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Minutes of the 399th Meeting of the State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, UP (SEIAA) held on 09/09/2020

The meeting of 399th State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, UP (SEIAA) was held on 09/09/2020 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.

Agenda-A: -Complaints/letters -Nil

Agenda-B:-Replies-Nil

Agenda-C:- Minutes of 484th SEAC Meeting Dated 17/08/2020

 Imarati Patthar, khanda, Gitti, Boulder, Mining at Gata No.-339, Khand-04, Village-Deherra, Tehsil & District- Mahoba, U.P., (Leased area- 1.609 ha.). File No. 5754/4813/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/53932/2019

SEIAA noted that SEAC has recommended to grant EC to the above project. SEIAA gone through file and documents and found that though lease area is mentioned as 1.609 ha in application, in public hearing advertisement and minutes of the public hearing the area is mentioned as 1.619 ha. Hence SEIAA opined that clarification shall be sought from UPPCB in this regard.

 Building Stone(Gitti, Boulder) Mine" at Gata No.-587, Khanda No.- 01, at Village-Nahari, Naraini, Banda, M/s Jai Maa Sharda Traders, Area-0.80 ha. File No. 5759/4802/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/50720/2019

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 adding three specific condition as follows:-

- Directions/suggestions given during public hearing and commitment made by the project proponent should be strictly complied.
- 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.

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- The mining lease holders shall, after ceasing mining operations, undertake regrassing 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.
- Building Stone (Khanda, Gitti & Boulder) Mine at Gata No.-356, Khand No.- 01, Village-Dudaiyani , District- Mahoba, U.P., Area -1.214 ha. File No. 5760/ 5021/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/55427/2019

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 adding three specific condition as follows:-

- Directions/suggestions given during public hearing and commitment made by the project proponent should be strictly complied.
- 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.
- The mining lease holders shall, after ceasing mining operations, undertake regrassing 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.
- Building Stone (Khanda, Gitti & Boulder) Mining at Gata No.-979, Khanda No.-04 at Village-Gahra, Tehsil & District-Mahoba, U.P., (Leased Area-1.113 ha.). File No. 4848/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/36814/2019

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 adding three specific condition as follows:-

- Directions/suggestions given during public hearing and commitment made by the project proponent should be strictly complied.
- 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.
- The mining lease holders shall, after ceasing mining operations, undertake regrassing 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.
- 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,

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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. Building Stone(Khandas, Gitti & Boulder) Mining at Gata No.-22, Khand No.-01, at Village-Paraichha, Tehsil-Moth, District-Jhansi., Area -1.902 ha. File No. 5750/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/165852/2020

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

Building Stone (Sand Stone) Mining at Araji No.-547, at Village- Bhojpur Pahari, Tehsil-Sadar, District- Mirzapur, U.P., Area -0.607 ha. File No. 5758/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/133541/2019

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

7. Building Stone(Gitti, Boulder) Mine at Khasra No./Plot No.-107 mi, Village-Surwadlapur, Tehsil-Meja, District-Prayagraj, U.P., (Leased Area-2.631 ha.). File No. 5343/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/133466/2019

SEIAA noted that SEAC has recommended to grant EC to the above project. The SEIAA gone through the file and documents and found that though lease area is mentioned as 2.631 ha in application, in DSR it is mentioned as 26 ha. Hence SEIAA opined that the project proponent shall clarify the above.

8. Sand/Morrum Mining at Gata No.-Part of 333/7, 412, 413 & 414, Khand No.- 04, Village-Marauli Khadar, Tehsil-Pailani, Banda., Area-23.0 Ha. File No. 5499/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/50610/2019

SEIAA noted that SEAC has recommended to grant EC to the above project. The SEIAA gone through the file and documents and found that though the application is made for Tehsil Banda and in DSR also Tehsil Banda is mentioned for the above address, the public hearing was conducted for Tehsil Pailani. Hence SEIAA opined that clarification shall be sought from UPPCB in this regard.

