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Minutes of the 469th Meeting of the State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, UP (SEIAA) held on 31.05.2021

The meeting of 469th State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, UP (SEIAA) was held on 31.05.2021 at the Directorate of Environment. The following were present in the meeting:-

1. Prof. Rana Pratap Singh

2. Dr. (Smt.) Madhu Bhardwaj

3. Sri Ashish Tiwari

Chairman, SEIAA, U.P

Member, SEIAA, U.P

Member Secretary, SEIAA, U.P

General Discussion:-

SEIAA gone through the letter of Director, Geology and Mining Department, UP letter no. 32/M28/2012(Parya SWA)2019 TC dated 11/05/2020 and Secretary, Geology and Mining Department, UP letter no. 736/86-2020-14(SA)/2020TC dated 12/05/2020 regarding priority of Environmental Clearance for mining projects of sand/morrum, building stone etc. Hence SEIAA opined to give preference to these projects.

Agenda-A: -Complaints/letters -Nil

Agenda-B: -Reply- Nil

Agenda-C: - Minutes of 539th SEAC Meeting Dated 13/04/2021

1. **Stone (Khanda, Gitti & Boulder) Mining at Gata No./Araji No./ Plot No.-693, Khanda No.-24, at Village-Goramachhiya, Jhansi.,Shri Ramesh Kumar Agarwal.,Area 0.979 ha. File No. 4893/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/36981/2019**

SEIAA agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC to close the file as the project proponent did not appear and open only after submission of online request on prescribed online portal.

2. **Stone, Khanda, Gitti & Boulder at Gata No.-587, Khand No.-04,Village- Nahari, Tehsil-Naraini, Mirzapur.,Shri Bhagwati Shivhare, M/s Ankur Enterprises, Area2.0 ha. File No. 6219/4790/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/50673/2019**

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

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3. Pahadi Red Morrum at Gata No.-178/1, Village-Todi, Tehsil-Rath, Hamirpur., Smt. Poonam Singh., Area-0.80 ha. File No. 6209/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/198843/2021

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 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. The project proponent shall obtain the forest clearance and permission of Central and State Government as per law under the provisions of Forest (conservation) Act, 1980 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. Stone Khanda, Boulder, Gitti & Bailast Mining at Gata No.115, Khand No.01, Village-Habupura, Tehsil -Garautha, Jhansi., M/s V.S. Construcion, Area-2.023 ha. File No. 6220/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/61486/2021

SEIAA agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC to close the file as the project proponent did not appear and open only after submission of online request on prescribed online portal.

5. Sand Stone Mining t at Araj No./ Gata No.-519, at Village- Ghasipur, Tehsil- Chunar, Mirzapur., Shri Manish Kumar, M/s Divyansh Enterprises, Area -2.02 ha. File No. 6222/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/61498/2021

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

6. Stone, Khanda, Gitti, Boulders & Red Morrum Mining at Gata No.387, Khand No.-01, Vill.Tooka, Rath, Hamirpur., Shri Dolly Rajput., Area-2.02 ha. File No. 6230/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/61177/2021

SEIAA noted that SEAC has recommended to issue the additional ToR;s to the title proposal. SEIAA gone through the file and documents and found that there are multiple leases in same gata no. SEIAA opined that the project proponent shall submit the relevant documents along with EIA. SEIAA noted that SEAC has recommended to issue the additional ToR;s to the title proposal. SEIAA gone through the file, documents. SEIAA

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agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to for conducting EIA studies. The SEIAA also added the following points to TOR:-

- 1- All pages of technical documents/EIA/EMP etc. should be signed by the consultant and project proponent both.
- 2- Copy of all the analysis reports duly signed by analyst approved by NABL or MoEF&CC shall be annexed with the EIA report and original analysis reports should be presented at the time of presentation.
- 3- MOU signed between the project proponent and the consultant should be submitted.
- 4- The project proponent shall obtain the forest clearance and permission of Central and State Government as per law under the provisions of Forest (conservation) Act, 1980 and submit along with EIA.
- 5- The lease area its address and production per annum should match with as mentioned in DSR and Lol. In case there is any difference clarification/ amendment letter from competent authority shall be submitted along with EIA. EIA and public hearing shall be conducted as per the lease area its address and production per annum mentioned in DSR and Lol.
- 6- Public hearing shall be conducted as per EIA notification, 2006 (as amended).
- 7- SEIAA opined that the project proponent shall submit permission of CGWA or proposal for alternative source of fresh water.

