



**MINUTES of 279<sup>th</sup> Day-1 MEETING OF STATE LEVEL ENVIRONMENT IMPACT ASSESSMENT AUTHORITY (SEIAA) A.P., MEETING HELD ON 05.01.2026 AT VIJAYAWADA A.P.**

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**Present:**

**The following members were present. (Through Hybrid Mode Conference)**

1.	Shri Bandla Siva Sankar Prasad, I.F.S, (Retired).	Chairman
2.	Dr. Muduru Srimurali Professor of Civil Engineering, Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati.	Member
3.	S. Sri Saravanan, I.F.S Special Secretary to Govt., Environment, Forests, Sciences and Technology Department, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh & Member Secretary, SEIAA, A.P.	Member Secretary

279.01 279.01	0.279 Hectares for Road Metal of M/s. P.U.S. Stone Crusher, at Sy.No. 155/A1, plot No.9(P) of Chinapalalalur Village, Guntur Rural Mandal, Guntur District, Andhra Pradesh - Environmental Clearance -Reg. SIA/AP/MIN/527105/2025
	<p>Recommendations of SEAC on 16.12.2025</p> <p>The project is for mining of Road Metal in an area of 0.279 Ha, with a proposed production quantity of Road Metal – 10,976 m<sup>3</sup>/annum with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.</p> <p>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 (<math>\leq</math>250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).</p> <p>The Authorized person of the project and their consultant M/s. Ecomen Mining Pvt. Ltd., have attended the meeting and presented the proposal. The SEAC committee noted that:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Now the project proponent applied for Re-appraisal of Environmental clearance issued by the DEIAA and also submitted Intimation ID No. 27/DEIAA/AP/GNT/16/506/2016/178677 issued by the SEIAA, A.P.</li> <li>b. The committee noted this is an existing mine lease and the DEIAA, Guntur issued Environmental clearance on 21.10.2016 to the subject mine for mining for Road Metal – 10,976 m<sup>3</sup>/annum. This order is valid for a period of 10 years or the expiry date of mine lease period issued by the Government of A.P i.e, whichever is earlier.</li> <li>c. The Department of Mines and Geology vide letter dt. 23.06.2016 issued work order to the subject mine and the same was valid upto 06.03.2023.</li> <li>d. The committee noted that work issued by the Department of Mines and Geology was expired on 06.03.2023. Hence, the committee directed the project proponent to submit Extension of work order from the Department of Mines and Geology.</li> <li>e. This proposal was placed in 255<sup>th</sup> SEAC meeting and then the Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&amp;CC Notifications &amp; OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to raise the ADS for submission of extension of work order from the Department of Mines and Geology.</li> <li>f. Again, this proposal was placed in 279<sup>th</sup> SEAC meeting and</li> </ol>

	<p>committee noted that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Dy. Director of Mines and Geology, Guntur vide letter dt.14.11.2025 issued Grant order for 15 years w.e.f 07.03.2023.</li> <li>g. The Committee noted that as per the cluster letter dt 04.02.2025 issued by the Department of Mines &amp; Geology, there are 38 existing quarry leases within the radius of 500 mtrs area. The total cluster area is &lt; 25 Ha.</li> <li>h. As per the approved Mining Plan dated 17.09.2025, the production during the years 2017–2018 and 2018–2019 exceeded the quantity permitted under the Environmental Clearance (EC) order dated 21.10.2016. Hence, the Committee has recommended rejection of the proposal.</li> </ul> <p>The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&amp;CC Notifications &amp; OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended <b>SEIAA to reject the Re-appraisal EC.</b></p> <p><b>Decision of SEIAA:-</b> Refer to the SEAC to re-examine the proposal, duly verifying the letter dt.27.01.2025 issued by the District Mines &amp; Geology officer, Guntur, regarding the Dispatch particulars.</p>
279.09 279.02	40.486 Ha Silica Sand & Quartzite of Sri. K.E. Harish at Sy. No. 288/P of Kethavaram Village, Orvakal Mandal, Kurnool District, Andhra Pradesh - TOR Expansion– Reg. SIA/AP/MIN/452631/2025
	<p>Recommendations of SEAC on 16.12.2025</p> <p>The project is enhancement of mining of Silica Sand &amp; Quartzite in an area of 40.486 Ha. with a proposed production quantity of Silica Sand &amp; Quartzite from 17,807 TPA to 3,63,187 TPA. with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.</p> <p>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 (<math>\leq</math>250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).</p> <p>The project proponent and their consultant, M/s. SV Enviro Labs &amp; Consultants have attended the meeting and presented their proposal. The SEAC Committee noted that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of Kurnool District. The same is reviewed in the SEAC meeting and observed that the cluster lease details mentioned at Page</li> </ul>

- No.102 of DSR Report.
- b. The SEIAA, A.P., vide order dt. 05.03.2011 issued Environmental Clearance to Sri B. Srinivasulu, at Sy.No. 288, Kethavaram (V), Orvakallu (M), Kurnool District, for mining of Silica Sand & Quartzite – 17,807 TPA and which is valid for 20.0 years. Subsequently the SEIAA, A.P., vide order dt. 05.09.2022 issued Transfer of Environmental Clearance in favour of Sri K.E. Harish.
  - c. Now the project proponent has applied for TOR for expansion of production quantity of Silica Sand & Quartzite from 17,807 TPA to 3,63,187 TPA.
  - d. The Department of Mines and Geology vide order dt. 09.11.2020 issued Transfer of quarry lease order in favour of Sri K.E. Harish for a period upto 22.01.2032.
  - e. The Committee noted that as per the cluster letter dated: 14.08.2023 issued by the District Mines & Geology Officer, Kurnool, there are 04 existing quarry leases within the radius of 500 mtrs area. The total cluster area is > 5.0 Ha.
  - f. As per the approved mining plan dt. 18.02.2022, the total provided mineral reserves are 2,55,59,852 T. The proponent proposed to excavate mineral from 17,807 TPA to 3,63,187 TPA. The Life of the mine is 70.0 years.
  - g. The Joint Director, MoEF&CC, Vijayawada, vide report dt. 27.10.2023 communicated the issued certified compliance report (CCR) of the subject mine to the SEIAA and following non compliances/violations were reported by the IRO:
    - i. It is required to develop greenbelt of which 10.0 m shall be developed along the boundary of mining Lease area, with tall growing trees, the native species in consultation with the Local DFO/Agriculture Department. The density of the tress should be around 2000 plants per ha. (A. Air Pollution Condition No. iii; Partially complied).
    - ii. It is required to monitor all environmental parameters viz., Ambient Air Quality (AAQ), Work Zone Emissions, Noise levels, Water Quality, etc by MoEFCC/NABL accredited laboratory on monthly basis and the monitoring reports to be submitted along with six monthly compliance reports to this Office by E-mail (eccompliance-ap@gov.in). It requires immediate action. (A. Air Pollution Condition No. iv, vii, viii & General Condition No. v ; Partially complied).
    - iii. It is required to construct garland drain and siltation ponds of

