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Minutes of 273rd Meeting of the State Expert Appraisal Committee (SEAC), Andhra Pradesh held on 23.09.2025, at State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA) Andhra Pradesh Government of India Ministry of Environment Forests & Climate Change 3rd Floor, A.P. Markfed Building, APIIC Colony, Jawahar Auto Nagar, Vijayawada - 520007.


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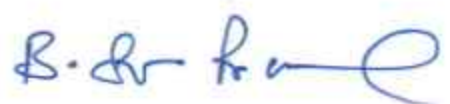

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Present: The following members were present. (Through hybrid mode Conference)

1.	Shri Batchu Siva Prasad , Flat No. 102, Trinethra Apartments, Dasari Lingaiah Street, Mogalrajapuram, Vijayawada.	Chairperson
2.	Shri Chenchugarla Krishna Moorthy , Flat Number: G-01, Padmavathi Towers, Thirumalareddy Nagar, Tirupathi 517 501.	Member
3.	Dr. Thummala Chandrasekhar , H. No. 79/71-81, Shri Raghavendra Township Near Sakshi Office, Kadapa.	Member
4.	Prof. Kondra Sudhakar Babu , Flat No. 405, 5th Floor, Mahaboob Towers, Georgepet, Near More Market, Ananthapuramu 515004.	Member
5.	Prof. Gonuguntla Venkata Naidu , Door No.28-3-168, Tarakanath Colony, Sarada Nagar, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University Engineering College Road, Anantapur.	Member
6.	Prof. Guntuku Girija Sankar , 6-21-11/2, Flat No. 401, Skyline Vaibhavam Apartment, East Point Colony, Visakhapatnam-17.	Member
7.	Shri Godavathi Veera Venkata Satyanarayana Chowdary , SL-04/7, Paramount Towers, Panorama Hills, Nyaya Vidya Parishad Law College Road, Yendada, Visakhapatnam 530045.	Member
8.	Prof. Peela Sujatha , W/o PVLN Murthy, D. No. 1-51-8/2, Sector-1, Near Sanjeevi Hospital, Muvvala Vani Palem Colony, Lawsons Bay Colony, Visakhapatnam - 530017.	Member
9.	Dr. Ponnekanti Joseph Ratnakar , D. No. 18-52/4, Kolakalur, Tenali 522307, Guntur District, Andhra Pradesh.	Member
10.	Dr. Muvva Vijayalakshmi , D.No. 4-19-13/1, Sai Nilayam, Vijayapuri 1st lane, Jagarlamudi Kuppaswamy Choudary College road, Guntur - 522 006.	Member


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11.	Dr. Billa Sarath Babu, D. No. 18-23, Military colony, Near Upparapalli Highway, Arch, Tirupati 517502.	Member
12.	Dr.Ramannagari Bhavani, D.No.13-2-426, Ramachandra Nagar, Anantapur.	Member
13.	Prof. Chalamcherla Vijaya, Flat No. 102, Leela Roses Apartments, Srinagar Colony, Magunta Layout, Nellore - 524001.	Member
14.	Dr. Arza Veera Venkata Satyanarayana Swamy, 103A, Pinnamaneni Residency, Goli Krishna Street, Ramavarapadu, Vijayawada-521108.	Member
15.	Sri M. Raja Shekar , Andhra Pradesh Pollution Control Board, Paryavaran Bhavan, Andhra Pradesh Industrial Infrastructure Corporation Limited Colony Road, Gurunanak Colony, Auto Nagar, Vijayawada -520007.	Member Secretary.


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Agenda Item: 267.01, 270.02 & 273.01	3.674 Ha Mica, Quartz and Feldspar of M/s. Sri G. Ravi Kumar Reddy at Sy No. 58, Prabhagiripatnam Village, Podalakur Mandal, SPSR Nellore District, Andhra Pradesh - EC - Reg.
SIA/AP/ MIN/526 453/202 5	The project is for mining of Quartz, Feldspar & Mica in an area of 3.674 Ha. with a proposed production quantity of Quartz - 22357 MT/annum, Feldspar - 4370 MT/annum & Mica - 328 MT/annum with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan. The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (≤ 250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease). The Authorized person of the project and their consultant M/s. Right source Industrial Solutions Pvt Ltd. have attended the meeting and presented the proposal. The SEAC committee noted that: - Now the project proponent applied for Re-appraisal of Environmental clearance issued by the DEIAA and also submitted Intimation ID No. DEIAA/AP/NLR/9-1/2018/515/2018/338215 issued by the SEIAA, A.P. - The committee noted this is an existing mine lease and the DEIAA, SPSR Nellore District issued Environmental clearance on 09.10.2018 to the subject mine for mining for Quartz - 22357 MT/annum, Feldspar - 4370 MT/annum & Mica - 328 MT/annum. This order is valid for a period of 20 years or the expiry date of mine lease period issued by the Government of A.P i.e, whichever is earlier. - The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of Nellore District. The same is reviewed in the SEAC meeting and observed that the mineral details mentioned at Page No 90 of DSR Report. - The project proponent vide letter dt. 05.02.2025 submitted production and dispatch details issued by the Department of Mines and Geology, SPSR Nellore.


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- e. The Department of Mines and Geology vide letter dt. 21.10.2022 issued work order up to 26.12.2038.
- f. The Committee noted that as per the cluster letter dt. 22.06.2018 issued by the Department of Mines & Geology, there are no existing quarry leases within the radius of 500 mtrs area. The total cluster area is < 25 Ha.
- g. As per the approved mining plan dt. 11.05.2018 the total available mineral reserves are **2,16,650 T**. The Life of the mine is 20 years
- h. This proposal was placed in 255th SEAC meeting and the project proponent and also their consultant have not attended the meeting and the committee recommend to defer for **ADS** seeking reasons for **not attending the meeting** and also to place this case only after the project proponent request the SEAC to place their proposal in the future SEAC meeting.
- i. This proposal was placed in 258th SEAC meeting and then, the Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, **recommended to raise ADS for Submission of Forest NOC.**
- j. Accordingly, the PP submitted ADS reply and again placed in 267th SEAC meeting and noted that:
- k. The RF is existing within 220m and the PP vide letter dt.07.07.2025 submitted Forest NoC.
- l. This proposal was placed in 267th SEAC meeting and then, the Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended **SEIAA for issue of Environmental Clearance for mining of Quartz - 22357 MT/annum, Feldspar - 4370 MT/annum & Mica - 328 MT/annum** over a period of mine is 20 years, covering an area of 3.674 hectares, in favour of **M/s. Sri G. Ravi Kumar Reddy at Sy No. 58, Prabhagiripatnam Village, Podalakur Mandal, SPSR Nellore District**. The recommendation is subject to the following additional conditions:
 - 1. The project proponent shall comply with the proposals furnished in the Environmental management plan.


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2. The project proponent shall develop greenbelt along approach roads & village Roads.
 3. The project proponent shall maintain 7.5mt greenbelt in buffer zone and existing buffer zone plantation should not be disturbed.
 4. The proponent shall take dust suppression measures to meet the CPCB stipulated ambient air quality standards at any point of time.
 5. The proponent shall carryout suppression of dust generated due to transport vehicles by continuous water spraying using tankers.
 6. The vehicles carrying the mines material shall be covered with tarpaulin during vehicular movement.
 7. The project proponent shall not use village road/ canal bund roads for mineral transportation purpose.
 8. The project proponent shall restrict vehicles movement during the peak hours to avoid accidents.
 9. The project proponent shall restrict the load of the transport vehicles not more than 21 tons to avoid road damages and dust nuisance to surroundings.
 10. The PP shall comply with conditions stipulated in the Forest NoC.
- m. The recommendations of SEAC was placed in 267th SEIAA meeting and decision of SEIAA is as follows: **Refer to SEAC to examine with production and dispatch particulars submitted by the proponent.**
- n. The committee verified letter dt. 05.02.2025 & 04.03.2025 and observed discrepancy in permits particulars. Hence, committee recommended to raise ADS for submission of corrected production and dispatch details letter from the District mines and Geology office.
- o. This proposal was placed in 270th SEAC meeting and then, the Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended **to raise ADS for submission** of corrected production and dispatch details letter from the district mines and Geology office.
- p. Accordingly, the PP submitted ADS reply and again, this



	proposal was placed in 273rd SEAC meeting and noted that: ➤ The District Mines and Geology Office, SPSR Nellore, in the letter dated 10.09.2025, submitted dispatch particulars. Upon review, the committee observed that the project proponent had excavated 7,920 tons of feldspar during the year 2021-2022, which exceeds the permitted production limit of 4,370 TPA as specified in the Environmental Clearance (EC) order dated 09.10.2018. Hence, the committee recommended to reject the proposal. The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OM's and detailed deliberations, recommended SEIAA to Reject the proposal.
Agenda Item: 264.23 & 273.02	1.728 Ha for Silica Sand Mine of Sri. N. Sai Swaroop at Sy. No. 335/3P & 334/7P of Kadavakuduru Village, Chinaganjam Mandal, Prakasam District, Andhra Pradesh - EC - Reg.
SIA/AP/MIN/538 457/2025	The project is for mining of Silica Sand in an area of 1.728 Ha. with a proposed production quantity of Silica Sand - 9,829 m³/Annum (or) 21,624 TPA with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan. The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (≤ 250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease). The Authorized person of the project and their consultant M/s. SV Enviro labs have attended the meeting and presented the proposal. The SEAC committee noted that: - Now the project proponent applied for Re-appraisal of Environmental clearance issued by the DEIAA and also submitted Intimation ID No. DEIAA/AP/PKM/75/MIN/2018-230, dated:24/07/2018/750/2018/885315 issued by the SEIAA, A.P. - The committee noted this is an existing mine lease and the DEIAA, issued Environmental clearance on 24.07.2018 to the subject mine for mining for Silica Sand - 9,829 m³/Annum