9. Earth Mine Project at Khasra No.-420, at Village-Hariharpur, Tehsil- Sarojaninagar, District- Lucknow, U.P., (Area: 0.3226 Ha). File No. 5742/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/165746/2020

SEIAA agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to close the file in the light of MoEF&CC, GOI notification S.O. 1224(E) dated 28.03.2020 and Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Section -7, Government of UP G.O. No. 446/81-7-2020-39(parya)/2014 TC-1 dated 01.05.2020.

10. Soil Excavation at Gata No.-146 Mi, 127, 123, 21, 124, at Village-Kuraiya Mu Khanpur, Tehsil- Puwayan, District-Shahjahanpur, U.P., (Leased Area: 4.80 Ha.). File No. 5745/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/166260/2020

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 adding three conditions:-

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- 1. 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.
- 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.
- 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.
- Earth Excavation at Khasra/Gata No.-51 & 52, at Village-Miyapur, Devan, Tehsil-Nawabganj, District, Barabanki, U.P., (Area: 0.852 Ha). File No. 5755/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/167086/2020

SEIAA agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to close the file in the light of MoEF&CC, GOI notification S.O. 1224(E) dated 28.03.2020 and Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Section -7, Government of UP G.O. No. 446/81-7-2020-39(parya)/2014 TC-1 dated 01.05.2020.

 Earth Excavation at Khasra/Gata No.-536, 537, 538, 539, 541, 602, at Ilage-Sarasundi, Devan, Tehsil- Nawabganj, Barabanki.P., (Area: 0.887Ha). File No. 5756/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/167048/2020

SEIAA agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to close the file in the light of MoEF&CC, GOI notification S.O. 1224(E) dated 28.03.2020 and Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Section -7, Government of UP G.O. No. 446/81-7-2020-39(parya)/2014 TC-1 dated 01.05.2020.

 Soil Excavation, at Khasra No.-296, Village-Mohammadpur Kirat, Tehsil-Ramsanehight, District- Barabanki, U.P., Area -0.5086 ha. File No. 5757/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/167021/2020

SEIAA agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to close the file in the light of MoEF&CC, GOI notification S.O. 1224(E) dated 28.03.2020 and Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Section -7, Government of UP G.O. No. 446/81-7-2020-39(parya)/2014 TC-1 dated 01.05.2020.

 "Dolo Stone", (Gitti, Boulder) Mine at Araji No.- 7536Ga Mi, Khand No.- 02, Villlage-Billimarkundi, Robertsganj, Sonbhadra, U.P, Area -4.0 ha. File No. 4736/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/34334/2019

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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 Dolo Stone (Gitti, Boulder) Mine at Araji No.-5593 ka, Khand No.-08, Villlage-Billimarkundi, Robertsganj, Sonbhadra, M/s Amit Enterprises, Area -4.230 ha. File No. 4737/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/34345/2019

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

 Dolo Stone(Gitti, Boulder) Mine at Araji No.-7536 GaMi, Khand No.-04, Villlage-Billimarkundi, Robertsganj, Sonbhadra, M/s Sai Ram Enterprises, Area -4.0 ha. File No. 4738/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/34358/2019

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

Sand/Morrum Mining at Khand No.- A-11 ,(Gata No.-250 Mi, 249 239 Mi, 240 Mi, 241Mi, 227Mi, 229Mi, 219Mi, 212Mi, 220 Mi, 225, 222, 221, 224, 223, 226, 244, 245, 242, Part of 252, 23, 256, Part of 251, 243, 246, 248, 247) , Village- Adhawal, Tehsil-Fatehpur, District- Fatehpur, U.P., M/s Classic Infraventures L.L.P., Sanctioned Lease Area: 40.48 Ha. File No. 4516/4197/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/29429/2018

SEIAA noted that the case is of transfer of EC. SEIAA also noted that the said project was granted EC for an area of 40.48 ha. with annual production of 8,09,600 cubic meter and after cancellation of lease new LoI has been issued for the same gata numbers for an area of 25.00 ha. with annual production of 2,50,000. Hence SEIAA opined that matter shall be referred to Director, Geology and Mining, UP for recommendation.

(Shri Ashish Tiwari, IFS)

Member-Secretary

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(Dr. (Smt.) Madhu Bhardwaj)

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