- appropriate size for the working pit to arrest flow of silt and sediment. The water so collected should be utilized for watering the mine area, roads, green belt development etc. The drains should be regularly desilted, particularly after monsoon, and maintained properly. (B. Water Pollution Condition No. ii; Partially complied).
- iv. It is required to monitor ground water level and quality by establishing a network of existing wells in and around project area in consultation with Regional Director, CGWB, southern Region, Hyderabad. Data thus collected should be sent at regular interval to MoEF, CGWA and CGWB, Southern, Region, Hyderabad. The monitoring reports to be submitted along with six monthly compliance reports to this Office by E-mail (ecompliance-ap@gov.in). It requires immediate action. (B. Water Pollution Condition No. iii; Not complied).
- v. It is required to provide the copy of Consent for Establishment (CFE) to this Office for records. (General Condition No. ii; Partially complied).
- vi. It is required to submit the six-monthly compliance reports in respect of the terms and conditions stipulated in Environmental Clearance along with all monitoring reports on regular basis to this Office by 1st June (for the period October-March) and 1st December (for the period April-September) of each calendar year by E-mail (ecompliance-ap@gov.in). It is also required to upload the same in the website of the project and updated periodically. It requires immediate action. (General Condition No. iv, vi; Partially complied).
- vii. It is required to set up a separate environmental management cell with suitable qualified personnel under the control of a Senior Executive, who will report directly to the Head of the Organization. (General Condition No. x; Partially complied).
- viii. It is required to submit the year wise expenditure statement on environmental protection measures this Office on regular basis. (General Condition No. xi; Partially complied).
- ix. It is required to provide the copies newspaper advertisements regarding grant of EC to the project. (General Condition No. xv; Partially complied).
- x. It is required to submit the copy of Public Liability Insurance as per Public Liability Insurance Act, 1991 for records. (General Condition No. xxii; Partially complied).
- a. The IRO recommended that "*Letter issued to Project Authorities for taking corrective measures and requested for submission of Action Taken Report against the non-compliances observed for issue of final certified report*".
- b. This proposal was placed in 241<sup>st</sup> SEAC meeting and then the Committee after examining the project proposals,

	<p>presentations, MoEF&amp;CC Notifications &amp; OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to raise ADS <i>for submission of final certified compliance report</i> from Joint Director, MoEF&amp;CC, Gol Vijayawada for taking further course of action.</p> <p>c. Now the project proponent submitted ADS reply with latest CCR report and the committee noted that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Joint Director, MoEF&amp;CC, Vijayawada, vide report dt. 15.10.2025 communicated the issued certified compliance report (CCR) of the subject mine to the SEIAA, A.P. The committee noted that PP is being complying the conditions.</li> </ul> <p>The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&amp;CC Notifications &amp; OMs and detailed deliberations, <b>recommended to issue of Standard Terms of Reference with Public Hearing for the mining of Enhancement of production capacity of Silica Sand &amp; Quartzite from 17,807 TPA to 3,63,187 TPA</b> covering an area of 40.486 hectares, in favour of Sri. K.E. Harish at Sy. No. 288/P of Kethavaram Village, Orvakal Mandal, Kurnool District, Andhra Pradesh. The recommendation is subject to the following additional conditions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The project proponent shall prepare EIA &amp; EMP.</li> <li>2. The project proponent shall submit surface runoff prevention measures plan and shall estimate the construction cost for the proposed trench along with detailed drawing.</li> <li>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.</li> <li>4. The project proponent shall submit a approach road &amp; mineral transportation plan.</li> <li>5. The project proponent shall plant 1,000 saplings and submit photographic evidence of the same at the time of applying for Environmental Clearance (EC).</li> <li>6. The project proponent shall submit production details letter.</li> </ol> <p><b>Decision of SEIAA:-</b> Agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC <b>to issue the Standard Terms of Reference with Public hearing for Expansion.</b></p>
279.10 279.03	Development of Industrial Park in Kopporthy Over an extent of 1185.98Acres (479.95Ha) Andhra Pradesh Industrial Infrastructure Corporation (APIIC) Kopporthy, YSR Kadapa District, Andhra Pradesh - TOR – Reg. SIA/AP/ INFRA2/558694/2025
	Recommendations of SEAC on 16.12.2025

The proposal of M/s. Andhra Pradesh Industrial Infrastructure Corporation (APIIC) is for Terms of Reference for Development of Industrial Park in Kopparthu Over an extent of 1185.98 Acres (479.95Ha) at Kopparthu, Tadigotla, T G Palle, Yadavapuram, Ambavaram, Ramapathadu villages in Chinthakommadinne, Vallur Pendlimarri mandal, Kadapa, (currently YSR District) with a project cost of Rs. 526.73 Crores.

The proposed project falls under Item No. 8(b) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof – 8(b) “Townships and Area development Projects” having covering an area  $\geq 50.0$  ha and or Built-up area  $\geq 1,50,000$  sq mts.

The Chief Engineer, APIIC and their consultant, M/s. SV Enviro Labs & Consultants have attended the meeting and presented their proposal. The SEAC committee observed that:

- a. The project proponent proposed for Development of industrial park only for the industries not attracting the purview of EIA Notification 2006 and Category-A and B Project will not be housed within the industrial Park.
- b. The proposed industrial park consists land use for Toy manufacturing, Coir industry, Finished leather product, Green energy, Light engineering, logistics and ware housing, Basic Metals and Alloys (excluding the processes), Electronics & Electricals, Renewables (to include manufacturing of solar, wind etc. equipment and components), Agro & Food Processing, Rolling mills, refractory units, Compressed Biogas (CBG plants), Grinding, processing and screening of minor minerals, Forging of ferrous and non-ferrous metals, Plywood/board manufacturing, manufacturing of flakes/staple fibre/strip from the recycling of PET bottles, Manufacturing of flakes/granules, Isolated Storage of Hazardous chemicals, Ceramics/ Glass /Earthen potteries and tile manufacturing, Pulp & paper (Without bleaching), Pulverizing units and other than category-A and B industries in the Schedule of EIA Notification, 2006.
- c. The project proponent proposed to allot land to the

entrepreneur for industrial purpose.

