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Present: The following members were present. (Through hybrid mode Conference)

1.	Dr.G.V.R.SrinivasaRao, Professor, Civil Engineering Department, Andhra University, Visakhapatnam	Chairperson		
2.	Dr.DineshSankar Reddy. Registrar(I/C), Professor of Chemical Engineering, NIT, Tadepalligudem, West Godavari	Member		
3.	Prof. G. Gnana Mani, Retd., Professor of Zoology, Andhra University, Visakhapatnam	Member		
4.	Prof. U. Shameem. Chairman, Dept. of Zoology, Andhra University, Visakhapatnam	Member		
5.	Dr.Kiranmai, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Biotechnology, VikramaSimhapuriUniversity,Nellore,SPSRNelloreDistrict	Member		
6.	Prof. C. Sasidhar, Professor, Civil Engineering Dept, JNTU, Anantapur	Member		
7.	Prof. N. Siva Prasad Reddy, Director (Academics), Brindavan Institute of Technology & Science, Kurnool	Member		
8.	Prof. D. Bharathi, Professor, Dept. of Bio Sciences & Sericulture, Sri PadmavathiMahilaViswaVidhyalayam, Tirupati	Member		
9.	Sri KatamneniVenkataRamana, Head of Mining Dept. Government Polytechnic, Narsipatnam.	Member		
10.	Dr.M. Sunandana Reddy, Associate Professor,RGM College of Engineering & Technology (Autonomous), Nandyal.	Member		
11.	Sri Matli. Chandra Sekhar Professor, Head of Department of Civil Engineering, NIT, Warangal.	Member		
12.	Dr. G. Madhavi, Associate Professor, Department of Chemistry, Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati	Member		
13.	Prof. K. ThyagaRaju, Professor,Department of Biochemistry, S.V.University, Tirupati.	Member		
14.	Dr.GummallaPrasanthi, Member Professor, Vijaya Institute of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Vijayawada			
15.	Sri. N. V BhaskamRao, Chief Environmental Engineer, (FAC) Andhra Pradesh Pollution Control Board. Vijayawada.	Member Secretary.		

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5.438 Ha. Mining of Colour Granite of M/s Marvel Rocks at Sy. No: 934/16-3(P), Konidena Village, District (Formerly Prakasam District), Andhra Pradesh-Environmental Clearance -EC- EIA- Reg.
Category: B2 at par with B1(Minor Mineral)
The proposed project is for mining of Colour Granite in an area of 5.438 Ha. with a proposed production capacity of 13467 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 project proponent and their M/s. SV Enviro labs have attended the meeting and presented the case. The SEAC committee observed that:
 a) The project proponent has not uploaded approved District Survey Report (DSR)of erstwhile Prakasam District. Hence, the committee recommended to raise ADS for submission of approved DSR copy.
The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to raise ADS for submission of approved DSR copy of Prakasam District.
6.0 Ha of Mining of Road Metal & Building Stone Quarry of M/S SRI SAHASHRA STONE CRUSHER, at Sy. No. 149 Vedurlavalasa (V), Rolugunta(M) Anakapalli District (Earlier Visakhapatnam District), A.P.– Environmental Clearance – Reg.
Category: B2 at par with B1 (Minor Mineral)
The proposed project is for mining of Road Metal & Building stone in an area of 6.0 Ha. with a proposed production capacity of 55,612 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 project proponent and their, M/s. SV Enviro labs, have attended the meeting and presented the case. The SEAC committee observed that:
a) The Department of Mines and Geology submitted Visakhapatnam DSR report-2018 and the same is reviewed in the SEAC meeting. The present project name is mentioned in the Deaft DSR in S.No.290 and Page No.190.

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- b) As per the approved mining plan, the total provided mineral reserves are 15,31,263 M³. The proponent proposed to excavate 55,612 m³/Annum and Life of the mine is 27.53 years.
- c) The project proponent has obtained violation TOR with Public Hearing on 03.02.2022. The public hearing was held on 25.11.2022.
- d) Public Hearing Details: Dust problems due to vehicular movements, impact on solar panels, pipe line issues and Road damages are the issues raised in the public hearing.
- e) Reply of the proponent during the public hearing is as follows: Sri Satyanarayana, Proponent has given commitment regarding local employment opportunities will be provided, trees are planted, medical plants developed, wetting of the roads carried out, medical camps will be conducted, overloading of vehicles will be avoided, speed limits will be implemented, Tarpaulin coverage for trucks and carryout vehicles maintenance. He requested that damaged water pipelines to be repaired.
- f) The base line data was collected from Feb, 2022 to April, 2022 and the predominant wind direction is observed to be South to North and South West to North East. The maximum concentration of SPM is observed to be 60.3 μg/m3. The incremental concentration is 3.65 μg/m3 and GLC of SPM will fall at a distance of 0.94Km towards North and North Eastern direction from the mine lease area.
- g) The proponent volunteered to provide water treatment plant to the Kovvuru village panchayat as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine.
- h) Under EMP budget the proponent has proposed following:
 - i. Proposed to provide to trenches and Garland drains control surface runoff.
 - Proposed to provide wet drilling & Wire saw cutting and Continuous water sprinkling through water tanker for Suppression the dust particles.

i) S.O No 804 dt 14.03.2017 compliance:

- Credible action was initiated vide CC No 188/2023 in the court of Junior Civil courts of Narisipatnam on 07.03.2023.
- The project proponent submitted undertaking on 15.04.2021 stating that the violation will not be repeated.
- The project proponent has submitted remediation and resource augmentation plan with a cost of Rs 2,30,021/-and also uploaded the acknowledged BG submitted at APPCB, Regional office, Visakhapatnam on 10.04.2023.
- iv. The project proponent has submitted production dispatch letter issued by ADMG,(FAC)Anakapalli vide letter dt. 31.12.2022.
- v. The Penalty was calculated in compliance with SOP issued by MoEF&CC Gol vide OM dt. 07.07.2021 and the details is as follows:

S	Name of	Project	Total	Turnove	1%	0.25 %	Total
No	the mine	cost in Rs.	productio n during violation	r during violation period	of proj ect	of turn over during	penalty amount to be
			period as reported by mining	in Rs as reported by the	in Rs	violati on period	levied as per OM 07.07.20
			departme nt letter	mining departm ent vide		in Rs.	21 in Rs

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1.	M/S SRI SAHASHRA STONE CRUSHER SIA/AP/M IN/42632 6/2023	Rs.70,0 0,000/-	Mining Road metal & Building stone 25833 Cum	Rs.19,42 ,125/-	Rs.7 0,00 0/-	Rs. 4855/ -	Rs. 74,855/-

vi) The project proponent has uploaded the acknowledged payment of penalty amount of Rs. 74,885/- at APPCB Board Office Vijayawada on 17.04.2023.

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 the Environmental management plan.
- 2. The project proponent shall develop greenbelt of 1km along approach roads & village Roadsides.
- 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 proponent shall carryout suppression of dust generated due to transport vehicles by continuous water sprinkling.
- 6. The vehicles carrying the mines material shall be covered with tarpaulin during vehicular movement.
- The project proponent shall not use village road for mineral transportation purpose.
- 8. The project proponent shall provide water treatment plant to the Kovvuru village panchayat as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine.
- 9. The project proponent shall adopt for controlled blasting as the agricultural lands and Solar panels are nearby the mine.
- 10. The project proponent shall comply with the commitment / assurances given to the surrounding villages in the Public Hearing.

