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Minutes of the 770th Meeting of the State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, UP (SEIAA) held on 01-11-2023

The meeting of 770th State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, UP (SEIAA) was held online on 01.11.2023 the Directorate of Environment. The following were present in the meeting:-

1. Smt. Mamta Sanjeev Dubey
2. Shri Paras Nath
3. Shri Ajay Kumar Sharma

Chairman, SEIAA, U.P
Member, SEIAA, U.P
Member Secretary, SEIAA, U.P

Agenda-A- Minutes of 793rd SEAC-1 Meeting Dated 04/10/2023

1. Institutional Building at Plot no. A-5A, Sector-132, Noida, District-Gautam Buddh Nagar, Shri Rajender Phogat, M/s Noida Infoservices Pvt. Ltd., 7995/SIA/UP/INFRA2/433781/2023.

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. 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 air act 1981 (as amended) and the Construction and Demolition Waste Management Rules, CAQM guidelines.
- 9- The project proponent shall install micro solar power plants
- 10- The project proponent shall install micro solar power plants, toilets in nearby villages, public place or school from CER fund of the project for which E.C is granted in addition to and water harvesting



pits and carbon sequestration parks / designed ecosystems.

- 11- A certificate from Forest Department shall be obtained that no forest land is involved and if forest land is involved the project proponent shall obtain forest clearance and permission of Central and State Government as per the provisions of Van Sanrakshan evam Samvardhan Adhiniyam, 2023 and submit before the start of work.
- 12- If the proposed project is situated in notified area of ground water extraction, where creation of new wells for ground water extraction is not allowed, requirement of fresh water shall be met from alternate water sources other than ground water or legally valid source and permission from the competent authority shall be obtained to use it.
- 13- Provision for charging of electric vehicles as per the guidelines of GoI / GoUP should be submitted within the next 3 months.
- 14- 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.
- 15- 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.
- 16- In compliance to Hon'ble Supreme Court order dated 13/01/2020 in IA no. 158128/2019 and 158129/2019 in Writ petition no. 13029/1985 (MC Mehta Vs GOI and others) anti-smog guns shall be installed to reduce dust during excavation.
- 17- DG sets shall be gas based and Guidelines issued by CAAQMS for NCR region regarding the use of DG sets during construction and operational phase should be followed.

2. Bariyari Sand/Morrum Mining Project at Gata No.- 429 and 430 ,Village- Bariyari, Tehsil- Naraini, District: Banda, Shri Sanjeev Kumar Gupta, Area: 13.362 ha., 6841/6469/SIA/UP/MIN/411439/2022.

SEIAA agreed with the recommendation of SEAC to defer the matter for next meeting.

3. "Imarti Patthar Sandstone (Khanda, Gitti, Boulder, Patiya) Mine" at Gata No. 141, 142, 143, Village- Hardari, Tehsil- Lalitpur, District- Lalitpur, Shri Swaroop Singh Chauhan, Area- 1.375 ha., 8183/SIA/UP/MIN/442001/2023

SEIAA noted the comments of SEAC.

4. Imarti Patthar Sandstone (Khanda, Gitti, Boulder, Patiya) at Gata no.- 2/2, Village- Hardari, Tehsil- Lalitpur District- Lalitpur, Shri Deenanath, Area- 1.181 Ha., 8191/SIA/UP/MIN/442079/2023

SEIAA noted the comments of SEAC.

5. "Sand/Morrum Mining Project" located at Gata No.- 278, 293, Village - Teharka, Tehsil - Garautha & District - Jhansi, Shri Ashu Singh Bhati, Area 20.234 Ha., 8197/7655/SIA/UP/MIN/442177/2023

SEIAA agreed with the recommendation of SEAC to defer the matter for next meeting.

6. Building Stone Gitti/Boulder (Sandstone) Mining Project at Araj No.- 282mi (Khand-2) Village- Sukrit, Tehsil-Robertsganj, District- Sonbhadra, U.P., Shri Mohan Tiwari, M/s Jyoti Construction , Area 1.0926 ha., 8193/7536/SIA/UP/MIN/442330/2023.

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 taking into consideration discussion held in SEIAA meeting no. 597 dated 05.05.2022 regarding reply of SEAC-1 and SEAC-2 for compliance/action taken on TOR/Public hearing, adding following specific conditions:-

1. Validity period of this EC is 5 years from the date of issue as the Lol 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. Approved explosives and proper technique should only be used for blasting, to avoid loud sound and cracks in nearby buildings.
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 Van Sanrakshan evam Samvardhan Adhiniyam, 2023 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. 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.
7. Plan for using the mine void for productive use in consultation with local administration and gram-panchayat.
8. 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.
9. 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 district plantation committee, 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.
10. In consultation with District Environment Authority or an Authority nominated by concerned DM, project proponent will prepare 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.
11. 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.
12. 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.
13. 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.
14. 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.

15. 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.
16. 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. "Building Stone (Sandstone) Mining" At Arazi No. - 428, Village- Dhuriya, Tehsil-Chunar, District-Mirzapur, Area- 2.828 Ha., 8201/7092/SIA/UP/MIN/442466/2023.

SEIAA noted that SEAC has recommended to grant EC to the above project SEIAA gone through file and documents and found that ToR was issued on 16.12.2022 whereas in MoM it is written as 16.12.2023, document related to DSR is not present in the file nor any thing is mentioned in MoM. Hence SEIAA opined that the project proponent shall clarify the same with documents.

8. "Building Stone (Khanda, Gitti , Boulder & Red Morrum) Mining" Project at Gata No.-384, at Village- Tooka, Tehsil-Rath, District- Hamirpur, Shri Jagdish Singh, Area- 0.701 Ha., 6177/SIA/UP/MIN/60641/2021.

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Nodal Officer

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MoM prepared by Secretariat in consultation with
Chairman & Members on the basis of decisions
taken by SEIAA during the meeting.



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(Paras Nath)
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