- d. The GoAP issued a Govt. Order vide G.O MS. No 54 dt: 13.02.2019 for 6385.82 acres to develop mini-industrial parks by APIIC in YSR Kadapa district.
- e. Now, APIIC proposed to develop 1185.98 Acres (479.95 Ha) with Red, Orange and green are CPCB category industries. Other than Category A and B industries.
- f. The water required for the industrial park will be sourced from Brahma Sagara. The total water requirement for the industrial park is 8081.42 KLD of which freshwater requirement is 3545.29 KLD and recycle water is 4536.13 KLD.
- g. The effluents generated from the individual industries will be treated in CETP and the treated effluents will be reused as a process water in individual industries. The reject water from RO of CETP is proposed to be use for greenbelt development. The Sewage from individual industries is proposed to be treated in common STP and the treated sewage is proposed to be utilized for development of greenbelt in the industrial park.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF& CC' Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, **recommended to issue Standard TOR without Public hearing** with following additional TOR conditions:

1. The project proponent shall submit a commitment duly stating that they will not allocate land for category-A and B industries in the Schedule of EIA Notification, 2006.
2. The Project proponent shall submit green belt plan as per the OM dt29.10.2025 issued by the MoEF&CC, Gol.
3. Cumulative impacts of the project considering with other infrastructure developments and industrial parks in the surrounding environment within 5 km and 10 km radius shall be furnished.
4. The industries to be housed in the industrial park shall comply with the norms as prescribed by the competent authority for treated sewage, treated trade effluents and disposal of the solid waste generated from the process activity.
5. The project proponent is advised to retain the trees existing in the project site. In case of necessity, if any to remove the trees, the PP shall commit to plant minimum of 10 nos. of trees for every tree that is cut.
6. The project proponent shall submit the details of existing water bodies, roads and structures within the project site and

	<p>impacts shall be included in EIA report.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>7. The project proponent shall submit the details of water supply source, its estimation and necessary permissions obtained.</li> <li>8. The project proponent shall submit the design details of CETP and common STP proposed for the treatment of waste water generated from the industrial units in the park.</li> <li>9. The rejects water from R.O. of CETP shall not be used for greenbelt. The reject water from R.O shall be force evaporated.</li> <li>10. The project proponent shall explore the possibilities of reusing treated waste water from CETP to the industrial units in the park.</li> <li>11. Details of the Solid waste management plan shall be prepared as per solid waste management rules, 2016 and shall be furnished.</li> <li>12. Details of the E-waste management plan shall be prepared as per E-waste Management Rules, 2016 and shall be furnished.</li> <li>13. Details of the rain water harvesting system with cost estimation should be furnished.</li> <li>14. A detailed storm water management plan to drain out the storm water entering the premises during heavy rains period shall be prepared including main drains and sub-drains in accordance with the contour levels of the proposed project considering the water bodies around the proposed project site &amp; the surrounding development. The storm water drain shall be designed in accordance with the guidelines prescribed by the Ministry of Urban development.</li> <li>15. The project proponent shall furnish detailed base line monitoring data with prediction parameters for modelling for the ground water, emission, noise and traffic.</li> <li>16. The proposal for utilization of solar energy shall be included in the EIA/EMP report.</li> <li>17. The proponent shall furnish detailed EMP as per the MoEF&amp;CC, GoI office Memorandum F.No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated: 30.09.2020 and 20.10.2020.</li> </ol> <p><b>Decision of SEIAA:-</b> Agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC to issue the Standard Terms of Reference without Public hearing.</p>
279.12 279.04	Proposed Residential & Hotel Project of M/s. Credence Realty at survey no:115-5,115-7,118-3A,118-4, R. Tallavalasavillage, Bheemunipatnam mandal, Visakhapatnam District, Andhra Pradesh - EC – Reg. SIA/AP/ INFRA2/559197/2025
	<p>Recommendations of SEAC on 16.12.2025</p> <p>The Proposal of M/s. Credence Realty is for construction Residential &amp; Hotel Project in with a Built-up area of 1,13,620.25</p>

sq.mts at survey no:115-5,115-7,118-3A,118-4, R. Tallavalasavillage, Bheemunipatnam mandal, Visakhapatnam district. Total Site area of 22792.52 sq.mt. The estimated cost for the proposed project will be Rs. 250.0 Crores.

The project falls under Item No. 8(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - Building and Construction Projects ( $\geq 20,000$  Sq.mtrs and  $\leq 1,50,000$  sq. m. of built up area).

The project proponent and their consultant, M/s. Pridhvi Envirotech (P) Ltd., have attended the meeting and presented the case. The SEAC committee observed that:

- a. The project proponent has proposed for Development and Construction of residential building having 2C+2P+ED+G+35 floors with 108 flats, amenities block with S+5 floors and 3 star hotel building with Subcellar +Cellar+G+10 floors which consists of 2 Banquet Halls, 13 Suit Rooms, 91 Rooms, 13 deluxe rooms, 1 Kitchen and 1 Restaurant with proposed Built up area of 1,13,620.25 sq.mt.
- b. The Total water requirement of water is 219 KLD (Fresh water 116.43 KLD + Recycled 102.9 KLD) source of water is from Bore well/ Municipal supply.
- c. The wastewater generation from the project is 161 KLD will be treated in STP of capacities 1 x 400 KLD for Residential project and 150 KLD for Hotel building.
- d. The PP proposed STP of 400 KLD for residential keeping the further expenses.
- e. The total treated wastewater of 161 KLD out of which Flushing is 50 KLD, Gardening- 7.5 KLD, HVAC-53 KLD, and 50.5 KLD of treated water is discharged into the Municipal sewer.
- f. The total solid waste generated is approximately 804 kg/day.
- g. The committee appraised the application from the Environmental point of view only with respect to liquid, solid and air pollution management.
- h. The project proponent allocated Rs. 2.50 Crs as capital cost and Rs. 25 Lakhs as a recurring cost budget for the EMP. The proponent volunteered to develop avenue plantation in **Visakahapatnam city** by indicating their company sign Boards as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till it grows.

The Committee, after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC' Notifications & OMs, detailed deliberations, **recommended to issue Environmental Clearance** with the following additional conditions:

1. The proponent shall comply with the proposals furnished in the Environmental management plan.
2. The project proponent shall install the DG set stack above the

- building height.
3. The construction debris shall be used for back filling of the project site to the maximum extent possible and the remaining shall be disposed duly complying with the construction and demolition waste management rules 2016.
  4. The project proponent shall implement solid waste management as per the Solid Waste Management Rules, 2016 applicable for constructions projects.
  5. The proponent shall construct and commission STP- 400 KLD & 150 KLD along with commissioning of project, treat the effluents to meet irrigation standards at any point of time before using for gardening purpose or disposal into municipal drain, the treated effluents is proposed for recycle, the suitable disinfection system shall be provided in addition to the STP.
  6. The project proponent shall implement the solid waste management as per the Solid Waste Management Rules, 2016 applicable for constructions projects.
  7. The parking area shall be in compliance with NBC/MoEF&CCGoI / Local Govt regulations as applicable whichever, is higher.
  8. The project proponent shall develop the avenue plantation along the approach roads leading to the proposed project site.
  9. The project proponent shall treat the effluents to meet the standards stipulated by MoEF&CC, GoI vide notification G.S.R 1265 (E) 13.07.2017 for discharge into water bodies as well as for land disposal/applications.
  10. Dual plumbing system to be provided for reuse of the treated effluent for flushing and other purposes.
  11. The project proponent shall install organic waste converter for the treatment and disposal of wet garbage in a scientific manner.
  12. The proponent shall ensure sustainable environmental management, solid and liquid wastes and implement environmental conditions given at Appendix-XIV of EIA notification 2006 and its amendments thereof.
  13. The project proponent shall comply with the Environmental conditions specified for construction and building projects in the appendix of MoEF&CC, GoI, S.O No (E) 5733 dt. 14.11.2018.
  14. Solar Energy Systems shall be installed to utilize at least one third of the roof area.
  15. The project proponent shall use only LED lights in the common areas and internal roads and shall provide timer-based lighting management in common area, Light levels shall be selected to suit the functional requirements, shall use high efficiency low-e glass type for windows, automatic timer controls for external lighting, ETC for energy conservation.
  16. The building shall be designed for compliance with earth

