STATE ENVIRONMENT IMPACT ASSESSMENT AUTHORITY, ASSAM Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Government of India BAMUNIMAIDAM, GUWAHATI 781021, ASSAM

Minutes of the 8th Meeting of the SEIAA, Assam held on 01/12/2020

The 8th Meeting of the SEIAA, Assam was held at the SEIAA office on 01/12/2020 at 3.00 a.m.

The following Members were present

- Sri Pradyut Kumar Choudhury, Chairman, SEIAA, Assam.
- Smti. Madhurima Baruah (Sen), IAS, Secretary, Environment and Forest Department, Govt. of Assam and Member Secretary, SEIAA, Assam.
- Dr. Hari Prasad Sarma, Member, SEIAA, Assam.

Sri Pradyut Kumar Choudhury, Chairman, SEIAA, Assam presided over the meeting.

Agenda Item 1.

Actions on the recommendations of 6th meeting of the SEAC held on 31st October, 2020.

1. EC for collection of Ordinary Earth from "Nawjan Habi Gaon" under Dibrugarh Forest Dvn Sri Jugal Kishor Mahanta. SEIAA.1097/2020 (SIA/AS/MIS/127116/2019)

SEAC Resolution 10/2:

The proposal submitted by Sri Jugal Kishor Mahanta for extraction of Ordinary Earth from "Nawjan Habi Gaon Ordinary Earth MPA" under Dibrugarh Forest Division is deliberated in the SEAC meeting. The committee after due deliberation approved the proposal for extraction of 7244 Cu.M. of ordinary earth in two (2) years period from the proposed site following all the terms & condition laid down in the approved Mining Plan. Annual quantity of the mining mineral to be extracted is approved 3622 Cu.M.

The DFO, Dibrugarh Division will ensure regular monitoring of the mining operation to avoid occurrence of irregularities.

SEIAA Resolution 8/1:

Approved for issuance of EC.

2. EC for collection of Brick Earth from Gova Brick Earth Permit Area" under Nagaon Forest Dvn. by Lucky Srivastava (J.R.N. Bricks). SEIAA.1245/2020 (SIA/AS/MIN/138134/2020)

SEAC Resolution 10/3:

The SEAC deliberated the project proposal submitted by Lucky Srivastava on behalf of JRN Bricks to extract brick earth from Gova Brick Earth Permit Area under Nogoan Forest Division. On thorough discussion, the committee approved the project proposal for issuance of EC to extract 4000 Cu.M of Brick Earth from the proposed 0.9 Ha. area in two years strictly following all the terms & condition laid down in the approved Mining Plan. Annual quantity of brick Earth to be extracted is approved 2000 Cu.M.

The DFO Nagaon Division will ensure regular monitoring of the mining operation to check occurrence of irregularities.

SEIAA Resolution 8/2:

Approved for issuance of EC.

Smti Madhurima Baruah (Sen), IAS, Secretary, Env & Forest, Assam and Member Secretary, SEIAA, Assam. Dr. Hari Prasad Sarma, Member, SEIAA, Assam

EC for collection of Brick Earth from "D.B. Brick Field Brick Earth Permit Area" under 3. Dibrugarh Forest Dvn by Sri Jibon Borah (M/s D.B. Brick Field).SEIAA.1262/2020 (Proposal no. SIA/AS/MIS/ 135051/2020)

SEAC Resolution 10/4:

The project proposal submitted by Sri Jiban Borah, Prop M/S D.B bricks field requesting for ECto extract brick earth from 0.75 Ha mining area in "DB Bricks field brick earth permit area" under Dibrugarh Division is discussed in the meeting. The committee after scrutiny of the documents and due deliberation approved the project for issuance of EC against extraction of 13388 Cu.M of brick earth in two (2) years period strictly following all the terms & condition laid down in the approved Mining Plan. The annual extraction quantity of brick earth is approved 6694 Cu.m.

The DFO, Dibrugarh Division will ensure regular monitoring of the mining operation to avoid scope of irregularities during the mining process.

SEIAA Resolution 8/3:

Approved for issuance of EC.

EC for proposal of Drilling of Expletory wells (3 nos.) from the CP well KHE in the Forest area 4. of the Number ML Block, Dist: Golaghat, Assam under Golaghat Forest Dvn by Oil & Natural Gas Co. Ltd (ONGC). SEIAA.1330/2020 (Proposal No. SIA/AS/MIS/165614/2020)

SEAC Resolution 10/7:

The project proposal submitted by the ONGC for drilling of expletory wells (3nos) from CP well KHF in Nambar Forest Division ML block under Golaghat Forest Division is discussed in the meeting. Prior to discussion the P.P has given a physical presentation elaborating the proposed project activities.

