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Minutes of the 487th Meeting of the State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, UP (SEIAA) held on 03.09.2021

The meeting of 487th State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, UP (SEIAA) was held on-line on 03.09.2021 at the Directorate of Environment. The following were present in the meeting:-

1. Dr. Rajiv Kumar Garg

2. Shri Paras Nath

3. Shri Ajay Kumar Sharma

Chairman, SEIAA, U.P Member, SEIAA, U.P

Member Secretary, SEIAA, U.P.

General Discussion:-

SEIAA gone through the letter of Director, Geology and Mining Department, UP letter no. 434/M28/2012(Parya SWA)2019 TC dated 27.08.2021 and Secretary, Geology and Mining Department, UP letter no. 736/86-2020-14(SA)/2020TC dated 12/05/2020 regarding priority of ToR for mining projects of sand/morrum, building stone etc. Hence SEIAA opined to give preference to mining projects.

Agenda-A: -Complaints/letters -

 जिला पंचायत वाराणसी द्वारा प्रस्तावित विद्युत शवदाह गृह स्थापना हेतु अनुमित / अनापित प्रदान करने के सम्बन्ध में। कार्यालय

SEIAA gone through the letter of DM, Varanasi letter no. 642/G.Pa.Va./mri. Pa./2021-22 dated 07.08.2021 regarding the above subject. SEIAA opined to refer the matter to SEAC-1 for review/ comments.

 कार्यालय जिलाधिकारी महोदय जनपद—जालौन द्वारा अल्पकालीन अवधि (6 माह) के लिए खनन क्षेत्रों की स्वीकृति हेतु निर्गत विज्ञप्ति के खण्ड सं0—3 क्योटरा, एवं हिमनपुरा खण्ड सं0—2, तहसील—काल्पी जलमग्न होने के कारण निविदा निरस्त किये जाने एवं नया पट्टा स्वीकृत न किये जाने के सम्बन्ध में |(File no.- 4163 and 4069)

SEIAA gone through the letter of R/o village Himanpura Kyotara , Kalpi, Jalaun dated 21.07.2021 regarding the above subject. SEIAA opined to refer the letter to DMO for review/comments.

3- Complaint and legal notice regarding unlawful conducting public hearing on the basis of overlapping and wrong geo-coordinates for - Granite (Khanda/Boulder) & Morrum Mining at Khasra/Gata No.- 2131/6, Village- RauliKalyanpur, Tehsil- Karwi, Chitrkoot, U.P., (Leased Area-2.4289 Ha). File No. 5407/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/49890/2020

SEIAA gone through the letter of M/s Malhotra Brothers Gata no. 2131/07 Karwi, Chitrakoot dated 11.08.2021. SEIAA noted that ToR was issued on the recommendation of SEAC vide letter dated 20.05.2020, whereas letter regarding geo-coordinates have



been issued by DM, on 17.10.2020. Hence SEIAA opined to refer the letter to UPPCB, DMO and SEAC for necessary action.

4- Request for correction in ToR for Sand/Morrum Mining from Sukhani River at Gata No.- 1984 & 01, Khand No.- 3, Village- Dhawakar/Sitaura, Teh.- Mauranipur, Jhansi, Area-09.0 ha. File no 5579/proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/52014/2020

SEIAA gone through the letter of Shri Dinesh Kumar Rajpoot, Jhansi dated 16.08.2021 regarding correction in ToR. SEIAA opined to refer the letter to SEAC-2 for review/comments.

Agenda-B: -Replies-Nil

Agenda-C: - Minutes of 554th SEAC-2 Meeting Dated 30/07/2021

 (2) Soil Excavation at Gata No.-04, Village- Meerpur, Tehsil -Farrukhabad, District-Farrukhabad, U.P., Area-1.1980 Ha. File No. 6211/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/199072/2021

SEIAA agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to submit the clarification regarding the mining process and a revised Letter of Intent from competent authority.

 (3) Soil Excavation at Gata No. 313, Village-Lakhanpur, Tehsil- Kaimganj, District-Farrukhabad, U.P., (Leased Area-0.3280 Ha.). File No. 6218/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/200390/2021

SEIAA agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to submit the clarification regarding the mining process and a revised Letter of Intent from competent authority.

(4) Soil Mining at Khasra No./Gata No.- 461 & 609, Village- Daudpur, Tehsil-Nawabganj, Barabanki, U.P., Area -0.309 ha. File No. 6232/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/202170/2021

SEIAA agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC to close the file as the project proponent did not appear and open only after submission of online request on prescribed online portal.

 (5) Sand/Morrum Mining from Ken Riverbed at Khand No.- 195/1, Village- Lahureta, Tehsil- Narani, Banda., M/s Katyayni Natural Resources Ltd., Area: 33.00 ha. File No. 4962/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/215080/2021

SEIAA agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC that the project proponent should submit revised letter of intent (LoI) issued by concerned District Authority for amendment in environmental clearance letter dated 11/12/2019.

 (7) Earth Mining at Gata No.-1288, 1289, Village- Katesar, Tehsil- Laharpur, District-Sitapur, U.P., Area: 0.562 ha. File No. 6130/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/193274/2021

SEIAA noted that SEAC has recommended to grant environmental clearance to the above project. SEIAA gone through file and documents and found that application is made for six months whereas in mining plan mining for only 3 months is mentioned. Hence SEIAA opined that the project shall be referred to SEAC for clarification.



