

**MINUTES OF THE 118th MEETING OF SEAC KERALA HELD
DURING 1st, 2nd&3rd FEBRUARY, 2021 AT THE CONFERENCE
HALL, STATE ENVIRONMENT IMPACT ASSESSMENT
AUTHORITY, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM**

PARIVESH FILES

AGENDA 1

CONSIDERATION/RECONSIDERATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE

1. SIA/KL/MIN/126249/2019 , 1564/EC4/2019/SEIAA

Environmental clearance for removal of ordinary earth from 0.6313 Ha of property out of total extent 0.7385 Ha Property under the possession of the Applicant Vettiloath, Comprised in survey no.947/3- A-1-2 in Onakkoor Village, MuvattupuzhaTaluk, Ernakulam District

Decision: The proponent and RQP were present. The RQP made the presentation. The Committee entrusted Shri. K Krishna Panicker and Dr. N Ajith Kumar with the field inspection and also directed the proponent to submit the demand letter from the actual beneficiaries.

2. SIA/KL/MIN/127152/2019 , 1565/EC4/2019/SEIAA

Environmental clearance for removal of ordinary earth from 0.9834 Ha of property under the possession of the Applicant M V Ashok Kumar, Comprised in survey no.811/1 in Onakkoor Village, MuvattupuzhaTalukErnakulamDistrict.

Decision: The proponent and RQP were present. The RQP made the presentation. The Committee entrusted Shri. K Krishna Panicker and Dr. N Ajith Kumar with the field inspection and also directed the proponent to submit the demand letter from the actual beneficiaries.

3. SIA/KL/MIN/127445/2019 , 1567/EC4/2019/SEIAA

Environmental clearance for removal of ordinary earth from 0.6180 Ha of property under the possession of the Applicant Varghese, Comprised in survey no.276/5,276/8 in Puthencruz Village, KunnathunadTalukErnakulam District

Decision: The proponent and RQP were present. The RQP made the presentation. The Committee entrusted Shri. K Krishna Panicker and Dr. N Ajith Kumar with the field inspection and also directed the proponent to submit the demand letter from the actual beneficiaries.

4. SIA/KL/MIN/129095/2019 , 1579/EC3/2019/SEIAA

Application for Environmental Clearance for the building stone quarry project in Re Survey No. 400 /1, Block No: 64 in Elankur Village, ErnadTaluk, Malappuram District, Kerala for an area of 0.4761 hectares by Sri.Sunny Joseph

Decision: The proponent and RQP were present. The RQP made the presentation. The Committee entrusted Dr. P S Easa and Dr. S. Sreekumar with the field inspection and also directed the proponent to submit the following additional documents/details:

- a. Revised biodiversity assessment with quantification separately for the core and buffer areas.
- b. Revised EMP incorporating the specific CER activities in physical terms to be undertaken by the proponent in consultation with the stakeholders as stipulated in the OM No.22- 65/2017-IA.III dated 30/09/2020 and OM No. 22-65/2017-IA.III dated 20/10/2020 of the MoEF&CC, GOI instead of allocation of funds under CER. The CER activities incorporated in the EMP should be undertaken during the first two years of validity period of the EC so as to ensure that the maintenance of the interventions undertaken can be done by the proponent during the remaining validity period of the EC.
- c. Revised drainage plan

5. SIA/KL/MIN/134011/2019 , 1629/EC2/2020/SEIAA

Building Stone Quarry of Shri. Narayanan K. for an area of 0.9748 hectares at Survey No. 331/2(pt), 332pt of Beemanady Village, Vellarkund Taluk, Kasargod District, Kerala

Decision: The proponent and RQP were present. The RQP made the presentation. The Committee entrusted Dr. R Ajayakumar Varma and Dr. N Anilkumar with the field inspection and also directed the proponent to submit the following additional documents/details:

- a. Revised biodiversity assessment with quantification separately for the core and buffer areas.
- b. Revised EMP incorporating the specific CER activities in physical terms to be undertaken by the proponent in consultation with the stakeholders as stipulated in the OM No.22- 65/2017-IA.III dated 30/09/2020 and OM No. 22-65/2017-IA.III dated 20/10/2020 of the MoEF&CC, GOI instead of allocation of funds under CER. The CER activities incorporated in the EMP should be undertaken during the first two years of validity period of the EC so as to ensure that the maintenance of the interventions undertaken can be done by the proponent during the remaining validity period of the EC.