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- (or) **21,624 TPA** This order is valid for a period of **20** years or the expiry date of mine lease period issued by the Government of A.P i.e, whichever is earlier.
- The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of **Prakasam** District. The same is reviewed in the SEAC meeting and observed that the subject mine details mentioned at Page No **76** of DSR Report
 - The project proponent vide letter dt. 14.05.2025 submitted production and dispatch details issued by the Department of Mines and Geology. The permits within limits only.
 - The Department of Mines and Geology vide letter dt. 08.10.2018 issued work order to the subject mine for 20 years i.e., valid upto 07.10.2038.
 - The Committee noted that as per the cluster letter dt 05.03.2018 issued by the Department of Mines & Geology, there are 3 existing quarry leases within the radius of 500 mtrs area. The total cluster area is < 25 Ha.
 - As per the approved mining plan dt. 13.03.2018 the total available mineral reserves are **93915 m³**. The Life of the mine is 5 years. The committee noted that life of the mine as per mining plan was expired. But the PP not submitted subsequent mining schemes to verify the life of the mine. Hence, committee recommended to ADS.
 - This proposal was placed in 264th SEAC meeting and then, the Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended **to raise ADS for** submission of New Mining Scheme.
 - Accordingly, the PP submitted ADS reply and again, placed in 273rd SEAC meeting and noted that:
 - As per the New, approved mining Scheme dt. 09.09.2025 the total available mineral reserves are **212766 T**. The Life of the mine is 9.9 years.
- The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended **SEIAA for issue** of Environmental Clearance for mining of **Silica Sand - 9,829 m³/Annum (or) 21,624 TPA** over a period of mine is 9.9 years, covering an area of 1.728 hectares, in favour **Sri. N. Sai**



Swaroop at Sy. No. 335/3P & 334/7P of Kadavakuduru Village, Chinaganjam Mandal, Prakasam District. The recommendation is subject to the following additional conditions:

1. The project proponent shall comply with the proposals furnished in the Environmental management plan.
2. The project proponent shall develop greenbelt along approach roads & village Roads.
3. The project proponent shall maintain 7.5mt greenbelt in buffer zone and existing buffer zone plantation should not be disturbed.
4. The proponent shall take dust suppression measures to meet the CPCB stipulated ambient air quality standards at any point of time.
5. The proponent shall carryout suppression of dust generated due to transport vehicles by continuous water spraying using tankers.
6. The vehicles carrying the mines material shall be covered with tarpaulin during vehicular movement.
7. The project proponent shall not use village road/canal bund roads for mineral transportation purpose.
8. The project proponent shall restrict vehicles movement during the peak hours to avoid accidents.
9. The project proponent shall restrict the load of the transport vehicles not more than 21 tons to avoid road damages and dust nuisance to surroundings.
10. The project proponent shall comply with the SEAC sub-committee recommendations on Silica sand mines in Nellore districts.

Agenda Item: 265.02 & 273.03

0.9 Ha for Silica Sand Mine of Sri K. Rama Krishna at Sy. No. 335/3P of Kadavakuduru Village, Chinaganjam Mandal, Prakasam District, Andhra Pradesh – EC – Reg.

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The project is for mining of **Silica Sand** in an area of **0.9 Ha.** with a proposed production quantity of **Silica Sand – 5,010 m³/annum or 11,021 TPA** with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved


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quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.

The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (≤ 250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).

The Authorized person of the project and their consultant M/s. SV Enviro labs have attended the meeting and presented the proposal. The SEAC committee noted that:

- a. Now the project proponent applied for Re-appraisal of Environmental clearance issued by the DEIAA and also submitted Intimation ID No. DEIAA/AP/PKM/76/MIN/2018-245, dated:24/07/2018/750/2018/937178 issued by the SEIAA, A.P.
- b. The committee noted this is an existing mine lease and the DEIAA, issued Environmental clearance on 24.07.2018 to the subject mine for mining for **Silica Sand - 5,010 m³/annum or 11,021 TPA**. This order is valid for a period of **20** years or the expiry date of mine lease period issued by the Government of A.P i.e, whichever is earlier.
- c. The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of **Prakasam** District. The same is reviewed in the SEAC meeting and observed that the subject mine details mentioned at Page No **67** of DSR Report.
- d. The project proponent vide letter dt. 14.05.2025 submitted production and dispatch details issued by the Department of Mines and Geology. The permits within limits only and no mining last five years.
- e. The Department of Mines and Geology vide letter dt. 08.10.2018 issued work order to the subject mine for 20 years i.e., valid upto 07.10.2038.
- f. The Committee noted that as per the cluster letter dt 05.03.2018 issued by the Department of Mines & Geology, there are three existing quarry leases within the radius of 500 mtrs area. The total cluster area is < 25 Ha.
- g. This is patta land, and the Reserve Forest is located approximately 40 meters away. As per G.O. Ms. No. 107, a Forest NoC is not required for patta lands.
- h. As per the old, approved mining plan dt. 13.03.2018 the total



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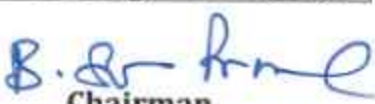
available mineral reserves are **48,714 m³**. The Life of the mine is 5 years. The PP not submitted latest mining plan. Hence, committee recommended to raise ADS for submission of new mining plan.

- i. This proposal was placed in 265th SEAC meeting and then, the Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended **to raise ADS for submission of New Mining Scheme.**
- j. Accordingly, the PP submitted ADS reply and again, placed in 273rd SEAC meeting and noted that:
 - As per the New, approved mining Scheme dt. 09.09.2025 the total available mineral reserves are **1,09,771 T**. The Life of the mine is 9.97 years.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended **SEIAA for issue of Environmental Clearance for mining of Silica Sand - 5,010 m³/annum or 11,021 TPA** over a period of mine is 9.97 years, covering an area of 0.90 hectares, in favour **Sri K. Rama Krishna at Sy. No. 335/3P of Kadavakuduru Village, Chinaganjam Mandal, Prakasam District.** The recommendation is subject to the following additional conditions:

1. The project proponent shall comply with the proposals furnished in the Environmental management plan.
2. The project proponent shall develop greenbelt along approach roads & village Roads.
3. The project proponent shall maintain 7.5mt greenbelt in buffer zone and existing buffer zone plantation should not be disturbed.
4. The proponent shall take dust suppression measures to meet the CPCB stipulated ambient air quality standards at any point of time.
5. The proponent shall carryout suppression of dust generated due to transport vehicles by continuous water spraying using tankers.
6. The vehicles carrying the mines material shall be covered with tarpaulin during vehicular


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	movement. 7. The project proponent shall not use village road/ canal bund roads for mineral transportation purpose. 8. The project proponent shall restrict vehicles movement during the peak hours to avoid accidents. 9. The project proponent shall restrict the load of the transport vehicles not more than 21 tons to avoid road damages and dust nuisance to surroundings. 10. The project proponent shall comply with the SEAC sub-committee recommendations on Silica sand mines in Nellore districts.
Agenda Item: 265.03 & 273.04	1.0 Ha for Silica Sand Mine of Sri N. Rama Krishna at Sy. No. 335/3P of Kadavakuduru Village, Chinaganjam Mandal, Prakasam District, Andhra Pradesh – EC – Reg.
SIA/AP/ MIN/538 721/202 5	The project is for mining of Silica Sand in an area of 1.0 Ha. with a proposed production quantity of Silica Sand – 5,095 m³/annum or 11,208 TPA with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan. The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (≤ 250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease). The Authorized person of the project and their consultant M/s. SV Enviro labs have attended the meeting and presented the proposal. The SEAC committee noted that: a. Now the project proponent applied for Re-appraisal of Environmental clearance issued by the DEIAA and also submitted Intimation ID No. DEIAA/AP/PKM/74/MIN/2018-229, dated:24/07/2018/750/2018/928538 issued by the SEIAA, A.P. b. The committee noted this is an existing mine lease and the DEIAA, issued Environmental clearance on 24.07.2018 to the subject mine for mining for Silica Sand – 5,095 m³/annum or 11,208 TPA. This order is valid for a period of 20 years or the expiry date of mine lease period issued by the


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Government of A.P i.e, whichever is earlier.

- c. The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of **Prakasam** District. The same is reviewed in the SEAC meeting and observed that the subject mine details mentioned at Page No **67** of DSR Report
- d. The project proponent vide letter dt. 14.05.2025 submitted production and dispatch details issued by the Department of Mines and Geology. The permits within limits only.
- e. The Department of Mines and Geology vide letter dt. 29.09.2018 issued work order to the subject mine for 20 years i.e., valid upto 28.09.2038.
- f. The Committee noted that as per the cluster letter dt 05.03.2017 issued by the Department of Mines & Geology, there are 3 existing quarry leases within the radius of 500 mtrs area. The total cluster area is < 25 Ha.
- g. This is patta land, and the Reserve Forest is located approximately 20 meters away. As per G.O. Ms. No. 107, a Forest NoC is not required for patta lands.
- h. As per the old approved mining plan dt. 13.03.2018 the total available mineral reserves are **54414 m³**. The Life of the mine is 5 years. Hence, committee recommended to raise ADS for submission of new mining plan.
- i. This proposal was placed in 265th SEAC meeting and then, the Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended **to raise ADS for submission of New Mining Scheme.**
- j. Accordingly, the PP submitted ADS reply and again, placed in 273rd SEAC meeting and noted that:
 - As per the New, approved mining Scheme dt. 09.09.2025 the total available mineral reserves are **1,10,150 T**. The Life of the mine is 9.8 years.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended **SEIAA for issue of Environmental Clearance for mining of Silica Sand – 5,095 m³/annum or 11,208 TPA** over a period of mine is 9.8 years, covering an area of 1.0 hectares, in favour **Sri K. Rama Krishna at Sy. No. 335/3P of Kadavakuduru Village, Chinaganjam**


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	Mandal, Prakasam District. The recommendation is subject to the following additional conditions: 1. The project proponent shall comply with the proposals furnished in the Environmental management plan. 2. The project proponent shall develop greenbelt along approach roads & village Roads. 3. The project proponent shall maintain 7.5mt greenbelt in buffer zone and existing buffer zone plantation should not be disturbed. 4. The proponent shall take dust suppression measures to meet the CPCB stipulated ambient air quality standards at any point of time. 5. The proponent shall carryout suppression of dust generated due to transport vehicles by continuous water spraying using tankers. 6. The vehicles carrying the mines material shall be covered with tarpaulin during vehicular movement. 7. The project proponent shall not use village road/ canal bund roads for mineral transportation purpose. 8. The project proponent shall restrict vehicles movement during the peak hours to avoid accidents. 9. The project proponent shall restrict the load of the transport vehicles not more than 21 tons to avoid road damages and dust nuisance to surroundings. 10. The project proponent shall comply with the SEAC sub-committee recommendations on Silica sand mines in Nellore districts.
Agenda Item: 273.05	4.990 Ha Colour Granite of M/s. Gold Earth Properties, at Sy No. 21 of Chintamani Village, Tekkali Mandal, Srikakulam District, Andhra Pradesh - EC - Reg.
SIA/AP/ MIN/550 878/202 5	The project is for mining of Colour Granite in an area of 4.990 Ha. with a proposed production quantity of Colour Granite - 6003 m³/annum with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan. The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of


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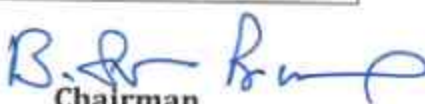


the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (≤ 250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).

