



**MINUTES of 205<sup>th</sup> (Day-2) MEETING OF STATELEVEL ENVIRONMENT IMPACT ASSESSMENT AUTHORITY (SEIAA) A.P., MEETING HELD ON 12.01.2023 AT VIJAYAWADA A.P.**

**205<sup>th</sup> SEIAA**

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**Present:**

**The following members were present. (Through Video Conference)**

1.	Sri P.Venkata Rami Reddy, I.A.S, (Retired).	Chairman
2.	Dr.Thatiparthi Byragi Reddy Professor. Department of Environmental Sciences, Andhra University, Visakhapatnam	Member

3.	Dr.P.V.Chalapathi Rao, I.F.S  Special Secretary to Govt., Environment, Forests, Sciences and Technology Department, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh & Member Secretary, SEIAA, A.P.	Member Secretary
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<b>Agenda Item: 208.15 205.10</b>	<b>4.340 Ha Mining of Colour granite of Smt. T.Jyothi at Sy. No 1730 of Kokkanti Village, Tanakallu Mandal, Ananthapuramu District, &amp; Andhra Pradesh – Terms of Reference – Reg. SIA/AP/MIN/408737/2022</b>
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	<p><b>Recommendations of the SEAC on 29.12.2022</b>  <b>Category : B2 at par with B1.</b></p> <p>The proposed project is for mining of <b>Colour granite in an area of 4.340Ha.</b> with a proposed production quantity of <b>Colour granite – 13821 m3/Annum</b> with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.</p> <p>The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (&lt;250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).</p> <p>The project proponent and their consultant M/s VVN Technologies, have attended the meeting and presented the case.</p> <p>The Committee noted that as per cluster letter issued by the Asst. Director of Mines &amp; Geology, <b>Ananthapuramu</b> vide Lr. dt. 21.09.2022 , there is <b>One quarry lease</b> within the radius of 500 m area. The total cluster area is &gt; 5.0 Ha and obtained LOI Extension on 21.09.2022.</p> <p>Life of the mine is 30 years.</p> <p>The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&amp;CC' Notifications &amp; OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue Standard Terms of Reference with public hearing and following additional TORs.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The project proponent shall prepare cluster EIA&amp; EMP.</li> <li>2. The project proponent shall give detailed plan for 500m trench to prevention surface runoff.</li> <li>3. The project proponent shall prepare a plantation plan including no. of species and type of species and area of land allocated for greenbelt.</li> <li>4. The project proponent shall prepare waste dump management plan.</li> </ol> <p><b>Decision of SEIAA:-</b> Agreed with the recommendations of SEAC to issue Standard Terms of Reference with public hearing.</p>
<p><b>Agenda Item No: 208.16 &amp; 205.11</b></p>	<p><b>2.82 Ha as per grant (2.665 Ha as per DGPS) Mining of Road metal &amp; Building stone of M/s S.V.S Mookambika Constructions (P) Ltd., at Sy.No.365 of Dharmavaram Village, S. Kota Mandal, Vizianagaram District, Andhra Pradesh – Terms of Reference – Violation - Reg. SIA/AP/MIN/408742/2022</b></p>

	<p><b>Recommendations of the SEAC on 29.12.2022</b>  <b>Category: B2 at par with B1.</b></p> <p>The proposed project is for mining of <b>Road Metal, Building stone &amp; Gravel</b> in an area of <b>2.82 Ha as per grant (2.665 Ha as per DGPS)</b> with a proposed production quantity of <b>Mining of Road Metal and Building Stone: 143143 m3/Annum</b> with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.</p> <p>The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (&lt;250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).</p> <p>The representative of the proponent and their consultant M/s S V Enviro labs&amp; Consultancy have attended the meeting.</p> <p>The committee observed that the project proponent has uploaded wrong KML.</p> <p>The project proponent requested the committee to withdraw his proposal and committee recommended for Withdrawal of proposal.</p> <p>The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&amp;CC Notifications &amp; OM's and detailed deliberations, recommended to accept the withdrawal of TOR application and in case if he fails to do so , may be rejected.</p> <p><b>Decision of SEIAA:-</b> Agreed with the recommendations of SEAC.</p>
<p><b>Agenda Item No: 208.17 &amp; 205.12</b></p>	<p><b>8.195 Ha Mining of Mica, Quartz &amp; Feldspar of M/s S.V. Minerals LLP at Sy. No: 37 P &amp; 38 P of Prabhagiripatnam Village, Podalukur Mandal, SPSR Nellore District, Andhra Pradesh – Environmental Clearance – Reg. SIA/AP/MIN/408932/2022</b></p>
	<p><b>Recommendations of the SEAC on 29.12.2022</b>  <b>Category: B2 at par with B1</b></p> <p>The proposed project is for mining of <b>Mica, Quartz &amp; Feldspar</b> in an area of <b>8.195 Ha.</b> with a proposed production quantity of <b>Mica- 8116 TPA, Quartz- 45697- TPA&amp; Feldspar- 72771- TPA</b> with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.</p> <p>The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (&lt;250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).</p>