Agenda Item No: 222.03

11.287 Ha. Mining of Colour Granite of M/s. SGS Mines & Industries PVT. LTD, at Sy.No:84, Kaijola Village, Nandigama Mandal of Srikakulam District, Andhra Pradesh-Environmental Clearance - Reg.

SIA/AP/MIN /426635/20 23

Category: B2 at par with B1 (Minor Mineral)

The proposed project is for mining of Colour Granite in an area of 11.287 Ha. with a proposed production capacity of 10291.0 m3/annum with a condition that the total

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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 (\leq 250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).

The project proponent and their, M/s. VVN Technologies Pvt. Ltd., have attended the meeting and presented the case. The SEAC committee observed that:

The Department of Mines and Geology has submitted Srikakulam DSR report-2021 and the same is reviewed in the SEAC meeting. The present project name is not mentioned in the Draft DSR as the proposed project is new mine lease. Hence, committee identified deposition of mineral by consideration of adjacent village name ie., Savararamakrishnapuram and this village is about 1.4Km to proposed mine lease.

- a) As per the approved mining plan, the total provided mineral reserves are 1323765M³. The proponent proposed to excavate 10291 m³/Annum and Life of the mine is 128 years.
- b) The project proponent has obtained TOR with Public on 12.04.2022. The public hearing was held on 10.03.2023.
- c) Public Hearing Details:Cattle Grazing issues, loosing of soapberries if management start mining, surrounding agricultural damages and inadequate rainfalls are the issues raised in the public hearing.
- d) The majority of the people in the public hearing opposed the establishment of the mine and also a habitation namely Madanapuram Village at about 400 mt. in southwest & residential buildings at about 250 mt. are existing in Eastern direction. Hence, the committee recommended to constitute a subcommittee to verify the issues raised in the public hearing and also impacts of the mine in the nearby habitations.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to constitute a subcommittee with a)Prof. G. Gnana Mani, b)Prof. U. Shameem and C)Dr. M.Sunandana Reddy to visit the proposed site of the mine to verify the issues raised in the public hearing and also impacts of the mine in the nearby habitations.

Agenda Item No: 222.04

5.607 Ha. Mining of Colour Granite of M/s. Madhucon Granites Limited, at Sy. No. 53, Tekkali (V), Tekkali (M), Srikakulam District, Andhra Pradesh - Environmental Clearance - Reg.

SIA/AP/MIN /426467/20 23

Category: B2 at par with B1 (Minor Mineral)

The proposed project is for mining of Colour Granite in an area of 5.607 Ha. with a proposed production capacity of 3008 m 3 /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 (\leq 250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).

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The project proponent and their, M/s. SV Enviro labs, have attended the meeting and presented the case. The SEAC committee observed that:

- a) The Department of Mines and Geology submitted Visakhapatnam DSR report-2021 and the same is reviewed in the SEAC meeting. The present project name is mentioned in the DSR at S.No.98 in Page No.205.
- b) As per the approved mining plan, the total provided mineral reserves are 418465 M³. The proponent proposed to excavate 3008 m3/Annum and Life of the mine is 139
- c) The project proponent obtained violation TOR with Public Hearing on 12.04.2022. The public hearing was held on 25.11.2022.
- d) The project proponent not uploaded the project cost, total turnover letter from Mines and Geology Department during the violation period. Also, the project proponent has not uploaded the proof of Bank Guarantee Acknowledgement copy and acknowledge copy of payment of penalty amount as per the SOP given by the MoEF&CC vide Notification No.28.1.2022.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to raise ADS for submission of project cost and total turnover letter from Mines and Geology Department during the violation period and proof of Bank Guarantee Acknowledgement copy and acknowledgement copy of payment of penalty amount.

Agenda Item No: 222.05

3.032 Ha. Mining of Colour Granite of M/s. Suraksha Granites, at Sy. No: 103 USH of Konidena Village, Ballikurava Mandal, Bapatla District (Formerly Prakasam District), Andhra Pradesh- Environmental Clearance Expansion- Reg.

SIA/AP/MIN /426772/20 23

Category: B2 at par with B1(Minor Mineral)

The proposed project is for mining of Colour Granite in an area of 3.032 Ha. with a proposed production capacity of 13,467 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 project proponent and their M/s. SV Enviro labs have attended the meeting and presented the case. The SEAC committee noted that:

- a) The project proponent obtained Environmental clearance on 08.05.2013 for mining of colour granite of production capacity-2689 M3/Annum and the validity period of mine lease is for 14.5 years.
- The project proponent has obtained Standard TOR with Public hearing on 30.08.2022 and also obtained TOR amendment on 23.01.2023. The public hearing held on 25.11.2022.
- c) The project proponent has not uploaded approved District Survey Report (DSR) of erstwhile Prakasam District. Hence, the committee recommended to raise ADS for

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	submission of approved DSR copy.					
	The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to raise ADS for submission of approved DSR of Prakasam District.					
Agenda Item No: 222.06	13.265 Ha. Mining of Road Metal & Building Stone, Ordinary Earth (Gravel)of M/s. V.R.M Stone Crushers at SY.NO: 335/1, 336 & 350 of Kalpanayunicheruvu Village, Ramapuram Mandal, YSR Kadapa District, Andhra Pradesh- Environmental Clearance - EIA - Reg.					
SIA/AP/MIN /427166/20	Category: B2 at par with B1 (Minor Mineral)					
23	The proposed project is for mining of Road Metal, Building stone and Gravel in an area of 13.265 Ha. with a proposed production capacity of Road metal and Building - 1,03,284 m³/annum and Gravel- 22,920 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 project proponent and their consultant, M/s. Ecomen Laboratories Pvt. Ltd., have attended the meeting and presented the case. The SEAC committee noted that:					
	a) The Department of Mines and Geology submitted Y.S.R. Kadapa DSR report-2021 and the same is reviewed in the SEAC meeting. The present project name is not mentioned in the DSR as the proposed project is new mine lease and also there is no cluster mine lease details in DSR.					
	b) As per the approved mining plan, the total provided mineral reserves are 39,50,786 M ³ . The proponent proposed to excavate 1,03,284 m ³ /Annum and Life of the mine is 38.25					
	years. c) The project proponent has obtained Standard TOR with Public on 09.02.2022. The public hearing was held on 15.02.2023.					
	 e) Reply of the proponent during the public hearing is as follows: Sri T Brahmaiah, environmental Consultant has responded on behalf of the management stated that, the local people will be provided 85% of the employment in the mine as per the Government norms, greenbelt will be developed in 10% of mine lease area and 23% to 25% additional area of greenbelt development will be done along the roads, vacant places in the surroundings. He informed that sign boards will be placed as suggested as there are sharp turnings on the roads. He expressed that VTC skill training will be imparted while employing workers in the mine. Health camps will be conducted at schools and villagers periodically once a year and the suggestion to provide transportation will be deliberated by the management and decision will be taken. f) The base line data was collected from Oct, 2021 to Dec, 2021 and the predominant wind direction is observed to be North East to South West. The maximum concentration of SPM is observed to be 61.3 μg/m³. The incremental concentration is 					

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- 5.20 μg/m³ and GLC of SPM will fall at a distance about 400m towards West and South West direction from the mine lease area.
- g) The proponent volunteered to provide water treatment plant to the Kalpanayunicheruvu village panchayat as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine.
- h) Under EMP budget the proponent has proposed following:
 - Proposed to provide to trenches, silt traps and Garland drains control surface runoff.
 - Proposed to provide Continuous water sprinkling through water tanker for the dust Suppression during the vehicle movement.