The project proponent and their consultant M/s. Envipro Solutions Private Limited., have attended the meeting and presented the proposal. The SEAC committee noted that:

- a. Now the project proponent applied for Re-appraisal of Environmental clearance issued by the DEIAA and also submitted Intimation ID No. DIA/AP/MIN/13683/2018//519/2018/234756 issued by the SEIAA, A.P.
- b. The committee noted this is an existing mine lease and the DEIAA, **Srikakulam** issued Environmental clearance on 08.07.2018 to the subject mine for mining for **Colour Granite: 6003.00 m³ / annum**. This order is valid for a period of 20 years or the expiry date of mine lease period issued by the Government of A.P i.e, whichever is earlier.
- c. The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of Srikakulam District and the mineral details available at Page No 130 and S.No 148 of DSR Report.
- d. The Department of Mines and Geology vide letter dt. 27.12.2024 submitted production and dispatch details.
- e. The Department of Mines and Geology vide letter dt. 06.12.2018 issued work order 06.12.2018 and the same is valid upto 05.12.2038.
- f. The Committee noted that as per the cluster letter dt 27.12.2024 issued by the Department of Mines & Geology, there are 02 existing quarry leases and One LoI within the radius of 500 mtrs area. The total cluster area is < 25 Ha.
- g. As per the approved mining plan dt. 09.02.2018 the total available mineral reserves are **159249 m³** and the Life of the mine is 26 years.
- h. While examining the KML file, the committee observed that approximately 3/4th of the mine lease area falls within the Reserve Forest (RF) limits. The Divisional Forest Officer (DFO), Srikakulam, had issued a Forest No Objection Certificate (NOC) vide order dated 02.08.2025. Upon review, the committee made the following observations:


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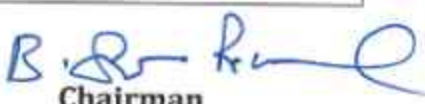


	➤ The GIS layer based on the Peddakedari Forest Block boundary is not authenticated and its use for settling of boundary and legal disputes is prohibited vide circular No.07/2012 of PCCF, A.P Hyd. ➤ The Court case W.P (PIL) No. 368 of 2018 is pending in Hon'ble High Court of A.P. ➤ The committee noted that the DFO issued the NOC, stating that the application may be considered subject to certain conditions. <i>deferred</i> The project is <u>deferred</u> for the next meeting.
Agenda Item: 273.06	1.825 Ha Mica, Quartz & Feldspar of M/s. Ramakoteswara Mining Company, at Sy No.1822/2C & 1842/1-2, Chennuru Village, Gudur Mandal, SPSR Nellore District, Andhra Pradesh - EC - Reg.
SIA/AP/ MIN/551 058/202 5	The project is for mining of Mica, Quartz & Feldspar in an area of 1.825 Ha. with a proposed production quantity of Mica - 914 TPA, Quartz - 8229 TPA & Feldspar - 4572 TPA with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan. The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (≤ 250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease). The project proponent and their consultant M/s. VVN Technologies Pvt Ltd, Hyderabad., have attended the meeting and presented the proposal. The SEAC committee noted that: - Now the project proponent applied for Re-appraisal of Environmental clearance issued by the DEIAA and also submitted Intimation ID No. DEIAA/AP-NLR/9-8/2018/752/2018/459781 issued by the SEIAA, A.P. - The committee noted this is an existing mine lease and the DEIAA, SPSR Nellore District issued Environmental



	clearance on 09.10.2018 to the subject mine for mining for Quartz - 8229 TPA, Feldspar - 4572 TPA & Mica - 914 TPA. This order is valid for a period of 20 years or the expiry date of mine lease period issued by the Government of A.P i.e, whichever is earlier. c. The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of Nellore District and the mineral details available at Page No 78 of DSR Report. d. The Department of Mines and Geology vide letter dt. 28.02.2019 issued work order for 20 years. e. The Committee noted that as per the cluster letter dt 07.07.2025 issued by the Department of Mines & Geology, there are no existing quarry leases within the radius of 500 mtrs area. The total cluster area is < 25 Ha. f. As per the approved mining plan dt. 04.06.2018 the total available mineral reserves are 560003 T and the Life of the mine is 9 years. g. "The project proponent has not submitted the production details. Therefore, the committee recommended raise an ADS (Additional Details Sought) for the submission of the production letter." The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to raise ADS for submission of production letter.
Agenda Item: 273.07	4.570 Ha Colour Granite of M/s. Srini Sandhya Granites at Sy No. 144(P), Chinabantupalli Village, Merakamudidam Mandal, Vizianagaram District, Andhra Pradesh - EC - Reg.
SIA/AP/MIN/551 292/202 5	The project is for mining of Colour Granite in an area of 4.570 Ha. with a proposed production quantity of Colour Granite - 9172 m³/annum with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan. The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (≤ 250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).


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The authorized person and their consultant M/s. Envipro Solutions Private Limited., have attended the meeting and presented the proposal. The SEAC committee noted that:

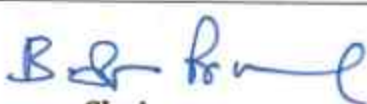
- a. Now the project proponent applied for Re-appraisal of Environmental clearance issued by the DEIAA and also submitted Intimation ID No. DIA/AP/MIN/12987/2018/521/2018/558659 issued by the SEIAA, A.P.
- b. The committee noted this is an existing mine lease and the DEIAA, **Vizianagaram** issued Environmental clearance on 25.05.2018 to the subject mine for mining for **Colour Granite - 9172 m³/annum**. This order is valid for a period of 20 years or the expiry date of mine lease period issued by the Government of A.P i.e, whichever is earlier.
- c. The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of Vizianagaram District and the mineral details available at Page No 89 of DSR Report.
- d. The Department of Mines and Geology vide letter dt. 11.09.2025 submitted production and dispatch details. The permits within limits only.
- e. The Department of Mines and Geology vide letter dt. 29.09.2018 issued work order for 20 years and the same is valid upto 28.09.2038.
- f. The Committee noted that as per the cluster letter dt 11.09.2025. issued by the Department of Mines & Geology, there is 01 existing quarry leases within the radius of 500 mtrs area. The total cluster area is < 25 Ha.
- g. As per the approved mining plan dt. 03.02.2018 the total available mineral reserves are **2,87,801 m³** and the Life of the mine is 44 years. The committee noted the PP obtained EC order for Maximum Production i.e., **9172 m³/annum**.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended **SEIAA for issue of Environmental Clearance for mining of Colour Granite - 9172 m³/annum** over a period of mine is 30 years, covering an area of 4.570 hectares, in favour of **M/s. Srini Sandhya Granites at Sy No. 144(P), Chinabantupalli Village, Merakamudidam Mandal, Vizianagaram District, Andhra Pradesh**. The



	recommendation is subject to the following additional conditions: 1. The project proponent shall comply with the proposals furnished in the Environmental management plan. 2. The project proponent shall develop greenbelt along approach roads & village Roads. 3. The project proponent shall maintain 7.5mt greenbelt in buffer zone and existing buffer zone plantation should not be disturbed. 4. The proponent shall take dust suppression measures to meet the CPCB stipulated ambient air quality standards at any point of time. 5. The proponent shall carryout suppression of dust generated due to transport vehicles by continuous water spraying using tankers. 6. The vehicles carrying the mines material shall be covered with tarpaulin during vehicular movement. 7. The project proponent shall not use village road/ canal bund roads for mineral transportation purpose. 8. The project proponent shall restrict vehicles movement during the peak hours to avoid accidents. 9. The project proponent shall restrict the load of the transport vehicles not more than 21 tons to avoid road damages and dust nuisance to surroundings.
Agenda Item: 266.19, 271.13 & 273.08	1.574 Ha Mica, Quartz & Feldspar of M/s. Sree Kalyana Rama Company, at Sy No. 164 (Old Sy8 No. 42), Kalichedu Village, Sydapuram Mandal, SPSR Nellore District, Andhra Pradesh - Expansion EC - Reg.
SIA/AP/ MIN/540 318/202 5	The proposed project is for enhancement of mining of Mica, Quartz and Feldspar in an area of 1.574 Ha. with a proposed production quantity of Feldspar 5730 TPA to 6,720 TPA, Quartz 1615 TPA to 20,160 TPA and Mica 807 TPA to 2,688 TPA with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.


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The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (≤ 250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).

The project proponent and their consultant, M/s. Ecomen Mining Pvt. Ltd., have attended the meeting and presented their proposal. The SEAC Committee noted that:

- a) The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of SPS Nellore District. The same is reviewed in the SEAC meeting and observed that the mineral details available at Page No 77 of DSR Report.
- b) As per the approved mining plan dt. 26.03.2024, the total available mineral reserves are 653334 T. The proponent proposed to excavate **Feldspar 5730 TPA to 6720 TPA, Quartz 1615 TPA to 20160 TPA and Mica 807 TPA to 2688 TPA**. The Life of the mine is 22.09 years.
- c) The PP vide letter dt. 07.10.2017 obtained work order issued by the Department of Mines and Geology and the same is valid for 29.10.2034.
- d) The PP not submitted CCR. Hence, committee recommended to raise ADS for submission of CCR from IRO, Vijayawada.
- e) This proposal was appraised in 266th SEAC meeting and then, the Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, **recommended to raise ADS for submission of following:**
 1. **The PP shall submit CCR issued by the IRO, Vijayawada.**
 2. **The PP shall develop greenbelt in approach roads and buffer zone and submit photograph of plantation developed.**
 3. **The PP shall submit latest cluster.**
- f) Accordingly, the PP submitted ADS reply and again, this proposal is placed in 271st SEAC meeting and noted that:
 - **The PP shall submit CCR issued by the IRO, Vijayawada:** The PP informed that the SEIAA, A.P vide order dt.30.05.2025 issued re-appraisal EC order. The PP informed that the as per the OM dt.08.06.2022



issued by the MoEF&CC, GoI Self-certified six-monthly Compliance Report for the latest EC shall be sufficient if the project proponent applies for expansion within a period of six months from the grant of previous EC.