	<p>quake resistance and resisting other natural hazards.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>17. The proponent shall use only fly ash-based products for construction, such as cement or concrete, fly ash bricks or tiles or clay fly ash bricks, or bricks, blocks or tiles or cement fly ash bricks or blocks or similar products or a combination or aggregate of them as required under MOEF notification S.O. 763(E) dated 14.9.1999 amended thereof.</li> <li>18. The proponent shall construct rainwater harvesting pit and storm water drains for collection, usage and also for groundwater table maintenance within the premises.</li> <li>19. The project proponent shall create a corpus fund to ensure continuous operation of STP and shall comply with the proposals furnished in the Environmental management plan.</li> <li>20. The project proponent shall obtain all statutory permissions if any from all the regulatory departments including Fire Department before starting the construction.</li> <li>21. The project proponent shall provide GI sheets around the compound wall during the construction stage to avoid dust particles arises.</li> </ol> <p><b>Decision of SEIAA:-</b> Agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC to <b>issue the Environmental Clearance</b>, stipulating the following condition in place of condition No.17 recommended by SEAC:</p> <p>The proponent shall use ash-based bricks, tiles, sintered ash aggregate or other ash-based products in the Construction activity, in compliance with the MoEF&amp;CC, GoI, Notification S.O. 5481(E) dated 31.12.2021 &amp; its amendments thereof.</p>
279.13 279.05	<p>6.175 Ha, Dolomite &amp; Steatite Mine of M/s. BDR Mines &amp; Minerals at Sy No. 76 of Kristipadu Village, Peddavaduguru Mandal, Anantapuramu District, Andhra Pradesh - TOR- Reg. SIA/AP/MIN/469789/2025</p>
	<p>Recommendations of SEAC on 16.12.2025</p> <p>The proposed project is for mining of Dolomite &amp; Steatite in an area of 6.175 Ha with a proposed production quantity of Dolomite – 6,000 TPA &amp; Steatite – 6,000 TPA with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.</p> <p>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 (<math>\leq 250</math> ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).</p> <p>The project proponent and their consultant, M/s. Rightsource Industrial Solutions Pvt Ltd, have attended the meeting and presented their proposal. The SEAC Committee noted that:</p>

- a. The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of Anantapur District and the mineral details available at Page No 67& 69 of DSR Report.
- b. The project proponent not uploaded valid letter of Intent (LoI) in Parivesh Portal. Hence, committee recommended to raise ADS for submission of Extension of Letter of Intent.
- c. This proposal was placed in 275<sup>th</sup> SEAC meeting and then the Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to raise ADS for submission of Extension of Letter of Intent.
- d. Again, this proposal was placed in 276<sup>th</sup> SEAC meeting and committee noted that:
- e. The Department of Mines & Geology, Ibrahimpatnam vide letter dt. 06.01.2022 issued 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 1 years from the date of issue of LoI. Subsequently, the vide letter dt. 23.09.2025 issued LoI extension and the same is valid upto 05.01.2026.
- f. As per the cluster letter dt. 28.02.2024 issued by the Divisional Mines &Geology Officer, there are 7 existing quarry leases within the radius of 500 mtrs area. The total applicable cluster area is > 5.0 Ha.
- g. This proposal was placed in 276<sup>th</sup> 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 latest cluster letter issued by the Department of Mines and Geology.
- h. Again, this proposal was placed in 279<sup>th</sup> SEAC meeting and committee noted that:
  - i. As per the cluster letter dt. 20.11.2025 issued by the Divisional Mines &Geology Officer, there are 7 existing quarry leases within the radius of 500 mtrs area. The total applicable cluster area is > 5.0 Ha.
  - j. As per the approved mining plan dt. 29.04.2022, the total proved mineral reserves are Dolomite – 2,69,558 T & Steatite – 2,69,558 T and the Life of the mine is 45 years.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, **recommended to issue of Standard Terms of Reference with Public Hearing** for the mining of Dolomite – 6,000 TPA & Steatite – 6,000 TPA covering an area of 6.175 hectares, in favour of M/s. BDR Mines & Minerals at Sy No. 76 of Kristipadu Village, Peddavaduguru Mandal, Anantapuramu District, Andhra Pradesh. The recommendation is subject to the following additional conditions:

	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The project proponent shall prepare cluster EIA &amp; EMP.</li> <li>2. The project proponent shall submit surface runoff prevention measures plan and shall estimate the construction cost for the proposed trench along with detailed drawing.</li> <li>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.</li> <li>4. The project proponent shall submit greenbelt development plan in 1:2 ratio.</li> <li>5. The project proponent shall submit the approach road &amp; mineral transportation plan.</li> </ol> <p><b>Decision of SEIAA:-</b> Agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC to <b>issue the Standard Terms of Reference with Public hearing, stipulating</b> an additional condition that the proponent shall submit a valid Lol at the time of applying for EC.</p>
279.17 279.06	3.993 Ha, Road Metal and Building Stone of Sri Venugopala Naidu Sambangi at Sy.No.01, Nidagallu Village, Seethanagaram Mandal, Parvathipuram Manyam District, Andhra Pradesh - TOR –Reg. SIA/AP/MIN/553473/2025
	<p>Recommendations of SEAC on 16.12.2025</p> <p>The proposed project is for mining of Road Metal and Building Stone in an area of 3.993 Ha with a proposed production quantity of Road Metal and Building Stone – 70,412 m<sup>3</sup>/annum with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.</p> <p>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 (<math>\leq</math>250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).</p> <p>The authorized person and their consultant, M/s. SV Enviro Labs &amp; Research Private Limited, have attended the meeting and presented their proposal. The SEAC Committee noted that:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of Parvathipuram Manyam District and the mineral details available at Page No 58&amp;59 of DSR Report.</li> <li>b. The Department of Mines &amp; Geology, Vizianagaram vide letter dt. 13.02.2025 issued letter of Intent (LOI) to the subject mine for a period of 10 years subject to submission of approved Mining Plan, EC and CFE within a period of 03 years from the date of issue of Lol.</li> <li>c. As per the cluster letter dt. 25.03.2025 issued by the Divisional</li> </ol>

Mines & Geology Officer, there are 02 existing quarry leases within the radius of 500 mtrs area. The total applicable cluster area is > 5.0 Ha.

- d. As per the approved mining plan dt. 21.05.2025, the total proved mineral reserves are 10,96,473 m<sup>3</sup> and the Life of the mine is 15.57 years.
- e. The committee noted that the subject mine area is on slope of the hill. Hence, the committee directed the project proponent to provide preventative measures and estimate the construction cost for the proposed trench.
- f. The committee observed working pits in the mine lease area. Hence, committee directed PP to submit clarification & Action taken report from the mining Department on existing working in the Lol area.
- g. The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue of Standard Terms of Reference with Public Hearing for the mining of Road Metal and Building Stone – 70,412 m<sup>3</sup>/annum over a period of 15.57 years, covering an area of 3.993 hectares, in favour of Sri Venugopala Naidu Sambangi at Sy No.01, Nidagallu Village, Seethanagaram Mandal, Parvathipuram Manyam 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 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 greenbelt development plan in 1:2 ratio.
  6. The project proponent shall submit the approach road & mineral transportation plan.
  7. The project proponent shall submit action taken & clarification letter on existing pits in the mine lease area.

