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Minutes of the 728th Meeting of the State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, UP (SEIAA) held on 13-05-2023

The meeting of 728th State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, UP (SEIAA) was held on-line on 13.05.2023 the Directorate of Environment. The following were present in the meeting:-

1. Shri Paras Nath

Member, SEIAA, U.P.

2. Shri Ajay Kumar Sharma

Member Secretary, SEIAA, U.P.

Agenda A-Minutes of 744th SEAC-2 Meeting Dated 28/04/2023

1- Sand/Morrum mine in river bed at Gata No.- 11/15 to 11/16, Village- Diya, Tehsil-Manjhanpur& District— Kaushambi, M/s Manali Vintrade Pvt. Ltd., Shri Shafique Mohd., Area: 24.28 ha., File No. 7729/7223/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/423236/2023

In light of discussion held in 731st SEAC meeting and SEIAA meeting no. 597 dated 05.05.2022 SEIAA opined to accept the recommendation of SEAC and grant EC to the said project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by SEAC adding following specific conditions SEIAA opined to accept the recommendation of SEAC and grant EC to the said project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by SEAC adding following specific conditions:-

- 1- Validity period of this EC is 6 months from the date of issue as the LoI has been issued for a period of 6 months or co-terminus with the validity of current mine plan or current lease period whichever is earlier After this period the EC will become null and void.
- 2- District Mining Officer shall ensure that if mineable quantity mentioned in LOI is amended as per replenishment study report the project proponent shall seek amended/fresh EC.
- 3- Directions/suggestions given during public hearing and commitment made by the project proponent should be strictly complied.
- 4- 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.
- 5- 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.
- 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 25,000 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- In consultation with District Environment Authority or an Authority nominated by concerned DM, project proponent will prepared a conservation and management plan for rejuvenation and management of water bodies having total surface area of more than 125 ha. Funds for the same will be kept in a separate bank account and six monthly compliance status will be presented by project proponent before the nominated authority in the District.
- 9- Department of Geology and Mines, Government of Uttar Pradesh and / or concerned district administration, before releasing the security deposit to Project Proponent will ensure that Project Proponent has fully complied with the EC conditions. Non-compliance, if any, should be reported to UPSPCB for appropriate legal action and recovery of compensation.
- 10- Any application for transfer of this EC, during its validity period unless it is cancelled by a competent authority, has to be necessarily accompanied with status of compliance of EC conditions duly certified by IRO, MoEFCC, GoI, Lucknow.

2- Ordinary Soil Mining Project at Gata No.-687, Village-Imadpur Thamrai, Tehsil- Kayamganj, District- Farrukhabad, Shri Kanhaiya Lal, Area 1.263 Ha., File No. 7730/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/423366/2023

In light of discussion held in 731st SEAC meeting and SEIAA meeting no. 597 dated 05.05.2022. SEIAA opined to accept the recommendation of SEAC-1 and grant EC to the said project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by SEAC but 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. Validity period of this EC is 3 months from the date of issue as the LoI has been issued for a period of 3 months or co-terminus with the validity of current mine plan or current lease period whichever is earlier. After this period the EC will become null and void.
- 2. District Mining Officer shall ensure that if mineable quantity mentioned in LOI is amended as per replenishment study report the project proponent shall seek amended/fresh EC.
- 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. 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. In consultation with District Environment Authority or an Authority nominated by concerned DM, project proponent will prepared a conservation and management plan for rejuvenation and management of water bodies having total surface area of more than 10-ha. Funds for the same will be kept in a separate bank account and six monthly compliance status will be presented by project proponent before the nominated authority in the District.
- 7. Department of Geology and Mines, Government of Uttar Pradesh and / or concerned district administration, before releasing the security deposit to Project Proponent will ensure that Project Proponent has fully complied with the EC conditions. Non-compliance, if any, should be reported to UPSPCB for appropriate legal action and recovery of compensation.
- Any application for transfer of this EC, during its validity period unless it is cancelled by a
 competent authority, has to be necessarily accompanied with status of compliance of EC
 conditions duly certified by IRO, MoEFCC, Gol, Lucknow.
- If the air quality deteriorates due to mining, then District Administration & Directorate of Mining should ensure that mining be stopped immediately. Adequate measures be taken for restoring air quality and mining should commence only when air quality attains the prescribed standards.
- 3- Ordinary Sand Mining Project on Yamuna River Bed Location of the Project- Gata No.- 784

 Mi, Village-Kishunpur, Tehsil- Bhognipur, District- Kanpur Dehat, Shri Santosh Kumar

 Sachan., File No. 7733/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/423436/2023

SEIAA noted the comment of SEAC that the project proponent did not appear. Hence that the project file should be closed and be opened only after request from the project proponent. The file shall not be treated as pending at SEAC. The matter will be discussed only after submission of online requests on prescribed online portal

4- 200 KLPD Grain based distillery along with 5.0 MW Cogeneration Power Plant will be established by M/s. Shri Gurukripa GNG private limited at Gata No.-256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261,262,267,268,269,270,271,272,273,228, Village-Ghanshyampur ,Post- Azizpur, Block-Nigohi ,Tehsil- Tilhar , Shahjahanpur., File No. 7736/Proposal No. SIA/UP/IND2/423244/2023

SEIAA noted the comment of SEAC that the project proponent did not appear. Hence that the project file should be closed and be opened only after request from the project proponent. The file shall not be treated as pending at SEAC. The matter will be discussed only after submission of online requests on prescribed online portal

5- Riverbed Morrum Mining Project from Yamuna River at Gata No.- 649 to 659 (Khand No.- 10/10 to 10/13), Village- Kataiya, Tehsil - Chail, District - Kaushambi, Area- 20.0 ha, File No. 7738/7290/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/423562/2023

SEIAA noted the comment of SEAC that the project proponent did not appear. Hence that the project file should be closed and be opened only after request from the project proponent. The file shall not be treated as pending at SEAC. The matter will be discussed only after submission of online requests on prescribed online portal.