- **The PP shall develop greenbelt in approach roads and buffer zone and submit photograph of plantation developed:** In compliance, the PP has uploaded photographs of the existing plantation developed by the leaseholder, along with images of the recently planted saplings.
- **The PP shall submit latest cluster:** The PP not submitted latest cluster letter. Hence, committee recommended to raise ADS for submission of latest cluster letter.

g) This proposal was examined in 271st SEAC meeting and then, the Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, **recommended to raise ADS for submission latest cluster.**

h) Accordingly, the PP submitted ADS reply and again, this proposal is placed in 273rd SEAC meeting and noted that:

- The Committee noted that as per the cluster letter dt 04.09.2025. issued by the District Mines & Geology Officer, SPSR Nellore, there are 3 existing quarry leases within the radius of 500 mtrs area and all these quarry leases executed prior to 09.09.2013. The total cluster area is < 5 Ha.
- The Project Proponent (PP), vide letter dated 31.05.2025 uploaded the half-yearly compliance report in the Parivesh Portal in their login and observed compliance are being complied by the PP.
- The project proponent informed that they have allocated Rs. 9.64 Lakhs as capital cost and Rs. 7.70 Lakhs as a recurring cost budget for the EMP. The proponent volunteered to provide Rs. 3.16 Lakhs to Kalichedu village as a part of Corporate Social


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Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended **SEIAA to issue** Expansion of Environmental Clearances for the mining of production quantity of **Feldspar 5730 TPA to 6,720 TPA, Quartz 1615 TPA to 20,160 TPA and Mica 807 TPA to 2,688 TPA** over a period of 22 years, covering an area of **1.574** hectares, in favour of **M/s. Sree Kalyana Rama Company, at Sy No. 164 (Old Sy8 No. 42), Kalichedu Village, Sydapuram Mandal, SPSR Nellore District**. The recommendation is subject to the following additional conditions:

1. The project proponent shall comply with the proposals furnished in the Environmental management plan.
2. The project proponent shall develop greenbelt along approach roads & village Roads.
3. The project proponent shall maintain 7.5mt greenbelt in buffer zone and existing buffer zone plantation should not be disturbed.
4. The proponent shall take dust suppression measures to meet the CPCB stipulated ambient air quality standards at any point of time.
5. The proponent shall carryout suppression of dust generated due to transport vehicles by continuous water spraying using tankers.
6. The vehicles carrying the mines material shall be covered with tarpaulin during vehicular movement.
7. The project proponent shall not use village road/ canal bund roads for mineral transportation purpose.
8. The project proponent shall restrict vehicles movement during the peak hours to avoid accidents.
9. The project proponent shall restrict the load of the transport vehicles not more than 21 tons to avoid road damages and dust nuisance to surroundings.
10. The project proponent shall ensure the proper protection and maintenance of the recently



	planted saplings. 11. The project proponent shall strictly follow the Ministry Order dt.01.05.2025 issued by the Ministry of Mines.
Agenda Item: 267.21 & 271.03 & 273.09	2.0 Ha, Road Metal & Building stone quarry of Sri S.V. Sai Kumar Reddy at Sy.No: 316 Kunchangi Village, Anakapalli Mandal, Visakhapatnam District, Andhra Pradesh - EC - Reg.
SIA/AP/ MIN/460 616/202 4	The project is for mining of Road Metal & Building stone in an area of 2.0 Ha. with a proposed production quantity of Road Metal & Building stone - 75,000 m³/annum with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan. The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (≤ 250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease). The authorized person of the project and their consultant, M/s. VVN Technologies Pvt Ltd., have attended the meeting and presented their proposal. The SEAC Committee noted that: - The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of Anakapalli District. The same is reviewed in the SEAC meeting and observed that the mineral details available at Page No 123 of DSR Report. - The SEIAA, A.P vide letter dt. 09/03/2022 issued Environmental clearance order for Mining of Road Metal & Building Stone - 52,193 m³/annum in 2.0 Ha and This order is valid a period of 9.79 Years or the expiry date of mine lease or land lease period issued by the Government of A.P., whichever is earlier. - The Project proponent vide order dt.14.08.2023 obtained 1st renewal work order and the same is valid for a period up to 31.03.2033. - During the meeting, the PP informed that they have failed to apply for EC extension within stipulated time period and Now the project proponent applied for


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fresh EC.

- e. As per the approved mining plan dt. 10.10.2023, the total available mineral reserves are 546058 m³. The proponent proposed to excavate 75000 m³/annum . The Life of the mine is 7 years.
- f. The Committee noted that as per the cluster letter dt 10.06.2025 issued by the Department of Mines & Geology, there is 24 existing quarry leases within the radius of 500 mtrs area and noted that non-working dates were not mentioned for few mine leases. Hence, committee recommended to raise ADS for submission of revised cluster letter.
- g. The PP vide letter dt.15.03.2025 submitted production and dispatch details issued by the District Mines and Geology office, Anakapalli and permits within limits only.
- h. The PP vide letter dt.25.04.2025 submitted Certified compliance report issued by the IRO, Vijayawada and observed most of the compliance are being complied.
- i. This proposal was placed in 267th SEAC meeting and then the Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, **recommended to raise ADS** for submission of revised cluster letter.
- j. Accordingly, the project proponent submitted ADS reply and again, this proposal was placed in 271st SEAC meeting and committee noted that:
- k. The Committee noted that as per the cluster letter dt 12.08.2025 issued by the Department of Mines & Geology, there is 24 existing quarry leases within the radius of 500 mtrs area. The total applicable cluster area is 3.10 Ha which is < 5.0 Ha.
- l. The committee observed that the proponent has not developed greenbelt for the last 4 years and also not proposed proper plantation plan in the EMP. Hence, the committee recommended to raise ADS for submission of photographs of greenbelt developed and proper plantation plan.



- m. **The PP shall develop greenbelt in approach roads and buffer zone and submit photograph of plantation developed:** In compliance, the PP has uploaded photographs of the existing plantation developed by the leaseholder, along with images of the recently planted saplings.
- n. This proposal was placed in 271st SEAC meeting and then the Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to raise ADS for following:
- The PP shall develop greenbelt in approach roads and buffer zone and submit the photographs of greenbelt developed.
 - The project proponent shall submit revised EMP by including plantation plan in the EMP.
- o. Accordingly, the PP submitted ADS reply and again, this proposal was placed 273rd SEAC meeting:
- p. **The PP shall develop greenbelt in approach roads and buffer zone and submit photograph of plantation developed:** In compliance, the PP has uploaded photographs of the existing plantation developed by the leaseholder, along with images of the recently planted saplings.
- q. The project proponent informed that they have allocated Rs. 9.8 Lakhs as capital cost and Rs. 4.15 Lakhs as a recurring cost budget for the EMP. The proponent volunteered to provide 20 No's LED streetlights, to Kunchangi village panchayat as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended **SEIAA to issue** of Environmental Clearances for the mining of **Road Metal & Building stone - 75,000 m³/annum** over a period of 7 years,


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covering an area of **2.0 hectares**, in favour of **Sri S.V. Sai Kumar Reddy at Sy.No: 316 Kunchangi Village, Anakapalli Mandal, Visakhapatnam District**. The recommendation is subject to the following additional conditions:

1. The project proponent shall comply with the proposals furnished in the Environmental management plan.
2. The project proponent shall develop greenbelt along approach roads & village Roads.
3. The project proponent shall maintain 7.5mt greenbelt in buffer zone and existing buffer zone plantation should not be disturbed.
4. The proponent shall take dust suppression measures to meet the CPCB stipulated ambient air quality standards at any point of time.
5. The proponent shall carryout suppression of dust generated due to transport vehicles by continuous water spraying using tankers.
6. The vehicles carrying the mines material shall be covered with tarpaulin during vehicular movement.
7. The project proponent shall not use village road/ canal bund roads for mineral transportation purpose.
8. The project proponent shall restrict vehicles movement during the peak hours to avoid accidents.
9. The project proponent shall restrict the load of the transport vehicles not more than 21 tons to avoid road damages and dust nuisance to surroundings.
10. The project proponent shall ensure the proper protection and maintenance of the recently planted saplings.

Agenda Item: 254.08, 265.04, 267.16 & 273.10	16.00 Ha Quartz mine of M/s. Shiridi Sai Electricals Limited at Survey No's. 367, 368, 369/1, 370/1, 371/1, Hussainapuram Village, Veligandla Mandal, Prakasam District, AP - EC - EIA Refer Back - Reg.
SIA/AP/ MIN/521 826/202	Category: B2 at par with B1. The proposed project is for mining of Quartz in an area of 16.00



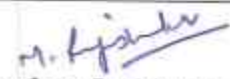
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Ha. with a proposed production quantity of **Quartz -31350 TPA** with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.

The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (≤ 250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).

The Authorized person of the project and their consultant M/s. TEAM Labs and Consultants Private Limited., have attended the meeting and presented the proposal. The SEAC committee noted that:

- a. The Department of Mines and Geology issued letter of Intent (LOI) vide order dt. 04.04.2023 for 20 years period and subject to submission of AMP, EC and CFE with in period of 3 years.
- b. The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of **Prakasam** district. The same is reviewed in the SEAC meeting and observed that the subject mine details mentioned at Page No 113 of DSR Report.
- c. As per the approved mining plan dt. 12.01.2024, the total available mineral reserves are 27,71,550T. The Life of the mine is 92 years.
- d. The project proponent has obtained Standard TOR with public hearing letter on 05.07.2024 and public hearing was held on 10.01.2025.
- e. Details of the public hearing: There are no specific environmental issues raised during the public hearing.
- f. Response of the Management during PH: Sri Govinda Rao, Project Geologist: He assured that employment preference will be given to the local skilled & unskilled villagers to the suitable jobs as per norms, all the measures will be taken without air & water pollution, adopt the controlled blastings, adopt the latest technology in the mining operations to avoid groundwater & air pollution, every year 300 plants will be planted with the support of the locals, and employment to the youth will be provided based on the education. He assured that all the safety rules, employment, and plantation will be increased yearly as per norms, insurance facility will be provided to the quarry workers and CSR funds will be spent for the development of the village such as education, water


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facilities and any other village needs.

