



STATE ENVIRONMENT IMPACT ASSESSMENT AUTHORITY, ASSAM
Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Government of India
BAMUNIMAIDAM, GUWAHATI 781021, ASSAM

Minutes of the 5th Meeting of the SEIAA, Assam held on 15/10/2020

The 5th Meeting of the SEIAA, Assam was held at the SEIAA office on 15/10/2020 at 1.00 p.m.

The following Members were present

- Sri Pradyut Kumar Choudhury, Chairman, SEIAA, Assam.
- Smti. Madhurima Baruah (Sen), IAS, Secretary, Environment and Forest Department, Govt. of Assam and Member Secretary, SEIAA, Assam.
- Dr. Hari Prasad Sarma, Member, SEIAA, Assam.

Sri Pradyut Kumar Choudhury, Chairman, SEIAA, Assam presided over the meeting.

Agenda Item 1.

Actions on the recommendations of 7th meeting of the SEAC held on 3rd October, 2020.

1. **EC for collection of sand from “MPA No. DBR/16/Buridihing/Gamon/Sand MPA at Kotoha Nagar Area” under Dibrugarh Dvn by Sri Dayananda Borgohain. SEIAA.1360/2020 (Proposal No. SIA/AS/MIN/143822/2020)**

SEAC Resolution 7/5:

The Project Proposal submitted by Shri Dayananda Borgohain for collection of Sand from MPA.No DBR/16/Buridihing/Gamon/Sand under Dibrugarh division is discussed. The Committee after discussion approved the Project for extraction of 5000 Cu.M of sand for 2(Two) years @ 2500 Cu.M per Year from the Proposed mining site. The P.P is allowed to extract the said quantity of Sand strictly following the terms & condition laid down in the Mining Plan approved by the Geology & Mining Deptt.Assam. In addition to the above the P.P is allowed to operate mining operation 15 mtr away from the high bank of the river to avoid bank erosion.

The DFO Dibrugarh Division is requested to ensure monitoring of the mining operation to avoid occurrence of any irregularities.

SEIAA Resolution 5/1 :

Approved as per condition laid down by SEAC.

2. **EC for collection of River Bed sand From “MPA No. DBR/15/ Buridihing/ Gamon/ Sand MPA” under Dibrugarh Dvn by Sri Ananta Borgohain.SEIAA.1359/2020 (Proposal No. SIA/AS/MIS/165216/2020)**


SEAC Resolution 7/7:

The committee has gone through the Project Proposal submitted by Sri Ananta Borgohain for extraction of river Bed sand from MPA. No. DBR/15/ Buridihing /Gamon /Sand MPA under Dibrugarh Forest Division. The Committee approved the Project Proposal for issue of E.C with condition that extraction be done in the river bed 50 mtr away from the high bank of the river. Further, all the terms & condition laid down in the Mining Plan approved by the Geology & Mining Deptt. Assam has to be strictly followed during the mining operation.


The DFO, Dibrugarh Division is requested to ensure strict compliance of the restrictions mentioned above to avoid occurrence of irregularities in mining process.

SEIAA Resolution 5/2 :

Approved as per condition laid down by SEAC.


Smti Madhurima Baruah (Sen), IAS,
Member Secretary, SEIAA, Assam
Secretary, Env & Forest, Assam and
Member Secretary, SEIAA, Assam.


Dr. Hari Prasad Sarma,
Member, SEIAA, Assam


Sri Pradyut Kumar Choudhury,
Chairman, SEIAA, Assam.

3. EC for river Bed with accumulated Sand for Collection under Silchar Forest division by Sibabrata Sarma. SEIAA.178/2014/pt-I (Proposal No. SIA/AS.MIN/121585/2019)

SEAC Resolution 7/8:

The Committee has gone through the Project Proposal and documents subsequently furnished for collection of Sand from Daloo River Minor Mineral Unit (sand) under Cachar Division. After discussion the committee approved to issue EC for Collection of 8750Cu.M of Sand in 2(two) years @ 4375Cu.M per year to the P.P Sri Sibabrata Sarma. The committee approved the Project proposal to extract Sand from the river bed leaving 10 mtrs on both the sides of the river bank to avoid river bank erosion. Further, all the terms & Condition laid down in the Mining Plan approved by the Geology & Mining Deptt. Assam shall have to be strictly followed during the mining operation.

