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Minutes of the 523rd Meeting of the State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, UP (SEIAA) held on 27.11.2021

The meeting of 523rd State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, UP (SEIAA) was held on-line on 27.11.2021 at the Directorate of Environment. The following were present in the meeting:-

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| 1. Dr. Rajiv Kumar Garg | Chairman, SEIAA, U.P |
| 2. Shri Paras Nath | Member, SEIAA, U.P |
| 3. Shri Ajay Kumar Sharma | Member Secretary, SEIAA, U.P |

Nodal officer, SEIAA informed that agenda has been approved by MS, SEIAA and placed files & documents related to below mentioned agenda before the SEIAA.

SEIAA opined that Environmental Clearance will be transferred only after submission of an affidavit by project proponent and consultant stating that:-

1. No legal case is pending in any Court of Law against the above area / EC proposed to be transferred.
2. EC proposed to be transferred has not been cancelled by any Court of Law/MoEFCC /SEIAA/DEIAA.
3. EC proposed to be transferred is valid on the date of consideration.

Further, before issuing EC transfer letter, authorized signatory from SEIAA, UP will ensure that affidavit given by PP and consultant is correct and in case affidavit given by PP and consultant is found to be false, legal action should be initiated against them and transfer order should not be issued and in case it has been issued then it will become null and void. All EC transfer orders will be issued through online portal.

1. **Transfer of EC of Sand Mining at Bagen River bed, Gata No.-42/3, 97, 80 kh, 320 & 2267 over an Area of 12.005 Ha Situated in Village- GarhiGhat, Tehsil- Karwi, District- Chitrakoot, U.P., (Leased Area: 12.005 Ha) Shri Himanshu Agrahari File No. 4147/Proposal No. (SIA/UP/ MIN/73625/2018)**

SEIAA noted that the above project was taken in its 496th meeting in which reply submitted by project proponent vide letter dated 27.08.2021 were considered. It was brought to the notice that there were typographical error. Hence the minutes should be read as :-

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SEIAA gone through the letter of Shri ShivchandraTripathi dated 27.08.2021 regarding transfer of Environmental Clearance to the above project issued vide letter no. 03/Parya/SEAC/4147/2018 dated 05/04/2018. SEIAA gone through file and documents and noted that the Environmental Clearance was issued to Shri HimanshuAgrahari S/o Shri Rajesh Kumar Agrahari, TopKhana Raipur Phulwari, Amethi. SEIAA noted that the previous lease issued to Shri HimanshuAgrahariwas cancelled vide DM, Chitrakoot order no. 292/Khanij/2018-19 dated 31.01.2019 and another LOI was issued to M/s Tripathi Construction, Prop. Shri Shiv Chandra Tripathi S/o Shri Ram Khelawan Allahabad Road, Karwi Chitrakoot vide letter no. 1819/Khanij/2020-21 dated 29.01.2021 for a period of 6 months for 1,68,070 m³ capacity per annum. Hence SEIAA agreed to transfer Environmental Clearance issued vide letter no. 03/Parya/SEAC/ 4147/2018 dated 05/04/2018 **for one year only** from Shri Himanshu Agrahari S/o Shri Rajesh Kumar Agrahari, TopKhana Raipur Phulwari, Amethi to M/s Tripathi Construction, Prop. Shri Shiv Chandra Tripathi S/o Shri Ram Khelawan Allahabad Road, Karwi Chitrakoot, adding some specific conditions. Area mentioned in the previous EC is being transferred only. If there is a change in geo-coordinates of the area then EC will be null and void. SEIAA added the following specific condition:-