The representative of the project and their consultant M/s. Global Labs have attended the meeting and presented the case.

The SEIAA has issued TOR Extension with public hearing on 30.09.2022 and public hearing was held on 13.10.2022. The project proponent has submitted forest NOC.

**Public hearing details**

**Roads Damages are the issue raised in the public hearing.**

The reply by the proponent for the issues raised in the PH is as follows:

Sri L.A.L. Ravi Kumar, GM : While responding to the issues on behalf of the management, he has given assurance on the repair of village roads; education to the poor students; undertaking the development of green belt; providing of water tankers for the sprinkling of water for suppression of dust; forming a coordination committee for redressal of the village issues to the extent possible; provided mineral water plant; and to extent support to the extent possible for the sake of the villagers & development of the village under CSR activity.

The base line data was collected from Oct, 2019 to Dec, 2019.

The predominant wind direction is observed to be South West to North East.

The maximum concentration of SPM is observed to be 54.547  $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ .

The incremental concentration is 3.62  $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ . The GLC of SPM will fall at a distance of 100m towards North East side.

The proponent volunteered to provide Health camps (Rs. 2.0 Lakhs), Water treatment plant(Rs.4.0 Lakhs) and for Road maintenance (Rs.6.0 Lakhs) in the **Prabhagiripatnam** Village as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine. **Life of the mine is 7 years**

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC' Notifications & OMs, EIA Report, PH minutes and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue Environmental Clearance with following conditions:

1. The proponent shall comply with the proposals furnished in Environmental management plan.
2. The project proponent shall develop greenbelt of 1km along approach roads & village Road sides.
3. The project proponent shall maintain 7.5mt greenbelt in buffer zone and existing buffer zone plantation should not be disturbed.
4. The proponent shall take dust suppression measures to meet the CPCB stipulated ambient air quality standards at any point of time.
5. The project proponent shall comply other assurances given in the public hearing.
6. The project proponent shall take responsibilities of Roads