The DFO Cachar Division should ensure regular monitoring of the mining operation to avoid occurrence of irregularities.

SEIAA Resolution 5/3 :

Approved as per condition laid down by SEAC.

4. EC for collection of Stone, Sand Gravel and Ordinary Clay from "Sunbari stone and sand Mahal" under Forest Dvn by Zander Barhma. SEIAA.1375/2020 (Proposal no. SIA/AS/MIS/155571/2020)

SEAC Resolution 7/9:

The Project Proposal submitted by Zander Brahma for mining of stone, sand gravel and ordinary clay from "Sunbari Stone and Sand Mahal" under Baksa Forest Division, BTR has been discussed. After detail discussion the committee approved the project for extraction of 10,000Cu.M stone, 30,000Cu.M of sand gravel and 15,000Cu.M of ordinary clay within 5(five) years period. Annual extraction target for extraction of is fixed as 2000Cu.M stone, 6000Cu.M of sand Gravel and 3000Cu.M of ordinary Clay respectively. The committee is also opined that the mining area should restrict on the sand bar leaving a distance at least 100mtr from the high bank as river Beki is prone to bank erosion. Further, all the terms & condition laid down in the Mining Plan approved by the Geology & Mining Deptt, Assam should also be strictly followed.

The DFO Baska Division will ensure that the mining operation be done following the conditions discussed above to avoid occurrence of illegalities.

SEIAA Resolution 5/4 :

Approved as per condition laid down by SEAC.

5. EC for collection of Sand from "Jamunamukh kapili Nodi Sand Permit area-1(D) (Rev.portion) under Nagaon Forest Dvn by UCN Construction co.pvt.ltd. SEIAA.1353/2020 (SIA/AS/MIS/168865/2020)

SEAC Resolution 7/10:

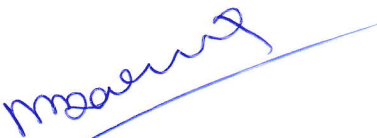
The Project proposal submitted by the UCN Construction Co. Pvt. Ltd for extraction of Sand from "Jamunamukh kopili Nadi sand Permit area" under Nagaon Forest Division has been discussed in the meeting. The Project is approved for extraction of 5000 Cu.M of sand for 2(two) years period @ 2500Cu.M per year.


The P.P has to strictly follow all the terms & condition laid down in Mining Plan approved by the Geology & Mining deptt. Assam.


The DFO Nagaon Division will ensure that the mining operation is done following the terms & condition discussed above.

SEIAA Resolution 5/5 :

Approved for issuance of EC.


Smti Madhurima Baruah (Sen), IAS,
Member Secretary, SEIAA, Assam
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Member Secretary, SEIAA, Assam.


Dr. Hari Prasad Sarma,
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Chairman, SEIAA, Assam.

6. EC for collection of ordinary earth from “Niz Kanai Gaon MPA” under Dibrugarh Dvn by Sri Jugal Kishore Mahanta. SEIAA.1384/2020 (Proposal no. SIA/AS/MIS/144673/2020)
SEAC Resolution 7/11:

The documents furnished by the P.P Sri Jugal Kishore Mahanta for collection of Ordinary Clay from “Niz kanai gaon MPA” under Dibrugarh Division is discussed in the meeting. The committee approved the project for collection of 64956Cu.M of ordinary earth within a period of 4 month i.e 120 days strictly following all the terms & condition laid down in the Mining Plan approved by the Geology & Mining deptt. Assam.