The Recommendations of SEAC 274<sup>th</sup> meeting was placed in the SEIAA meeting held on 27.10.2025 and Decision of SEIAA is as follows:

“Refer to SEAC for re-examining the proposal, as certain workings have been noticed within the Mine Lease area, as observed from the KML file uploaded on the PARIVESH portal”.

Again, this proposal was placed in 276<sup>th</sup> SEAC meeting and committee noted that:

	<p>The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&amp;CC Notifications &amp; OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to raise ADS for submission of following:</p> <p>The project proponent shall submit action taken &amp; clarification letter from the Mining Department on existing pits in the mine lease area. Accordingly, the PP submitted ADS reply and placed in 279<sup>th</sup> SEAC meeting and noted that:</p> <p>The Project proponent submitted letter dt.29.11.2025 i.e., revised cluster letter and wherein stated as per the Mines &amp; Geology Dept., records, previously two quarry leases were granted in the area over an extent of 2.0 Ha and 2.270 Ha respectively in favour of M/s. Sri Srinivasa Constructions. The quarry lease held by M/s. Srinivasa constructions over an extent of 2.0 Ha is executed on 31.08.2008 and expired on 30.08.2015. The quarry lease held by M/s. Srinivasa constructions over an extent of 2.270 Ha in the same area is executed on 30.01.2008 and expired on 29.01.2018. Further, as per this office records, there are no revisions/appeals over the subject area. Hence, the area is free for the grant of a fresh quarry lease.</p> <p>The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&amp;CC Notifications &amp; OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended <b>to issue of Standard Terms of Reference with Public Hearing</b> for the mining of Road Metal and Building Stone – 70,412 m<sup>3</sup>/annum, covering an area of 3.993 hectares, in favour of Sri Venugopala Naidu Sambangi at Sy No.01, Nidagallu Village, Seethanagaram Mandal, Parvathipuram Manyam District, Andhra Pradesh with conditions stipulated in the conditions stipulated at S.No. G.</p> <p><b>Decision of SEIAA:-</b> Agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC <b>to issue the Standard Terms of Reference with Public hearing.</b></p>
279.18 279.07	3.987 Ha, Road Metal and Building Stone of Sri Venugopala Naidu Sambangi at Sy No.01, Nidagallu Village, Seethanagaram Mandal, Parvathipuram Manyam District, Andhra Pradesh – TOR -Reg. SIA/AP/MIN/553541/2025
	<p>Recommendations of SEAC on 16.12.2025</p> <p>The proposed project is for mining of Road Metal and Building Stone in an area of 3.987 Ha with a proposed production quantity of Road Metal and Building Stone – 39,960 m<sup>3</sup>/annum with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.</p> <p>The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of</p>

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 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 Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of Parvathipuram Manyam District and the mineral details available at Page No 58&59 of DSR Report.
- b. The Department of Mines & Geology, Vizianagaram vide letter dt. 13.02.2025 issued letter of Intent (LOI) to the subject mine for a period of 10 years subject to submission of approved Mining Plan, EC and CFE within a period of 03 years from the date of issue of Lol.
- c. As per the cluster letter dt. 25.03.2025 issued by the Divisional Mines & Geology Officer, there are 02 existing quarry leases within the radius of 500 mtrs area. The total applicable cluster area is > 5.0 Ha.
- d. As per the approved mining plan dt. 21.05.2025, the total proved mineral reserves are 10,15,910 m<sup>3</sup> and the Life of the mine is 25.42 years.
- e. The committee noted that the subject mine area is on slope of the hill. Hence, the committee directed the project proponent to provide preventative measures and estimate the construction cost for the proposed trench.
- f. The committee observed working pits in the mine lease area. Hence, committee directed PP to submit clarification & Action taken report from the mining Department on existing working in the Lol area
- g. The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue of Standard Terms of Reference with Public Hearing for the mining of Road Metal and Building Stone – 39,960 m<sup>3</sup>/annum over a period of 25.42 years, covering an area of 3.987 hectares, in favour of Sri Venugopala Naidu Sambangi at Sy No.01, Nidagallu Village, Seethanagaram Mandal, Parvathipuram Manyam 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 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 greenbelt development plan in 1:2 ratio.
6. The project proponent shall submit the approach road & mineral transportation plan.
7. The project proponent shall submit action taken & clarification letter on existing pits in the mine lease area.

The Recommendations of 274<sup>th</sup> SEAC meeting and was placed in the SEIAA meeting, decision of SEIAA is as follows: -

“Refer to SEAC for re-examining the proposal, as certain workings have been noticed within the Mine Lease area, as observed from the KML file uploaded on the PARIVESH portal”.

Again, this proposal was placed in 276<sup>th</sup> SEAC meeting and committee noted that:

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 in the mine lease area.

Accordingly, the PP submitted ADS reply and placed in 279<sup>th</sup> SEAC meeting and noted that:

The Project proponent submitted letter dt.29.11.2025 i.e., revised cluster letter and wherein stated as per the Mines & Geology Dept., records, previously two quarry lease were granted in the area over an extent of 2.0 Ha and 2.270 Ha respectively in favour of M/s. Sri Srinivasa Constructions. The quarry lease held by M/s. Srinivasa constructions over an extent of 2.0 Ha is executed on 31.08.2008 and expired on 30.08.2015. The quarry lease held by M/s. Srinivasa constructions over an extent of 2.270 Ha in the same area is executed on 30.01.2008 and expired on 29.01.2018. Further, as per this office records, there are no revisions/appeals over the subject area. Hence, the area is free for the grant of a fresh quarry lease.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to **issue of Standard Terms of Reference with Public Hearing** for the mining of Road Metal and Building Stone – 39,960 m<sup>3</sup>/annum, covering an area of 3.987 hectares, in favour of Sri Venugopala Naidu Sambangi at Sy No.01, Nidagallu Village, Seethanagaram Mandal, Parvathipuram Manyam District, Andhra Pradesh with conditions stipulated in the conditions stipulated at S.No. G.