- g. The base line data was collected from March to May, 2024 and the predominant wind direction is observed to be West to East. The maximum concentration of SPM(PM10) is observed to be 52 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ at project site. The incremental concentration is 0.048 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ and GLC of SPM. The committee observed that the incremental value is too low and considered it is an abnormal value compared to the others. Therefore, the committee directed the project proponent to submit revised AAQ data and also directed to submit NABL-accredited laboratory analysis reports.
- h. **This proposal was placed in 254th SEAC meeting and then,** the Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & Oms, EIA report, PH minutes and detailed deliberations, **recommended to raise for submission of revised AAQ data and NABL-accredited laboratory analysis reports.**
- i. **Accordingly, the project proponent submitted ADS reply** and again, this proposal is placed in 265th SEAC meeting and committee noted that:
- The project proponent collected 1 month base line data (07.03.2025 to 06.04.2025) and the predominant wind direction is observed to be W to E. The maximum concentration of SPM(PM10) is observed to be 53 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$. The incremental concentration is 0.65 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$.
 - The committee observed that the proposed Express Highway (Amaravathi to Bangalore) passes through the southern corner of the mine lease area. In response, the Project Proponent (PP) clarified that the LoI area issued by the Mines Department in 2023, prior to the proposal of the national highway. The committee instructed the PP to modify the mining plan, excluding the road alignment and its buffer zone, before the execution of the mining lease. The PP agreed to this directive. Furthermore, the committee directed the PP to apply for an amendment of the Environmental Clearance (EC) after obtaining the approved modified mining plan and execution order.
 - The project proponent informed that they have allocated Rs. 14.7 Lakhs as capital cost and Rs. 6.3 Lakhs as a recurring cost budget for the EMP. The proponent volunteered to provide water

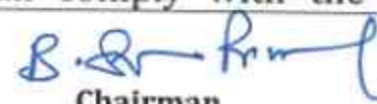

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- treatment plant, to Padhmapuram village as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine.
- j. This proposal was appraised in 265th SEAC meeting and then the Committee after re-examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs, EIA report, PH minutes and detailed deliberations, recommended **SEIAA to issue** Environmental Clearances for the mining of **Quartz -31350 TPA** over a period of 30 years, covering an area of 16.0 hectares, in favour of **M/s. Shiridi Sai Electricals Limited at Survey No's. 367, 368, 369/1, 370/1, 371/1, Hussainapuram Village, Veligandla Mandal, Prakasam District**. The recommendation is subject to the following additional conditions:
- The project proponent shall comply with the proposals furnished in the Environmental management plan& EIA.
 - The project proponent shall develop greenbelt along approach roads & village Roads.
 - The project proponent shall maintain 7.5mt greenbelt in buffer zone and existing buffer zone plantation should not be disturbed.
 - The proponent shall take dust suppression measures to meet the CPCB stipulated ambient air quality standards at any point of time.
 - The proponent shall carryout suppression of dust generated due to transport vehicles by continuous water spraying using tankers.
 - The vehicles carrying the mines material shall be covered with tarpaulin during vehicular movement.
 - The project proponent shall not use village road/canal bund roads for mineral transportation purpose.
 - The project proponent shall restrict vehicles movement during the peak hours to avoid accidents.
 - The project proponent shall restrict the load of the transport vehicles not more than 21 tons to avoid road damages and dust nuisance to surroundings.
 - The project proponent shall provide trench rocky bund all around the mine lease boundary to prevent surface runoff.
 - The project proponent shall comply with the


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commitments made during public hearing.

- k. This Proposal was placed in 265th SEIAA meeting:
- Decision of SEIAA: - Refer to SEAC to examine the proposal duly obtaining the approved Modified Mining Plan from the project proponent.
- l. The committee raised ADS for submission of Modified Mining Plan. Accordingly, PP submitted Modified Mining Plan dt. 11.07.2025 and committee observed that PP has earmarked 2.7 hectares as non-mining zone towards both sides of Highway and kept 50m buffer from NH.
- m. As per the modified mining plan dt. 11.07.2025, the total available mineral reserves are 24,42,900 T. The Life of the mine is reduced from 92 years to 82 years.
- n. This proposal was appraised in 270th SEAC meeting and then the Committee after re-examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs, EIA report, PH minutes and detailed deliberations, recommended **SEIAA to issue** Environmental Clearances for the mining of **Quartz -31350 TPA** over a period of 30 years, covering an area of 16.0 hectares, in favour of **M/s. Shiridi Sai Electricals Limited at Survey No's. 367, 368, 369/1, 370/1, 371/1, Hussainapuram Village, Veligandla Mandal, Prakasam District. Hence, committee reiterated that earlier meeting recommendations Hold's Good.**
- o. The recommendations of SEAC was placed before 270th SEIAA meeting and decision of SEIAA:- **Refer to SEAC to re-examine the issue after obtaining clarification from the Department of Mines and Geology, in view of Order dt.01.05.2025, issued by the Ministry of Mines, GoI, regarding approval of mining plan for Major Minerals, by Indian Bureau of Mines(IBM).**
- p. Again this proposal is placed in 273rd SEAC meeting and noted that:
- The Ministry of Mines, GoI vide dt.01.05.2025 issued order and wherein, the committee observed that following:
 - The existing approved mining plans for the these four minerals approved by the respective state Government shall continue to remain valid till 21.03.2027 or their expiry, whichever is earlier, provided that the lessee shall submit a copy of the existing approved mining plan to the Indian Bureau of Mines on or before 31st December, 2025. For cases where the validity of the mining plan is expiring before 31st March, 2027:


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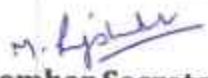

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- a. The lessee may submit a mining plan to the State Government for its approval for carrying out mining upto 31st, March, 2027 provided that the approval of the State Government shall be accorded on or before 30.06.2025. In such cases, the lessee shall submit a copy of the approved mining plan document to Indian Bureau of Mines on or before 31.12.2025.
- Or
- the lessee may submit the mining plan document for approval by the Indian Bureau of Mines to carry out mining beyond its validity period.
- b. For carrying out mining beyond 31.03.2027, the lessee will submit fresh mining plan for approval of IBM at least 180 days before 31.03.2027.
- q. In the present case, the PP obtained mining plan approved on 12.01.2024 i.e., before 30.06.2025.
- The Committee after re-examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs, EIA report, PH minutes and detailed deliberations, recommended **SEIAA to issue Environmental Clearances for the mining of Quartz -31350 TPA** over a period of 30 years, covering an area of 16.0 hectares, in favour of M/s. Shiridi Sai Electricals Limited at Survey No's. 367, 368, 369/1, 370/1, 371/1, Hussainapuram Village, Veligandla Mandal, Prakasam District with following additional condition in addition to conditions mentioned at S.No J: Hence, committee reiterated that earlier meeting recommendations Hold's Good.
1. The project proponent shall strictly follow the Ministry Order dt.01.05.2025 issued by the Ministry of Mines.
 2. The PP shall not carry out mining operations in 2.7 hectors of non-mining zone towards both sides of Highway.
 3. The PP shall develop thick and fast-growing plants in the non-Minig zone.

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35.762 Ha. of Kyanite & Quartz Mine of M/s. Nisheetha Minerals, Sy. No. 807/1 & 2, 808/2, 809, 813, 818/1, 824, 825, 832, 833, 840/1 & 2, 841/1&2 in Inimerla village,


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273.11	Pamuru Mandal, Prakasam District, A.P - EC - Reg.
SIA/AP/ MIN/543 785/202 5	The proposed project is for mining of Kyanite & Quartz in an area of 35.762 Ha. with a proposed production quantity of Kyanite-13791.72- TPA & Quartz- 16857.3 TPA with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan. The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (≤ 250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease). The project proponent and their consultant, M/s. Neo Global Enviro labs LLP have attended the meeting and presented their proposal. The SEAC Committee noted that: - The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of Prakasam District. The same is reviewed in the SEAC meeting and observed that the Quartz mineral details are available at Page No.77 of DSR. - This is an existing lease and initially, the lease was granted in the year 1982 and later in the year 1994 quarry lease was transferred in the name of M/s. NISHEETHA MINERALS. The Government of A.P vide GO MS no34 dt.31.05.2023 issued work order for 50 years w.e.f 27.07.1982 to 26.07.2032. - As per the IBM approved mining plan dt. 02.08.2024. The proponent proposed to excavate Kyanite - 13,791.72 TPA and Quartz - 16,857.3 TPA . The Life of the mine is 05 years. - The committee observed that, out of the 35.762 hectares of lease area, the IBM permitted 1.91 hectares for mining activities. The project proponent has informed that this 1.91-hectare area is located away from any habitation. - The project proponent has obtained Standard TOR with public hearing letter on 30.01.2025 and public hearing was held on 20.06.2025. - The base line data was collected from Dec,24 to Feb 25 and the predominant wind direction is observed to be NE to SW. The maximum concentration of SPM(PM10) is observed to be 26 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$. The incremental concentration for individual mine


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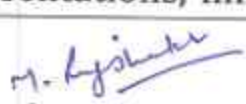

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is 2.2 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ and the committee observed discrepancy in monitoring stations of AAQ data. Hence, committee directed the project proponent to submit revised monitoring stations of AAQ data.

- g. The committee noted the project proponent not complied for most of the Additional TOR conditions. Hence, committee recommended to raise ADS.
- h. This proposal was placed in 269th SEAC meeting and then, the Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & Oms, EIA report, PH minutes and detailed deliberations, recommended **to raise ADS for submission following:**
 - 1. The Project proponent shall submit revised monitoring of stations for AAQ for 2 weeks.
 - 2. The PP shall submit proper reply for additional ToR conditions.
- i. Accordingly, the PP submitted ADS reply and again, placed in 273rd SEAC meeting and noted that:
 - The PP collected the baseline data from 11.08.2025 to 25.08.2025 and the NABL Lab analysis reports are attached. and the predominant wind direction is observed to be NE to SW. The maximum concentration of SPM(PM10) is observed to be 58 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$. The incremental concentration for individual mine is 2.2 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$.
 - The project proponent proposed to develop greenbelt in non-mining zone area (13.0 Ha) and allocated Rs.23.60 lakhs for development of Green belt.
 - The project proponent proposed to construct **Garland Drains, Siltation Ponds & Check Bunds** and allocated Rs. 11.73 Lakhs towards surface runoff prevention measures plan.
 - The PP informed that 7,725 eucalyptus plants existing in the lease area.
 - The project proponent proposed to Reservoir protection measures.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs, EIA


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report, PH minutes and detailed deliberations, recommended **SEIAA to issue Environmental Clearances** for the mining of **Kyanite-13791.72- TPA & Quartz- 16857.3 TPA** over a period of 5 years, covering an area of **35.762 Ha**, in favour of **M/s. Nisheetha Minerals, Sy. No. 807/1 & 2, 808/2, 809, 813, 818/1, 824, 825, 832, 833, 840/1 & 2, 841/1&2** in **Inimerla village, Pamuru Mandal, Prakasam District**. The recommendation is subject to the following additional conditions:

1. The project proponent shall comply with the proposals furnished in the Environmental management plan & EIA.
2. The project proponent shall develop greenbelt along approach roads & village Roads.
3. The project proponent shall maintain 7.5mt greenbelt in buffer zone and existing buffer zone plantation should not be disturbed.
4. The proponent shall take dust suppression measures to meet the CPCB stipulated ambient air quality standards at any point of time.
5. The proponent shall carryout suppression of dust generated due to transport vehicles by continuous water spraying using tankers.
6. The vehicles carrying the mines material shall be covered with tarpaulin during vehicular movement.
7. The project proponent shall not use village road/ canal bund roads for mineral transportation purpose.
8. The project proponent shall restrict vehicles movement during the peak hours to avoid accidents.
9. The project proponent shall restrict the load of the transport vehicles not more than 21 tons to avoid road damages and dust nuisance to surroundings.
10. The project proponent shall provide trench rocky bund all around the mine lease boundary to prevent surface runoff.
11. The project proponent shall comply with the commitments made during public hearing.
12. The project proponent shall strictly follow the Ministry Order dt.01.05.2025 issued by the