6- Development of Commercial Complex Project (Shopping Malls, Showrooms, Retail Outlets, Hotels, Restaurants, Offices and Such other Commercial uses), Plot No.- E-01, Sector-51, Noida, Gautam Budh Nagar, Shri Deep Ramesh Goradia, M/s INGKA Centres India Pvt. Ltd., File No. 7745/5807/Proposal No. SIA/UP/INFRA2/424190/2023

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

7- Ordinary Sand Mining from river bed of Yamuna, at Khand No 14, at village — Baswaar, Tehsil- Karchana, Prayagraj, Shri Surendra Kumar, Area - 4.69 ha., File No. 3989/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/297526/2023

SEIAA agreed with the recommendation of SEAC to extend the validity of environment clearance letter dated 08/03/2018 (which was amended by SEIAA on 21/12/2022) for the period of revised LOI/approved mining plan whichever is earliest. All Conditions mentioned in EC issued vide letter no. 229/parya/SEAC/3989/2018, dated 08/03/2018 and amended EC letter no. 315/Parya/SEIAA/3989/2022, dated 21/12/2022 shall remain the same.

8- Sand/Morrum Mining from river bed of Yamuna, at at Gata no- 2/4, 2/23, 2/24 & 2/28, Khand no.- 4 over an area of 21.00 ha at Bendakhadar, Tehsil- Banda, District- Banda, Uttar Pradesh of Shri Ashish Kumar Gautam, File No. 4918/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/299342/2023

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

9- Sand/Morrum Mining having from Yamuna River Bed in Gata No.-553, 554, at Village-Issopur Khurgan, Tehsil-Kairana, Shamli, U.P., M/s Devansh Infra (Leased Area-3.96 Ha). File No. 4661.

SEIAA noted that Tor and public hearing validity has expired. Hence SEIAA opined that the project proponent shall apply for fresh online application.

10- Sand/Morrum River Bed Mining Gata No.- 840/1, Village — Behta Ballu, Tehsil - Kayamganj, District — Farrukhabad, Uttar Pradesh, Area- 7.0 ha., File No. 7791/7324/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/426556/2023

In light of discussion held in 731st SEAC meeting and SEIAA meeting no. 597 dated 05.05.2022. SEIAA opined to accept the recommendation of SEAC and grant EC to the said project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by SEAC adding following specific conditions:-

- 1. District Mining Officer shall ensure that if mineable quantity mentioned in LOI is amended as per replenishment study report the project proponent shall seek amended/fresh EC.
- Directions/suggestions given during public hearing and commitment made by the project proponent should be strictly complied.
- 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. If the proposed project is situated in notified area of ground water extraction, where creation of new wells for ground water extraction is not allowed, requirement of fresh water shall be met from alternate water sources other than ground water or legally valid source and permission from the competent authority shall be obtained to use it.
- 6. 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 7,000 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.
- 7. In consultation with District Environment Authority or an Authority nominated by concerned DM, project proponent will prepared a conservation and management plan for rejuvenation and management of water bodies having total surface area of more than 35 ha. Funds for the same will be kept in a separate bank account and six monthly compliance status will be presented by project proponent before the nominated authority in the District.
- 8. Department of Geology and Mines, Government of Uttar Pradesh and / or concerned district administration, before releasing the security deposit to Project Proponent will ensure that Project Proponent has fully complied with the EC conditions. Non-compliance, if any, should be reported to UPSPCB for appropriate legal action and recovery of compensation.
- Any application for transfer of this EC, during its validity period unless it is cancelled by a
 competent authority, has to be necessarily accompanied with status of compliance of EC
 conditions duly certified by IRO, MoEFCC, Gol, Lucknow.

Agenda B- Minutes of 745th SEAC-2 Meeting Dated 29/04/2023

1- <u>Up-gradation& Renovation of District Jail Complex at (khasra no 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 611 MI)</u> at Mauja Nekpur, Sadar, Bareilly, UP, M/s Uttar Pradesh Public Works Department, Bareilly, U.P., Shri Sanjeev Kumar. File No. 7753/ Proposal No. SIA/UP/INFRA2/424526/2023

SEIAA noted that the above project has already be taken in its 727th meeting.

2- <u>"Building Stone (Khanda, Giiti, Boulder, Ballast & Red Morrum) Mining Project" at Araji No.:93, Khand No.:22, Village: Bari, Tehsil: Sadar, Mahoba, Smt. Beena Bajpai, Area: 1.012 Ha, File No. 7754/6865/ Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/424542/2023</u>

In light of discussion held in SEIAA meeting no. 597 dated 05.05.2022. SEIAA opined to accept the recommendation of SEAC and grant EC to the said project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by SEAC adding following specific conditions:-