The DFO Dibrugarh Division will ensure that the mining is done in the approved site without violating the terms & condition discussed above.

SEIAA Resolution 5/6 :

Approved for issuance of EC.

7. EC for collection of ordinary earth from “Niz Kanai Gaon MPA” under Dibrugarh Dvn by Sri Jugal Kishore Mahanta. SEIAA.1383/2020 (Proposal no. SIA/AS/MIS/144487/2020)
SEAC Resolution 7/12:

The committee discussed the Project Proposal submitted by Sri Jugal Kishore Mahanta for extraction of 53980Cu.M of ordinary earth from “Niz Kanai gaon permit area” under Dibrugarh Division. After deliberation the committee approved the project for extraction of 53980Cu.M of ordinary earth from the proposed site within a period of 4 month @ 120 days strictly following all the terms & condition laid down in the Mining Plan approved by the Geology & Mining deptt. Assam.

The DFO Dibrugarh Division will ensure that the mining is done in the approved site only strictly following the term & conditions discussed above to avoid occurrence of illegalities.

SEIAA Resolution 5/7 :

Approved for issuance of EC.

8. EC for Collection of sand from “Longai Sand Minor Mineral Unit No.3 at Sarif Nagar area” under Karimganj Dvn by Sri Surajit Karmakar. SEIAA.1366/2020 (Proposal No. SIA/AS/MIS/171942/2020)

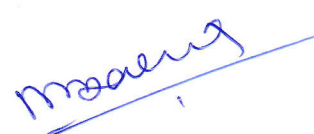
SEAC Resolution 7/13:

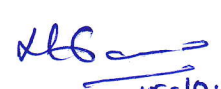
The Project proposal submitted by Sri Surajit Karmakar for extraction of sand from Longai sand Minor Mineral Unit no.3 comprising 2 Ha mining area under Karimganj Division is discussed. The committee approved the project proposal for extraction of 7000 Cu.M of sand for 5 (Five) years from the proposed mining site of 2.0 Ha. Annual extraction of Sand is fixed 1400 Cu.M strictly following all the terms & condition laid down in the Mining Plan approved by the Geology & Mining deptt. Assam. Further, the committee restricted the mining operation within 5(five) mtr from the high bank of the river.

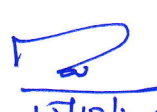
The DFO Karimganj Division will ensure that the mining is done as per term & condition discussed in foregone para.

SEIAA Resolution 5/8 :

Approved for issuance of EC as per conditions laid down by SEAC.


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Chairman, SEIAA, Assam.

9. EC for collection of Ordinary Clay From Outside Dikhow River MPA, Paccaghat under Sivsagar Dvn by Jintu Dutta. SEIAA.1166/2020 (Proposal No. SIA/AS/MIS/134358/2020)

Resolution 7/14:

The modification proposal of EC submitted by Sri Jintu Dutta for extraction of ordinary clay from "Outside Dikhow River MPA" Paccaghat under Sivsagar Dvn is discussed. On detail scrutiny of the records the committee approved the project for collection of 12500 Cu.M of ordinary clay within 2 years period fixing annual extraction quantity 6250 Cu.M of ordinary clay. The P.P has to follow all the terms & conditions laid down in Mining Plan approved by the Geology & Mining Deptt, Assam. Further, the proposed mining operation is approved on the condition that the P.P shall not start mining operation before 31st Oct/2020 as advised by the W.R Deptt, Sivsagar.

The DFO, Sivasagar Division is requested to ensure to monitoring of the mining operation from time to time to avoid any irregularities.

SEIAA Resolution 5/9 :

Approved as per condition laid down by SEAC.

