

**Item No.145.11 Application for obtaining environmental clearance under EIA notification dated 14.09.2006 for mining of minor minerals (sand) from River bed in the revenue estate of Village- Arazi Darya Bramad Bela Tajawal, Tehsil- Balachaur, District- SBS Nagar, Punjab of General Manager cum Mining Officer, District Industries Centre, SBS Nagar. (Proposal no. SIA/PB/MIN/5012/2015).**

The facts of the case are as under:

The General Manager cum Mining Officer, District Industries Centre, SBS Nagar vide application no. SIA/PB/MIN/5012/2015 dated 14.04.2016 submitted online, has applied for obtaining environmental clearance under EIA notification dated 14.09.2006 for mining of minor minerals(sand) from river bed in the revenue estate of Village- Arazi Darya Bramad Bela Tajawal, Tehsil- Balachaur, District- SBS Nagar. The project is covered under category 1 (a) of the Schedule appended to the said notification. The details of the project are as under:

1. About 205500 Tonnes Annually of mining of minor minerals(Sand) will be carried out in an area 38.935 Ha in the revenue estate of Village- Arazi Darya Bramad Bela Tajawal, Tehsil- Balachaur, District- SBS Nagar in H.B. no. 421, and details of khasra nos is as under:-  
Murba No. -18, 19, 20, 40, 41, 42, 44, 48, 49; Killa No.-11, 20, 21, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 12/1, 12/2, 13, 14/1, 14/2, 16, 17, 18/8/2, 19, 23, 24, 25, 6/1, 6/2, 13/2, 13/3, 14, 15/1, 15/2, 16, 17, 18/1, 18/2, 19/1, 19/2, 21, 22, 23, 24/1, 24/2, 25/1, 25/2, 1, 2, 3/1, 3/2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10/2, 11/2, 11/2, 12/1, 12/2, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17/1, 17/2, 18, 19, 20/2, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 1, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, ½, 2, 3/2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 12, 13, 14, 15
2. NOC has been issued by the Department of Forest & Wildlife, SBS Nagar vide letter no. 239 dated 10/04/2015 to the effect that the above said khasra nos are not under the control of Department of forest & Wildlife, SBS Nagar. Further, there is a Government Reserve Forest adjoining to the said mining site and demarcation is required.
3. The project proponent has submitted the following documents alongwith Form-I:
  - (i) Pre- feasibility report
  - (ii) Land Documents
  - (iii) 10 K.M. radius Topographic Map of Proposed Project.
  - (iv) 1 Km google map showing the sand mining site.

- (v) Location Plan on Latha Map.
- (vi) Haul Road Map
- (vii) Contour Map
- (viii) DFO Letter
- (ix) Site Photographs
- (x) Undertaking
- (xi) Consent of Farmer
- (xii) Commissioner Certificate for land excavation

The case is placed before the SEAC for consideration.