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 the Environmental management plan.
- 2. The project proponent shall develop greenbelt of 2km 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.
- The proponent shall carryout suppression of dust generated due to transport vehicles by continuous water sprinkling.
- 6. The vehicles carrying the mines material shall be covered with tarpaulin during vehicular movement.
- The project proponent shall not use village road for mineral transportation purpose.
- proponent volunteered to provide water treatment plant to the Kalpanayunicheruvu village panchayat as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine.
- 9. The project proponent shall remove de-siltation yearly from nearby Check dam and shall strengthen the check dam.
- 10. The project proponent shall comply with the commitment / assurances given to the surrounding villages in the Public Hearing.

Agenda Item No: 222.07

8.00 Ha. Mining of Quartz Sri P KOTESWARA REDDY, at Sy. No. 1308 (Old Sy.No.1/P) (Govt. Land) of Chilekampalli Village, Chakraypeta Mandal, Y.S.R Kadapa District, Andhra Pradesh - Environmental Clearance - Reg.

SIA/AP/MIN /427242/20 23

Category: B2 at par with B1 (Minor Mineral)

The proposed project is for mining of Quartzin an area of 8.0 Ha. with a proposed production capacity of - Quartz- 77,253 TPA 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).

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The project proponent and their consultant, M/s. Ecomen Laboratories Pvt. Ltd., have attended the meeting and presented the case. The SEAC committee noted that:

- a) The Department of Mines and Geology submitted Y.S.R. Kadapa DSR report-2021 and the same is reviewed in the SEAC meeting. The present project name is not mentioned in the DSR as the proposed project is new mine lease. Hence, committee identified deposition of mineral by consideration chakraypeta mandal at S.No.13 of page No.116 of the DSR report.
- b) As per the approved mining plan, the total provided mineral reserves are 19,54,052TPA. The proponent proposed to excavate 77,253 TPA and Life of the mine is 25.59 years.
- c) The project proponent has obtained Standard TOR with Public on 08.12.2021 and also obtained TOR amendment on 26.04.2022. The public hearing was held on 13.10.2022.
- d) Public Hearing Details: There are no specific issues raised in the public hearing.
- e) Reply of the proponent during the public hearing is as follows: Sri T Brahmaiah, environmental Consultant has responded on behalf of the management stated that, as per the Government rules the local people will be given opportunity in 75% of the jobs available in the proposed mine and wages will be paid as per DGMS rules and the labour Act. The hired employees will be imparted GVK training prior to the joining the duties. He informed that, water treatment plant is proposed to be provided under CSR activity and regarding 33% of greenbelt development he informed that the management will develop 10% greenbelt in the mine and the remaining 23% greenbelt will be developed by planting medicinal value plants in vacant government lands, along roads and schools. He informed that, wet drilling and control sequence blasting will be adopted and provide a trench along the boundary with bund to avoid overflow of rainwater from mine into nearby agricultural fields.
- f) The base line data was collected from Oct, 2021 to Dec, 2021 and the predominant wind direction is observed to be North East to South West. The maximum concentration of SPM is observed to be 63.7 µg/m3. The incremental concentration is 3.12 µg/m3 and GLC of SPM will fall at a distance about 600m towards West and South West direction from the mine lease area.
- g) The proponent volunteered to provide Medical equipment's and infrastructure to the Chilekampalli PHC panchayat as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine.
- h) Under EMP budget the proponent has proposed following:
 - Proposed to provide to retention walls, toe drain silt traps and Garland drains control surface runoff.
 - Proposed to provide Continuous water sprinkling through water tanker for II. Suppression the dust particles.

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 the Environmental management plan.
- The project proponent shall develop greenbelt of 2km along approach roads & village
- 3. The project proponent shall maintain 7.5mt greenbelt in buffer zone and existing buffer zone plantation should not be disturbed.
- The proponent shall take dust suppression measures to meet the CPCB stipulated

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ambient air quality standards at any point of time. The proponent shall carryout suppression of dust generated due to transport vehicles by continuous water sprinkling. 6. The vehicles carrying the mines material shall be covered with tarpaulin during vehicular movement. The project proponent shall not use village road for mineral transportation purpose. 8. The proponent volunteered to provide Medical equipment's and infrastructure to the Chilekampalli PHC panchayat as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine. 9. The project proponent shall provide trench along with Silt trap pond of 800m [1.5mts width X 1.5 mts depth] around the lease boundary to prevent surface runoff. The project proponent shall comply with the commitment / assurances given to the surrounding villages in the Public Hearing. Agenda 5.0 Ha. Mining of Colour Granite quarry of M/s. Dinesh Granite Exports at Sy. No. 01, Item No: Addukonda Village, Tekkali Mandal, Srikakulam District, Andhra Pradesh -222.08 Environmental Clearance - Reg. SIA/AP/MIN Category: B2 at par with B1 (Minor Mineral) /427535/20

The proposed project is for mining of color Granitein an area of 5.0 Ha. with a proposed production capacity of - 6,015 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 representative of the project and their consultant, M/s. VVN Laboratories Pvt Ltd., have attended the meeting and presented the case. The SEAC committee noted that:

- a) The Department of Mines and Geology submitted Srikakulam Draft DSR report-2021 and the same is reviewed in the SEAC meeting. The present project name is mentioned at S.No.22 of Page No. 197 in the DSR report.
- b) As per the approved mining plan, the total provided mineral reserves are 4,94,983M³. The proponent proposed to excavate 6015 M3/ Annum and Life of the mine is 82 years.
- c) The project proponent has obtained Standard TOR with Public on 12.04.2022. The public hearing was held on 19.01.2023.
- d) The project proponent has carried out mining operations (vide page no 12 of approved mining plan) after 15.01.2016. Hence, this committee treated this project as a violation project. Hence, the committee directed the project proponent to comply S.O No 804 dt 14.03.2017.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to raise ADS for submission following:

 The project proponent shall submit plan for Restoration of benches and buffer zone in remediation plan and the cost of restoration of benches and buffer zone should be included in Bank guarantee.

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- The proponent shall comply with the provisions of 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.
- 3. 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.
- 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.
- The project proponent shall submit a bank guarantee equivalent to the amount of remediation plan and Natural and Community Resource Augmentation Plan with the State Pollution Control Board.
- 6. 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.

Agenda Item No: 222.09

29.226 Ha. Mica, Quartz and Feldspar mine of M/s. Sublime Mica Exports, Sy. No. 295, 296, 490/A, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 508, 509/P & 510/P of Turimerla Village, Sydapuram Mandal, SPSR Nellore District, Andhra Pradesh – Environmental Clearance – Reg.