10. EC for collection of ordinary Earth From "Jania P.P Land Ordinary earth MPA" Under N.K Dvn, Rangia by Mohammad Ali. SEIAA.1385/2020 (Proposal no. SIA/AS/MIS/170655/2020)

SEAC Resolution 7/15:

The Project Proposal submitted by the Mohammad Ali for extraction of ordinary earth from Jania P.P land ordinary earth MPA under N.K Division, Rangia has been discussed. The committee approved the project proposal for extraction of 9554 Cu.M of ordinary earth for 2(two) years fixing annual extraction target 4777 Cu.M. The P.P shall have to adhere to all the terms & condition laid down the Mining Plan approved by the Geology & Mining Deptt, Assam.

The DFO N.K Division is required to ensure monitoring of the mining operation to avoid occurrence of irregularities.

SEIAA Resolution 5/10 :

Approved for issuance of EC.

11. EC for collection of Sand From "Longai sand Minor Mineral unit No. 3" under Karimganj Dvn, Silchar by Sri Surajit Karmakar. SEIAA.1362/2020(Proposal No. SIA/AS/MIS/172787/2020)


SEAC Resolution 7/17:


The committee has gone through the Project Proposal submitted by Sri Surajit Karmakar for extraction of Sand from 3.0 Ha. area of "Longai Sand Minor Mineral Unit-3" under Cachar Division, Silchar. The committee approved the project for issue of EC allowing extraction of Sand 10500 Cu.M of Sand for a period of 5(five) years from the proposed site. Thus annual target for collection of sand is fixed 2100Cu.M.on the condition that mining be done leaving at least 5mtrs distance from high bank of the river. The P.P should also strictly follow the terms and conditions laid down in the Mining Plan approved by the Geology & Mining Deptt. Assam.


The DFO, Karimganj will ensure monitoring of the mining operation to avoid any irregularities.

SEIAA Resolution 5/11 :

Approved as per condition laid down by SEAC.


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Dr. Hari Prasad Sarma,
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Chairman, SEIAA, Assam.

12. Extention for Collection of sand & Gravel from “Sand & Gravel quarry in the Dikrang River Bed” under Lakhimpur Dvn by Sri Swapna Bania Das. SEIAA.132/2014/pt-I (Proposal no. SIA/AS/MIN/144355/2020)

SEAC Resolution 7/19:

The project proposal submitted by Sri Swapna Bania Das for extension of the EC is discussed in the meeting. Going through the report and after due discussion the committee approved the project for extension of EC for another 2 (two) years for extraction of sand 3000Cu.M and gravel 5000Cu.M from the proposed mining area. Annual extraction target is fixed as 1500Cu.m sand and 2500Cu.m gravel strictly following all the terms and conditions laid down in the Mining Plan approved by the Geology & Mining Deptt. Assam. Further, extraction is permitted in the proposed mining site keeping a safe distance of 300mtrs away from the nearby bridge. The DFO, Lakhimpur Division will ensure monitoring of the mining operation to avoid occurrence of irregularities.

SEIAA Resolution 5/12 :

Approved for issuance of EC.

13. EC for collection of Brick Earth From “M/S JBI Bricks MPA” under Kamrup West Dvn BY M/S JBI Bricks SEIAA. 1341/2020 (Proposal No. SIA/AS/MIS/132900/2020)

SEAC Resolution 7/22:

The committee discussed the Project Proposal submitted by M/S JBI bricks for collection of Brick Earth From “M/S JBI Bricks MPA” under Kamrup West Dvn. After due scrutiny and discussion the committee approved the project to issue EC for collection of bricks earth 9506 Cu.M from the proposed mining site for 2 years period. Annual target of extraction of brick earth is fixed at 4753 Cu.M strictly following all the terms and conditions laid down in the Mining Plan approved by the Geology & Mining Deptt. Assam.

The DFO Kamrup West Division, Bamunigaon will ensure regular monitoring during mining operation against violation of the terms & condition discussed above.

SEIAA Resolution 5/13 :

Approved for issuance of EC.