6. SIA/KL/MIN/134188/2019 , 1581/EC2/2019/SEIAA

Granite Building Stone Quarry of NAT Industries, Building Stone Quarry of M/s NAT Industries over an extent of 1.8109 Ha. Re Sy Block No: 39, Re Sy No: 178/8,173/4-5,173/4-6,173/4- 25,173/4-30,173/4-1 in Chadayamangalam Village, Kottarakkara Taluk, District-Kollam, State (Complaint received from Kannampara Poura Samithi on 20/08/2019)

Decision: The proponent and RQP were present. The RQP made the presentation. The Committee entrusted Shri. V N Jithendran and Shri. GSankar with the field

inspection and also directed the proponent to submit the following additional documents/details:

- a. Revised EMP incorporating the specific CER activities in physical terms to be undertaken by the proponent in consultation with the stakeholders as stipulated in the OM No.22- 65/2017-IA.III dated 30/09/2020 and OM No. 22-65/2017-IA.III dated 20/10/2020 of the MoEF&CC, GOI instead of allocation of funds under CER. The CER activities incorporated in the EMP should be undertaken during the first two years of validity period of the EC so as to ensure that the maintenance of the interventions undertaken can be done by the proponent during the remaining validity period of the EC.
- b. Revised Drainage plan.
- c. Revised biodiversity assessment with quantification separately for the core and buffer areas.
- d. Certified survey map clearly depicting the houses /buildings within 200m.

7. SIA/KL/MIN/134527/2020 , 1637/EC3/2020/SEIAA

Building Stone Quarry of M/s.Four Star Granites over an area of 1.6479 Ha in Sy. No. 503/1,503/2, 498/3-B/8-6,493/1/14-B of Varapetty Village, Kothamangalam Taluk, Ernakulam

Decision:The Committee decided to defer the proposal as per the request from the proponent.

8. SIA/KL/MIN/136195/2020, 1587/EC1/2020/SEIAA

Granite / Building stone quarry of “Mr.Babu Jacob, Director, M/s. Mannari Granites Private Limited. Sy.No: 1008/1-18/3,1008/1-18/4,1008/1- 18/5, 1008/1- 18/7 in Mulavoor Village, Muvattupuzha Taluk, Ernakulam District, Kerala State

Decision:The proponent and RQP were present. The RQP made the presentation. The Committee entrusted Shri. K Krishna Panicker and Dr. N Ajithkumar with the field inspection and also directed the proponent to submit the following additional documents/details:

- a. Revised map showing the relocated dump site.
- b. Revised EMP incorporating the specific CER activities in physical terms to be undertaken by the proponent in consultation with the stakeholders as stipulated in the OM No.22- 65/2017-IA.III dated 30/09/2020 and OM No. 22-65/2017-IA.III dated 20/10/2020 of the MoEF&CC, GOI instead of allocation of funds under CER. The CER activities incorporated in the EMP should be undertaken during the first two years of validity period of the EC so as to ensure that the maintenance of the interventions undertaken can be done by the proponent during the remaining validity period of the EC.
- c. Revised biodiversity assessment with quantification separately for the core and buffer areas.
- d. Revised drainage map.

9. SIA/KL/MIN/137456/2020 , 1607/EC1/2020/SEIAA

Environmental Clearance for Building Stone Quarry of Mr. Nitheesh Babu B.S situated in Block No.29, Re Survey no.119/1,119/2,120/1,120/2,120/3,120/11,120/12, of Manickal Village, Nedumangad Taluk, Thiruvananthapuram District, Kerala over an area of 1.3552 Ha

Decision: The proponent and RQP were present. The RQP made the presentation. The Committee entrusted Shri.G.Sankar and Dr. C Bhaskaran with the field inspection and also directed the proponent to submit the following additional details:

- a. Native species to be included in the Greenbelt/Afforestation.
- b. CER to be revised and submitted as part of EMP.