SIA/AP/MIN /426789/20 23

Category: B2 at par with B1 (Minor Mineral)

The proposed project is for mining of **Mica**, **Quartz and Feldspar** in an area of 13.265 **Ha.** with a proposed production capacity of **43,880 TPA** 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 project proponent and their consultant, M/s. Global Enviro Labs have attended the meeting and presented the case. The SEAC committee noted that:

The Department of Mines and Geology submitted &S.R. Nellore DSR report - 2021 and the same is reviewed in the SEAC meeting. The present project name is not mentioned in the Draft DSR as the proposed project is new mine lease and Hence, committee identified deposition of mineral by consideration of M/s. Seetharama Mining company at sl.no.13 of

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page no.120 which is in the same village of the mine namely Turimerla village.

- a) As per the approved mining plan, the total provided mineral reserves are 8,77,021 TPA. The proponent proposed to excavate 43,880 TPA and Life of the mine is19.98 years.
- b) The project proponent has obtained Standard TOR with Public on 19.09.2023. The public hearing was held on 18.03.2023.
- c) Public Hearing Details: There are no specific issues raised in the public hearing.
- d) Reply of the proponent during the public hearing is as follows: Sri Murali Krishna, Environmental Consultant responded on behalf of the management stated that, Management is ready to clear the path after the commencement of the mining activity and they will keep the path as useful for the convenience of the villagers: assured that the technical &Non- technical job preference will be given to the surroundings villagers, i.e., Turimerala & Kalichedu villagers. He has given assurance that the management will follow all the suggestions and opinions as expressed in the meeting after the commencement of the mining activity and continue the minig.

e) The base line data was collected from Oct, 2022 to Dec, 2022 and the predominant wind direction is observed to be North West to South East. The maximum concentration of SPM is observed to be 58 µg/m³. The incremental concentration is 3.2 μg/m³ and GLC of SPM will fall within the mine lease area.

f) The project proponent has submitted and mining plan as per the NGT norms by leaving(4.977 Ha) 200m from villager side i.e., North East side.

- g) The proponent volunteered to provide Medical equipment's and infra structure to Sydapram PHC as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine.
- h) Under EMP budget the proponent has proposed following:
 - Proposed to provide to retention walls, trenches, silt traps and Garland drains control surface runoff.
 - ii. Proposed to provide Continuous water sprinkling through dedicated water tanker for Suppression of the dust particles during vehicular movement.

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 the Environmental management plan and EIA report.
- 2. The project proponent shall analyze the mine discharge waste water and in case of excedance, the project proponent shall treat the mine discharge water for removal of heavy metals.
- 3. The project proponent shall develop greenbelt of 2km along approach roads & village Road sides.
- 4. The project proponent shall maintain 7.5mt greenbelt in buffer zone and existing buffer zone plantation should not be disturbed.
- 5. The proponent shall take dust suppression measures to meet the CPCB stipulated ambient air quality standards at any point of time.
- The proponent shall carryout suppression of dust generated due to transport vehicles by continuous water sprinkling.
- 7. The vehicles carrying the mines material shall be covered with tarpaulin during vehicular movement.
- The project proponent shall not use village road for mineral transportation purpose.

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- The project proponent shall provide Medical equipment's and infra structure to Sydapram PHC as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine.
- 10. The project proponent shall lay separate road for agricultural lands.
- The project proponent should treat the mine discharge water for removal of heavy meals.
- The project proponent shall comply additional TOR conditions.
- The project proponent shall comply with the commitment / assurances given to the surrounding villages in the Public Hearing.

Agenda Item No: 222.10

7.00 Ha, Mica, Quartz and Feldspar Mine of M/s. Sublime Mica Exports, Sy. No. 499/P, 500, 501/P and 502/P of Turimerla Village, Sydapuram Mandal, SPSR Nellore District, Andhra Pradesh-Environmental Clearance - Reg.

SIA/AP/MIN /427626/20 23

Category: B2 at par with B1 (Minor Mineral)

The proposed project is for mining of Mica, Quartz, and Feldspar in an area of 7.0 Ha. with a proposed production capacity of 31,528 TPA 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 project proponent and their consultant, M/s. Global Enviro Labs have attended the meeting and presented the case. The SEAC committee observed that:

The Department of Mines and Geology submitted S.R. Nellore DSR report - 2021 and the same is reviewed in the SEAC meeting. The present project name is not mentioned in the Draft DSR as the proposed project is new mine lease and Hence, committee identified deposition of mineral by consideration of M/s. Seetharama Mining company at sl.no.13 of page no.120 which is in the same village of the mine namely Turimerla village.

- a) As per the approved mining plan, the total provided mineral reserves are 6,31,440 TPA. The proponent proposed to excavate 31,528 TPA and Life of the mine is 19.98 years.
- b) The project proponent has obtained Standard TOR with Public on 19.09.2022. The public hearing was held on 18.03.2023.
- c) Public Hearing Details: There are no specific issues raised in the public hearing.
- d) Reply of the proponent during the public hearing is as follows: Sri Murali Krishna, Environmental Consultant has responded on behalf of the management has given assurance that the management will follow all the suggestions and opinions as expressed in the meeting after the commencement of the mining activity.
- e) The base line data was collected from Oct, 2022 to Dec, 2022 and the predominant wind direction is observed to be North West to South East. The maximum concentration of SPM is observed to be 58 μg/m³. The incremental concentration is 3.2 μg/m³ and GLC of SPM will fall within the mine lease area.
- f) The proponent volunteered to provide Medical equipment's and infra structure to Turimerla PHC as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall

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maintain till the life of the mine.

- g) Under EMP budget the proponent has proposed following:
 - Proposed to provide to retention walls, trenches, silt traps and Garland drains control surface runoff.
 - Proposed to provide wet irand Continuous water sprinkling through water tanker for Suppression the dust particles.

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:

- The proponent shall comply with the proposals furnished in the Environmental management plan and EIA report.
- The project proponent shall analyze the mine discharge waste water and in case of excedance, the project proponent shall treat the mine discharge water for removal of heavy metals.
- The project proponent shall develop greenbelt of 2km along approach roads & village Roadsides.
- The project proponent shall maintain 7.5mt greenbelt in buffer zone and existing buffer zone plantation should not be disturbed.
- The proponent shall take dust suppression measures to meet the CPCB stipulated ambient air quality standards at any point of time.
- The proponent shall carryout suppression of dust generated due to transport vehicles by continuous water sprinkling.
- The vehicles carrying the mines material shall be covered with tarpaulin during vehicular movement.
- 8. The project proponent shall not use village road for mineral transportation purpose.
- The project proponent shall provide Medical equipment's and infra structure to Turimerla PHC as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine.
- The project proponent shall lay separate road for agricultural lands.
- 11. The project proponent shall comply additional TOR conditions.
- The project proponent shall comply with the commitment / assurances given to the surrounding villages in the Public Hearing.

Agenda Item No: 222.11

1.0 Ha. Colour Granite Quarry of Sri. Angara Rajesh, Survey No. 302/1, 302/2 & 302/3P of Thotakurapalem Village, Ravikamatham Mandal, Anakapalli (Formerly Visakhapatnam) District, Andhra Pradesh- Environmental Clearance - Reg.

SIA/AP/MIN /428006/20 23

Category: B2 (Minor Mineral)

The proposed project is for mining of Colour Granite in an area of 1.0 Ha, with a proposed production capacity of 3,273 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).