1. In the absence of replenishment study keeping in mind various orders issued by Hon'ble NGT and development works in the State, EC is transferred for a period of one year.
2. Permissible mining of river bed material (sand / bajri) shall be strictly limited to quantity and area mentioned in LOI or mining plan, whichever is lesser, and maximum mineable depth will be limited to as the approved mining plan. The permissible mineable material will be valid till one year from the date of transfer of the EC.
3. For subsequent period, PP shall submit fresh annual replenishment study to SEIAA, UP for amendment in EC for mineable quantity and maximum permissible depth for mining based on scientific findings of replenishment study. Such study shall be placed before SEAC for appraisal for next three years to assess rate of deposition and accordingly, mineable production capacity and depth can be prescribed based on trends analysis, provided it is found scientifically satisfactory by the SEAC. The placing of the study report SEAC is mandatory for initial three years.
4. Geo-coordinates of the previous lease should be submitted within one month.
5. Compliance to be submitted within 3 months
6. Directions/suggestions given during public hearing and commitment made by the project proponent should be strictly complied.
7. A certificate from Forest Department shall be obtained that no forest land is involved in mining or as a route and if forest land is involved the project proponent shall obtain forest clearance and permission of Central and State Government as per the provisions of Forest (conservation) Act, 1980 and submit before the start of work.
8. The mining lease holders shall, after ceasing mining operations, undertake re-grassing the mining area and any other area which may have been disturbed due to their mining activities and restore the land to a condition which is fit for growth of fodder, flora fauna etc.



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9. If the proposed project is situated in notified area of ground water extraction, where creation of new wells for ground water extraction is not allowed, requirement of fresh water shall be met from alternate water sources other than ground water or legally valid source and permission from the competent authority shall be obtained to use it.
10. Project Proponent should submit action plan for carrying out plantation at least @1,000 plants / ha of lease area. In this case, PP should prepare a plan, duly approved either by Forest Department or Horticulture Department, for planting at least 13,000 plants, either on government land or community land, within a periphery of 5 km from the boundary of the lease area along with provision for maintenance for 5 years. Survival of plants should not be less than the survival rate notified by Uttar Pradesh Forest Department otherwise it will be treated as violation of EC condition.

Rest all the content of Environmental Clearance letter no. 03/Parya/SEAC/4147/2018 dated 05/04/2018 shall remain same.

Minutes of 583rd SEAC-1 Meeting Dated 21/10/2021

1. Ekikrit Mandaliya Karyalya at Arazi Chhawani, Tappa & Pargana-Haveli, Tehsil-Sadar, Gorakhpur, U.P., M/s Executive Engineer, Gorakhpur Development Authority. File No. 6469/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIS/222165/2021

SEIAA agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC to grant the prior Environmental Clearance to the proposed project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by the SEAC. In addition to the conditions imposed by SEAC the SEIAA added following additional specific conditions:-

- 1- The project proponent shall submit building plans approved by the competent authority within one month.
- 2- The project proponent shall submit within the next 3 months the details of solar power plant and solar electrification details within the project.
- 3- The project proponent shall ensure to plant broad leaf trees and their maintenance. The CPCB guidelines in this regard shall be followed.
- 4- The project proponent shall submit within the next 3 months the details on quantification of year wise CER activities along with cost and other details. CER activities must not be less 2% of the project cost. The CER activities should be related to mitigation of Environmental Pollution and awareness for the same.
- 5- The project proponent shall submit within the next 3 months the details of estimated construction waste generated during the construction period and its management plan.
- 6- The project proponent shall submit within the next 3 months the details of segregation plan of MSW.
- 7- The project proponent shall ensure that waste water is properly treated in STP and maximum amount should be reused for gardening flushing system and washing etc. For reuse of water for irrigation sprinkler and drip irrigation system shall be installed and maintained for proper function. Part of the treated sewage, if discharged to sewer line, shall meet the prescribed standards for the discharge.
- 8- Under any circumstances untreated sewage shall not be discharged to municipal sewer

line.

- 9- The project proponent will ensure that proper dust control arrangements are made during construction and proper display board is installed at the site to inform the public the steps taken to control air pollution as per the Construction and Demolition Waste Management Rules.
- 10- The project proponent shall install micro solar power plants, toilets in nearby villages, public place or school from CER fund of the project for which E.C is granted in addition to and water harvesting pits and carbon sequestration parks / designed ecosystems.
- 11- A certificate from Forest Department shall be obtained that no forest land is involved and if forest land is involved the project proponent shall obtain forest clearance and permission of Central and State Government as per the provisions of Forest (conservation) Act, 1980 and submit before the start of work.
- 12- If the proposed project is situated in notified area of ground water extraction, where creation of new wells for ground water extraction is not allowed, requirement of fresh water shall be met from alternate water sources other than ground water or legally valid source and permission from the competent authority shall be obtained to use it.