10. SIA/KL/MIN/140072/2020 , 1631/EC2/2020/SEIAA

Granite Building Stone Quarry of M/s. Kalpetta Rocks Private Limited, Granite Building Stone Quarry of M/s. Kalpetta Rocks Private Limited” over an extent of 4.6923 Ha. (11.5946 Acres) in Block No. 29, Re-Sy. Nos. 50/2, 50/3, 50/4, 50/5, 678/67, 678/69, 678/70, 678/74, 678/163, Thrikkaipetta Village, Vythiri Taluk, Wayanad District, Kerala State, India.(Complaint received from local residents dated on 16.09.2020)

Decision: The proponent and RQP were present. The RQP made the presentation. The Committee entrusted Dr. N Anilkumar and Dr. R Ajayakumar Varmawith the field inspection and also directed the proponent to submit the following additional documents/details:

- a. Cost analysis should be done for tree cutting and it should be incorporated in CER
- b. Slope stability measure is necessary in between BP8 & BP9
- c. Statement of facts on the complaint received

11. SIA/KL/MIN/140230/2020 , 1390/EC2/2019/SEIAA

Application for Environmental Clearance for the Granite Building stone quarry project in Sy no 871, 875 of Perumpilavu Village, Thalappilly Taluk, Thrissur district for an extent of 0.9966 Ha by Sri. A.N Sadasivan Nair

Decision: The proponent and RQP were present. The RQP made the presentation. The Committee entrusted Dr. S Sreekumar and Dr. A V Raghu with the field inspection and also directed the proponent to submit the following additional documents/details:

- a. Geo coordinates & Groundwater table of wells located within 500m radius especially in the Northern lower elevation
- b. CER activities should have measurable physical targets.

12. SIA/KL/MIN/140734/2020 , 1429/EC3/SEIAA/2019

Application for Environmental Clearance for the Granite Building Stone Quarry project in Re Sy Block No.2, Re Survey no. 114pt, of Chekkyad Village, Vadakara Taluk, Kozhikkode District, Kerala for an extent of 3.8680 Ha of land

by Sri.Kunhiraman.M.P, Proprietor

Decision:The proponent and RQP were present. The RQP made the presentation. The Committee entrusted Dr. R AjayakumarVarma and Dr. P S Easawith the field inspection.

13. SIA/KL/MIN/142917/2020 , 1659/EC6/2020/SEIAA

Application for Environmental Clearance for the Building Stone Quarry project in Sy. No's 453/1 of Arakkuparamba Village, PerinthalmannaTaluk, Malappuram District, Kerala for an area of 0.6340 Ha by Sri.Unnikrishnan

Decision:The proponent and RQP were present. The RQP made the presentation. The Committee entrusted Dr. S Sreekumar and Dr. P S Easawith the field inspection and also directed the proponent to submit the following additional documents/details:

- a. Water requirement has to be reassessed.
- b. Revised CER in consultation with the Local Self Govt. based on the needs of the local people.

14. SIA/KL/MIN/144086/2020 , 1597/EC4/2020/SEIAA

Laterite Building Stone Quarry of Mr. Ramachandran P. at Re-Sy. No19/245 of Koodathai Village, ThamarasseryTaluk, Kozhikode District of Kerala for an extent of 0.8094 Ha under B2 category

Decision:The proponent and RQP were present. The RQP made the presentation. The Committee entrusted Dr. R AjayakumarVarma and Dr. P S Easawith the field inspection and also directed the proponent to submit the following additional documents/details:

- a. Site specific drainage map with adequate carrying capacity for discharge.
- b. Lithological section indicating the profile of the Laterite.