- 1. Validity period of this EC is 5 years from the date of issue as the LoI has been issued for a period of 5 years or co-terminus with the validity of current mine plan or current lease period whichever is earlier After this period the EC will become null and void.
- 2. Directions/suggestions given during public hearing and commitment made by the project proponent should be strictly complied.
- 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.
- 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.
- 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 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.
- 9. In consultation with District Environment Authority or an Authority nominated by concerned DM, project proponent will prepared a conservation and management plan for rejuvenation and management of water bodies having total surface area of more than 10 ha. Funds for the same will be kept in a separate bank account and six monthly compliance status will be presented by project proponent before the nominated authority in the District.
- 10. Department of Geology and Mines, Government of Uttar Pradesh and / or concerned district administration, before releasing the security deposit to Project Proponent will ensure that Project Proponent has fully complied with the EC conditions. Non-compliance, if any, should be reported to UPSPCB for appropriate legal action and recovery of compensation.
- 11. Any application for transfer of this EC, during its validity period unless it is cancelled by a competent authority, has to be necessarily accompanied with status of compliance of EC conditions duly certified by IRO, MoEFCC, Gol, Lucknow.
- 12. Number of mining projects are coming up in 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.
- 13. 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.
- 14. Large number of mining projects are ongoing as well as new mining leases are coming up in the district. A reference be sent to DGM and MS, SPCB for preparing mitigation plan for controlling air pollution in the district especially in mining areas.
- 15. If the air quality deteriorates due to mining, then District Administration & Directorate of Mining should ensure that mining be stopped immediately. Adequate measures be taken for restoring air quality and mining should commence only when air quality attains the prescribed standards.
- 3- Commercial Building Project at Block 5, Commercial -1, Pocket -1, Sector -D, International Trade
 Park -2 at Sushant Golf City Hi- Tech Township Lucknow, M/s Kanak Bihari Builder Private Limited.,
 File No. 7755/ Proposal No. SIA/UP/INFRA2/422576/2023

SEIAA opined to accept the recommendation of SEAC and grant EC to the said project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by SEAC. In addition to the conditions imposed by SEAC, SEIAA added following additional specific conditions:-

- 1- The project proponent shall submit within the next 3 months the details of solar power plant and solar electrification details within the project.
- 2- The project proponent shall ensure to plant broad leaf trees and their maintenance. The CPCB guidelines in this regard shall be followed.
- 3- 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.
- 4- 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.
- 5- The project proponent shall submit within the next 3 months the details of segregation plan of MSW.
- 6- 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.
- 7- Under any circumstances untreated sewage shall not be discharged to municipal sewer line.
- 8- 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
- 9- 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.
- 10- 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.
- 11- 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.
- 12- Provision for charging of electric vehicles as per the guidelines of GoI / GoUP should be submitted within the next 3 months.
- 13- PP should display EC granted to them on their website. 6-monthly compliance report should be displayed on their website and to be given every six month to residents / occupants of the building.
- 14- EC is granted with the condition that EC is valid only for the building plan which has been submitted by PP for seeking EC. In case approved building plan is different from the one submitted for seeking EC then this EC will stand null and void.

4- "Building stone (Sandstone)" Project at Arazi No.-428, Village- Dhuría, Tehsil-Chunar, District-Mirzapur, Shri Chhatrabali Singh, Area 1.01 ha., File No. 7756/ 7138/ Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/423956/2023

In light of discussion held in SEIAA meeting no. 597 dated 05.05.2022. SEIAA opined to accept the recommendation of SEAC and grant EC to the said project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by SEAC adding following specific conditions:-

- Validity period of this EC is 5 years from the date of issue as the LoI has been issued for a
 period of 5 years or co-terminus with the validity of current mine plan or current lease period
 whichever is earlier After this period the EC will become null and void.
- 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 4,000 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. In consultation with District Environment Authority or an Authority nominated by concerned DM, project proponent will prepared a conservation and management plan for rejuvenation and management of water bodies having total surface area of more than 20 ha. Funds for the same will be kept in a separate bank account and six monthly compliance status will be presented by project proponent before the nominated authority in the District.
- 10. Department of Geology and Mines, Government of Uttar Pradesh and / or concerned district administration, before releasing the security deposit to Project Proponent will ensure that Project Proponent has fully complied with the EC conditions. Non-compliance, if any, should be reported to UPSPCB for appropriate legal action and recovery of compensation.
- Any application for transfer of this EC, during its validity period unless it is cancelled by a competent authority, has to be necessarily accompanied with status of compliance of EC conditions duly certified by IRO, MoEFCC, GoI, Lucknow.
- 12. Number of mining projects are coming up in 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.
- 13. 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.
- 14. Large number of mining projects are ongoing as well as new mining leases are coming up in the district. A reference be sent to DGM and MS, SPCB for preparing mitigation plan for controlling air pollution in the district especially in mining areas.
- 15. If the air quality deteriorates due to mining, then District Administration & Directorate of Mining should ensure that mining be stopped immediately. Adequate measures be taken for restoring air quality and mining should commence only when air quality attains the prescribed standards.

5- Expansion of Group Housing Project at Plot no. GH-02c, Sector 1, Greater Noida, ShriAnkit Sharma, M/s JSS Buildcon Pvt. Ltd., File No. 7757/ Proposal No. SIA/UP/INFRA2/424782/2023

SEIAA noted the comment of SEAC that the project proponent did not appear. Hence that the project file should be closed and be opened only after request from the project proponent. The file shall not be treated as pending at SEAC. The matter will be discussed only after submission of online requests on prescribed online portal

6- Moram Mining Project at Yamuna River Bed" at Khand No. 8/6 to 8/7, Village- Rushai Maharaniya Ka Pura, Tehsil- Chayal, District: Kaushambi, U.P., Shri Sandeep Mishra, M/s Sandeep Enterprises, Area-15.0 ha., File No. 7759/6642/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/424746/2023

In light of discussion held in 731st SEAC meeting and SEIAA meeting no. 597 dated 05.05.2022. SEIAA opined to accept the recommendation of SEAC and grant EC to the said project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by SEAC adding following specific conditions:-