2. Granite Mining at Gata No.-983, Village- Makarbai, Tehsil & District-Mahoba., M/s U.P. Expressways Industrial Development Authority (UPEIDA), Leased Area -19.626 ha. File No. 6528/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/ 67079/2021

SEIAA noted that the project has already been taken in its 515th meeting in which SEIAA has granted ToR to the above project.

3. Soil Excavation at Gata No.-133, 408, Village- KharagpurJagatpur, District- Moradabad, Shri Mohammad Rafi, Area-1.934 Ha. File No. 6479/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/221565 /2021

SEIAA agreed to grant EC to the above project but EC will be issued only when the project proponent submits notarized legible copy of agreement. SEIAA agreed to grant the prior Environmental Clearance with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by the SEAC but the SEIAA replaces the specific condition regarding cluster certificate as "If in future during the progressive mining this lease area becomes part of cluster i.e. area equal to or more than 5 ha., limited to B-1 category, then additional conditions based on the EIA conducted by the concerned lease holders shall be imposed and joint EMP shall be implemented. The lease holder shall mandatorily follow all the imposed conditions otherwise it will amount to violation of E.C. conditions. If the certificate related to cluster provided by the competent authority is found false or incorrect then punitive actions as per the law shall be initiated against the authority issuing the cluster certificate" and adding following conditions:-

1. A certificate from Forest Department shall be obtained that no forest land is involved in mining or as a route and if forest land is involved the project proponent shall obtain forest clearance and permission of Central and State Government as per the provisions of Forest (conservation) Act, 1980 and submit before the start of work.
2. The mining lease holders shall, after ceasing mining operations, undertake re-grassing the mining area and any other area which may have been disturbed due to their mining

activities and restore the land to a condition which is fit for growth of fodder, flora fauna etc.

3. If the proposed project is situated in notified area of ground water extraction, where creation of new wells for ground water extraction is not allowed, requirement of fresh water shall be met from alternate water sources other than ground water or legally valid source and permission from the competent authority shall be obtained to use it.
4. Project Proponent should submit action plan for carrying out plantation at least @1,000 plants / ha of lease area. In this case, PP should prepare a plan, duly approved either by Forest Department or Horticulture Department, for planting at least 2,000 plants, either on government land or community land, within a periphery of 5 km from the boundary of the lease area along with provision for maintenance for 5 years. Survival of plants should not be less than the survival rate notified by Uttar Pradesh Forest Department otherwise it will be treated as violation of EC condition.

4. Soil Excavation at Gata No.-152, 156, 184 & 226 Mi, Village- Baripur, District- Moradabad. Shri Pawan Kumar, Area-1.165 Ha. File No. 6480/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/222921/2021

SEIAA noted that SEAC has recommended to grant EC to the above project. SEIAA gone through file and documents and found that SEAC has not mentioned geo-coordinates in their minutes however on examination of the file geo-coordinates were found in application form. SEAC-1 is advised to be more careful in preparing minutes of the meeting.

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

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3. If the proposed project is situated in notified area of ground water extraction, where creation of new wells for ground water extraction is not allowed, requirement of fresh water shall be met from alternate water sources other than ground water or legally valid source and permission from the competent authority shall be obtained to use it.



4. Project Proponent should submit action plan for carrying out plantation at least @1,000 plants / ha of lease area. In this case, PP should prepare a plan, duly approved either by Forest Department or Horticulture Department, for planting at least 2,000 plants, either on government land or community land, within a periphery of 5 km from the boundary of the lease area along with provision for maintenance for 5 years. Survival of plants should not be less than the survival rate notified by Uttar Pradesh Forest Department otherwise it will be treated as violation of EC condition.