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The project proponent and their Consultant M/s.Team Labs, have attended the meeting and presented the case. The SEAC committee noted that:

- a) The Committee noted that there are two Existing quarry leases, within the radius of 500 mts area and the total cluster area is < 5.0 Ha as per cluster letter issued by Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Anakapalli (FAC), vide Lr. dated: 31.03.2023.
- b) As per the approved mining plan, the total provided mineral reserves are 15,776 m³. The proponent proposed to excavate 3273 TPA and Life of the mine is 4.82 years.
- c) The Mines & Geology Dept. issued letter of Intent (LOI) to the proponent vide order dt.30.01.2018 with a condition for submission of approved mining plan, EC, CFE within a period of 6 months i.e., by 30.07.2018.
- d) However, the proponent submitted a application for EC on 04.05.2023 much after due date of 30.07.2018 given by Mines & Geology Dept. Therefore, the committee recommended the proponent to obtain extension of validity of Letter of Intent (Lol) issued by Mines & Geology Dept.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to raise AD£ for submission of extension of validity of Letter of Intent (LoI) issued by Mines & Geology Dept.

Agenda Item No: 222.12

2.480 Ha. Road Metal & Building Stone Quarry of Smt. B. Anjinamma, Sy. No. 55, East Kodipalli Village, Kalyanadurg Mandal, Anantapuramu District, Andhra Pradesh-Environmental Clearance – Reg.

SIA/AP/MIN /428152/20

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Category: B2 (Minor Mineral)

The proposed project is for mining of **Road Metal & Building stone** in an area of 2.480 Ha. with a proposed production capacity of **15,025** 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 project proponent and their, M/s. SV Enviro labs, have attended the meeting and presented the case. The SEAC committee noted that:

- a) The Department of Mines and Geology submitted Visakhapatnam DSR report-2018 and the same is reviewed in the SEAC meeting. The present project name is mentioned in the DSR in S.No.53 of Page No.99 of the DSR report.
- b) As per the approved mining plan, the total provided mineral reserves are 3,18,547 M³. The proponent proposed to excavate 15,025 m³/Annum and Life of the mine is 21.20 years.
- c) The project proponent has obtained violation TOR without Public Hearing on 15.01.2023.
- d) The base line data was collected from Dec, 2022 to Feb, 2023 and the predominant wind direction is observed to be East to West. The maximum concentration of SPM is observed to be 61.7 μg/m³. The incremental concentration is 2.27 μg/m³ and GLC of

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- SPM will fall at a distance of 0.44Km towards western direction from the mine lease
- e) The proponent volunteered to provide water treatment plant to the Kodipalli village panchayat as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine.
- f) Under EMP budget the proponent has proposed following:
 - Proposed to provide to trenches and Garland drains control surface runoff. i.
 - ii. Proposed to provide wet jacket drilling & Gunny bags Continuous water sprinkling through water tanker for Suppression the dust particles.

g) S.O No 804 dt 14.03.2017 compliance:

- Credible action was initiated vide CC No 217/2023 in the court of Junior Civil courts of Anathapur on 09.03.2023.
- The project proponent submitted undertaking on 29.11.2022 stating that the ii. violation will not be repeated.
- iii. The project proponent has submitted remediation and resource augmentation plan with a cost of Rs 2,32,606/- and also uploaded the acknowledged BG submitted at APPCB, Regional office, Anathapur on 20.04.2023.
- iv. The project proponent has submitted production dispatch letter issued by ADMG,(FAC)Anathapuram vide letter dt.10.04.2023
- The Penalty was calculated in compliance with SOP issued by MoEF&CC Gol v. vide OM dt. 07.07.2021 and the details is as follows:

S No	Name of the mine	Project cost in Rs.	Total production during violation period as reported by mining department letter dated 10.04.202	Turnove r during violation period in Rs as reported by the mining departm ent vide letter dated 10.04.20 23	1% of proj ect cost in Rs	0.25 % of turn over during violati on period in Rs.	Total penalty amount to be levied as per OM 07.07.20 21 in Rs
1.	Smt. B. Anjinamm a, SIA/AP/MI N/428152 /2023	Rs.57,0 0,000/-	Mining Road metal & Building stone 1986 Cum	Rs. 3,97,200/-	Rs.5 7,00 0/-	Rs. 993/-	Rs. 57,993/-

vii) The project proponent has uploaded the acknowledged copy for the payment of penalty amount of Rs. 57,993/- at APPCB Board Office Vijayawada on 24.04.2023.

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

- 1. The proponent shall comply with the proposals furnished in the Environmental management plan.
- 2. The project proponent shall develop greenbelt of 1km along approach roads & village Roadsides.
- 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 proponent shall carryout suppression of dust generated due to transport vehicles by continuous water sprinkling.
- 6. The vehicles carrying the mines material shall be covered with tarpaulin during vehicular movement.
- The project proponent shall not use village road for mineral transportation purpose.
- 8. The project proponent shall provide water treatment plant to the Kovvuru village panchayat as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine.
- The project proponent shall provide trench with rocky bund to prevent surface runoff.
- 10. The project proponent shall adopt for controlled blasting in the mine lease area.
- 11. The project proponent shall comply with the commitment / assurances given to the surrounding villages in the Public Hearing.

Agenda Item No: 222.13

1.819 Ha. Mica, Quartz and Feldspar of M/s.Bala Tripura Sundari Mines And Minerals at Sy.No. 147-1B of Nellatur Village, GudurMandal, S.P.S.R Nellore District, Andhra Pradesh - Environmental Clearance - Reg.

SIA/AP/MIN /428429/20 23

Category: B2 (Minor Mineral)

The proposed project is for mining of Mica, Quartz and Feldspar in an area of 1.819with a proposed production capacity of 30,779 TPA 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 project proponent and their RQP, Santhosh Kumar, have attended the meeting and presented the case. The SEAC committee noted that:

- a) The Department of Mines and Geology submitted Nellore DSR report 2021 and the same is reviewed in the SEAC meeting. The present project name is not mentioned in the DSR as the proposed project is new mine lease and Hence, committee identified deposition of mineral by consideration of Gudur Mandal at page no.122 of the DSR report as propose mine is also in the same Revenue Mandal.
- The Committee noted that there are no Existing quarry leases within the radius of 500 mts area and the total cluster area is < 5.0 Ha as per cluster letter issued by Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Nellore, vide Lr. dated:13.04.2023.
- c) As per the approved mining plan, the total provided mineral reserves are 3,07,580 T. The proponent proposed to excavate 30,779 TPA and Life of the mine is 9.99 years.

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- d) Nellatur water tank is at a distance about 40m in southern direction in the proposed
- e) The proponent volunteered to provide Medical equipment's and Infra Structures to Nellatur PHC as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine.
- Under EMP budget the proponent has proposed following:
 - Proposed to provide Garland Drain and trench with bund walls to control
 - Proposed to provide Continuous water sprinkling through water tanker for ii. Suppression the dust particles.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs 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.
- 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.
- The proponent shall carryout suppression of dust generated due to transport vehicles by water spraying tankers continuously.
- 6. The vehicles carrying the mines material shall be covered with tarpaulin during vehicular movement.
- 7. The project proponent shall not use village road for mineral transportation purpose.
- 8. The project proponent shall provide Medical equipment's and Infra Stracures to Nellatur PHC as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine.
- 9. The project proponent shall not use water tank bund road for mineral transportation purpose.
- 10. The project proponent shall provide 500m trench with rocky bund towards South and Eastern side to prevent surface runoff entering into the water tank.