- District Mining Officer shall ensure that if mineable quantity mentioned in LOI is amended as per replenishment study report the project proponent shall seek amended/fresh EC.
- 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. If the proposed project is situated in notified area of ground water extraction, where creation of new wells for ground water extraction is not allowed, requirement of fresh water shall be met from alternate water sources other than ground water or legally valid source and permission from the competent authority shall be obtained to use it.
- 6. 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 15,000 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.
- 7. In consultation with District Environment Authority or an Authority nominated by concerned DM, project proponent will prepared a conservation and management plan for rejuvenation and management of water bodies having total surface area of more than 75 ha. Funds for the same will be kept in a separate bank account and six monthly compliance status will be presented by project proponent before the nominated authority in the District.
- 8. Department of Geology and Mines, Government of Uttar Pradesh and / or concerned district administration, before releasing the security deposit to Project Proponent will ensure that Project Proponent has fully complied with the EC conditions. Non-compliance, if any, should be reported to UPSPCB for appropriate legal action and recovery of compensation.
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- 11. 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.
- 12. Large number of mining projects are ongoing as well as new mining leases are coming up in the district. A reference be sent to DGM and MS, SPCB for preparing mitigation plan for controlling air pollution in the district especially in mining areas.
- 13. If the air quality deteriorates due to mining, then District Administration & Directorate of Mining should ensure that mining be stopped immediately. Adequate measures be taken for restoring air quality and mining should commence only when air quality attains the prescribed standards.
- 7- Common Hazardous Waste Treatment, Storage and Disposal Facilities (CHWTSDF) located at Plot No./Khasra No.-84,85,100, 101, 102, 104,107-109, Village- Firozpur Gandawali, Tehsil -Hasanpur, District- Amroha, Shri Saeed Anwar., File No. 7763/ Proposal No. SIA/UP/INFRA2/424382/2023

SEIAA noted the comment of SEAC that the project proponent did not appear. Hence that the project file should be closed and be opened only after request from the project proponent. The file shall not be treated as pending at SEAC. The matter will be discussed only after submission of online requests on prescribed online portal.

8- "Group Housing Complex at Plot No. - GH-01A, Sector-146, Noida, Shri Rajat Pathak, M/s Godrej Properties Ltd.", File No. 7764/ 7571/ Proposal No. SIA/UP/INFRA2/424618/2023

SEIAA noted the comment of SEAC that the matter will be discussed after submission of online information on prescribed portal.

9- Sand mine in Ghaghra river bed at Gata No.- 11 KhaMi, 12Mi, 13Mi, 11 GaMi& 14, Village-Manjha Begumganj, Tehsil- Sadar, District- Ayodhya, U.P., (Area-1.214 ha.) developed by Shri Sahabdeen Yadav, File No. 7781/ Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/425888/2023

Hence In light of discussion held in 731st SEAC meeting and SEIAA meeting no. 597 dated 05.05.2022 SEIAA opined to accept the recommendation of SEAC and grant EC to the said project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by SEAC adding following specific conditions

SEIAA opined to accept the recommendation of SEAC and grant EC to the said project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by SEAC but 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. Validity period of this EC is 6 months from the date of issue as the LoI has been issued for a period of 6 months or co-terminus with the validity of current mine plan or current lease period whichever is earlier. After this period the EC will become null and void.
- 2. District Mining Officer shall ensure that if mineable quantity mentioned in LOI is amended as per replenishment study report the project proponent shall seek amended/fresh EC.
- 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. 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.
- 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.

- 7. In consultation with District Environment Authority or an Authority nominated by concerned DM, project proponent will prepared a conservation and management plan for rejuvenation and management of water bodies having total surface area of more than 10 ha. Funds for the same will be kept in a separate bank account and six monthly compliance status will be presented by project proponent before the nominated authority in the District.
- 8. Department of Geology and Mines, Government of Uttar Pradesh and / or concerned district administration, before releasing the security deposit to Project Proponent will ensure that Project Proponent has fully complied with the EC conditions. Non-compliance, if any, should be reported to UPSPCB for appropriate legal action and recovery of compensation.
- Any application for transfer of this EC, during its validity period unless it is cancelled by a
 competent authority, has to be necessarily accompanied with status of compliance of EC
 conditions duly certified by IRO, MoEFCC, GoI, Lucknow.
- 10- Ordinary Earth Mining Project at Gata No. 1032 Aou, 262 Dhha, 13 Ga, 1032 Gyaa, 1032 Aye, 720, 1032 Na, 262 Daa, 1032 Yaa, 1032 Anga, 12, 13 Kha, 11, 13 Ka, 1032 Jhaa, Village- Paatkuwan, Tehsil-Hardoi, District Hardoi, Shri Sumit Kumar Singh, Area-3.0204 Ha., File No. 7788/ Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/426404/2023

In light of discussion held in 731st SEAC meeting and SEIAA meeting no. 597 dated 05.05.2022. SEIAA opined to accept the recommendation of SEAC-1 and grant EC to the said project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by SEAC but 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. District Mining Officer shall ensure that if mineable quantity mentioned in LOI is amended as per replenishment study report the project proponent shall seek amended/fresh EC.
- 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.
- 3. The mining lease holders shall, after ceasing mining operations, undertake re-grassing the mining area and any other area which may have been disturbed due to their mining activities and restore the land to a condition which is fit for growth of fodder, flora fauna etc.
- 4. 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 4,000 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. In consultation with District Environment Authority or an Authority nominated by concerned DM, project proponent will prepared a conservation and management plan for rejuvenation and management of water bodies having total surface area of more than 20- ha. Funds for the same will be kept in a separate bank account and six monthly compliance status will be presented by project proponent before the nominated authority in the District.
- 6. Department of Geology and Mines, Government of Uttar Pradesh and / or concerned district administration, before releasing the security deposit to Project Proponent will ensure that Project Proponent has fully complied with the EC conditions. Non-compliance, if any, should be reported to UPSPCB for appropriate legal action and recovery of compensation.
- 7. Any application for transfer of this EC, during its validity period unless it is cancelled by a competent authority, has to be necessarily accompanied with status of compliance of EC conditions duly certified by IRO, MoEFCC, GoI, Lucknow.
- If the air quality deteriorates due to mining, then District Administration & Directorate of Mining should ensure that mining be stopped immediately. Adequate measures be taken for restoring air quality and mining should commence only when air quality attains the prescribed standards.