	<p>maintenance along with remaining 4 mine lease holders in the cluster.</p> <p><b>Decision of SEIAA:-</b> Agreed with the recommendations of SEAC to</p>
<b>Agenda Item No: 208.19 &amp; 205.13</b>	<p><b>Medical Device Manufacturing park (Phase-II) being developed by Andhra Pradesh Medtech Zone Ltd., (AMTZ) at Nadupuru Village, Pedagantyada Mandal, Visakhapatnam district, Andhra Pradesh – Environmental Clearance (EC) – Expansion - Reg. SIA/AP/Infra2/409465/2022</b></p>
	<p><b>Recommendations of the SEAC on 29.12.2022</b></p> <p>Category: B</p> <p>The proposed project is for Manufacturing of Medical Device in Phase-II of Andhra Pradesh Medtech Zone Ltd., (AMTZ) at Nadupuru Village, Pedagantyada Mandal, Visakhapatnam district with construction of 80 sheds in plot area of 87.2 acres and the total Built-up area - 1,15,413Sq.m and Capital investment for development of Phase II : INR 276 Crores (Proposed Expansion).</p> <p>The Project is located at Survey Nos. 480/1, 480/2, 471, 475, 476, 477, 481 of Nadupuru Village, Pedagantyada Mandal, Visakhapatnam District of Andhra Pradesh.</p> <p>The representative of the project and their consultant M/s. B S Envi-Tech Pvt Ltd., have attended the meeting and presented their proposal.</p> <p>The proposed Construction of Townships and Area Development projects Phase-II: construction of 80 sheds in plot area of 87.2 acres and the total Built-up area - 1,15,413Sq.m.</p> <p>The SEIAA has issued Standard TOR with exemption of public hearing on 10.10.2018 and proponent has obtained Amendment TOR on 31.05.2022.</p> <p>The predominant wind direction is observed to be South West to North East.</p> <p>The maximum concentration of SPM (PM 10) is observed to be 78.9 µg/m<sup>3</sup>. The incremental concentration is 0.11 µg/m<sup>3</sup>. The GLC of SPM will fall at a distance of 0.21 KM towards West side.</p> <p>The committee note that the Andhra Pradesh Medtech Zone Ltd - AMTZ complex will be developed in an area of 270.71 acres in two Phases. The Phase-I of the project (183.51 acres) is under construction. Currently it is proposed to develop Phase —II (87.2 acres) with additional manufacturing sheds. Phase-II: construction of 80 sheds in plot area of 87.2 acres and built-up area of 1,15,413Sq.m. The Environmental Clearance (EC) for Phase-I was issued by SEIAA, A.P. vide order dated. 10.07.2017. The proposed project falls under Item 8(b) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006-Township and Area Development Projects [≥1,50,000 sq. m built up area] or [covering an area ≥50 Ha.]</p>

*The water requirement for Phase – II is 755 KLD the Source water is Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation (GVMC) and waste water generated is 660KLD and 527 m<sup>3</sup>/day treated waste water will be used for various requirements like flushing of toilets, greenbelt and for service water and about 3126 kg/day of solid waste will be generated from the Project.*

*The project proponent is proposed provide Effluent Treatment Plant (ETP) of 1 x 300 KLD capacity.*

*The project proponent is proposed develop green belt in 23.55 Acres.*

*The committee appraised the application from the Environmental point of view only with respect to liquid, solid and air pollution managements.*

*The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC' Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue Environmental clearance for construction of Phase- II with following additional conditions.*

1. The proponent shall construct and commission STP& ETP along with commissioning of project, treat the effluents to meet irrigation standards at any point of time before using for gardening purpose or disposal into municipal drain.
2. The proponent shall comply with solid waste management rules 2016.
3. The proponent shall ensure sustainable environmental management, solid and liquid wastes and implement environmental conditions given at Appendix-XIV of EIA notification 2006 and its amendments thereof.
4. The proponent shall construct rainwater harvesting pit from the roof tops of the buildings and storm water drains to recharge the groundwater and utilize the same within the premises.
5. The proponent shall comply with the proposals furnished in Environmental management plan.
6. The project proponent shall obtain all statutory permissions as required before starting the construction.

**Decision of SEIAA:-** Agreed with the recommendations of SEAC to issue Environmental Clearance.

<b>Agenda Item: 208.22&amp; 205.14</b>	<b>2.450 Ha. Mining of Colour granite of M/s. Tirupathirana Granites at Sy.No.270 of Singupuram Village, Srikakulam Mandal, Srikakulam District, Andhra Pradesh – Terms of Reference – Violation – Reg. SIA/AP/MIN/409170/2022</b>
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**Recommendations of the SEAC on 29.12.2022**  
**Category: B2 at par with B1.**

The proposed project is for mining of **Colour granite** in an area of **2.450 Ha.** with a proposed production quantity of **Colour granite -7999 m<sup>3</sup>/Annum** with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.

The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (<250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).

The representative of the proponent and their consultant M/s. S V Enviro labs have attended the meeting.

The Committee noted that as per cluster letter issued by Asst. Director of Mines & Geology **Srikakulam**, vide Lr. dated: 22.07.2022, there are 08 existing quarry leases within the radius of 500 mts area. The total applicable cluster area is 3.950 Ha which is <5.0 Ha.

This is a 1<sup>st</sup> renewal quarry leases.

The project proponent has submitted modified mining plan by leaving 0.534 Ha as non-mining zone as per NGT norms.