7. Stone, Khanda, Gitti ,Boulders & Red Morrum Mining at Gata No.387, Khand No.02, Vill.-Tooka, Rath,Hamirpur,,Shri SachinAgarwal.,Area-2.63 ha. File No. 6231/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/61243/2021

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

8. Sand/Morrum Mining along Sone River bed at Gata No.-385, Khand No.-Dha, Vill.-Barhmori, Obra, Sonbhadra.,M/s Vardhman Investment and Company.,Area12.146 Ha. File No. 6234/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/61304/2021

SEIAA noted that SEAC has recommended to issue the additional ToR;s to the title proposal. SEIAA gone through the file, documents and letter of Mining Officer letter no. 957/Khanij/2020-21 dated 20.03.2021. SEIAA agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to issue the additional ToR;s to the title proposal for conducting EIA studies. The SEIAA also added the following points to TOR:-

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- 6- Public hearing shall be conducted as per EIA notification, 2006 (as amended).
- 7- SEIAA opined that the project proponent shall submit permission of CGWA or proposal for alternative source of fresh water.

9. Khanda, Gitti & Boulder Mining at Khasra No.-1144, 463, Khand No.-M/G/1, Village-Mamoli/Gadewara, Tehsil-Meja, Prayagraj., Area -4.86 ha. File No. 6236/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/61695/2021

SEIAA agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC to close the file as the project proponent did not appear and open only after submission of online request on prescribed online portal.

10. Stone, Khanda, Boulder, Gitti & Bailast Mining at Gata No. 323, Khand No.-07, Village-Mochipura, Tehsil-Sadar, District-Mahoba, UP. Shri Ajayraj Singh., Area 1.012 ha. File No. 6238/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/61856/2021

SEIAA noted that SEAC has recommended to issue the additional ToR;s to the title proposal. SEIAA gone through the file and documents and found that Khand no. is not mentioned in the DSR. SEIAA opined that the project proponent shall submit the relevant documents along with EIA. SEIAA agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to issue the additional ToR;s to the title proposal for conducting EIA studies. The SEIAA also added the following points to TOR:-

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- 7- SEIAA opined that the project proponent shall submit permission of CGWA or proposal for alternative source of fresh water.

11. Stone, Khanda, Boulder, Gitti & Bailast Mining at Gata No.688/4, Khand No. 22, Village- Goramacchiya, Sadar, Jhansi., Shri Deepak Kumar Agarwal, Area -4.046 ha. File No. 6243/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/62092/2021

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

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12. Soil Mining at Gata No.-70Mi, 85, 67, 32, 110, Village-Vangawan, Tehsil-Puwanya, Shahjahanpur., Shri Kuldeep Singh, Area -3.337 ha. File No. 6227/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/201749/2021

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

13. Soil Mining at Khasra No./Gata No.- 461 & 609, Village-Daudpur, Tehsil- Nawabganj, Barabanki., Shri Rajesh Kumar Sureka, Area -0.309 ha. File No. 6232/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/202170/2021

SEIAA agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC to close the file as the project proponent did not appear and open only after submission of online request on prescribed online portal.