11- "Sand/Morrum Mining Project", Gata No. 317Mi, Khand No. 05, Village/Ghat- Kurauna, Tehsil- Orai, Distt- Jalaun, Devendra Kumar Gupta, Area-12.12 Ha., File No. 6862/ Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/70942/2022

SEIAA noted the comment of SEAC that the project proponent did not appear. Hence that the project file should be closed and be opened only after request from the project proponent. The file shall not be treated as pending at SEAC. The matter will be discussed only after submission of online requests on prescribed online portal.

12- Group Housing Project at Khand No. 953, Village-Noor Nagar, Ghaziabad (U.P.) by M/s S.G. Estates Private Limited, File No. 7640/ Proposal No. SIA/UP/INFRA2/418114/2023

SEIAA opined to accept the recommendation of SEAC and grant EC to the said project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by SEAC. In addition to the conditions imposed by SEAC, SEIAA added following additional specific conditions:-

- 1- The project proponent shall submit within the next 3 months the details of solar power plant and solar electrification details within the project.
- 2- The project proponent shall ensure to plant broad leaf trees and their maintenance. The CPCB guidelines in this regard shall be followed.
- 3- 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.
- 4- 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.
- 5- The project proponent shall submit within the next 3 months the details of segregation plan of MSW.
- 6- 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.

- 7- Under any circumstances untreated sewage shall not be discharged to municipal sewer line.
- 8- 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.
- 9- 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.
- 10- 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.
- 11- 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.
- 12- Provision for charging of electric vehicles as per the guidelines of GoI / GoUP should be submitted within the next 3 months.
- 13- PP should display EC granted to them on their website. 6-monthly compliance report should be displayed on their website and to be given every six month to residents / occupants of the building.
- 14- EC is granted with the condition that EC is valid only for the building plan which has been submitted by PP for seeking EC. In case approved building plan is different from the one submitted for seeking EC then this EC will stand null and void.
- 13- Riverbed Korra Kanak Sand/Morrum Mining Project over an area of 40.48 ha (Plot no.381, 378, 383, 382, 384, 385, 386 Mi, 391, (Khand-2) Near Village: Korra Kanak, Tehsil: Fatehpur, District: Fatehpur, Shri K.P. Singh,, File No. 4379/ Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/296040/2022

SEIAA noted the comment of SEAC to defer the matter in next meeting.

Agenda C- Minutes of 738th SEAC-1 Meeting Dated 27/03/2023

1- Proposed of Revision of Group Housing Project "Sikka Karanam Green" at Plot No. Gh-01/A, Sector-143b Noida, District-Gautam Budh Nagar, Uttar Pradesh, M/s Sikka Infrastructure Pvt. Ltd. File no- 7639

SEIAA noted that SEAC has recommended to grant EC to the above project SEIAA gone through file and document and opined that project proponent shall submit CCR, Noida development authority Building plan approval and lease documents.

2- Proposed of Revision of IT/ITES SEZ Project is to be developed by Artha Infratech P. Ltd. The project site is located at Plot No.-21 Techzone-IV, Greater Noida (west), Gautam Budha Nagar, Uttar Pradesh File no- 7641

SEIAA noted that SEAC has recommended to grant EC to the above project SEIAA gone through file and document and opined that project proponent shall submit CCR, Noida development authority Building plan approval and lease documents.

3- Proposed for Group housing project at Khasra No.-276(P), 385(P), 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393(P), 394(P), 398, 399, 401(P), 402(P), 403(P), 404(P), 405(P), and 442(P), Village - Mauza Mau, Tehsil and Distt. Agra, U.P. of M/s Paawan Sahakari Avas Samiti Ltd File no-7662

SEIAA opined to take up the matter when the secretariat places the complete file in the next meeting.

4- Proposed of "Group Housing" at Plot No.- 4B, Sector- 12, Greater Noida (West), District-Gautam Buddh Naga, Uttar Pradesh, by M/s Grand Realtech Limited File no- 7664-7615

SEIAA noted that SEAC has recommended to grant EC to the above project SEIAA gone through file and document and opined that project proponent shall submit detail of STP plan e — management and detail of final discharge of sewage.

Agenda D- Other

1- "Ordinary Soil Excavation Project" at Gata No. – 389, 390, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396 & 397, village – Bubkapur, Tehsil - Kaiserganj & District - Bahraich, Shri Vaibhav Agarwal, Area 1.607 Ha., File No. 7709/ Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/422321/2023

SEIAA noted that the above project was taken in SEAC meeting dated 26.04.2023 In light of discussion held in 731st SEAC meeting and SEIAA meeting no. 597 dated 05.05.2022. SEIAA opined to accept the recommendation of SEAC-1 and grant EC to the said project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by SEAC but 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:-

- District Mining Officer shall ensure that if mineable quantity mentioned in LOI is amended as per replenishment study report the project proponent shall seek amended/fresh EC.
- 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.
- 3. The mining lease holders shall, after ceasing mining operations, undertake re-grassing the mining area and any other area which may have been disturbed due to their mining activities and restore the land to a condition which is fit for growth of fodder, flora fauna etc.
- 4. 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. In consultation with District Environment Authority or an Authority nominated by concerned DM, project proponent will prepared a conservation and management plan for rejuvenation and management of water bodies having total surface area of more than 10- ha. Funds for the

- same will be kept in a separate bank account and six monthly compliance status will be presented by project proponent before the nominated authority in the District.
- 6. Department of Geology and Mines, Government of Uttar Pradesh and / or concerned district administration, before releasing the security deposit to Project Proponent will ensure that Project Proponent has fully complied with the EC conditions. Non-compliance, if any, should be reported to UPSPCB for appropriate legal action and recovery of compensation.
- Any application for transfer of this EC, during its validity period unless it is cancelled by a competent authority, has to be necessarily accompanied with status of compliance of EC conditions duly certified by IRO, MoEFCC, GoI, Lucknow.
- 8. If the air quality deteriorates due to mining, then District Administration & Directorate of Mining should ensure that mining be stopped immediately. Adequate measures be taken for restoring air quality and mining should commence only when air quality attains the prescribed standards.