And whereas, pursuant to the order of the Hon'ble Supreme Court dated the 27<sup>th</sup> February, 2012 in I.A. No.12-13 of 2011 in Special Leave Petition (Civil) No.19628-19629 of 2009, in the matter of Deepak Kumar etc. Vs. State of Haryana and Others etc., prior environmental clearance has now become mandatory for mining of minor minerals and the Central Government has published notification number S.O.141(E), dated the 15th January, 2016 making prior environment clearance mandatory for all minerals (major as well as minor) irrespective of size of the mine lease; And whereas, all mine lease holders are required to obtain prior environment clearance.

NGT order in OA No 136 of 2017 (SZ) : So under these circumstances, the application can be disposed of, giving the following directions: (i)The applications which are pending as on 31.3.2016 for Environment Clearance have to be treated as normal applications and not violation applications and the authorities are directed to dispose of those applications in accordance with law. 81 (ii) The persons who have not filed applications on or before 31.3.2016 and filed thereafter, can be treated as violation applications and the MoEF& CC /SEIAA is directed to dispose of those applications as violation cases in accordance with law. (iii) It is also made clear that all mining leases, either major or minor, even less than 5 hectares area, has to apply and get Environment Clearance as per the amended EIA Notification dated 15.1.2016. This will apply to the existing mining leases as well. The points are answered accordingly.

The committee noted that the proponent operated mine from after 2016 without obtaining environmental clearance as required under EIA notification 2006 after promulgation of S.O. 141 (E) dt 15.01.2016 and



hence to be treated as identified violation case as per OM 07.07.2021.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue specific (**Violation**) **Terms of Reference without Public Hearing** and with the following conditions:

1. The proponent shall prepare EIA & EMP.
2. The proponent shall submit Plantation Plan and shall maintain buffer zone
3. The proponent shall include proper benches remediation plan.
4. The project proponent shall remove existing sheds in the safety barrier zone and remove waste dump proposal in the safety barrier zone as mentioned in the modified mining plan.
5. The project proponent shall submit photographs with Geo coordinates after removal of existing office in mine lease area.
6. The project proponent shall give detailed trench plan to protect surface runoff.
7. The project proponent shall submit surface runoff prevention measures plan.
8. The project proponent shall submit detailed waste dump management plan.
9. The proponent is liable to pay the penalties as levied by the concerned competent authority, as per the OM No.28.1.2022 and clause No 12 of SOP dated 07-07-2021, duly incorporating the total production during the violation period and submit the calculation of penalties based on the project cost and the total turnover during the violation period.
10. Credible action to be initiated through concerned Regional office, APPCB under section 15 read with section 19 of E(P) Act 1986.
11. The project proponent shall carry assessment of ecological damage, remediation plan and natural and community resource augmentation plan and it shall be prepared as an independent chapter in the environment impact assessment report by the accredited consultants. The collection and analysis of data for assessment of ecological damage, preparation of remediation plan and natural and community resource augmentation plan shall be done by an environmental laboratory duly notified under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, or an environmental laboratory accredited by National Accreditation Board for Testing and Calibration Laboratories, or a laboratory of a Council of Scientific and Industrial Research institution working in the field of environment.
12. The project proponent shall ensure implementation of Environmental Management Plan, comprising remediation plan and natural and community resource augmentation plan corresponding to the ecological damage assessed and economic benefit derived due to violation.
13. The project proponent will be required to submit a bank