15. SIA/KL/MIN/144116/2020 , 1599/EC4/2020/SEIAA

Environmental Clearance for Laterite building stone quarry in Sy No41/4C-1 of Puzhakkattiri Village, PerinthalmannaTaluk, Malappuram District, Kerala for an extent of 0.3236 Ha by Sri.Siraj.K

Decision:The proponent and RQP were present. The RQP made the presentation. The Committee entrusted Dr. S Sreekumar and Dr. P S Easawith the field inspection and also directed the proponent to submit the following additional documents/details:

- a. Lithological section indicating the profile of the Laterite.
- b. Revised drainage map

16. SIA/KL/MIN/145849/2020 , 1612/EC1/2020/SEIAA

Environmental Clearance for Granite Building Stone of Mr. Sasidharan.G over an extent of 2.8540Ha at Re Sy No 434/3,4,5,7,8,9,10,12,16,17,19,20,21,22,22-1,23,24, 27,29,436/2-1,2-2,2-3,5of Perumpazhuthoor Village, Neyyattinkara Taluk,Thiruvananthapuram District, Kerala.(Presentation)

Decision:The proponent and RQP were present. The RQP made the presentation. The Committee entrusted Shri.G.Sankar and Shri. M Dileep Kumar with the field inspection and also directed the proponent to submit the following additional documents/details:

- a. Project cost has to be revised incorporating the cost realized from trees to be cut from the buffer zone.
- b. CER to be revised keeping in view the felt needs of the local community.

17. SIA/KL/MIN/146136/2020 , 1630/EC2/2020/SEIAA

Building Stone Mine (Quarry, Minor Mineral Mining) project of Mr. Sukumaran E. at Block No. 3, Re. Survey Nos. 188/1, 188/2 of Padichira Village, SulthanBatheryTaluk, Wayanad District, Kerala

Decision:The proponent and RQP were present. The RQP made the presentation. The Committee entrusted Dr. R AjayakumarVarma and Dr. N Anilkumarwith the field inspection and also directed the proponent to submit the following additional documents/details:

- a. Revised project cost including the realized value of trees supposed to be cut.

18. SIA/KL/MIN/146731/2020 , 1617/EC1/2020/SEIAA

Environment Clearance of the Proposed Granite Building Stone of Mr Abdul Salim Quarry over an extent of 1.7197 Hectares in Re-Survey Nos. 90/1pt, 90/3pt,88/1pt, 88/2pt & 88/3pt of PullamparaVillage,NedumangadTaluk,Thiruvananthapuram District, Kerala.

Decision:The proponent and RQP were present. The RQP made the presentation. The Committee entrusted Shri.G.Sankar and Shri. M Dileep Kumar with the field inspection.

19. SIA/KL/MIN/147724/2020 , 1636/EC6/2020/SEIAA

Environmental Clearance for Laterite building stone quarry project in Sy No-108/1A-10, Block no.5 of Kodur Village, PerinthalmannaTaluk, Malappuram District, Kerala for an extent of 0.2105 Ha by Sri. Sahil.P

Decision:The proponent and RQP were present. The RQP made the presentation. The Committee entrusted Dr. S Sreekumar and Dr. A V Raghu with the field inspection.

20. SIA/KL/MIN/148361/2020 , 1641/EC3/2020/SEIAA

Building Stone Quarry of M/s Seas Rock Products at Survey No 426/3,426/4,426/5 in Neyyassery Village, ThodupuzhaTaluk, Idukki District, Kerala State for an extent of 1.5163 Ha

Decision:The proponent and RQP were present. The RQP made the presentation. The Committee entrusted Shri.K Krishna Panicker and Dr. N Ajith Kumar with the field inspection and also directed the proponent to submit the following additional documents/details:

- a. Reduced water level of the monitored wells.