2- Riverbed "Sand/Morrum Mining" on River Betwa at Khand No. - 22/7, Area – 12.0 Ha. at Village- Rirua Basariya, Tehsil- Sarila & District- Hamirpur, Uttar Pradesh, File No. 7747/7292/ Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/424157/2023

SEIAA noted that the above project was taken in SEAC meeting dated 24.04.2023. In light of discussion held in 731st SEAC meeting and SEIAA meeting no. 597 dated 05.05.2022. SEIAA opined to accept the recommendation of SEAC and grant EC to the said project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by SEAC adding following specific conditions:-

- 1. District Mining Officer shall ensure that if mineable quantity mentioned in LOI is amended as per replenishment study report the project proponent shall seek amended/fresh EC.
- 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. If the proposed project is situated in notified area of ground water extraction, where creation of new wells for ground water extraction is not allowed, requirement of fresh water shall be met from alternate water sources other than ground water or legally valid source and permission from the competent authority shall be obtained to use it.
- 6. 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.
- 7. In consultation with District Environment Authority or an Authority nominated by concerned DM, project proponent will prepared a conservation and management plan for rejuvenation and management of water bodies having total surface area of more than 65 ha. Funds for the same will be kept in a separate bank account and six monthly compliance status will be presented by project proponent before the nominated authority in the District.

- 8. Department of Geology and Mines, Government of Uttar Pradesh and / or concerned district administration, before releasing the security deposit to Project Proponent will ensure that Project Proponent has fully complied with the EC conditions. Non-compliance, if any, should be reported to UPSPCB for appropriate legal action and recovery of compensation.
- Any application for transfer of this EC, during its validity period unless it is cancelled by a
 competent authority, has to be necessarily accompanied with status of compliance of EC
 conditions duly certified by IRO, MoEFCC, GoI, Lucknow.
- 10. Number of mining projects are coming up in 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.
- 11. 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.
- 12. Large number of mining projects are ongoing as well as new mining leases are coming up in the district. A reference be sent to DGM and MS, SPCB for preparing mitigation plan for controlling air pollution in the district especially in mining areas.
- 13. If the air quality deteriorates due to mining, then District Administration & Directorate of Mining should ensure that mining be stopped immediately. Adequate measures be taken for restoring air quality and mining should commence only when air quality attains the prescribed standards.

3- Khanda Boulder (Sandstone) at Araji No. -30/59 Village- Sukrit, Tehsil-Robertsganj, District-Sonbhadra, Shri Gyanendra Yadav, Area- 2.510 ha., File No. 7706/7148/ Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/422251/2023

SEIAA noted that the above project was taken in SEAC meeting dated 26.04.2023In light of discussion held in SEIAA meeting no. 597 dated 05.05.2022. SEIAA opined to accept the recommendation of SEAC and grant EC to the said project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by SEAC adding following specific conditions:-

- 1. Validity period of this EC is 5 years from the date of issue as the LoI has been issued for a period of 5 years or co-terminus with the validity of current mine plan or current lease period whichever is earlier After this period the EC will become null and void.
- 2. Directions/suggestions given during public hearing and commitment made by the project proponent should be strictly complied.
- 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 4,000 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. In consultation with District Environment Authority or an Authority nominated by concerned DM, project proponent will prepared a conservation and management plan for rejuvenation and management of water bodies having total surface area of more than 20 ha. Funds for the same will be kept in a separate bank account and six monthly compliance status will be presented by project proponent before the nominated authority in the District.
- 10. Department of Geology and Mines, Government of Uttar Pradesh and / or concerned district administration, before releasing the security deposit to Project Proponent will ensure that Project Proponent has fully complied with the EC conditions. Non-compliance, if any, should be reported to UPSPCB for appropriate legal action and recovery of compensation.
- 11. Any application for transfer of this EC, during its validity period unless it is cancelled by a competent authority, has to be necessarily accompanied with status of compliance of EC conditions duly certified by IRO, MoEFCC, GoI, Lucknow.
- 12. Number of mining projects are coming up in 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.
- 13. 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.
- 14. Large number of mining projects are ongoing as well as new mining leases are coming up in the district. A reference be sent to DGM and MS, SPCB for preparing mitigation plan for controlling air pollution in the district especially in mining areas.
- 15. If the air quality deteriorates due to mining, then District Administration & Directorate of Mining should ensure that mining be stopped immediately. Adequate measures be taken for restoring air quality and mining should commence only when air quality attains the prescribed standards.