**Decision of SEIAA:-** Agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC to **issue the Standard Terms of Reference with Public hearing.**

279.19 | 0.809 Ha Gravel Mine of Smt. Bora Chandramma, at Sy No. 196-

279.08	4A-39, LP NO. 1581 of Nallagonda Village, Seethanagaram Mandal, East Godavari District, Andhra Pradesh - EC – Reg. SIA/AP/MIN/554393/2025
	<p>Recommendations of SEAC on 16.12.2025</p> <p>The proposed project is for mining of Gravel in an area of 0.809 Ha. with a proposed production quantity of Gravel – 22,336 m<sup>3</sup>/annum with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.</p> <p>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 (<math>\leq</math>250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).</p> <p>The project authorized person 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:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of East Godavari District and the mineral details available at Page No 63 of DSR Report.</li> <li>b. The Department of Mines and Geology issued letter of Intent (LOI) vide order dt. 19.09.2025 for a period of 05 years subject to submission of Approved Mining Plan, EC and CFE within a period upto 02 years from date of issue of Lol.</li> <li>c. The Committee noted that as per the cluster letter dt 03.10.2025 issued by the Department of Mines &amp; Geology, there are no existing quarry leases within the radius of 500 mtrs area. The total cluster area is &lt; 5.0 Ha. However, the Committee observed the presence of leases/working pits within a 500-m radius of the mine lease. Therefore, the Committee directed the Project Proponent to submit a revised cluster letter clearly indicating the status of the existing leases/working pits.</li> <li>d. As per the approved mining plan dt. 01.10.2025, the total available mineral reserves are 97,497 m<sup>3</sup> and the Life of the mine is 4.4 years.</li> <li>e. The project proponent informed that they have allocated Rs. 7.50 Lakhs as capital cost and Rs. 5.0 Lakhs as a recurring cost budget for the EMP. The Proponent will establish a RO plant of 1000 lt/hr capacity including bore well for drinking water to the villages as a part of Corporate Social</li> </ol>

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

- f. This proposal was placed in 277<sup>th</sup> 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 clearly indicating the status of the existing leases/working pits.
- g. Accordingly, the PP submitted ADS reply and placed in 279<sup>th</sup> SEAC meeting and noted that:

The Project proponent submitted letter dt.06.12.2025 i.e., cluster letter and wherein stated the Village Revenue Officer (VRO), Raghudevapuram Village, seethangaram Mandal, East Godavari District, has reported that, based on the verbal instructions of the Tahsildar, Seethanagarm Mandal, he has conducted an enquiry with the Villagers regarding the excavation pits around the proposed area and finally VRO reported that, in the past, some persons from Nalgonda had excavated gravel from the said hill and used it for filling the foundations of their houses, as sand was not available to them at the time.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, **recommended SEIAA to issue Environmental Clearance** for the mining of Gravel – 22,336 m<sup>3</sup>/annum over a period of 4.4 years, covering an area of 0.809 hectares, in favour of Smt Bora Chandramma, at Sy No. 196-4A-39, LP NO. 1581 of Nallagonda Village, Seethanagaram Mandal, East Godavari 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

	<p>disturbed.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4. The proponent shall take dust suppression measures to meet the CPCB stipulated ambient air quality standards at any point of time.</li> <li>5. The proponent shall carryout suppression of dust generated due to transport vehicles by continuous water spraying using tankers.</li> <li>6. The vehicles carrying the mines material shall be covered with tarpaulin during vehicular movement.</li> <li>7. The project proponent shall not use village road/ canal bund roads for mineral transportation purpose.</li> <li>8. The project proponent shall restrict vehicles movement during the peak hours to avoid accidents.</li> <li>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.</li> <li>10. The PP shall complete the entire greenbelt development within the first year itself and ensure its maintenance throughout the lease period.</li> </ol> <p><b>Decision of SEIAA:-</b> Agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC to <b>issue the Environmental Clearance</b>, stipulating the following additional condition:  “The project proponent shall prepare the Tree Enumeration Plan and shall develop a greenbelt in a 1:2 ratio. The project proponent shall maintain the greenbelt all around the mine lease area within a 7.5 meters buffer zone, along the approach road, village road, and in public places, so as to achieve the stipulated 1:2 ratio. The proponent shall plant 2 mts height seedlings and shall be responsible for their survival as long as the mine is in-force”.</p>
279.20 279.09	<p>11.53 Ha, Colour Granite and Granite waste as Road Metal Quarry of M/s Golden Rock Export at Sy No. 01 of Addukonda Village, Tekkali Mandal, Srikakulam District, Andhra Pradesh – TOR–Reg. SIA/AP/MIN/554889/2025</p>
	<p>Recommendations of SEAC on 16.12.2025</p> <p>The project is for enhancement of mining of Colour Granite and Granite waste as Road Metal under additional mineral Quarry in an area of 11.53 Ha with a proposed production quantity of Colour Granite - 3000 m<sup>3</sup>/annum to 9000 m<sup>3</sup>/annum, Inclusive of Granite Waste as Road Metal under the list of additional minerals – 36,000 m<sup>3</sup>/annum with a condition that the total production during a</p>

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 ( $\leq 250$  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 their proposal. The SEAC Committee noted that:

- a. This proposal was placed in 275<sup>th</sup> SEAC meeting and then 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.
- b. The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of Srikakulam District and the mineral details available at Page No 78 of DSR Report.
- c. The SEIAA, A.P vide order dt.13.12.2016 issued EC for 3000 cum/Annum and the same is valid for 20 years.
- d. The Department of Mines & Geology, Ibrahimpatnam vide letter 16.11.2023 issued work order for 10 years.
- e. The Department of Mines & Geology, Ibrahimpatnam vide letter dt. 10.09.2025 issued mineral inclusion letter to utilize Granite waste as Road metal.
- f. As per the cluster letter dt. 18.08.2025 issued by the Divisional Mines & Geology Officer, there are 21 existing quarry leases within the radius of 500 mtrs area. The total applicable cluster area is  $> 5.0$  Ha and also submitted dispatch details only and not submitted production details. Hence, committee directed the PP to submit production and dispatch details from the Department of Mines and Geology.
- g. As per the approved modified mining plan dt. 26.09.2025, the total proved mineral Granite reserves are 76,6952 m<sup>3</sup> and Granite waste (Road metal) 30,67,809 cum and the Life of the mine is 85 years. The project proponent submitted Modified mining plan duly leaving 0.501 Ha as non-mining zone.

- h. The IRO, Vijayawada vide order dt.03.09.2025 issued Certified Compliance report and observed most of the conditions are being complied.
- i. This proposal was placed in 276<sup>th</sup> 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 production details from the date of issues of Environmental clearance order.
- j. Again, this proposal placed in 279<sup>th</sup> SEAC meeting and committee noted that:
- k. The Department of Mines and Geology vide letter dt.21.11.2025 Submitted production details letter and production within limits only.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, **recommended to issue of Standard Terms of Reference with Public Hearing** for enhancement of mining of Colour Granite - 3000 m<sup>3</sup>/annum to 9000 m<sup>3</sup>/annum, Inclusive of Granite Waste as Road Metal under the list of additional mineral – 36,000 m<sup>3</sup>/annum , covering an area of 11.53 hectares, in favour of M/s Golden Rock Export at Survey No. 01 of Addukonda Village, Tekkali Mandal, Srikakulam 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 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 plant 500 saplings and submit photographic evidence of the same at the time of applying for Environmental Clearance (EC).