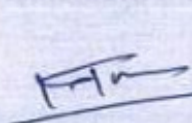
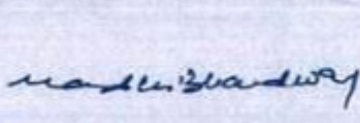
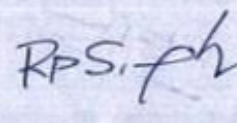
14. Soil Mining at Khasra No./Gata No.221, Village-Daudpur,Tehsil-Nawabganj, Barabanki., Shri Ashok Kumar, Area -0.696 ha. File No. 6233/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/202099/2021

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 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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15. Soil Mining at Gata No.-129, 146mi, 104mi, 8mi,153,77mi,123/158, Village- Kurreya mu. Khanpur, Puwanya, Shahjahanpur., Shri Rajesh KumarVerma.,Area -3.652 ha. File No. 6237/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/203404/2021

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

16. Sand/Morrum Mining from Betwa Riverbed at Gata No.240, Khand No.03, Village-Hamanpur, Tehsil-Kalpi, Jalaun., Shri Bishan Singh, Area: 13.360 ha. File No. 6241/5922/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/61988/2020

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

17. Sand/Morrum Mining from Betwa River Bed at Khand No.240, Khand No.04, Village-Himanpura, Tehsil-Kalpi, Jalaun., Shri Yogendra Pramani, Area: 16.194 ha. File No. 6245/5670/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/62040/2020

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

18. Sand/ Morrum Mining from Yamuna Riverbed at Gata No.303mi, 313mi, 290mi, 301mi,303, 304mi, 314mi, 297mi, 298mi, 302mi, 311 mi, 312 mi, 313, 314, Khand No.-02 , Village- Panchayara, Tehsil- Loni, Ghaziabad, U.P., Shri Bani Singh, M/s New Panther Security Guard Service, Lease Area: 12.512 ha. File No. 5793/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/ 55952/2020

SEIAA noted that the above project was taken in its meeting dated 21.05.2021. Hence no further action is required.

With the permission of the Chairman:-

1. Establishment of New Molasses/Cane Juice/ Grain based Distillery having Capacity:100 KLD along with 4.5 MW co-gen power at Plot No.-A, UPSIDA, Usar Bazar, Tehsil-Rudrapur, Deoria., Shri Manish Kedia, M/s Forever Distillery Pvt. Ltd. File No. 5948/Proposal No. SIA/UP/IND/57557/2020

SEIAA agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to grant environmental clearance to the project along with following specific conditions:-

1. As proposed treated waste water should be completely recycled /reused and ZLD should be achieved. Under no circumstances treated waste water shall be discharged to any drain/sewer line/ inland surface water/Nala etc.
2. Directions/suggestions given during public hearing and commitment made by the project proponent should be strictly complied.

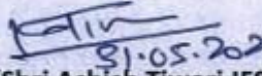
2. Letter regarding transfer of EC No.-690/Parya(DEIAA)/725/2017-18, Dated 10-01-2018

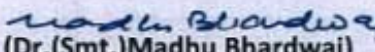
SEIAA gone through the letter of Shri Lalluram Maurya, Kaushambi dated 18.12.2020 regarding transfer of EC No.-690/Parya(DEIAA)/725/2017-18, Dated 10-01-2018. SEIAA gone through the documents and found that the previous EC was issued for production capacity 40,000 m³ per annum whereas as per revised LOI dated 06.10.2020 production capacity is 20,000 m³. Geo-coordinates of the previous lease has also not been submitted. Hence SEIAA opined that the project proponent shall submit relevant documents.

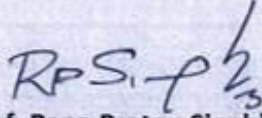
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3. Transfer of Environmental Clearance issued to Riverbed Sand/Morrum Mining Project from Gata no. 248, 1112/1 village – Pahadia Bujurg Sani, Tehsil- Karvi, district- Chitrakoot, Uttar Pradesh, Lease area 0.83 ha (2.05 acre) M/S Tripathi Contractor.

SEIAA gone through the letter of Shri Chandra Kant Tripathi, Chitrakoot, dated 12.03.2021 regarding transfer of EC No.-70/Parya/DEIAA/2017-18, Dated 30.12.2017 granted by DEIAA and opined to refer the matter to SEAC for review and addition of condition, if any.


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