21. SIA/KL/MIN/155712/2020 , 1688/EC1/2020/SEIAA

Application for the Building Stone Mine (Quarry) project of Mr. V.Sudhakaran at Block No. 4, Re Survey Nos. 270/1, 2, 3, 4, 4-1, 5, 5-1, 5-2, 5-3,5-4, 5-18, 5-19, 12,12-1, 12-2, 14, 15, 15-1, 16, 17 of Pallichal Village, Neyyattinkara Taluk, Thiruvananthapuram District, Kerala for an area of 1.7230 hectares

Decision:The proponent and RQP were present. The RQP made the presentation.

The Committee entrusted Shri.G.Sankar and Dr.C Bhaskaran with the field inspection and also directed the proponent to submit the following additional documents/details:

- a. Revised EMP incorporating the specific CER activities in physical terms to be undertaken by the proponent in consultation with the stakeholders as stipulated in the OM No.22- 65/2017-IA.III dated 30/09/2020 and OM No. 22-65/2017-IA.III dated 20/10/2020 of the MoEF&CC, GOI instead of allocation of funds under CER. The CER activities incorporated in the EMP should be undertaken during the first two years of validity period of the EC so as to ensure that the maintenance of the interventions undertaken can be done by the proponent during the remaining validity period of the EC.

22. SIA/KL/MIN/165625/2020 , 1440/EC1/2019/SEIAA

Application for EC for the proposed Granite Building stone of Mr. C. Krishna Pillai (Conversion ToR- EC) in Block No-27,Re-Survey Nos.283/1pt,283/2pt,283/4,296/3pt of Ezhumattoor Village , Mallapally Taluk of Pathanamthitta District, Kerala over an extent of 0.9705 Ha(Presentation + Additional Documents Received)

Decision:The proponent and RQP were present. The RQP made the presentation.

The Committee discussed and accepted the additional details submitted by the proponent. The processing at the SEAC level has been completed. As per the judgment of the Hon'ble High Court of Kerala dt 21.12.2020, the Committee decided to await the NGT order on the minimum distance criteria.

23. SIA/KL/MIN/43559/2019 , 1483/EC2/2019/SEIAA

Application for Environmental Clearance for the Quarry project in Survey No. 201, 202, 203, 214, 215, 216/1 & 218 in Thiruvilwamala Village, Thalappilly Taluk, Thrissur District Kerala for an area of 4.3520 Hectares by Sri.C.Firos Babu

Decision:The proponent and consultant were present. The consultant made the presentation. The Committee decided to direct the proponent to submit the following additional documents:

- a. Revised biodiversity assessment with quantification separately for the core and buffer areas.
- b. Revised drainage map.
- c. Proof of the application submitted for the permission from the National Board for Wildlife.
- d. Revised project cost

24. SIA/KL/MIN/43903/2019 , 1548/EC2/2019/SEIAA

Granite Building Stone Quarry over an extent of 0.9037 Hectares in ReSurvey No.- 214/1- 1-1, 214/1-1-2, 214/2pt (Own Patta land) & Re-Sy.No.- 214/1pt (Govt.

Land) Pooyappally Village, Kottarakara Taluk, Kollam District, Kerala State by Mr. Biju Khan

Decision: The proponent and RQP were present. The RQP made the presentation. The Committee decided to direct the proponent to submit the following additional documents/ details:

- a. Valid NOC from the revenue authorities for Govt. land included in the proposal.
- b. Revised CER in consultation with the Local Self Govt. based on the needs of the local people.

25. SIA/KL/MIN/43937/2019 , 1547/EC2/2019/SEIAA

Granite Building Stone Quarry over an extent of 0.5456 Hectares in ReSurvey No.- 217/17pt (Patta land) & Re-Survey No.-214/1pt (Govt. Land) Pooyappally Village, Kottarakara Taluk, Kollam District, Kerala State by Mr. Biju Khan

Decision: The proponent and RQP were present. The RQP made the presentation. The Committee decided to direct the proponent to submit the following additional documents/ details:

- a. Valid NOC from the revenue authorities for Govt. land included in the proposal.

Revised CER in consultation with the Local Self Govt. based on the needs of the local people.

Sd/-

S. Chandrashekhar, IAS
Secretary

Sd/-

Dr.C.Bhaskaran
Chairman