**Decision of SEIAA:-** Agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC to **issue the Standard Terms of Reference with Public hearing for Expansion.**

279.21 279.10	2.746 Ha, Lime Stone of Sri Janga Venkata Kotaiah at Sy No. 17/12, 22, 25 of Nadikudi Village, Dachehalli Mandal, Palnadu District, Andhra Pradesh – TOR– Reg. SIA/AP/MIN/555880/2025
	<p>Recommendations of SEAC on 16.12.2025</p> <p>The proposed project is for mining of Lime Stone in an area of 2.746 Ha with a proposed production quantity of Lime Stone – 35,381 TPA with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.</p> <p>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 (<math>\leq 250</math> ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).</p> <p>The authorized person of the project and their consultant, M/s. Right Source Industrial Solutions Pvt. Ltd., have attended the meeting and presented their proposal. The SEAC Committee noted that:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. The project proponent not paid processing fees. Hence, the Committee recommended to raise ADS for submission of processing fees as per the G.O.Ms.No.3 dated 04.01.2016.</li> <li>b. This proposal was placed in 276<sup>th</sup> SEAC meeting and then the Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&amp;CC Notifications &amp; OMs, recommended to raise ADS for submission of processing fees as per the G.O.Ms.No.3 dated 04.01.2016.</li> <li>c. Again, this proposal was placed in 279<sup>th</sup> SEAC meeting and committee noted that: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The project proponent paid processing fees as per the G.O.Ms.No.3 dated 04.01.2016.</li> </ul> </li> <li>d. The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of Palnadu District and the mineral details available at Page No 70 of DSR Report.</li> <li>e. The Department of Mines &amp; Geology, Ibrahimpatnam vide letter dt. 01.07.2025 issued letter of Intent (LOI) to the subject</li> </ol>

mine for a period of 15 years subject to submission of approved Mining Plan, EC and CFE within a period of 2 years from the date of issue of Lol.

- f. As per the cluster letter dt. 11.09.2025 issued by the Divisional Mines & Geology Officer, there are 8 existing quarry leases within the radius of 500 mtrs area. The total applicable cluster area is > 5.0 Ha.
- g. As per the approved mining plan dt. 29.07.2025 the total proved mineral reserves are 558551 m<sup>3</sup> and the Life of the mine is 16 years.
- h. The Committee noted that the workings on the eastern side, as informed by the Project Proponent (PP), are being used as a ramp for the adjacent mines.
- i. The same is demarcated in the approved Mining Plan (Plate No. 03) as a 15 m buffer zone towards the road.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, **recommended to issue of Standard Terms of Reference with Public Hearing** for the mining of Lime Stone – 35,381 TPA, covering an area of 2.746 hectares, in favour of Sri Janga Venkata Kotaiah at Sy No. 17/12, 22, 25 of Nadikudi Village, Dachepalli Mandal, Palnadu District 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 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 submit the approach road & mineral transportation plan.

**Decision of SEIAA:-** Agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC to **issue the Standard Terms of Reference with Public hearing.**

279.22 5.0 Ha, Colour Granite (Variety of Srikakulam Blue) Mine of M/s  
279.11 Devinarayan Exporters Pvt Ltd., at Sy. No. 71 of Lingalavalasa Village, Tekkali Mandal, Srikakulam District, Andhra Pradesh - Amendment to EC – Reg. SIA/AP/MIN/558480/2025

Recommendations of SEAC on 16.12.2025

	<p>The Project proponent and their consultant, M/s. SV Enviro Labs &amp; Research Private Limited., have attended the meeting and presented their proposal. The SEAC Committee noted that:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The SEIAA, A.P vide order dt. Dt: 20.01.2023 issued Environmental Clearance for mining of Colour Granite -6000 Cum/Annum and same is valid for 20 years.</li> <li>Now the project proponent is applied for Amendment to EC for including of Granite waste as Road metal and also for Geo-Coordinates as per the mining plan and latest DGPS Survey.</li> <li>The Department of Mines &amp; Geology, Ibrahimpatnam vide letter 19.07.2023 issued 1<sup>st</sup> renewal work order for 10 years and the same is valid for 31.03.2033.</li> <li>The Department of Mines &amp; Geology, Ibrahimpatnam vide letter dt. 29.07.2025 issued mineral inclusion letter to utilize Granite waste as Road metal.</li> <li>As per the mining dt. 28.10.2025 waste generated from Granite are 12,35,833 m<sup>3</sup>. The proponent proposed to utilize 24,000 Cum/Annum of waste as Road metal.</li> <li>The Department of Mines &amp; Geology vide letter dt. 14.11.2025 submitted production and dispatch details and production within limits only.</li> </ol> <p>The Committee after examining the project amendment proposal, presentations, MoEF&amp;CC Notifications &amp; OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to <b>SEIAA for issue of Amendment to EC order dt. 20.01.2023</b> for utilization of Granite waste as Road Metal production capacity of 24000 m<sup>3</sup>/annum &amp; also for inclusion of Geo-coordinates as per the latest Mining plan and stipulating all other conditions remains the same.</p> <p><b>Decision of SEIAA:-</b> Agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC to issue an Amendment to the Environmental Clearance order dt.20.01.2023.</p>
279.23 279.12	1.247 Ha, Barytes of M/s. Kothapalli Barytes Mine at Sy.No.59/1,2 of Kothapalli Village, Bethamcherla Mandal, Nandyal District, Andhra Pradesh - Amendment to EC - Reg. SIA/AP/MIN/558836/2025
	<p>Recommendations of SEAC on 16.12.2025</p> <p>The project proponent and their consultant M/s. Pragathi Labs &amp; Consultants Pvt. Ltd. have attended the meeting and presented the proposal. The SEAC committee noted that:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The SEIAA, A.P., vide order dt. 25/12/2024 issued Environmental Clearance in the name of M/s. Kothapalli Barytes Mine for mining of Barytes – 2,943 TPA. The order is valid for 10.79 years or expiry date of mine lease period</li> </ol>

	<p>issued by the Government of A.P., whichever is earlier.</p> <p>b. Now the project proponent applied for Amendment of EC order for change of name from M/s. Kothapalli Barytes Mine to Sri Kesanapalli Suresh Chowdary.</p> <p>c. The Department of Mines &amp; Geology, Ibrahimpatnam vide letter dt. 17.12.2021 issued letter of Intent (LOI) in the name of Sri Kesanapalli Suresh Chowdary for a period of 20 years subject to submission of approved Mining Plan, EC and CFE.</p> <p>d. The Department of Mines &amp; Geology, Kurnool issued approved mining plan dt. 18.10.2023 in the name of M/s. Kothapalli Barytes Mine.</p> <p>e. The Department of Mines &amp; Geology, Kurnool vide letter dt.10.11.2025 issued Errata to approved mining plan dt. 18.10.2023 duly stating that wherever the name mentioned as M/s. Kothpali Barytes Mine” shall be read as Sri Kesanapalli Suresh Chowdary.</p> <p>The Committee after examining the amendment proposal, presentations, MoEF&amp;CC Notifications &amp; OMs and detailed deliberations, <b>recommended to SEIAA for issue of Amendment to EC order dt. 25/12/2024</b> for change of name from M/s. Kothapalli Barytes Mine to Sri Kesanapalli Suresh Chowdary and stipulating all other conditions remains the same.</p> <p><b>Decision of SEIAA:-</b> Agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC <b>to issue an Amendment to the Environmental Clearance</b> order dt.25.12.2024 for name change from M/s. Kothapalli Barytes Mine to Sri Kesanapalli Suresh Chowdary.</p>
279.24 279.13	2.261 Ha, Black Granite of M/s. TAM Granites & Marbles Pvt Ltd, at Sy No. 925/6 (Old Sy No. 885), Kanipakam Village, Irala Mandal, Chittoor District, Andhra Pradesh - TOR - Reg. SIA/AP/MIN/558921/2025
	<p>Recommendations of SEAC on 16.12.2025</p> <p>The proposed project is for mining of Black Granite in an area of 2.261 Ha with a proposed production quantity of Black Granite – 1968 m<sup>3</sup>/annum with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.</p> <p>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 (<math>\leq</math>250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).</p> <p>The project proponent and their consultant, M/s. SV Enviro Labs &amp; Research Private Limited, have attended the meeting and presented their proposal. The SEAC Committee noted that:</p>