4- Environment Clearance for proposed Group Housing-1, ITP-2, Sec-D, Golf City, Sultanpur Road, Lucknow, developed by Oro Infra Developers LLP file no- 7531

SEIAA noted that the above project was taken in its 718th meeting in which SEIAA opined that the project proponent shall submit unmasked current KML file and approved building plan. The project proponent has submitted his reply and SEIAA opined to accept the recommendation of SEAC and grant EC to the said project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by SEAC. In addition to the conditions imposed by SEAC, SEIAA added following additional specific conditions:-

- 1- The project proponent shall submit within the next 3 months the details of solar power plant and solar electrification details within the project.
- 2- The project proponent shall ensure to plant broad leaf trees and their maintenance. The CPCB Page 18 of 25

- guidelines in this regard shall be followed.
- 3- 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.
- 4- 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.
- 5- The project proponent shall submit within the next 3 months the details of segregation plan of MSW.
- 6- 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.
- 7- Under any circumstances untreated sewage shall not be discharged to municipal sewer line.
- 8- 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.
- 9- 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.
- 10- 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.
- 11- 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.
- 12- Provision for charging of electric vehicles as per the guidelines of GoI / GoUP should be submitted within the next 3 months.
- 13- PP should display EC granted to them on their website. 6-monthly compliance report should be displayed on their website and to be given every six month to residents / occupants of the building.
- 14- EC is granted with the condition that EC is valid only for the building plan which has been submitted by PP for seeking EC. In case approved building plan is different from the one submitted for seeking EC then this EC will stand null and void.

5- Proposed Expansion of Production of 28800 MTPA TMT Bars to 99000 MTPA TMT Bars Ingot & Billets through Induction Furnace Route by M/s Aman Rolling Mills Pvt. Ltd. File no- 7416

SEIAA noted that the above project was taken in its 715th meeting in which SEIAA opined that the project proponent shall submit compliance of valid CTO and complete air pollution devices for secondary emissions. The project proponent has submitted his reply and SEIAA agreed with the recommendation of SEAC to grant EC to the above project.

6- Ordinary Sand Mine, on River Bed Ghaghra River at Gata No.-193 Kh, 194, 195 Ka& 196,Village- Sisaunda, Tehsil- Ramnagar, District- Barabanki, Shri Jumrati, Area-1.458 ha., File No. 7523/ Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/413015/2023.

SEIAA noted that the above project was taken in SEAC meeting dated 25.04.2023. In light of discussion held in 731st SEAC meeting and SEIAA meeting no. 597 dated 05.05.2022 SEIAA opined to accept the recommendation of SEAC and grant EC to the said project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by SEAC adding following specific conditions. SEIAA opined to accept the recommendation of SEAC and grant EC to the said project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by SEAC but 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:-

- Validity period of this EC is 6 months from the date of issue as the LoI has been issued for a
 period of 6 months or co-terminus with the validity of current mine plan or current lease
 period whichever is earlier. After this period the EC will become null and void. District
 Mining Officer shall ensure that if mineable quantity mentioned in LOI is amended as per
 replenishment study report the project proponent shall seek amended/fresh EC.
- 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.
- 3. The mining lease holders shall, after ceasing mining operations, undertake re-grassing the mining area and any other area which may have been disturbed due to their mining activities and restore the land to a condition which is fit for growth of fodder, flora fauna etc.
- 4. If the proposed project is situated in notified area of ground water extraction, where creation of new wells for ground water extraction is not allowed, requirement of fresh water shall be met from alternate water sources other than ground water or legally valid source and permission from the competent authority shall be obtained to use it.
- 5. 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. In consultation with District Environment Authority or an Authority nominated by concerned DM, project proponent will prepared a conservation and management plan for rejuvenation and management of water bodies having total surface area of more than 10 ha. Funds for the same will be kept in a separate bank account and six monthly compliance status will be presented by project proponent before the nominated authority in the District.

- 7. Department of Geology and Mines, Government of Uttar Pradesh and / or concerned district administration, before releasing the security deposit to Project Proponent will ensure that Project Proponent has fully complied with the EC conditions. Non-compliance, if any, should be reported to UPSPCB for appropriate legal action and recovery of compensation.
- 8. Any application for transfer of this EC, during its validity period unless it is cancelled by a competent authority, has to be necessarily accompanied with status of compliance of EC conditions duly certified by IRO, MoEFCC, GoI, Lucknow.

7- Proposed for Riverbed Sand Mine From Riverbed Of Ghaghra/Saryu River at Village/Ghat-Manjha Salarpur, Tehsil- Tanda, District- Ambedkar Nagar (U.P.) Developed By Shri Ravindra Kumar S/o Late Rajkishore, Area- 5.262 ha File no 7735 -7281

In light of discussion held in 731st SEAC meeting and SEIAA meeting no. 597 dated 05.05.2022 SEIAA opined to accept the recommendation of SEAC and grant EC to the said project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by SEAC adding following specific conditions SEIAA opined to accept the recommendation of SEAC and grant EC to the said project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by SEAC adding following specific conditions:-

- 1- District Mining Officer shall ensure that if mineable quantity mentioned in LOI is amended as per replenishment study report the project proponent shall seek amended/fresh EC.
- 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- If the proposed project is situated in notified area of ground water extraction, where creation of new wells for ground water extraction is not allowed, requirement of fresh water shall be met from alternate water sources other than ground water or legally valid source and permission from the competent authority shall be obtained to use it.
- 6- 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 25,000 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.
- 7- In consultation with District Environment Authority or an Authority nominated by concerned DM, project proponent will prepared a conservation and management plan for rejuvenation and management of water bodies having total surface area of more than 125 ha. Funds for the same will be kept in a separate bank account and six monthly compliance

- status will be presented by project proponent before the nominated authority in the District.
- 8- Department of Geology and Mines, Government of Uttar Pradesh and / or concerned district administration, before releasing the security deposit to Project Proponent will ensure that Project Proponent has fully complied with the EC conditions. Non-compliance, if any, should be reported to UPSPCB for appropriate legal action and recovery of compensation.
- 9- Any application for transfer of this EC, during its validity period unless it is cancelled by a competent authority, has to be necessarily accompanied with status of compliance of EC conditions duly certified by IRO, MoEFCC, GoI, Lucknow.