(8) Sand/ Morrum Mining from Yamuna River Bed at Gata No.-303mi, 313 mi, 290 mi, 301 mi,303, 304 mi, 314 mi, 297 mi, 298 mi, 302 mi, 311 mi, 312 mi, 313 mi & 314 mi, Khand No.-02, Village- Panchayara, Tehsil- Loni, District- Ghaziabad, U.P., M/s New Panther Security Guard Service, Lease Area: 12.512 ha. File No. 5793/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/216384/2021

SEIAA agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to amend the environmental clearance letter no. 27/Parya/SEAC/5793/2019 dated 27/05/2021. Rest all the contents mentioned in EC letter dated 27/05/2021 shall remain the same.

 (10) Sand/Morrum Mining from Betwa Riverbed at Gata No.- 240, Khand No.- 03, Village- Hamanpur, Tehsil- Kalpi, Jalaun., Area: 13.360 ha. File No. 6241/5922/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/61988/2020

SEIAA noted that SEAC has recommended to grant environmental clearance to the above project. SEIAA gone through file and documents and found a letter for amendment in DSR signed by DMO, Jalaun. SEIAA opined that the project proponent shall submit letter from competent authority.

 (11) Sand/Morrum Mining from Betwa River Bed at Khand No.- 240, Khand No.-04, Village-Himanpura, Tehsil-Kalpi, Jalaun., Area: 16.194 ha. File No. 6245/5670/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/62040/2020

SEIAA agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC to grant the prior Environmental Clearance to the proposed project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by the SEAC adding following specific condition as follows:-

- Directions/suggestions given during public hearing and commitment made by the project proponent should be strictly complied.
- A certificate from Forest Department shall be obtained that no forest land is involved and if forest land is involved the project proponent shall obtain the forest clearance and permission of Central and State Government as per law under the provisions of Forest (conservation) Act, 1980 and submit before the start of work.
- The mining lease holders shall, after ceasing mining operations, undertake regrassing the mining area and any other area which may have been disturbed due to their mining activities and restore the land to a condition which is fit for growth of fodder, flora fauna etc.
- Three tier green shelter belt of 7.5m width should be developed on the periphery of mine lease area. Local and native species should be planted in consultation with Forest/Horticulture Department/Agriculture University.
- Plan for using the mine void for productive use in consultation with local administration and gram-panchayat.
- Replenishment study, duly approved by the competent authority for approving DSR for the district should be submitted within one year. In the absence of replenishment study keeping in mind various orders issued by Hon'ble NGT and development works in the State EC is accorded for a period of one year.
- (12) Expansion of Multiplex and Commercial Complex Building (Fun Republic) at Khasra No.- 103 (Part), 105 (Part), 105 (Part), 106 (Part), 116 (Part), 117 (Part), 117 (Part), 118 (Part), 199(Part), Bhikhamnagar, Gomti Nagar, Lucknow., Shri Vikas Katoch, M/s E-City Entertainment (India) Pvt. Ltd. File No. 6414/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIS/217388/2021

SEIAA noted that legal notices are being served by Shri Arvind Rai to UPPCB/ SEIAA/SEAC regarding this project. Hence SEIAA opined to take up this project. SEIAA



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noted that SEAC has recommended to grant environmental clearance to the above project. SEIAA gone through file and documents and found that it is an expansion project and no mention has been made in the minutes of SEAC regarding previous EC. Hence SEIAA opined that the project proponent must submit CTE/CTO granted at the time of establishment.

 (13) "Building Stone (Khanda, Gitti- Boulder) Mine" Project at Arazi No.-288, Khand No.-03, at Village- Majhol, Tehsil- Charkhari, District- Mahoba, U.P., M/s Ekta Construction Leased Area -0.809 ha. File No. 6306/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/202776/2021

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

With the permission of the Chairman:-

 Clinker Grinding Unit WITH Cement Production Capacity of 2.0 Million TPA and D.G. Sets (1250 KVA & 125 KVA)at Village- Ingotha, Pargana- Sumerpur, Hamirpur., M/s Jaykaycem (Central) Ltd. File No. 6109/Proposal No. SIA/UP/IND/59622/2021

SEIAA noted that the above project was taken in its meeting dated 24.08.2021 in which it is mentioned that the separate minutes of the above project proposal has already been sent to SEIAA for necessary action. SEIAA gone through file and documents and Environment Department, U.P. letter no. 27/81-6-2021 dated 05.08.2021 and agreed with the recommendation of SEAC in its meeting dated 24.08.2021 to grant EC to the above project replacing condition no. VI (iii) & VII (v) as:-

- VI (iii) The project proponent shall install a continuous CAAQMS system to carryout Ambient Air Quality monitoring for common/criterion parameters relevant to the main pollutants released (e.g. PM₁₀ and PM₂.s in reference to PM emission, SO₂ and NOx in reference to SO₂ and NOx emissions) within and outside the plant area at least at four locations (one within and three outside the plant area at an angle of 120° each), covering upwind and downwind directions (case to case basis small plants: Manual; Large plants: Continuous).
- VII (v) Sewage Treatment Plant of appropriate capacity shall be provided for treatment of domestic waste water to meet the prescribed standards.

And adding one condition:-

 Raw material handling should be such that there should be no Fugitive emission from the premises.

(Ajay Kumar Sharma) Member-Secretary

SEIAA

(Paras Nath) Member SEIAA (Dr.Rajiv Kumar Garg) Chairman SEIAA