After due discussion, it is resolved in the meeting that EC may be issued for drilling the KHBL well only (1 No.) subject to furnish the following documents within 10 days of issuance of EC. The P.P has to furnish the documents in the office of the SEIAA, Assam. taking acknowledgement of the same. The required documents are Relief map of the site in 1:50000 scale.

- 1) Land use map in 1:50,000 scale of (1) K.M radius against each well. The source satellite image for land use mapping must not be older than three months from the date of application.
- 2) Land acquisition documents of both Govt. Land as well as private land.
- 3) Exact GPS locations of the proposed well site.
- 4) Necessary lease documents.

SEIAA Resolution 8/4:

Approved for issuance of EC (Drill's KHBL well only) as per SEAC condition with addl. **Conditions**

Land documents for the selected well should be furnished. For other conditions as above, the same should be furnished within permissible time.

As regards, other two wells field visit by expert members shall be carried out at a convenient date.

Smti Madhurima Barnah (Sen), IAS, Secretary, Env & Forest, Assam and Member Secretary, SEIAA, Assam.

Dr. Hari Prasad Sarma, Member, SEIAA, Assam

EC for collection of Ordinary Earth from Govt Khas Land at Chagalkhuti Village under Aie Vally 5. Dvn by M/S DCC, Babul Nath (JV). SEIAA.1411/2020 (Proposal No. SIA/AS/MIN/17065/2020)

SEAC Resolution 10/8:

The project proposal submitted by Sri Babul Nath on behalf of M/s DCC (JV) for extraction of ordinary earth from 0.395 Ha mining area in Govt Khas Land at Chagalkhuti Village under Aie Valley Division has been discussed in the meeting. On scrutiny of the records and after due deliberation the committee approved the project for extraction of 12,850 cu.m. of ordinary earth in two (2) years period from the proposed location strictly following all the terms and conditions laid down in the approved mining plan. It is also approved the annual extraction quantity of ordinary earth 6425 cum.

The DFO, Aie Valley Division will ensure strict monitoring of the mining operation to avoid scope of occurrence of irregularities during the mining period.

SEIAA Resolution 8/5:

Approved for issuance of EC.

EC for Collection of Sand from "Kopili River MCA" under Hamren Forest Dvn by Bhartia Infra 6. Project Ltd. SEIAA.1426/2020 (Proposal no. SIA/AS/MIS/178592/2020)

SEAC Resolution 10/9:

The Project Proposal submitted by Bhartia Infra Projects Ltd requesting to extract Sand from 1.99 Ha mining area in Kapili River MCA under Hamren Forest Dvn, Karbi Anglong is placed before the committee and deliberated accordingly. On scrutiny and due discussion, the committee approved the project for issuance of EC to extract 5000 cum of Sand in two years period. The annual extractable quantity is approved 2500 cum. The P.P. has to strictly follow all the terms and conditions laid down in the approved Mining Plan.

The DFO, Hamren Forest Division will ensure strict monitoring of the mining operation to avoid scope of occurrences of any irregularities.

SEIAA Resolution 8/6:

Approved for issuance of EC.

7. EC for extraction of Stone from "1.0 Ha Mandakata stone MPA" under N.K Division by M/S S.P Singla Construction Pvt. Ltd SEIAA.1452/2020 (Proposal no. SIA/AS/MIS/181337/2020)

SEAC Resolution 9/10:

The SEAC deliberated on the Project Proposal submitted by M/s S.P.Singla Construction Pvt. Ltd to extract stone from 1.0 Ha mining area in Mandakata stone MPA under N K division. On deliberation and after due scrutiny the committee approved the project for issuance of E.C. to extract 1,00,000 cu.m of Stone from the proposed location in two (2) years period. The annual extractable quantity of stone is approved 50,000 cu.m. The P.P. has to strictly follow all the terms & conditions laid down in the approved Mining Plan.

The DFO, N.K. Forest Division is asked to ensure regular monitoring of the mining operation to avoid scope of occurrences of irregularities.

SEIAA Resolution 8/7:

Approved for issuance of EC as per SEAC conditions.

Smti Madhurima Baruah (Sen), IAS, Secretary, Env & Forest, Assam and Member Secretary, SEIAA, Assam.