- a. The Department of Mines and Geology submitted DSR of Chittoor District and the mineral details available at Page No 61 of DSR Report.
- b. The Department of Mines & Geology, Ibrahimpatnam vide letter dt. 26.04.2023 issued 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 1 years from the date of issue of Lol. Subsequently, the PP vide letter dt. 07.07.2025 obtained Lol extension and the same is valid for 25.04.2026.
- c. As per the cluster letter dt. 18.09.2025 issued by the Divisional Mines & Geology Officer, there are 05 existing quarry leases within the radius of 500 mtrs area. The total applicable cluster area is > 5.0 Ha.
- d. As per the approved mining plan dt. 19.08.2024, the total proved mineral reserves are 45160 m<sup>3</sup> and the Life of the mine is 23 years.
- e. The Committee observed working pits within the mine lease area. It was noted that the adjacent lease holder had encroached into the subject mine. The PP also informed that the District Mines and Geology Officer, Chittoor, vide letter dated 18.06.2024, issued a Show Cause Notice to M/s Geo Source Commodities Pvt. Ltd. for illegal excavation and transportation of Black Granite and penalty imposed.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended **to issue of Standard Terms of Reference with Public Hearing** for the mining of Black Granite – 1968 m<sup>3</sup>/annum, covering an area of 2.261 hectares, in favour of M/s. TAM Granites & Marbles Pvt Ltd, at Sy No. 925/6 (Old Sy No. 885), Kanipakam Village, Irala 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 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

	<p>allocated for greenbelt.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4. The project proponent shall prepare tree enumeration plan.</li> <li>5. The project proponent shall submit greenbelt development plan in 1:2 ratio.</li> <li>6. The project proponent shall submit the approach road &amp; mineral transportation plan.</li> </ol> <p><b>Decision of SEIAA:-</b> Agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC to issue the Standard Terms of Reference with Public hearing.</p>
279.25 279.14	<p>2.444 Ha, De-casting of Sand Prakkilanka Lankalu Block-24, at Sy.No.46 of Prakkilanka Lankalu Village, Tallapudi Mandal, East Godavari District, Andhra Pradesh - TOR - Reg. SIA/AP/MIN/559802/2025</p>
	<p>Recommendations of SEAC on 16.12.2025</p> <p>The project proposal is for mining De-Casting of Sand in an area of 2.444 Ha with a proposed production quantity of De-Casting of Sand mine - 73,320 m<sup>3</sup>/annum with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per approved Mining plan.</p> <p>The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof Mining of minerals (≤250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).</p> <p>The Surveyor, Mining Department and their consultant M/s. SV Enviro Labs &amp; Research Private Limited have attended the meeting and presented their proposal. The SEAC Committee noted that:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. The committee noted that proposed mine land is a patta land. The Government of Andhra Pradesh vide GoMS No.59 dt.01.10.2024 issued permission for de-casting of sand from patta lands.</li> <li>b. The Joint inspection was conducted on 15.04.2025 to the subject sand reach and report recommended for over an extent of 2.444 Ha and permitted to excavation of sand is 3 Mts thickness. Assessed the permitted sand quantity of 73,320 Cum.</li> <li>c. The Joint Collector &amp; Addl. District Magistrate, East Godavari District vide order dt. 14.07.2025 issued Notice</li> </ol>

- for obtaining statutory clearance to the subject mine and as per the DLSC the total reserves are 73,320 cum.
- d. As per the cluster letter dated: 03.11.2025 issued by the Mines Department, there are no sand reaches existing quarry leases within 500m radius.
  - e. As per the approved mining plan dt. 20.11.2025 the total available mineral reserves are 73,320 m<sup>3</sup> and 3.0 m sand excavation is permitted and the entire quantity is proposed to be excavated within the period of 1 year.
  - f. The SEAC is made recommendation without any prejudice to the Hon'ble NGT/any other court orders. The applicant shall abide by the Hon'ble NGT / Other court orders, if any, in future also. Hon'ble NGT in its order dated 23.03.2023 in O.A. No. 152 of 2021 (SZ) directed SEIAA, Andhra Pradesh to verify all the Environmental Clearances granted for sand mining under 'B2' Category if permission has been granted for semi-mechanised or mechanised mining and re-examine the proposal either under 'B2' category (manual mining) or 'B1' Category (if semi mechanised or mechanised mining is sought) following the prescribed procedures.
  - g. The present application is made for open cast semi mechanized method mining. Hence, it is considered under B2 at par with B1 category.
  - h. The SEAC is made recommendation without any prejudice to the Hon'ble NGT/any other court orders. The applicant shall abide by the Hon'ble NGT / Other court orders, if any, in future also

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, **recommended to issue Standard TOR with Public hearing** for the mining of De-casting of Sand with the maximum production quantity of 73,320 m<sup>3</sup>/annum with open cast semi mechanized method of mining with the following additional conditions:

1. The proponent shall include the annual replenishment of sand in the mining lease area in

- the approved mining plan.
2. The project proponent shall submit EIA & EMP.
  3. The project proponent shall submit mine closure plan details along with proposed budget.
  4. Sand shall not be allowed to be extracted where erosion may occur, such as identification of concave bank and maintain buffer.
  5. Demarcation of sand quarrying lease area on the ground with pucca stone or concrete pillars to show the present natural bed level and the depth of mining allowed.
  6. Measures to avoid pollution of river water leading to water quality deterioration.
  7. Identification of proper entry and exit point for the movement of loading vehicles in and out of the sand quarry site taking into consideration of the habitations/settlements in the area.
  8. The project proponent shall submit details of Environmental clearance if any granted in the proposed reach along with production details.
  9. All documents related to the mining project, including the approved mine plan, Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA), and records of public hearings, should be compatible with each other.
  10. The project proponent shall upload the recent photographs of the sand reach, along with their corresponding geocoordinates, at the time of applying for Environmental Clearance (EC).

**Decision of SEIAA:-** Agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC to issue the **Standard Terms of Reference with Public hearing.**

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