Agenda Item No: 222.14

10.0 Ha. Mining of Colour Granite of Sri L.Srinivas at Sy. No. 01, Sontinuru Village, Nandigam Mandal, Srikakulam District, Andhra Pradesh - Amendment in EC - Reg.

SIA/AP/MIN /300188/20 23

The project has obtained EC in the name of L. Srinivas vide order no: Dt. 13.07.2021 for mining of colour granite - 25,272 M3/Annum and the validity period of EC is for 20 years i.e., upto 12.07.2041.

Now the proponent applied EC Amendment for inclusion of Granite waste as Road Metal and Building Stone & Gravel in addition of minerals with capacity of Road Metal, Building Stone - 75,861 m³/Annum and Gravel - 25,272 m³/Annum.

As per modified mining plan the availability of colour granite waste is 36,95,595 m3 and is proposed to be dumped within the mine lease area. The project proponent has proposed to utilize this granite waste as a Road Metal and Building stone & Gravel.

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The DM&G, Ibrahimpatnam, accorded permission to the project proponent for inclusion of Granite Waste as Road metal and Building Stone and Gravel as additional mineral to Colour Granite vide Letter No: 4518/D1-1/2023, Date: 17.03.2023.

The committee verified the application, modified mining plan dt. 25.04.2023, EMP, EC order dt. 013.07.2021 and recommended to issue EC amendment for inclusion of colour granite waste as a Road Metal, Building Stone - 75861 m³/Annum and Gravel - 25272 m³/Annum to the EC order dt 13.07.2021 as the granite waste is proposed to be used without dumping in the mine lease area.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC Notifications, & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue amendment to EC order by including colour granite waste as a Road metal and building stone – 75,861 m³/ Annum and Gravel 25,272 m³/ Annum in-addition to Colour granite –25,272 m³/Annum with following additional conditions.

The project proponent shall maintain village road.

Agenda Item No: 222.15

6.0 Ha. Mining of Colour Granite of M/s. Anantha Padmanabha Granites, Sy.No.1, Sontinuru Village, Nandigama Mandal, Srikakulam District, Andhra Pradesh -Amendment in EC – Reg.

SIA/AP/MIN /300506/20 23

The project has obtained EC in the name of M/s. Anantha Padmanabha Granites vide order Dt. 28.01.2015 for colour granite – 1,800 M³/Annum and the validity period of EC is for 20 years i.e., 27.01.2035.

Now the proponent applied EC Amendment for inclusion of Granite waste as Road Metal and Building Stone & Gravel in addition of minerals with capacity of Road Metal, Building Stone - 5,400 m³/Annum and Gravel - 1,800 m³/Annum.

The DM&G, Ibrahimpatnam, accorded permission for inclusion of Granite Waste as Road metal and Building Stone & Gravel as additional mineral to Colour Granite quarry lease vide Letter No: 4519/D1-1/2023, Date: 17.03.2023.

The committee verified the application, modified mining plan dt.25.04.2023 EMP, EC order dt. 28.01.2015and recommended to issue EC amendment for inclusion of colour granite waste as a Road Metal, Building Stone - 5,400 m³/Annum and Gravel - 1,800 m³/Annum to the EC order dt 28.01.2015 as the granite waste is proposed to be used without dumping in the mine lease area.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC Notifications, & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue amendment to EC order by including colour granite waste as a Road metal and building stone – Road Metal, Building Stone – 5,400 m³/Annum and Gravel - 1,800 m³/Annum in-addition to Colour granite –1,800 Cum/ Annum with following additional conditions.

The project proponent shall maintain the village road.

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Agenda Item No: 222.16	4.853 Ha. Mining of Colour Granite of M/s. Stone Plus at Survey No. 41, Ravivalasa Village, Tekkali Mandal, Srikakulam District, Andhra Pradesh - Amendment in EC - Reg.
SIA/AP/MIN /300531/20 23	The project has obtained EC in the name of M/s. Stone Plus vide order dt. 31.08.2021 for colour granite – 51,774 M³/Annum and the validity period of EC is for 7.35 years Now the proponent applied EC Amendment for inclusion of Granite waste as Road Metal and Building Stone in addition of minerals with capacity of Road Metal, Building Stone - 41,419 m³/Annum. The DM&G, Ibrahimpatnam, accorded permission for inclusion of Granite Waste as Road metal and Building Stone & Gravel as additional mineral to Colour Granite quarry lease vide Letter No: 4519/D1-1/2023, Date: 20.09.2021.
	The committee verified the application, modified mining plan dt.21.12.2022 EMP, EC order dt. 31.08.2021 and recommended to issue EC amendment for inclusion of colour granite waste as a Road Metal, Building Stone - 41,419 m³/Annum to the EC order dt.31.08.2021 as the granite waste is proposed to be used without dumping in the mine lease area.
	The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC Notifications, & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue amendment to EC order by including colour granite waste as a Road metal and building stone – 41,419 m ³ /Annum in-addition to Colour granite –51,774 m ³ / Annum with following additional conditions. 1. The project proponent shall maintain the village road.
Agenda Item No: 222.17	1.902 Ha of Road Metal Quarry of M/s. Murali Krishna Stone Crusher, Sy. No. 53, China Sankarlapudi Village, Prathipadu Mandal, Kakinada District (Erstwhile East Godavari District), Andhra Pradesh- TOR- Reg.
SIA/AP/MIN /413874/20 23	The project proponent and also their consultant have not attended the meeting and the committee recommend to raise ADS seeking reasons for not attending the meeting and also to place this case only after the project proponent request the SEAC to place their proposal in the SEAC meeting.
Agenda Item No: 222.18	0.809 Ha. of Gravel, Building Stone, Ballast, Road Metal & Boulders Mining of Sri G. Lakshmana Rao at Sy. No. 53 of Chinasankarlapudi Village, Prathipadu Mandal, East Godavari District, Andhra Pradesh- TOR- Reg.
SIA/AP/MIN /414013/20 23	The project proponent and also their consultant have not attended the meeting and the committee recommend to raise ADS seeking reasons for not attending the meeting and also to place this case only after the project proponent request the SEAC to place their proposal in the SEAC meeting.