5. Soil Excavation at Gata No.-27, 72, Village- ImaratpurUdhaw, Tehsil-Bilari, Moradabad., Shri Mohd. Akhlak., Area-1.805 Ha. File No. 6481/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/222017/2021

SEIAA agreed to grant EC to the above project but EC will be issued only when the project proponent submits notarized legible copy of agreement. SEIAA agreed to grant the prior Environmental Clearance with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by the SEAC but the SEIAA replaces the specific condition regarding cluster certificate as "If in future during the progressive mining this lease area becomes part of cluster i.e. area equal to or more than 5 ha., limited to B-1 category, then additional conditions based on the EIA conducted by the concerned lease holders shall be imposed and joint EMP shall be implemented. The lease holder shall mandatorily follow all the imposed conditions otherwise it will amount to violation of E.C. conditions. If the certificate related to cluster provided by the competent authority is found false or incorrect then punitive actions as per the law shall be initiated against the authority issuing the cluster certificate" and adding following conditions:-

1. A certificate from Forest Department shall be obtained that no forest land is involved in mining or as a route and if forest land is involved the project proponent shall obtain forest clearance and permission of Central and State Government as per the provisions of Forest (conservation) Act, 1980 and submit before the start of work.
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3. If the proposed project is situated in notified area of ground water extraction, where creation of new wells for ground water extraction is not allowed, requirement of fresh water shall be met from alternate water sources other than ground water or legally valid source and permission from the competent authority shall be obtained to use it.
4. Project Proponent should submit action plan for carrying out plantation at least @1,000 plants / ha of lease area. In this case, PP should prepare a plan, duly approved either by Forest Department or Horticulture Department, for planting at least 2,000 plants, either on government land or community land, within a periphery of 5 km from the boundary of the lease area along with provision for maintenance for 5 years. Survival of plants should not be less than the survival rate notified by Uttar Pradesh Forest Department otherwise it will be treated as violation of EC condition.



6. Sand/ Morrum Mining from Yamuna River Bed at Khand No.- 16/23 to 16/25, Village- Mahewa, Tehsil-Manjhanpur, Kaushambi, U.P., M/s Addija Mines and Construction Pvt. Ltd. Area: 16.50 ha. File No. 6538/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/ 65259/2021

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

7. Soil Mining at Khasra No./Gata No.- 42, Village- Sohilpur, Tehsil-Ramsanehighat, Barabanki, Shri Sarvesh Kumar Yadav, Area-0.122 ha. File No. 6565/Proposal No. SIA/UP/ MIN/228943/2021

SEIAA agreed to grant EC to the above project but EC will be issued only when the project proponent submits notarized legible copy of agreement. SEIAA agreed to grant the prior Environmental Clearance with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by the SEAC but the SEIAA replaces the specific condition regarding cluster certificate as "If in future during the progressive mining this lease area becomes part of cluster i.e. area equal to or more than 5 ha., limited to B-1 category, then additional conditions based on the EIA conducted by the concerned lease holders shall be imposed and joint EMP shall be implemented. The lease holder shall mandatorily follow all the imposed conditions otherwise it will amount to violation of E.C. conditions. If the certificate related to cluster provided by the competent authority is found false or incorrect then punitive actions as per the law shall be initiated against the authority issuing the cluster certificate" and adding following conditions:-

1. A certificate from Forest Department shall be obtained that no forest land is involved in mining or as a route and if forest land is involved the project proponent shall obtain forest clearance and permission of Central and State Government as per the provisions of Forest (conservation) Act, 1980 and submit before the start of work.
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3. If the proposed project is situated in notified area of ground water extraction, where creation of new wells for ground water extraction is not allowed, requirement of fresh water shall be met from alternate water sources other than ground water or legally valid source and permission from the competent authority shall be obtained to use it.
4. Project Proponent should submit action plan for carrying out plantation at least @1,000 plants / ha of lease area. In this case, PP should prepare a plan, duly approved either by Forest Department or Horticulture Department, for planting at least 1,000 plants, either on government land or community land, within a periphery of 5 km from the boundary of the lease area along with provision for maintenance for 5 years. Survival of plants should not be less than the survival rate notified by Uttar Pradesh Forest Department otherwise it will be treated as violation of EC condition.



