda, Gitti & Boulder) Mine" at Gata No.- 339, Khand No.-09, at Village- Daharra, Mahoba, U.P., M/s Shivam Granite, Area -0.809 ha. File No. 6116/5132/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/ 59752/2019

SEIAA noted that the above project was taken in its meeting dated 05.08.2021. SEIAA reviewed the case and opined to replace the conditions as :-

1. Directions/suggestions given during public hearing and commitment made by the project proponent should be strictly complied.
2. A certificate from Forest Department shall be obtained that no forest land is involved and if forest land is involved 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 before the start of work.

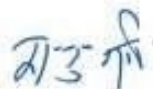
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5. Plan for using the mine void for productive use in consultation with local administration and gram-panchayat.
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