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Agenda Item No: 222.19	0.809 Ha. of Road Metal Mining of M/s. Sri Murali Krishna Constructions at Sy. No. 160, Peddasankarlapudi Village, Prathipadu Mandal, Kakinada District (Erstwhile East Godavari District), Andhra Pradesh- TOR- Reg.			
SIA/AP/MIN /413900/20 23	The project proponent and also their consultant have not attended the meeting and the committee recommend to raise ADS seeking reasons for not attending the meeting and also to place this case only after the project proponent request the SEAC to place their proposal in the SEAC meeting.			
Agenda Item No: 222.20	1.603 Ha. of China Clay of M/s. Coral Mineral Products Pvt Ltd at Sy No. 419, Dharmavaram Village, Prathipadu Mandal, Kakinada District (Erstwhile East Godavari District), Andhra Pradesh- Violation TOR- Reg.			
SIA/AP/MIN /426284/20 23	The project proponent and also their consultant have not attended the meeting and the committee recommend to raise ADS seeking reasons for not attending the meeting and also to place this case only after the project proponent request the SEAC to place their proposal in the SEAC meeting.			
Agenda 4.00 Ha. of Road Metal of M/s. Sri Anjani Metal Crusher at Sy. No. 261 Uppamp Village, Rowthulapudi Mandal, East Godavari District, Andhra Pradesh- Vio 222.21 TOR- Reg.				
SIA/AP/MIN /425877/20 23	The project proponent and also their consultant have not attended the meeting and the committee recommend to raise ADS seeking reasons for not attending the meeting and also to place this case only after the project proponent request the SEAC to place their proposal in the SEAC meeting.			
Agenda Item No: 222.22	4.517 Ha. Colour Granite Quarry of M/s M.S.P. Granites at Sy.No. 71 of Lingalavala Village, Tekkali Mandal, Srikakulam District, Andhra Pradesh- TOR Expansion Reg.			
SIA/AP/MIN				
/428048/20 23	The project has obtained EC in the name of M/s M.S.P. Granites vide order dt. 25.10.2013 for colour granite – 1,871 M ³ /Annum and the validity period of EC is for a period of 20 years.			
	Now, the project proponent proposed for enhancement of mining of Colour Granite Quarry in the existing mining lease area of 4.517 Ha. for increasing production capacity from 1,871 m ³ /Annum to 12,129 m ³ /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 project proponent and their Consultant, M/s.Global Enviro Labs, have attended the			

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	meeting and presented the case. The SEAC committee noted that:
	a) The Geo-coordinates mentioned in the approved Mining plan and DGPS survey are not matching with uploaded KML file. Hence, committee recommended to reject the TOR expansion application and directed the proponent to apply with proper Geo-coordinates as per the DGPS sketches. The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to reject the TOR expansion application and directed the proponent to apply with proper Geo-coordinates as per the DGPS sketches.
Agenda Item No: 222.23	4.452 Ha. Mining of Yellow Ochre, White Shale & Laterite of Sri B. Venkata Subba Reddy, Sy.No: 459/P, Devamachupalli Village, Chitvel Mandal, Annamayya District (Erstwhile YSR Kadapa District), Andhra Pradesh - Violation TOR - Reg.
SIA/AP/MIN	Category: B2 (Minor Mineral).
/428095/20 23	The proposed project is for mining of Yellow Ochre, White Shale & Laterite in an area of 4.452 Ha. with a proposed production capacity Yellow Ochre-68570 TPA, White Shale-45,104 & Laterite- 90,872 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 project proponent has attended the meeting and presented the case. The SEAC committee noted that:
	 a) The proposed Project area falls into the Protected Area or ESZ and the Mining within 1 km of the Protected Area notified under Wildlife (Protection) Act,1974 is prohibited. b) Therefore, the proposed project requires clearance / NOC under Wildlife (Protection) Act,1974.
	The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to raise ADS for submission of clearance / NOC under Wildlife (Protection) Act,1974.
Agenda Item No: 222.24	2.0 Ha. Mining of Road Metal & Building Stone of M/s. Sri Sai Krishna Stone Crusher, Survey No.464 of Kottam Village S.Kota Mandal, Vizianagaram District, Andhra Pradesh- Violation TOR - Reg.
SIA/AP/MIN /427968/20 23	Category: B2 (Minor Mineral). The proposed project is for mining of Road Metal & Building Stone in an area of 2.0 Ha. with a proposed production capacity 16,746 M³/ Annum with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining

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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 project proponent and their Consultant, M/s.HECS Pvt. Ltd., have attended the meeting and presented the case. The SEAC committee noted that:

a) The project proponent has uploaded old cluster i.e., dt. 24.09.2021. Hence, committee recommended to raise ADS for submission of latest status of the cluster from the Mines and Geology Dept. to ascertain the cluster applicability.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to raise ADS for submission of latest status of the cluster from the Mines and Geology Dept. to ascertain the cluster applicability

Agenda Item No: 222.25

3.00Ha. Mining of Dolomite of M/s. Shiridi Sai Minerals, Survey No. 252 of Nagarur Village, Yadiki Mandal, Ananthapur District, Andhra Pradesh- Environmental Clearance - Reg.

SIA/AP/MIN /428274/20 23

Category: B2 (Minor Mineral).

The proposed project is for mining of **Mining of Dolomite** in an area of 3.0 Ha. with a proposed production capacity **75,781 TPA** 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 project proponent and their RQP, N Ravikanth have attended the meeting and presented the case. The SEAC committee noted that:

a) The proposed mine lease/ minerals details are not mentioned in Anantapur DSR report of Nagarur village. Hence, committee recommended to raise ADS for proof of submission of nearby dolomite mine lease details from the Department of Mines and Geology to ascertain the Dolomite mineral availability in surrounding area.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to raise ADS for proof of submission of nearby dolomite mine lease details from the Department of Mines and Geology to ascertain the Dolomite mineral availability in surroundings.

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Agenda Item No: 222.26	1.830 Ha. Mining of Road Metal by Sri G. Venkateswarlu at sy no. 122 of Karadigudam Village, Alur Mandal, Kurnool District, Andhra Pradesh-Environmental Clearance - Reg.				
SIA/AP/MIN /428550/20 23	The project proponent and also their consultant have not attended the meeting and the committee recommend to raise ADS seeking reasons for not attending the meeting and also to place this case only after the project proponent request the SEAC to place their proposal in the SEAC meeting.				
Agenda Item No: 222.27	2.597 Ha, Road Metal Quarry of M/s. GMR Stone Crusher, Compartment No. 313 of Gulamallabad, South Block RF Dhone Range, Bhanumukka Village, Banaganepalle Mandal, Kurnool District, Andhra Pradesh- Environmental Clearance- EIA Case - Reg.				
SIA/AP/MIN /428557/20 23	The project proponent and also their consultant have not attended the meeting and the committee recommend to raise ADS seeking reasons for not attending the meeting and also to place this case only after the project proponent request the SEAC to place their proposal in the SEAC meeting.				
Agenda Item No: 222.28	1.00 Ha. Mining of Colour Granite of Sri. U. Harshavardhan Reddy at Sy.No.1007 of Gundlakonda Village, Devanakonda Mandal, Kurnool District, Andhra Pradesh – Environmental Clearance – Reg.				
SIA/AP/MIN /429146/20 23	The project proponent and also their consultant have not attended the meeting and the committee recommend to raise ADS seeking reasons for not attending the meeting and also to place this case only after the project proponent request the SEAC to place their proposal in the SEAC meeting.				
Agenda Item No: 222.29	1.480 Ha. Mining of Dolomite & Steatite of M/s. Sri Trimbakeshwar Minerals, Sy No 430/P, 1251/D, 1251/E & 1251/F of Kristipadu Village, Peddavaduguru Mandal Ananthapur District, Andhra Pradesh - Environmental Clearance - EIA Case - Reg.				
SIA/AP/MIN /429640/20 23	HER MEDICAL HER NEW HER				
Agenda Item No: 222.30	1.618 Ha. Gravel Mine of M/s. Megha Engineering Infrastructure Limited at Sy.No.18 of Aluru Village, Tadipatri Mandal, Anantapuramu District, Andhra Pradesh Environmental Clearance - Reg.				
SIA/AP/MIN /430139/20 23	Category: B2 (Minor Mineral). The proposed project is for mining of Mining of Gravel in an area of 1.618 Ha. with a proposed production capacity 45,000 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				

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and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (≤250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).