8. Development of "Ganga Expressway" from Meerut to Prayagraj an Access Controlled Greenfield Expressway Project, (Ch.7+900-Ch.601+847 Km) Total Length-593.947 Km. M/s UPEIDA. File No. 6186/Proposal No. SIA/UP/NCP/60685/2021

SEIAA noted that the project has already been taken in its 512th meeting in which SEIAA has granted EC to the above project.

9. Sand/Morrum Mining along Betwa River Bed in Khand No.- 10/22, at Village- Beri, Tehsil-Hamirpur, District-Hamirpur., Area-36.437 Ha). File No. 4390 Proposal NoSIA/UP/MIN/216509/2021

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

1. In the absence of replenishment study keeping in mind various orders issued by Hon'ble NGT and development works in the State, EC is transferred for a period of one year.
2. Permissible mining of river bed material (sand / bajri) shall be strictly limited to quantity and area mentioned in LOI or mining plan, whichever is lesser, and maximum mineable depth will be limited to as the approved mining plan. The permissible mineable material will be valid till one year from the date of transfer of the EC.
3. For subsequent period, PP shall submit fresh annual replenishment study to SEIAA, UP for amendment in EC for mineable quantity and maximum permissible depth for mining based on scientific findings of replenishment study. Such study shall be placed before SEAC for appraisal for next three years to assess rate of deposition and accordingly, mineable production capacity and depth can be prescribed based on trends analysis, provided it is found scientifically satisfactory by the SEAC. The placing of the study report SEAC is mandatory for initial three years.
4. Directions/suggestions given during public hearing and commitment made by the project proponent should be strictly complied.
5. A certificate from Forest Department shall be obtained that no forest land is involved in mining or as a route and if forest land is involved the project proponent shall obtain forest clearance and permission of Central and State Government as per the provisions of Forest (conservation) Act, 1980 and submit before the start of work.
6. The mining lease holders shall, after ceasing mining operations, undertake re-grassing the mining area and any other area which may have been disturbed due to their mining activities and restore the land to a condition which is fit for growth of fodder, flora fauna etc.
7. If the proposed project is situated in notified area of ground water extraction, where creation of new wells for ground water extraction is not allowed, requirement of fresh water shall be met from alternate water sources other than ground water or legally valid source and permission from the competent authority shall be obtained to use it.
8. Project Proponent should submit action plan for carrying out plantation at least @1,000 plants / ha of lease area. In this case, PP should prepare a plan, duly approved either by Forest Department or Horticulture Department, for planting at least 37,000 plants, either on government land or community land, within a periphery of 5 km from the boundary of the lease area along with provision for maintenance for 5 years. Survival of

plants should not be less than the survival rate notified by Uttar Pradesh Forest Department otherwise it will be treated as violation of EC condition.

9. Department of Geology & Mines, GoUP in consultation with UPSPCB will establish required number of CAAQMS in district within a period of one year and submit geo-referenced map of these stations along with data. Details of existing CAAQMS, if any, be submitted within a period of three months.
10. Number of mining projects are coming up in the district. Department of Geology & Mines, GoUP to carry out regional EIA-EMP report including carrying capacity of environmental components to assess the capacity to further bear the pollution load for such areas within a period of 1 year and submit the same to SEIAA, UP for evaluation.

10. Stone (Sand Stone) Mine at Araj No./Gata No.-519, at Village-Ghasipur, Chunar, Mirzapur, U.P., Shri Manish Kumar, M/s Divyansh Enterprises, Area-2.02 ha File No. 6150/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/60471/2021

SEIAA agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC to close/ delist the file as the project proponent did not appear and open only after submission of online request on prescribed online portal. A letter shall be sent to DM, Mirzapur to ensure that no mining activity is started until valid EC is obtained.