	Ministry of Mines. 13. The PP shall not carry out mining operations in 13.0 hectors of non-mining zone. 14. The PP shall develop thick and fast-growing plants in the non-ming zone. 15. The committee observed that, out of the 35.762 hectares of lease area, the IBM permitted 1.91 hectares for mining activities. Hence, committee permitted to carryout mining activities in 1.91 Ha only.
Agenda Item: 269.14 & 273.12	1.980 Ha Road Metal & Building Stone, M-Sand & Gravel of Smt Y. Suseela at Sy No. 16/B1 of Pulakurthi Village, D.Hirchal Mandal, Ananthapuramu District, Andhra Pradesh - Corrigendum of EC - Reg.
SIA/AP/ MIN/545 573/202 5	The project proponent and also their consultant have not attended the meeting, and the committee recommend to defer as the PP not attended the meeting.
Agenda Item: 270.04 & 273.13	2.796 Ha Road Metal & Building Stone and Gravel Mine of Sri. Katta Inathej at Sy No. 25/1 & 26 of Jajrakal (V), D. Hirehal (M), Ananthapuramu District, Andhra Pradesh - Extension of EC - Reg.
SIA/AP/ MIN/546 930/202 5	The project proponent and their consultant M/s. VVN Technologies Pvt Ltd, Hyderabad, have attended the meeting and presented the proposal. The SEAC committee noted that: - The SEIAA, A.P., vide order dt. 03.05.2019 issued Environmental Clearance to subject mine for mining of Road Metal & Building Stone – 1,01,080 m³/annum & Gravel – 1,66,140 m³/annum. This order is valid up to the life of 5.58 years or expiry date of mine lease period issued by the Government of A.P., whichever is earlier. - Now the project proponent applied for Extension of EC on 03/08/2025. - The Department of Mines and Geology vide order dt. 31.12.2019, issued work order for 10 years i.e., valid upto 30.12.2029. - As per the mining plan dt. 24.07.2025 the total available mineral reserves are 12,04,457 m³. The proponent proposed to excavate Road Metal & Building Stone – 1,01,080 m³/annum & Gravel – 1,66,140 m³/annum. The Life of the mine for Road Metal & Building Stone – 11.91 &

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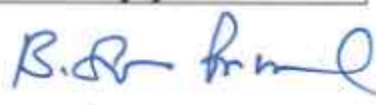
Gravel – 1.2 years.

- e. The Department of Mines and Geology vide Lr. dt. 24.07.2025 issued production & dispatch details and permits within the limits only.
- f. The Project Proponent submitted Half Yearly Compliance Report dt. 03-08-2025.
- g. The committee noted that the project proponent has not developed any greenbelt for the last 5 years and also not submitted proper EMP proposal i.e., budget and CSR activity and proposed retaining wall which is not required.
- h. This proposal was placed in 270th SEAC meeting and then the Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs, recommended **to raise ADS** for submission of following:
 - 1. The PP shall develop greenbelt in approach roads and buffer zone and submit photographs of plantation developed.
 - 2. The project proponent shall submit revised EMP.
- i. Accordingly, the PP submitted ADS reply and again, this proposal was placed 273rd SEAC meeting:
- r. **The PP shall develop greenbelt in approach roads and buffer zone and submit photograph of plantation developed:** In compliance, the PP has uploaded photographs of the existing plantation developed by the leaseholder, along with images of the recently planted saplings.
- s. The project proponent informed that they have allocated Rs. 10.775 Lakhs as capital cost and Rs. 4.225 Lakhs as a recurring cost budget for the EMP. The proponent volunteered to provide Digital classroom & panchayat developmental works to Jajrakal village as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs, recommended **SEIAA to issue extension of Environmental Clearance for a period of 30.12.2029** with following additional conditions and stipulating all other conditions remains the same.

- 1. The project proponent shall comply with the


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	proposals furnished in the Environmental management plan. 2. The project proponent shall ensure the proper protection and maintenance of the recently planted saplings.
Agenda Item: 273.14	2.50 Ha Gravel, Road Metal & Building Stone of M/s. AA Minerals, at Sy No. 339, Gudiwada Village, Ravikamatham Mandal, Anakapalli District, Andhra Pradesh - EC - Reg.
SIA/AP/ MIN/550 554/202 5	The proposed project is for mining of Gravel, Road Metal & Building Stone in an area of 2.50 Ha. with a proposed production quantity of Road Metal, Building Stone - 112501 m³/annum & Gravel - 12500 m³/annum with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan. The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (≤ 250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease). The project proponent and their consultant, M/s. Hubert Enviro Care Systems Pvt Ltd, Chennai., have attended the meeting and presented their proposal. The SEAC Committee noted that: - The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of Anakapalli District and the mineral details available at Page No 70 of DSR Report. - The Department of Mines and Geology issued letter of Intent (LOI) vide order dt. 29.08.2025 for a period of 15 years subject to submission of Approved Mining Plan, EC and CFE within a period upto 2 years from date of issue of Lol. - The Committee noted that as per the cluster letter dt 02.09.2025 issued by the Department of Mines & Geology, there is 01 existing quarry lease within the radius of 500 mtrs area. The total cluster area is < 5.0 Ha. - As per the approved mining plan dt. 04.09.2025, the total available mineral reserves are 8,86,001.75m³ and the Life of the mine is 07 years. - The project proponent informed that they have allocated Rs.


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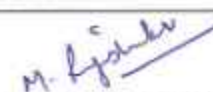

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8.0 Lakhs as capital cost and Rs. 7.75 Lakhs as a recurring cost budget for the EMP. The proponent volunteered to provide will establish a RO plant of 1000 lt/hr capacity including bore well for drinking water to the Village villages as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine.

- f. The committee noted that complaint received from the Sri. S. Chinna Apparao against **M/s. AA Minerals** mine raising concerns related to nearby habitations, the cashew factory, blasting activities, and crop damages.
- g. Upon examination of the complaint, the Committee observed the following:
- h. A village is located at a distance of approximately **720 meters** from the mine lease area.
- i. **Jagan Anna Colony** is situated about **570 meters** away.
- j. A **cashew factory** exists at a distance of roughly **220 meters**.
- k. The mine lease area is surrounded by cashew and mango plantations.
- l. It was also noted that a stone crusher unit and an existing mine are present in the vicinity of the proposed mining site.
- m. In reference to the order of the Hon'ble National Green Tribunal (NGT) in O.A. No. 304/2019, the Committee clarified that the directive applies specifically to residential areas, public buildings, and inhabited sites, and is not applicable to industrial establishments such as factories.
- n. Furthermore, the committee directed the Project Proponent (PP) to implement controlled blasting techniques and the wet jacket drilling method in order to minimize dust generation and reduce disturbances to the surrounding environment.
- o. The Committee further observed that the proposed mine is situated on the northern slope of a hillock. To mitigate potential environmental impacts, particularly surface runoff, the Committee directed the Project Proponent (PP) to construct a trench with a rocky bund on the northern side of the lease area.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OM's and detailed deliberations, **recommended SEIAA to issue Environmental Clearance for the mining of Road Metal,**


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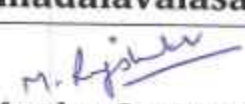


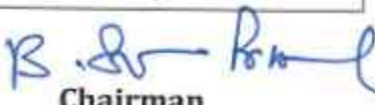
Building Stone - 112501 m³/annum & Gravel - 12500 m³/annum over a period of 07 years, covering an area of 2.50 hectares, in favour of **M/s. AA Minerals, at Sy No. 339, Gudiwada Village, Ravikamatham Mandal, Anakapalli District, Andhra Pradesh.** The recommendation is subject to the following additional conditions:

1. The project proponent shall use wet jacket drilling method.
2. The project proponent shall adopt control blasting techniques
3. The project proponent shall comply with the proposals furnished in the Environmental management plan.
4. The project proponent shall develop greenbelt along approach roads & village Roads.
5. The project proponent shall maintain 7.5mt greenbelt in buffer zone and existing buffer zone plantation should not be disturbed.
6. The proponent shall take dust suppression measures to meet the CPCB stipulated ambient air quality standards at any point of time.
7. The proponent shall carryout suppression of dust generated due to transport vehicles by continuous water spraying using tankers.
8. The vehicles carrying the mines material shall be covered with tarpaulin during vehicular movement.
9. The project proponent shall not use village road/ canal bund roads for mineral transportation purpose.
10. The project proponent shall restrict vehicles movement during the peak hours to avoid accidents.
11. The project proponent shall restrict the load of the transport vehicles not more than 21 tons to avoid road damages and dust nuisance to surroundings.
12. The PP shall complete the entire greenbelt development within the first year itself and ensure its maintenance throughout the lease period.
13. The project proponent shall provide trench with rocky bund towards Northern side to prevent surface runoff.

**Agenda
Item:
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1.384 Ha Colour Granite of M/s. Pallava Granites Industries India Pvt. Ltd., at Sy No. 80/3, Appapuram Village, Regidi Amadalavalasa Mandal, Srikakulam District, Andhra


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SIA/AP/ MIN/550 664/202 5	The proposed project is for mining of Colour Granite in an area of 1.384 Ha. with a proposed production quantity of Colour Granite - 3466 m³/annum with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan. The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (≤ 250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease). The Authorized person of the project and their consultant, M/s. Team Labs and Consultants, Hyderabad., have attended the meeting and presented their proposal. The SEAC Committee noted that: - The SEIAA, A.P., vide order dt. 10.07.2013 issued Environmental Clearance to subject mine for mining of Colour granite -787 m³/annum. This order is valid up to the life of 20 years or expiry date of mine lease period issued by the Government of A.P., whichever is earlier. - The SEIAA, A.P., vide order dt. 17.09.2019 issued Expansion of Environmental Clearance to subject mine for mining of 3,466 m³/annum for a period upto 1.27 years. - The SEIAA, A.P., vide order dt. 13.06.2020 issued Corrigendum to Environmental Clearance order dt. 17.09.2019 to subject mine and the same is valid for a period upto 6.37 years - The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of Vizianagaram District and the mineral details available at Page No 74 of DSR Report. - The Department of Mines and Geology issued work order dt. 28.05.2010 for a period of 20 years. - The Committee noted that as per the cluster letter dt 03.09.2025 issued by the Department of Mines & Geology, there are 02 existing quarry leases within the radius of 500 mtrs area. The total cluster area is < 5.0 Ha. - As per the approved mining plan dt. 17.04.2025, the total available mineral reserves are 28,296 m³ and the Life of the


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mine is 13 years.