8- Proposed Project is Construction of 4656, G+3, EWS, Affordable Housing under Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojna at Basant Kunj Yojna, Sector-I, Hardoi Road Scheme, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh Fil eno- 6697

SEIAA noted that the above project was taken in its 678th meeting in which SEIAA opined that the project proponent shall submit details of drain like carrying capacity, ultimate discharge point etc, MoU for STP, details of ETP like source and plans for bio-medical waste. The project proponent has submitted his reply vide letter dated 30-12-2022.SEIAA opined to accept the recommendation of SEAC and grant EC to the said project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by SEAC. In addition to the conditions imposed by SEAC, SEIAA added following additional specific conditions:-

- 1- The project proponent shall submit within the next 3 months the details of solar power plant and solar electrification details within the project.
- 2- The project proponent shall ensure to plant broad leaf trees and their maintenance. The CPCB guidelines in this regard shall be followed.
- 3- 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.
- 4- 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.
- 5- The project proponent shall submit within the next 3 months the details of segregation plan of MSW.
- 6- 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.
- 7- Under any circumstances untreated sewage shall not be discharged to municipal sewer line.
- 8- 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.
- 9- 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.
- 10- 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.

- 11- 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.
- 12- Provision for charging of electric vehicles as per the guidelines of GoI / GoUP should be submitted within the next 3 months.
- 13- PP should display EC granted to them on their website. 6-monthly compliance report should be displayed on their website and to be given every six month to residents / occupants of the building.
- 14- EC is granted with the condition that EC is valid only for the building plan which has been submitted by PP for seeking EC. In case approved building plan is different from the one submitted for seeking EC then this EC will stand null and void.
- 9- <u>Transfer of EC for Basrehi Sand/Morrum Mine on the Betwa River for M/s Kuber Kamna Marbels Pvt. Ltd. at Gata No.- 596, Khand No.-02,(Area- 16.194 Ha), Village-Basrehi, Tehsil-Kalpi, District- Jalaun, U.P., File no- 4518</u>

EC in question was issued vide letter no. 454/Parya/SEAC/4518-4300/2018 date 16.11.2018 for an annual production of 2,42,910 cum. Now the request for transfer of EC is for a production of 1,21,455 cum for a period of 6 months. First the extraction quantity to be reduced from 2,42,910 cum to 1,21,455 cum and then the EC be transferred for a period of 6 months. After this transfer, original EC and transfer order both will become null and void.

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

- a) No legal case is pending in any Court of Law against the above area / EC proposed to be transferred.
- b) EC proposed to be transferred has not been cancelled by any Court of Law/MoEFCC/SEIAA/DEIAA.
- c) EC proposed to be transferred is valid on the date of consideration.
- d) Mine plan has been transferred in the favour of present project proponent.

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.

SEIAA noted that the previous lease issued to M/s Kuber kamna Marbel pvt. Ltd. Rajasthan was cancelled vide DM, Jalaun letter no. 719/Khanij-MMC30 dated 31.12.2019 and another LOI was issued to M/s Aadya enterprises vide DM, Jalaun letter no. 1291 dated 02.07.2020. Hence EC was transferred vide letter no. 483/Parya/SEAC/4518-4300/2020 dated 15.10.2020

accordingly. Further new LOI was issued to M/s exsand Pvt. Ltd, Shri Ravindra singh Jaiwar golden city panchmadi Pipariya MP for 1,21,455 cum for a period of 6 months.

Hence SEIAA opined to transfer Environmental Clearance issued vide letter no. EC in question was issued vide letter no. 454/Parya/SEAC/4518-4300/2018 date 16.11.2018 from M/s Kuber kamna Marbel pvt. Ltd. Rajasthan to M/s exsand Pvt. Ltd, Shri Ravindra singh Jaiwar golden city panchmadi Pipariya MP for 1,21,455 cum for a period of 6 months. SEIAA added following conditions:-

- 1. Transfer of EC is granted for a period of 6 months from the date of issue or validity of current mine plan or current lease period whichever is earlier and after this the original EC and transfer order both will become null and void.
- 2. 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.
- 3. The mining lease holders shall, after ceasing mining operations, undertake re-grassing the mining area and any other area which may have been disturbed due to their mining activities and restore the land to a condition which is fit for growth of fodder, flora fauna etc.
- 4. If the proposed project is situated in notified area of ground water extraction, where creation of new wells for ground water extraction is not allowed, requirement of fresh water shall be met from alternate water sources other than ground water or legally valid source and permission from the competent authority shall be obtained to use it.
- 5. 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 17,000 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. In consultation with District Environment Authority or an Authority nominated by concerned DM, project proponent will prepared a conservation and management plan for rejuvenation and management of water bodies having total surface area of more than 85 ha. Funds for the same will be kept in a separate bank account and six monthly compliance status will be presented by project proponent before the nominated authority in the District.
- 7. Department of Geology and Mines, Government of Uttar Pradesh and / or concerned district administration, before releasing the security deposit to Project Proponent will ensure that Project Proponent has fully complied with the EC conditions. Non-compliance, if any, should be reported to UPSPCB for appropriate legal action and recovery of compensation.
- 8. If the air quality deteriorates due to mining, then District Administration & Directorate of Mining should ensure that mining be stopped immediately. Adequate measures be

taken for restoring air quality and mining should commence only when air quality attains the prescribed standards.

Rest all the content of Environmental Clearance letter no. EC in question was issued vide letter no. 454/Parya/SEAC/4518-4300/2018 date 16.11.2018 shall remain same.

Area mentioned in the previous EC is being transferred only. If there is a change in geocoordinates of the area then EC will be null and void.

Nodal Officer
SEIAA, UP
MoM prepared by Secretariat in consultation with
MS& Member on the basis of decisions

taken by SEIAA during the meeting.

(Ajay Kumar Sharma) Member-Secretary SEIAA (Paras Nath) Member SEIAA