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

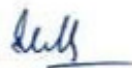
SEIAA noted that SEAC in its minutes has mentioned that period of validity of M/s Paramarsh (Servicing Environment and Development) is 19.07.2021 and the project was deliberated upon by them after this date. On examination of file consultant validity is mentioned as 13.01.2022. SEAC-1 is advised to be more careful in future while preparing minutes of the meeting.

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

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 6. If the proposed project is situated in notified area of ground water extraction, where creation of new wells for ground water extraction is not allowed, requirement of fresh water shall be met from alternate water sources other than ground water or legally valid source and permission from the competent authority shall be obtained to use it.
 7. Project Proponent should submit action plan for carrying out plantation at least @1,000 plants / ha of lease area. In this case, PP should prepare a plan, duly approved either by Forest Department or Horticulture Department, for planting at least 3,000 plants, either on government land or community land, within a periphery of 5 km from the boundary of the lease area along with provision for maintenance for 5 years. Survival of plants should not be less than the survival rate notified by Uttar Pradesh Forest Department otherwise it will be treated as violation of EC condition.
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12. Stone Mining at Gata No.-1097, Khand No.- 10, Village-Utiya, Tehsil- Sadar, Mahoba., Shri Devendra Kumar Gupta, Area-0.809 ha. File No. 6023//Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/58955/2020
- SEIAA noted that the project has already been taken in its 521st meeting in which SEIAA has granted EC to the above project.
13. Granite (Khanda, Gitti & Boulders & Pahadi Red Morrum)" at Gata No.- 2131/08, Village- Raulikalyanpur, Tehsil- Karwi, Chitrakoot, U.P. Shri Rahul Yadav, Area-4.0481 ha). File No. 6544/5676/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/ 67307/2020
- SEIAA noted that SEAC in its minutes has mentioned that period of validity of, M/s Paramarsh (Servicing Environment and Development) is 19.07.2021 and the project was deliberated upon them after this date. On examination of file consultant validity is mentioned as 13.01.2022. SEAC-1 is advised to be more careful in future while preparing minutes of the meeting.
- Lol has been issued for 1,45,000 m³ per annum while the mine plan is for 48,000 m³ per annum. PP has also requested to grant EC for 48,000 m³ per annum and accordingly SEAC-1 has also recommended grant of EC for same quantity i.e. 48,000 m³ per annum. SEIAA



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agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC to grant the prior Environmental Clearance to the proposed project but EC is to be issued only when the above area is included in the DSR from competent authority or under his approval, along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by the SEAC adding following specific condition as follows:-

1. This EC is co-terminus with validity of current mine plan or current lease period whichever is earlier.
2. Directions/suggestions given during public hearing and commitment made by the project proponent should be strictly complied.
3. A certificate from Forest Department shall be obtained that no forest land is involved in mining or as a route and if forest land is involved the project proponent shall obtain forest clearance and permission of Central and State Government as per the provisions of Forest (conservation) Act, 1980 and submit before the start of work.
4. The mining lease holders shall, after ceasing mining operations, undertake re-grassing the mining area and any other area which may have been disturbed due to their mining activities and restore the land to a condition which is fit for growth of fodder, flora fauna etc.
5. Three tier green shelter belt of 7.5m width should be developed on the periphery of mine lease area. Local and native species should be planted in consultation with Forest/Horticulture Department/Agriculture University.
6. Plan for using the mine void for productive use in consultation with local administration and gram-panchayat.
7. If the proposed project is situated in notified area of ground water extraction, where creation of new wells for ground water extraction is not allowed, requirement of fresh water shall be met from alternate water sources other than ground water or legally valid source and permission from the competent authority shall be obtained to use it.
8. Project Proponent should submit action plan for carrying out plantation at least @1,000 plants / ha of lease area. In this case, PP should prepare a plan, duly approved either by Forest Department or Horticulture Department, for planting at least 5,000 plants, either on government land or community land, within a periphery of 5 km from the boundary of the lease area along with provision for maintenance for 5 years. Survival of plants should not be less than the survival rate notified by Uttar Pradesh Forest Department otherwise it will be treated as violation of EC condition.

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