- h. The committee observed that the Project Proponent (PP) had dumped granite waste both within and outside the mining lease area, and noted that not identified dumping site for granite waste in the approved mining plan.
- i. The Project Proponent (PP) failed to submit the production details and did not provide specific proposals under the Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) plan.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, **recommended to raise ADS for following:**

1. The Project Proponent (PP) shall submit a revised mining plan that includes a clearly designated site for granite waste dumping, as part of the approved plan.
2. The Project Proponent (PP) shall provide the production details and specific Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) proposals within the Environmental Management Plan (EMP).

Agenda Item: 273.16

5.920 Ha Black Granite of M/s. Nagamani Granites in Comp. No. 218 of Veerasettipalli R.F., Chittoor West Division, Yadamari Mandal, Chittoor District, Andhra Pradesh - TOR - Reg.

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The proposed project is for mining of **Black Granite** in an area of **5.920 Ha** with a proposed production quantity of **Black Granite - 4067 m³/annum** with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.

The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (≤ 250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).

The project proponent and their consultant, M/s. SV Enviro Labs & Research Private Limited, have attended the meeting and presented their proposal. The SEAC Committee noted that:

- a. The SEIAA, A.P vide order dt.01.05.2017 issued


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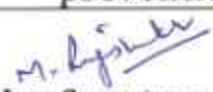


Environmental clearance order for mining of Black Granite-510 Cum/Annum and the same is valid for 20 years or the expiry date of mine lease period issued by the Government of A.P., whichever is earlier.

- b. The subject mine is located within Reserve Forest and the PP obtained Stage-I & Stage-II forest clearance.
- c. The EFS&T Department, Go,A.P vide GO MS No.75 dt.08.11.2017 accorded permission in favour of **M/s. Nagamani Granites.**
- d. The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of Chittoor District and the mineral details available at Page No 60 of DSR Report.
- e. The Department of Mines & Geology, Ibrahimpatnam vide letter dt. 29.07.2025 issued 1st renewal letter of Intent (LOI) to the subject mine for a period of 20 years subject to submission of approved Mining Plan, EC and CFE within a period of 02 years from the date of issue of LoI and also obtained Errata to LoI on 19.08.2025 for 5.92 Ha.
- f. As per the cluster letter dt. 04.09.2025 issued by the Divisional Mines &Geology Officer, there is one existing quarry lease within the radius of 500 mtrs area. The total applicable cluster area is > 5.0 Ha.
- g. As per the approved mining plan dt. 28.08.2025, the total provided mineral reserves are 1,30,712 m³ and the Life of the mine is 22 years.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OM's and detailed deliberations, recommended **to issue of Standard Terms of Reference with Public Hearing** for the mining of **Black Granite - 4067 m³/annum** over a period of 22 years, covering an area of **5.920 hectares**, in favour of **M/s. Nagamani Granites in Comp. No. 218 of Veerasettipalli R.F., Chittoor West Division, Yadamari Mandal, Chittoor District, Andhra Pradesh.** The recommendation is subject to the following additional conditions:

1. The project proponent shall prepare cluster EIA & EMP.
2. The project proponent shall submit surface runoff prevention measures plan and shall estimate the


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	construction cost for the proposed trench along with detailed drawing. 3. The project proponent shall prepare a detailed plantation plan including no. of species and type of species and area of land allocated for greenbelt. 4. The project proponent shall prepare tree enumeration plan. 5. The project proponent shall submit afforestation plan. 6. The project proponent shall submit production details.
Agenda Item: 273.17	20.242 Ha Quartzite and Silica Sand of M/s. Abhishek Minerals, at Sy No. 288/P of Kethavaram Village, Orvakal Mandal, Kurnool District, Andhra Pradesh - Expansion EC - Reg.
SIA/AP/ MIN/550 305/202 5	The proposed project is for mining of Quartzite and Silica Sand in an area of 20.242 Ha. with a proposed production quantity of Quartzite and Silica Sand – 4,27,050 TPA with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan. The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (≤ 250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease). The project proponent and their consultant, M/s. AmplEnviron Pvt Ltd, Hyderabad have attended the meeting and presented their proposal. The SEAC Committee noted that: - The SEIAA, A.P vide order dt.22.06.2010 issued EC order for mining of Silica sand & Quartzite-9196 TPA. This order is valid upto 31.07.2029. - The Department of Mines and Geology, vide order dt.17.03.2023 issued renewal work order for a period upto 23.02.2034. - As per the approved mining plan dt. 26.08.2023, the total available mineral reserves are 1,47,25,202 m³ and the Life of the mine is 34 years. - The project proponent has obtained Standard TOR with public hearing letter on 23.02.2025 and public hearing was held on 06.05.2025. - Issues raised in PH: Blasting issues, Crop damages, Road

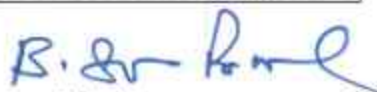

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	damages, grazing, dust nuisances, historical rocks are the specific issues raised during the PH. f. The base line data was collected from Oct,24 to Dec,24 and the predominant wind direction is observed to be East to West. The maximum concentration of SPM(PM10) is observed to be 70.3 µg/m³ at mine site. The incremental concentration for individual mine is 4.35 µg/m³ and GLC of SPM will fall within the unit. g. The project proponent informed that they have allocated Rs. 22.0 Lakhs as capital cost and Rs. 8.16 as a recurring cost budget for the EMP. The industry volunteered to provide Toilets, Furniture to School, Water treatment plant, medical camps & stitching training to Kethavaram Village & Kanamadakala Village as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the unit. The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & Oms, EIA report, PH minutes and detailed deliberations, Recommended to raise ADS for submission of detailed plantation plan including No. of species and type of species and area of land allocated for green belt.
Agenda Item: 273.18	1.953 Ha Road Metal, Ballast and Building Stone of Sri Ippili Venkata Ravi, at Sy No.379/P, Thotavada Village, Burja Mandal, Srikakulam District, Andhra Pradesh- EC - Reg.
SIA/AP/ MIN/550 660/202 5	The proposed project is for mining of Road Metal, Ballast and Building Stone in an area of 1.953 Ha. with a proposed production quantity of Road Metal, Ballast and Building Stone - 30,240 m³/annum with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan. The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (≤250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease). The project proponent and their consultant, M/s. Hubert Enviro Care Systems Pvt Ltd, Chennai., have attended the meeting and


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presented their proposal. The SEAC Committee noted that:

- a. The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of Srikakulam District and the mineral details available at Page No 77 of DSR Report.
- b. The Department of Mines and Geology issued letter of Intent (LOI) vide order dt. 01.08.2025 for a period of 15 years subject to submission of Approved Mining Plan, EC and CFE within a period upto 02 years from date of issue of LoI.
- c. The Committee noted that as per the cluster letter dt 20.08.2025 issued by the Department of Mines & Geology, there is no existing quarry leases within the radius of 500 mtrs area. The total cluster area is < 5.0 Ha.
- d. As per the approved mining plan dt. 19.08.2025, the total available mineral reserves are 5,56,996 m³ and the Life of the mine is 18 years.
- e. The committee noted that subject mine lease area is existing slope of the hillock. Hence, committee directed PP to provide trenches towards Western and Southern Sides to prevent surface runoff.
- f. The committee observed working in the mine lease area and outside the mine lease area. Hence, committee directed the PP to submit clarification letter and action taken letter from the Department of Mines and Geology.
- g. The project proponent informed that they have allocated Rs. 7.0 Lakhs as capital cost and Rs. 7.25 Lakhs as a recurring cost budget for the EMP. The proponent volunteered to provide will establish a RO plant of 1000 lt/hr capacity including bore well for drinking water to the Village. villages as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, **recommended to raise ADS for submission of following:**

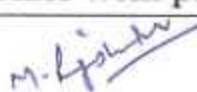
The project proponent shall submit action taken & clarification letter from the Mining Department on existing pits inside and outside the area.


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Agenda Item: 273.19	Surrender of EC issued for the Expansion of Cement Grinding unit of M/s. Andhra Cements Limited, Sri Durganagar, Vishakapatnam District, Andhra Pradesh - EC - Reg.
SIA/AP/I ND1/549 254/202 5	The project proponent and also their consultant have not attended the meeting, and the committee recommend to defer as the PP not attended the meeting.
Agenda Item: 273.20	Proposed to establish Bulk Drugs & Drug Intermediates and Speciality Chemicals manufacturing unit by M/s. Sigachi Industries Limited at Plot No.: A- 10, Sy. No.: 303, Industrial Park at Guttapadu - Orvakal Node, Guttapadu Village, Orvakal Mandal, Kurnool District, Andhra Pradesh - EC - Reg.
SIA/AP/I ND3/550 961/202 5	The Proposal for Bulk Drugs & Drug Intermediates and Speciality Chemicals manufacturing by M/s. Sigachi Industries Limited with production capacity of 465.83 TPM in an area of 25.09 Acre (101541.91 Sqm) located at Plot No.: A- 10, Sy. No.: 303, Industrial Park at Guttapadu - Orvakal Node, Guttapadu Village, Orvakal Mandal, Kurnool District and a project cost of Rs. 285.0 crores The proposed project falls under Item 5(f) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006- Synthetic organic chemicals industry (dyes and dye intermediates; bulk drugs and intermediates excluding drug and intermediates excluding drug formulations; synthetic rubbers; basic organic chemicals, other synthetic organic chemicals and chemical intermediates). The representative of the project and their consultant, M/s :Rightsource Industrial Solutions Private Limited have attended the meeting and presented their proposal. The SEAC Committee noted that: a. The M/s. Sigachi Industries Limited proposed to establish Bulk Drugs & Drug Intermediates and Speciality Chemicals manufacturing unit situated at Plot No.: A-10, Sy. No.: 303, Industrial Park at Guttapadu - Orvakal Node, Guttapadu Village, Orvakal Mandal, Kurnool District, Andhra Pradesh State with production capacity of 465.83 TPM.