14. EC for collection of Sand From “Numaligarh Sand Mahal No.1” under Golaghat Dvn by Dilip Gogoi. (SEIAA 1339/2019) (Proposal No. SIA/AS/MIS/168742/2020)


SEAC Resolution 7/23:


The project proposal submitted by Sri Dilip Gogoi for EC against mining of Sand From “Numaligarh Sand Mahal No.1” under Golaghat Dvn. The committee approved the proposal for collection of 1000 Cu.M Sand within a period of 2(two) years following the terms and conditions laid down in the Mining Plan approved by the Geology & Mining Deptt. Assam. Thus, annual target for extraction of Sand is allowed 500 Cu.M.

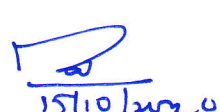
The DFO, Golaghat Division will ensure regular monitoring of the mining operation against violation of the terms & condition discussed above.

SEIAA Resolution 5/14 :

Approved for issuance of EC.


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15. EC for extraction of Ordinary earth From “Gopeswar ordinary Earth MPA” under N.K Dvn, Rangia by Sri Bharat Deka. SEIAA.1358/2020 (proposal no. SIA/AS/MIN/172208/2020)

SEAC Resolution 7/24:

The project proposal submitted by Sri Bharat Deka asking EC for collection of Ordinary earth from “Gopeswar ordinary Earth MPA” under N.K Dvn, Rangia. The committee in the meeting approved the project allowing to collect 26272 Cu.M of ordinary earth in 2 years period strictly adhering to the terms and conditions laid down in the Mining Plan approved by the Geology & Mining Deptt. Assam. Thus, annual target for extraction of ordinary earth is allowed 13136 Cu.M

The DFO, N.K Division, Rangia will ensure regular monitoring the mining operation to avoid occurrence of irregularities.

SEIAA Resolution 5/15 :

Approved for issuing EC.

16. EC for collection of River Bed stone From “DBR/2/Dillighat No.2 (Stone) MPA under Dibrugarh Dvn by Rajib Deka. SEIAA.1361/2020 (proposal no. SIA/AS/MIN/163536/2020)

SEAC Resolution 7/25:

The Committee discussed the project proposal submitted by Sri Rajib Deka asking EC for collection river bed stone From “DBR/2/Dillighat No.2 (Stone) MPA under Dibrugarh Dvn. The committee approved the proposal for collection of 12000 Cu.M of river bed stone in 2 (two) years period strictly following the terms and conditions laid down in the Mining Plan approved by the Geology & Mining Deptt. Assam. Thus annual target for the collection of river bed stone is allowed 6000 Cu.M from the proposed site.

The DFO Dibrugarh Division will ensure regular monitoring the mining operation against violation of the terms & condition stated above.

SEIAA Resolution 5/16 :

Approved for issuing EC.

17. Extension of EC for stone & sand/ Gravel from Tirap River MCA under Digboi Forest Dvn by Sri Kumud Gogoi. SEIAA.1219/ 2020 (Proposal no. SIA/AS/MIN/167789/2020)

Resolution 7/27:

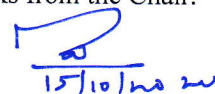
The documents furnished by Sri Kumud Gogoi requesting for extension of Ec for collection of Stone and Sand/Gravel from Tirap River MCA under Digboi Division has been scrutinized. The committee after due deliberation approved the Project for collection of Boulder Stone/Gravel 3000cum allowing Two (2) years time strictly following the terms & conditions laid down in the approved Mining Plan. The annual extraction of mining materials in fixed 1500cum from the proposed site only.

The DFO, Digboi Division has to ensure that the mining be allowed to operate in the proposed site and monitoring be done regularly to avoid occurrence of illegalities.

SEIAA Resolution 5/17 :

Approved for issuing EC.

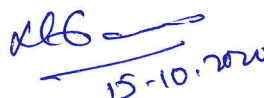
There being no other matter to be discussed, the meeting came to an end with a vote of thanks from the Chair.



(Sri Pradyut Kuamr Choudhury)
Chairman,
SEIAA, Assam



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