Dr. Hari Prasad Sarma, Member, SEIAA, Assam

8. EC for collection of Stone from Langkhang N.C. P.P. Land Stone M.C.A. under KarbiAnglong East Dvn, Diphu by Pradip Timung. SEIAA.1446/2020 (*Proposal no. SIA/AS/MIS/181473/2020*)

SEAC Resolution 10/11:

The Project Proposal submitted by Sri Pradip Terang requesting to extract Stone from 2.67 Ha mining area in Langkhang N.C. P.P. land Stone M.C.Area under Karbi Anglong, Assam is placed before the SEAC for discussion. On Scrutiny of the project documents and after due deliberation, the committee approved the project to issue E.C. for extraction of 30,999 cu.m. of Stone from the proposed location in three years period. The annual extractable quantity of stone is approved 10,333 cu.m. The P.P. has to strictly follow all the terms & conditions laid down in the approved Mining Plan while operating the mine.

The DFO, Karbi Anglong East Division will ensure strict monitoring of the mining operation to avoid scope of occurrences of irregularities.

SEIAA Resolution 8/8:

Approved for issuance of EC.

9. EC for Collection of Sand From "Janjhi River Sand MPA" under Sivasagar Division by Sri Abdul Ahed. SEIAA.1444/2020 (Proposal no. SIA/AS/MIS/181174/2020)
SEAC Resolution 10/12:

The Project proposal submitted by Abdul Ahed asking EC for extraction of Sand from 0.23 ha mining area in Janji River Sand MPA under Sivsagar Division is deliberated in the meeting. After due discussion the project is approved to issue EC for extraction of 690 Cu.M of sand from the proposed location in 1(one) year time. The P.P has to strictly follow all the terms & condition laid down in the approved Mining Plan.

The DFO Sivsagar will ensure regular monitoring of the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period.

SEIAA Resolution 8/9:

Approved for issuance of EC as per SEAC conditions.

10. Extension of EC for collection of stone & Ordinary sand from "Darranga River MCA-5" under Baksa Forest division by Sri Lorence Mushahary. SEIAA1434/2020(Proposal No.SIA/AS/MIS/178988/2020)

SEAC Resolution 10/13:

The project proposal submitted by Sri Lorence Mushahary requesting to extend the validity of the EC issued by SEIAA dt 30th April 2016 for another two years to extract stone and sand from the Darranga River MCA-5 under Baksa Division is placed before the committee for discussion. On scrutiny of the records and after due discussion the committee approved the project to issue EC for two (2) year to extract 2600 Cu.M of stone and 2000 Cu.M of ordinary Sand strictly following the terms and condition laid down in the approved Mining Plan. It is also approved to extract 1300 Cu.M of stone and 1000 Cu.M of ordinary sand per year from the proposed mining site.

The DFO Baksa Division is requested to ensure regular monitoring of the mining operation to avoid scope of occurrences irregularities during the mining process.

SEIAA Resolution 8/10:

Approved for issuance of EC as per SEAC conditions.

Smti Madhurima Baruah (Sen), IAS, Secretary, Env & Forest, Assam and Member Secretary, SEIAA, Assam. Dr. Hari Prasad Sarma, Member, SEIAA, Assam

Extension of EC for extraction of Ordinary clay from "Kharghuli WTP Stone MPA" located 11. Kharghuli" under Kamrup East Division by JICA Assisted GWSP.SEIAA 987/2019 SEAC Resolution 10/16:

The project proposal submitted by the Project Director, JICA assisted GWSP to extend the Validity of the EC issued dt 28/08/2020 for extraction of balance 8700 Cu.M of stone is placed before the committee for discussion. The committee after due consideration approved the project proposal to issue EC for extraction of balance quantity 8700 Cu.M stone with validity till Sept,2021 as requested by the project Director.

The P.P has to ensure that all the term and condition laid down in the approved mining Plan are strictly follows during the time of mining operation.

SEIAA Resolution 8/11:

Approved for issuance of EC.

There being no other matter to be discussed, the meeting came to an end with a vote of thanks from the Chair.

(Sri Pradyut Kuamr Choudhury)

Chairman, SEIAA, Assam

Smti Madhurima Baruah (Sen), IAS, Secretary, Env & Forest, Assam and Member Secretary, SEIAA, Assam.

Dr. Hari Prasad Sarma,

Member, SEIAA, Assam