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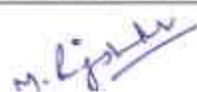
- b. The unit has acquired an extent of 25.09 acres at Plot No.: A-10, Sy. No.: 303, Industrial Park at Guttapadu - Orvakal Node, Guttapadu Village, Orvakal Mandal, Kurnool District.
- c. The Airport Authority of India (AAI), vide letter dt.11.07.2025 issued NoC.
- d. The APIIC, Zonal Manager, Kurnool vide letter dt. 26.06.2025 permission accorded for a water requirement of 2113.93 KLD for M/s. **Sigachi Industries Limited** unit.
- e. The total Water required for process, washings, boiler, cooling tower makeup, scrubbers, domestic purposes, and gardening. The total water requirement is 2113.93 KLD and 732.81 is recycled water. The total water will be met from APIIC water supply. The proponent proposed for ZLD system.
- f. The industry proposed to generate HTDS effluents (TDS $\geq$ 5000, COD $\geq$ 5000) to tune of 588.52 KLD and LTDS effluents (TDS < 5000, COD < 5000) to the tune of 314.68 KLD.
- g. The committee directed the project proponent to implement Zero Liquid Discharge (ZLD) system.
- h. THE PROPOSED TECHNICAL DETAILS OF THE ZLD SYSTEM ARE Stripper capacity: 750 KLD (250 KLD x 3 No's), MEE Capacity: 750 KLD (250 KLD x 3 No's with 5 Calandrias), ATFD Capacity: 300 KLD (75 KLD x 4 No), BTP Capacity: 1000 KLD & RO Capacity: 800 KLD, 400 KLD, 200 KLD & 100 KLD (4 Stage RO system).
- i. Effluent Storage tanks details: HTDS effluent storage tanks will be provided for 5 days 500 KL Capacity of 6 No's & LTDS effluent storage tanks will be provided for 5 days 500 KL capacity of 3 No's. & 100 KL capacity of 1 No.
- j. The treatment system for treating High TDS/ COD effluents consists of equalization, neutralization, flocculation tank, stripper, multiple effect evaporator (MEE) followed by agitated thin film dryer (ATFD).
- k. The low TDS effluents along with condensate from MEE & ATFD sent to biological effluent treatment plant followed by 4 stage RO system.
- l. Total wastewater sent to Zero liquid discharge Principe based effluent treatment plant and treated wastewater reused for utility makeup.
- m. The PP proposed install 1 x 30.0 TPH & 1 x 50.0 TPH Coal fired Boiler and 1 x 50.0 TPH (Stand-by) & Thermic Fluid


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	Heater- 1 x 10 Lakh K.Cal/Hr (Coal fired) and DG Sets- 1 x 325 kVA, 1 x 500 kVA & 1 x 1000 kVA and Cooling Towers: 3 x 500 TR & 5 x 1000 TR. n. The industry has proposed to install coal fired boilers to meet the steam requirement. The unit has proposed to provide APCE i.e., cyclone followed by bag filter to control flue gas emission from the boilers and also proposed to provide online emission monitoring system to boilers. o. The industry proposed to provide 3 stage scrubbers to all the process gasses. The industry has also proposed to provide STP of capacity 50 KLD to treat domestic wastewater. p. The SEIAA, A.P vide order dt. 14.05.2025 issued Standard TOR without Public hearing. q. The base line data was collected from March 2025 to May 2025 and the predominant wind direction is observed to be South east to North west. The maximum concentration of SPM(PM10) is observed to be 56.4 µg/m³. The incremental concentration for individual is 1.652 µg/m³ and GLC of SPM will fall within the unit. r. The project proponent informed that they have allocated Rs. 35.37 Crs as capital cost and Rs. 10.4 Crs as a recurring cost budget for the EMP. The industry volunteered to provide Rs 570.0 Lakhs to Development surrounding villages as part of CSR as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall develop till the life of the unit. s. "The committee noted that the project proponent has estimated the MEE salts value to be approximately 253 TPD, which is considered to be very high for HTDS effluents to be generated. Therefore, the committee recommended issuing an ADS (Additional Details Sought) for submission of a detailed report on the same. The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, EIA report, MoEF&CC Notifications, & OMs, MoEF&CC OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to raise ADS for submission of a detailed report on generation of MEE salts.
Agenda Item: 269.02	1.480 Ha Dolomite & Steatite of M/S Trimbakeshwar Minerals, at Sy Nos.430/P, 1251/D, 1251/E & 1251/F Kristipadu Village, Peddavaduguru Mandal, Anantapuramu


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SIA/AP/ MIN/429 640/202 3	Category: B2 at par with B1. The proposed project is for mining of Dolomite & Steatite in an area of 1.480 Ha with a proposed production capacity of Dolomite - 3489 TPA & Steatite- 3489 TPA with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan. The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (≤ 250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease). The proponent of the project and their consultant, M/s. Pragathi labs & Consultants have attended the meeting and presented the case. The SEAC committee noted that: - The project proponent has obtained Standard TOR with Public hearing on 31.03.2022. The public hearing was held on 21.09.2022. - The project proponent has submitted Forest NOC vide letter dt. 26.10.2021. - This proposal was earlier placed in 208th SEAC meeting and SEAC recommended to raise ADS for Modified mining plan as per NGT norms i.e mining will be carried out with Rock breakers. Accordingly, the project proponent furnished modified mining plan. - Meanwhile a compliant was received to the SEIAA on 24.08.2023 from Sri M. Ram Mohan stating that M/s Sri Trimbakeshwar Minerals have applied for EC in their land and requested not to issue Environmental clearance to the mine. - This proposal was placed in 227th SEAC meeting and then the SEAC noted that the complaint is regarding the ownership of the land for the proposal mine. During the course of meeting, the proponent has furnished pass book of the land propose for the mining activity and in that pass book Sy. No. 430/P is not mentioned. Hence, the committee recommended to raise ADS for submission of following: - The project proponent shall submit proper land


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documents as per the Sy. No mentioned in the Mining plan.

2. The project proponent shall submit a letter from Tahsildar regarding the owner ship of the land.

f. **Accordingly**, the project proponent submitted ADS reply on 13.05.2025 and again placed in 266th SEAC meeting and noted that:

➤ **The PP vide letter dt. 12.09.2023 submitted clarification letter issued by the Tahsildar, peddavaduguru.**

➤ The Committee observed that the Project Proponent (PP) has not carried ground-level concentration modeling and traffic impact studies. Hence, the committee directed the PP to conduct both ground-level concentration impact assessments and comprehensive traffic studies in accordance with MoEF&CC EIA terms of reference.

g. The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & Oms, EIA report, PH minutes and detailed deliberations, **Recommended to raise ADS for submission** of ground-level concentration impact assessments and comprehensive traffic studies in accordance with MoEF&CC EIA terms of reference.

h. **Accordingly**, the project proponent submitted ADS reply and again placed in 269th SEAC meeting and noted that

➤ The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of anathapuram District. The same is reviewed in the SEAC meeting and observed that the mineral details mentioned at Page No 67 of DSR Report.

➤ The Department of Mines and Geology issued Extension of letter of Intent (LOI) vide order dt. 17.03.2023 and the same is valid upto 21.12.2025.

➤ As per the approved mining plan dt. 29.04.2023 the total available mineral reserves are 365400 T. The Life of the mine is 52 years.

➤ The DFO, Anathapuram vide letter dt.26.10.2021 issued Forest NOC to the subject mine.

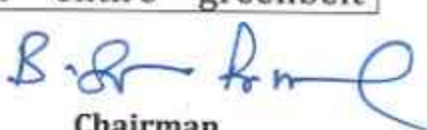
➤ The base line data was collected from Dec,21 to Feb 2022 and the predominant wind direction is observed to be East to West. The maximum concentration of



SPM(PM10) is observed to be 64 µg/m³. The incremental concentration for individual mine is 0.33 µg/m³ and GLC of SPM will fall within the unit.

- The project proponent informed that they have allocated Rs. 5.45 Lakhs as capital cost and Rs. 3.38 Lakhs as a recurring cost budget for the EMP. The proponent volunteered to provide water treatment plant & Medical facility to **Kristipadu** village as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine.
- i. The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended **for issue** of Environmental clearance for the mining **Dolomite - 3489 TPA & Steatite- 3489 TPA** over a period of 30 years, covering an area of **1.480** hectares, in favor of **M/s. Sri Trimbakeshwar Minerals at Sy No. 430 Part, 1251/D, 1251/E & 1251/F, Kristipadu Village, Peddavaduguru Mandal, Anantapur District**. The recommendation is subject to the following additional conditions:
1. The proponent shall comply with the proposals furnished in the Environmental management plan and EIA report.
 2. The project proponent shall develop greenbelt of 1km along approach roads & village Roadsides.
 3. The project proponent shall maintain 7.5mt greenbelt in buffer zone and existing buffer zone plantation should not be disturbed.
 4. The proponent shall take dust suppression measures to meet the CPCB stipulated ambient air quality standards at any point of time.
 5. The proponent shall carryout suppression of dust generated due to transport vehicles by continuous water spraying using tankers.
 6. The vehicles carrying the mines material shall be covered with tarpaulin during vehicular movement.
 7. The project proponent shall not use village road for mineral transportation purpose.
 8. The project proponent shall restrict vehicles movement during the peak hours to avoid accidents.
 9. The project proponent shall comply with the commitments made during public hearing.
 10. The PP shall complete the entire greenbelt


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development within the first year itself and ensure its maintenance throughout the lease period.

- j. The recommendations of SEAC was placed before the 269th SEIAA meeting and the decision of SEIAA is as follows:

The Authority observed that the SEAC raised ADS for submission of comprehensive traffic study. However, the reply furnished by the proponent was not mentioned in the minutes of 269th SEAC meeting. Hence, decided to refer the proposal to SEAC to furnish remarks on comprehensive traffic study.

- The project proponent has selected the Kondupalli-Kristipadu Road connecting to Gooty Road (SH-67) for traffic analysis. The current traffic volume on this stretch is 521 Passenger Car Units (PCU) per day. Following the commencement of mining operations, an additional 30 PCU/day is anticipated.

- This brings the total projected traffic volume to 551 PCU/day, which remains well below the IRC-specified threshold of 2,000 PCU/day. The resulting Volume-to-Capacity (V/C) ratio is 0.26, corresponding to a Level of Service (LOS) Category B. This indicates stable traffic conditions with minimal delays, allowing drivers to maneuver with ease and contributing to efficient and reliable travel.

The Committee after re-examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OM's and detailed deliberations, recommended **for issue** of Environmental clearance for the mining **Dolomite - 3489 TPA & Steatite- 3489 TPA** over a period of 30 years, covering an area of **1.480** hectares, in favor of **M/s. Sri Trimbakeshwar Minerals** at Sy No. 430 Part, 1251/D, 1251/E & 1251/F, **Kristipadu Village, Peddavaduguru Mandal, Anantapur District.**

Hence, committee reiterated that earlier meeting recommendations Hold's.


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