	<p>guarantee equivalent to the amount of remediation plan and Natural and Community Resource Augmentation Plan with the State Pollution Control Board.</p> <p>14. The project proponent shall give an undertaking by way of affidavit to comply with all the statutory requirements and judgment of Hon'ble Supreme Court dated the 2nd August 2017 in writ petition (Civil) No.144 of 2014 in the matter of common cause verse union of India and Ors. The undertaking inter-alia includes commitment of the PP not to repeat any such violation in future.&amp; OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue Terms of Reference.</p> <p><b>Decision of SEIAA:-</b> Agreed with the recommendations of SEAC with a condition that the proponent shall comply with the conditions mentioned at Point No.11 of SoP dated 07.07.2021.</p>
<p><b>Agenda Item:</b> 208.23 &amp; 205.15</p>	<p><b>2.480 Ha Mining of Road Metal &amp; Building Stone of Smt. B.Anjinamma at Sy. No. 55 of East Kodipalli Village, Kalyanadurg (M) , Anantapuramu Andhra Pradesh – Terms of Reference – Violation – Reg. SIA/AP/MIN/410172/2022</b></p>
	<p><b>Recommendations of the SEAC on 29.12.2022</b> <b>Category: B2 at par with B1.</b></p> <p>The proposed project is for mining of <b>Road Metal &amp; Building Stone</b> in an area of <b>2.480 Ha.</b> with a proposed production quantity of <b>Road Metal &amp; Building Stone -15025 m3/Annum</b> with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.</p> <p>The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (&lt;250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).</p> <p>The representative of the proponent and their consultant M/s. S V Enviro labs have attended the meeting.</p> <p>The Committee noted that as per cluster letter issued by Asst. Director of Mines &amp; Geology <b>Anantapuramu</b> , vide Lr. dated: 26.11.2022, there are no existing quarry leases within the radius of 500 mts area. The total cluster area &lt;5.0 Ha. This is a standalone mining unit.</p> <p>This is a 1<sup>st</sup> renewal quarry leases.</p> <p>And whereas, pursuant to the order of the Hon'ble Supreme Court dated the 27<sup>th</sup> February, 2012 in I.A. No.12-13 of 2011 in Special Leave Petition (Civil) No.19628-19629 of 2009, in the matter of Deepak Kumar etc. Vs. State of Haryana and Others etc., prior environmental</p>

clearance has now become mandatory for mining of minor minerals and the Central Government has published notification number S.O.141(E), dated the 15th January, 2016 making prior environment clearance mandatory for all minerals (major as well as minor) irrespective of size of the mine lease; And whereas, all mine lease holders are required to obtain prior environment clearance.

NGT order in OA No 136 of 2017 (SZ) : So under these circumstances, the application can be disposed of, giving the following directions: (i) The applications which are pending as on 31.3.2016 for Environment Clearance have to be treated as normal applications and not violation applications and the authorities are directed to dispose of those applications in accordance with law. 81 (ii) The persons who have not filed applications on or before 31.3.2016 and filed thereafter, can be treated as violation applications and the MoEF& CC /SEIAA is directed to dispose of those applications as violation cases in accordance with law. (iii) It is also made clear that all mining leases, either major or minor, even less than 5 hectares area, has to apply and get Environment Clearance as per the amended EIA Notification dated 15.1.2016. This will apply to the existing mining leases as well. The points are answered accordingly.

The committee noted that the proponent operated mine from after 2016 without obtaining environmental clearance as required under EIA notification 2006 after promulgation of S.O. 141 (E) dt 15.01.2016 and hence to be treated as identified violation case as per OM 07.07.2021.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, NGT order, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue specific **(Violation) Terms of Reference without Public Hearing** and with the following conditions:

1. The proponent shall prepare EIA & EMP.
2. The proponent shall submit Plantation Plan and shall maintain buffer zone
3. The project proponent shall give a plan for surface runoff prevention measures.
4. The proponent shall include proper benches remediation plan.
5. The proponent is liable to pay the penalties as levied by the concerned competent authority, as per the OM No.28.1.2022 and clause No 12 of SOP dated 07-07-2021, duly incorporating the total production during the violation period and submit the calculation of penalties based on the project cost and the total turnover during the violation period.
6. Credible action to be initiated through concerned Regional office, APPCB under section 15 read with section 19 of E(P) Act 1986.
7. The project proponent shall carry assessment of ecological damage, remediation plan and natural and community resource