The project proponent and their RQP, G. Eswar Reddy have attended the meeting and presented the case. The SEAC committee noted that:

- a) The Department of Mines and Geology has submitted Anantapur DSR report-2021 and the same is reviewed in the SEAC meeting. The present project name is not mentioned in the DSR as the proposed project is new mine lease. Hence, committee identified deposition of mineral by consideration Aluru village at S.No.3,4,7&8 in page No.107 of the DSR.
- b) The Committee noted that there are no Existing quarry leases within the radius of 500 mts area and the total cluster area is < 5.0 Ha as per cluster letter issued by Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Tadipatri, vide Lr. dated:03.05.2023.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to raise ADS for submission working details/ Status of adjacent mine leases.

Agenda Item No: 222.31

1.618 Ha. Road Metal Quarry of M/s. Megha Engineering Infrastructure Limited is in Sy.No. 182-2, Kaverisamudram Village, Tadipatri Mandal, Anantapur District, Andhra Pradesh - Environmental Clearance - Reg.

SIA/AP/MIN /430402/20 23

Category: B2 (Minor Mineral).

The proposed project is for mining of Mining of Road metal in an area of 1.618 Ha. with a proposed production capacity 45,000 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 project proponent and their RQP, G. Eswar Reddy have attended the meeting and presented the case. The SEAC committee noted that:

 a) The proposed mine lease/ minerals details are not mentioned in Anantapur DSR report of Kaverisamudram village. Hence, committee recommended to raise ADS for proof of submission of nearby Road metal mine leases details from the Department of Mines and Geology to ascertain the Road Metal mineral availability in surrounding area.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to raise ADS for proof of submission of information from Department of Mines and Geology regarding the details of nearby Road Metal mine leases in the area to ascertain the Road Metal mineral availability in surroundings.

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Agenda Item No: 222.32

4.741 Ha. Mining of Road Metal & Building Stone of Sri. A. Bheemasankar Reddy at Sy. No: 475/3 (Sy. No. Gap Area), Kommaragunta Village, Vedurukuppam Mandal, Chittoor District, Andhra Pradesh - Environmental Clearance - Refer Back - Reg.

SIA/AP/MIN /413380/20 23

Category: B2

The proposed project is for mining of Road metal & Building stone an area of 4.741 Ha. with a proposed of production quantity of Road metal & Building stone - 93,521 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 project proponent and their S.V. Enviro Labs & Consultantshave attended the meeting and presented the case. The SEAC committee noted that:

The issue was appraised in the 208th SEAC meeting and the decision of SEAC is as follows:

- The Committee noted that as per the cluster letter issued by the Asst. Director. of Mines &Geology, Chittoor, vide Letter dated: 12.12.2022, there is one existing quarry lease within the radius of 500 mtrs area. The total cluster area is < 5.0 Ha.
- b) History of the Case: The project proponent has informed that initially, they have applied for 11.0 Ha of Road metal and building on 05.08.2008. and the Tahsildar, Vedurukupam mandal has obtained NOC dt. 26.12.2009 from Forest Department for 11.0 Ha of Road metal and building in the name of Sri. A. Bheemasankar Reddy, later Director of mines and Geology has issued LOI dt. 23.07.2021 for 4.741 Ha only. Further the same was verified in Parivesh 2.0 and observed that the applied lease area is falling outside the Forest boundary.
- c) The Committee observed that the Rayalacheruvu protected forest is at a distance of 177m and the proponent has submitted forest NOC vide letter dt.
- d) The proponent volunteered to provide Digital class room to primary High school in Vedurukuppam as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine. Life of mine is 11 years.

Then, The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC' Notifications & OMs 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 1000 plants 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.

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- 4. The project proponent shall carry out mining duly maintaining proper benches.
- The project proponent shall provide 420m Rocky bund on North -West side to prevent surface runoff.
- The project proponent shall comply conditions stipulated in the Forest NOC dt. 26.12.2009.

After SEAC meeting this proposal was placed in 211th SEIAA: The SEEIA noted that the Forest NOC was issued in 2009. Refer to SEAC to Appraise with latest Forest NOC, as it is learned that certain lands closed to Rayalacheruvu were notified as Reserve Forest for compensatory afforestation purpose.

Again this issue was appraised in the 220th SEAC meeting and the decision of SEAC is as follows:

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, mining plan, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to raise ADS for submission / uploading of latest forest NOC or clarification from forest department or lands close to rayalacheruvu were notified as reserve forest for compensatory afforestation purpose.

Accordingly, the project proponent has submitted clarification letter.

The issue was appraised in the 222nd SEAC meeting and the decision of SEAC is as follows:

The Committee recommended to raise ADS as the issue of DSR for Chittoor district is under sub-judice in the Hon'ble NGT, southern zone, Chennai.

Agenda Item No: 222.33 2.00 Ha. Mining of Road Metal and Building Stone of Smt. M.Vakula Devi, Sy.No.231/P of Chiyyedu Village, Ananthapuramu Mandal, Ananthapuramu District, Andhra Pradesh – TOR – Reg.

SIA/AP/MIN /428967/20

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Category: B2

The proposed project is for mining of Road Metal & Building stone in an area of 2.0 Ha. with a proposed production quantity of 50,000 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 representative of the project proponent and their M/s. VVN Laboratories have attended the meeting and presented their proposal: The SEAC committee noted that:

a) The Department of Mines and Geology has submitted Anantapur DSR report-2021 and the same is reviewed in the SEAC meeting. The present mine lease details is mentioned at S.No. 247 of page No.171 in the DSR.



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- b) The Committee noted that as per cluster letter issued by the Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Anathpuram(FAC), dated: 29.04.2023 there are no existing quarry leases within the radius from 500 mtrs area. The total cluster area is < 5.0 Ha.
- c) This is an existing lease area and obtained first renewal grant order on 11.08.2017 for a period of 10 years.
- d) The Hon'ble Supreme Court vide order dated the 27th 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.
- e) 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.
- f) 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 following conditions:

- The project proponent shall prepare cluster EIA& EMP.
- 2. The project proponent shall prepare a plantation plan including no. of species and type of species and area of land allocated for greenbelt.
- 3. The project proponent shall obtain buffer zone removal permission from Mines and Geology department.
- The project proponent shall submit surface runoff prevention measures plan.
- 5. The project proponent shall submit plan for Restoration of benches and buffer zone in remediation plan and the cost of restoration of benches and buffer zone should be included in Bank guarantee.
- 6. 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 dated07-07-2021, 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.
- 7. Credible action to be initiated through concerned Regional office, APPCB under section 15 read with section 19 of E(P) Act 1986.

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	 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. 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. 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. 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. The project proponent shall submit proof of Bank Guarantee submission as per S.O.No.804 (E) dated 14.03.2017 and payment of penalty amount as per OM dated 07.07.2021.
Agenda Item No: 222.34	4.924 Ha Mining of Road Metal and Building Stone of M/s. Seven Hills Stone Crushers at Sy. No. 140/9 Part of Surendranagaram Village, Karvetinagaram Mandal, Chittoor District, Andhra Pradesh - Environmental Clearance - Reg.
SIA/AP/MI N/429504/ 2023	The project proponent and also their consultant have not attended the meeting and the committee recommend to raise ADS seeking reasons for not attending the meeting and also to place this case only after the project proponent request the SEAC to place their proposal in the SEAC meeting.

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