	<p>augmentation plan and it shall be prepared as an independent chapter in the environment impact assessment report by the accredited consultants. The collection and analysis of data for assessment of ecological damage, preparation of remediation plan and natural and community resource augmentation plan shall be done by an environmental laboratory duly notified under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, or an environmental laboratory accredited by National Accreditation Board for Testing and Calibration Laboratories, or a laboratory of a Council of Scientific and Industrial Research institution working in the field of environment.</p> <p>8. The project proponent shall ensure implementation of Environmental Management Plan, comprising remediation plan and natural and community resource augmentation plan corresponding to the ecological damage assessed and economic benefit derived due to violation.</p> <p>9. The project proponent will be required to submit a bank guarantee equivalent to the amount of remediation plan and Natural and Community Resource Augmentation Plan with the State Pollution Control Board.</p> <p>10. The project proponent shall give an undertaking by way of affidavit to comply with all the statutory requirements and judgment of Hon'ble Supreme Court dated the 2nd August 2017 in writ petition (Civil) No.144 of 2014 in the matter of common cause verse union of India and Ors. The undertaking inter-alia includes commitment of the PP not to repeat any such violation in future.&amp; OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue Terms of Reference.</p> <p><b>Decision of SEIAA:-</b> Agreed with the recommendations of SEAC with a condition that the proponent shall comply with the conditions mentioned at Point No.11 of SoP dated 07.07.2021.</p>
<p><b>Agenda Item:</b> 195.42 &amp; 208.24 &amp; 205.16</p>	<p><b>M/s. VAISAKHI DEVELOPERS proposed for construction of High Rise Residential Building at Sy. No. 296/4B, Madhurawada Village, Zone II, GVMC Limits, Visakhapatnam District, Andhra Pradesh–</b> <b>Terms of Reference – Reg. SIA/AP/MIS/81554/2022</b></p>
	<p><b>Recommendations of the SEAC on 29.12.2022</b> <b>Category: B2</b> The Proposal of M/s. VAISAKHI DEVELOPERS, is for Environmental Clearance for proposed for construction of High Rise Residential Building with 3 cellars, one Ground Floor and 29 floors. The total built up area is 1,57,777.90 sq.m and site area is 3.75 Acres.</p> <p>The project proponent and their Consultant SV Enviro Labs &amp; Consultants have attended the meeting.</p> <p>The committee noted that the land documents submitted at the time of</p>

appraisal is verified and observed that the documents are not in the name of the applicant and the development agreement is not enclosed.

In 195th SEAC meeting recommended to raise ADS for submission of original registered land documents and registered development agreement if any and accordingly proponent submitted MoU (Memorandum of understanding) between the land owner and developer.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC' Notifications & OMs, detailed deliberations and recommended to **issue Standard TOR with following additional TORs for EMP studies:**

1. Solid waste management and safe environmental friendly disposal.
2. Water supply source, estimation and necessary permissions.
3. Safe disposal of treated waste water.
4. 1600 KLD STP design with tail end pond with geo-liners.
5. Buffer zone details
6. Design of underground drainage network.
7. Design of fire network.
8. Surface water drainage discharge/ management.
9. Rain water harvesting proposals.
10. Storm water management.
11. The project proponent shall submit registered land documents developer agreement at the time of applying for EC.
12. The project proponent shall submit authorized geotechnical report for cellars.
13. Permission letters of concerned departments such as Ground water department, VUDA approvals, Grama Panchayath, Etc

**Decision of SEIAA:- Refer to SEAC to examine in the light of the Notification S.O. 1366(E), dated 28.04.2017 issued by MoEF&CC and to appraise after obtaining NOC from concerned DFO on applicability of Eco-sensitive Zone condition on this proposed project.**

**This proposal is placed in 206<sup>th</sup> SEAC meeting:**

The committee agreed with SEIAA to appraise after obtaining of **NOC from concerned DFO on applicability of Eco-sensitive Zone condition on this proposed project.**

The Committee after re-examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC' Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, **recommended to raise ADS for submission of NOC from concerned DFO on applicability of Eco-sensitive Zone condition on this proposed project.**

The project proponent has submitted NOC dt. 17.12.2022 from Kambalakonda wild life sanctuary by stating that the Kambalakonda

	<p>wild life sanctuary is at a distance of 1.37 Km form proposed project. The copy of the NOC is addressed to SEIAA, A.P The Committee after re-examining the project proposals, Kambalakonda wild life sanctuary NOC, presentations, MoEF&amp;CC' Notifications &amp; OMs and detailed deliberations, <b>opined that the earlier recommendations of SEAC for issue of TOR's holds good.</b></p> <p><b>Decision of SEIAA:-</b> Agreed with the recommendations of SEAC.</p>
<p><b>Agenda Item:</b> <b>208.26</b> <b>205.17</b></p>	<p><b>2.0 Ha Mining of Road metal &amp; Building stone of Sri L.Ashok Kumar at Sy. No 01 of Alugubilli Village, S.Kota Mandal, Vizianagaram District, Andhra Pradesh – Environmental Clearance - Reg. SIA/AP/MIN/410876/2022</b></p>

**Recommendations of the SEAC on 29.12.2022**

**Category : B2**

The proposed project is for mining **Road metal, Building stone in an area of 2.0 Ha.** with a proposed production quantity of **Road metal, Building stone– 56248 M3/ Annum** with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.

The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (<250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).

The proponent and their consultant M/s.VVN Technologies., have attended the meeting and presented the case.

This is a 1<sup>st</sup> renewal quarry lease. Initially the proponent has obtained quarry lease in the year 2010 and the mines department issued renewal LOI on 12.05.2022 .

As per ADMG letter dt. 06/12/2022 there is a production after 2016 hence, the committee noted that the proposal falls under violation category.

The committee noted that the proponent operated mine after 2016 without obtaining environmental clearance as required under EIA notification 2006 after promulgation of S.O. 141 (E) dt 15.01.2016 and hence to be treated as identified violation case as per OM 07.07.2021.

And whereas, pursuant to the order of the Hon'ble Supreme Court dated the 27th of February 2012 in I.A. No.12-13 of 2011 in Special Leave Petition (Civil) No.19628-19629 of 2009, in the matter of Deepak Kumar etc. Vs. State of Haryana and Others etc., prior environmental clearance has now become mandatory for mining of minor minerals and the Central Government has published notification number S.O.141(E), dated the 15th of January 2016 making prior environment clearance mandatory for all minerals (major as well as minor) irrespective of size of the mine lease; And whereas, all mine lease holders are required to obtain prior environment clearance.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, **MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to reject the Environmental Clearance application with a direction to apply for violation TOR.**

**Decision of SEIAA:-** Agreed with the recommendations of SEAC to **reject** the proposal.

<b>Agenda Item: 208.27&amp; 205.18</b>	<b>23.76 Ha Mining of Gravel &amp; Rough Stone Quarry of Sri M Rama Raju at Sy.No: 212 (Carved out of Sy.No.1) Tarluwada Village &amp; Anandapuram Mandal, Visakhapatnam District, Andhra Pradesh – Environmental Clearance – Refer back case - Reg. SIA/AP/MIN/402466/2022</b>
	<p><b>Recommendations of the SEAC on 29.12.2022</b>  <b>Category: B2 at par with B1.</b></p> <p>The proposed project is for mining of <b>Gravel &amp; Rough Stone</b> in an area of <b>23.76 Ha.</b> with a proposed production quantity of <b>Gravel – 90,000 cum/annum &amp; Rough Stone- 105000 cum/annum</b> with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.</p> <p>The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (&lt;250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).</p> <p>The project proponent and their consultant M/s. B. S. Envi Tech have attended the meeting.  The SEIAA has issued Standard TOR with public hearing was issued on 15.09.21 public hearing was held on 10.08.2022.</p> <p><b>Public hearing details</b>  Dust problems due to operation of mines, medicinal plants on hillock, Agricultural issues, health problems, illegal mining in the area, anticipatory impact on cashew and Mango Garden due to mining, skill development , drinking water problems, impact on dairy farms , venkateswara swamy foot markings in the proposed area , are the main issues raised in the public hearing.</p> <p>The committee observed that as per the NGT norms there is no habitation within 200 m and also habitation is more than 500m and As per public hearing minutes some people were supported and some people were opposed without citing proper environmental concerns and committee opined that it can be considered as mixed response as there are no proper environmental concerns and decided to recommend EC . A natural stream is flowing through mine.The Gram Panchayat of Tarluwada has passed resolution for grant of permission in favor of proponent for quarrying of Gravel and Rough Stone. The lease was sanctioned to the applicant by Department of Mines &amp; Geology, Govt. of Andhra pradesh in 2018 after submission of detailed field inspection by the Mandal Surveyor, Mandal Revenue Inspector, Village Revenue Officer and Deputy Zonal Manager of APIIC.</p> <p>The reply by the proponent for the issues raised in the PH is as follows:</p>



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