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Minutes of the 533rd Meeting of the State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, UP (SEIAA) held on 09.12.2021

The meeting of 533rd State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, UP (SEIAA) was held on-line on 09.12.2021 at the Directorate of Environment. 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 (In-person)
Member Secretary, SEIAA, U.P

Nodal Officer SEIAA brought to the notice of the SEIAA that the Department of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, GoUP vide letter no. 1229/81-7-2021-103(Parya)/2007 TC dated 24.11.2021 (copy enclosed) has desired as follows –

‘राज्य स्तरीय पर्यावरण प्रभाव प्राधिकरण में जनपद महोबा व अन्य जनपदों ने पत्थर खनन सम्बन्धी पर्यावरणीय अनापत्ति के लम्बित प्रकरणों के सम्बन्ध में दिनांक 25.11.2021 को विशेष बैठक आयोजित कर लम्बित प्रकरणों के निस्तारण के सम्बन्ध में नियमानुसार आवश्यक कार्यवाही सुनिश्चित कराते हुए कृत कार्यवाही से शासन को अविलम्ब अवगत कराने का कष्ट करें।’

Secretary, Department of Geology and Mining, GoUP vide letter no. 736/86-2020-14(SA)/2020TC dated 12/05/2020(copy enclosed) has desired as follows –

मानसून अवधि में विकास कार्यों के साथ-साथ जनसामान्य को उचित दर पर खनिज की उपलब्धता सुनिश्चित कराया जाना आवश्यक है। अतः प्राथमिकता के आधार बालू/मोरंग क्षेत्रों हेतु उक्त अनुलम्बित पर्यावरण अनापत्तिको शीघ्र अतिशीघ्र निर्गत कराने का कष्ट करें।

In the light of the above letters dated 24.11.2021 & 12.05.2021 agenda approved by MS, SEIAA is hereby put up for the consideration of SEIAA. Nodal officer, SEIAA placed files and documents related to below mentioned projects before SEIAA.

Nodal Officer, SEIAA-UP informed that in light of minutes of the meeting of joint meeting of SEIAA, SEAC-1 & SEAC-2 held on 22.06.2021, minutes of the below mentioned projects appraised by SEAC-2 have been vetted by SEAC-1.

Agenda-A: -Complaints/letters –Nil

Agenda-B:- Replies-

1. Stone (Khanda, Boulder, Gitti& Ballast Mining at Gata No.-291, (Khand No.-02New), Village- Majhol, Tehsil- CharKhari, Mahoba.,ShriRakesh Kumar Goswami., Area- 0.809 ha. File No.6284 Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/ 205741/2021

SEIAA noted that the above project was taken in its 483rd meeting dated 23.08.2021 in which SEIAA opined that amendment in DSR should be signed by competent authority. SEIAA also found that two mining plan approval letter has been submitted by project proponent bearing the same letter no. but the dates are different and in one letter minable quantity per annum is mentioned and in another quantity is not mentioned. Hence SEIAA opined that the project proponent shall clarify the same. The project proponent has submitted his reply vide letter dated 03.09.2021 along with amendment in DSR vide letter no. 154/MMC-30-khanij dated 12.05.2021. After reviewing the reply SEIAA agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to grant the above project but **EC will be issued only when the project proponent submits certified lease map.** 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 but the SEIAA replaces the specific condition regarding cluster certificate as "If in future during the progressive mining this lease area becomes part of cluster i.e. area equal to or more than 5 ha., limited to B-1 category, then additional conditions based on the EIA conducted by the concerned lease holders shall be imposed and joint EMP shall be implemented. The lease holder shall mandatorily follow all the imposed conditions otherwise it will amount to violation of E.C. conditions. If the certificate related to cluster provided by the competent authority is found false or incorrect then punitive actions as per the law shall be initiated against the authority issuing the cluster certificate" and adding following conditions:-

1. This EC is co-terminus with validity of current mine plan or current lease period whichever is earlier.
2. A certificate from Forest Department shall be obtained that no forest land is involved in mining or as a route and if forest land is involved the project proponent shall obtain forest clearance and permission of Central and State Government as per the provisions of Forest (conservation) Act, 1980 and submit before the start of work.
3. The mining lease holders shall, after ceasing mining operations, undertake re-grassing the mining area and any other area which may have been disturbed due to their mining activities and restore the land to a condition which is fit for growth of fodder, flora fauna etc.
4. If the proposed project is situated in notified area of ground water extraction, where creation of new wells for ground water extraction is not allowed, requirement of fresh water shall be met from alternate water sources other than ground water or legally valid source and permission from the competent authority shall be obtained to use it.
5. Project Proponent should submit action plan for carrying out plantation at least @1,000 plants / ha of lease area. In this case, PP should prepare a plan, duly approved either by Forest Department or Horticulture Department, for planting at least 1,000 plants, either on government land or community land, within a periphery of 5 km from the boundary of the lease area along with provision for maintenance for 5 years. Survival of plants should



not be less than the survival rate notified by Uttar Pradesh Forest Department otherwise it will be treated as violation of EC condition.

6. Number of mining projects are coming up in district. Department of Geology & Mines, GoUP to carry out regional EIA-EMP report including carrying capacity of environmental components to assess the capacity to further bear the pollution load for such areas within a period of 1 year and submit the same to SEIAA, UP for evaluation.
 7. Department of Geology & Mines, GoUP in consultation with UPSPCB will establish required number of CAAQMS in district within a period of one year and submit geo-referenced map of these stations along with data. Details of existing CAAQMS, if any, be submitted within a period of three months.
 8. Department of Geology and Mines, Government of Uttar Pradesh and / or concerned district administration, before releasing the security deposit to Project Proponent will ensure that Project Proponent has fully complied with the EC conditions. Non-compliance, if any, should be reported to UPSPCB for appropriate legal action and recovery of compensation.
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2. Soil Excavation at Gata No.-1038, 1033, 1035, 1036, 1045, 1046, 1047, Village-Aata, Tehsil-Sadar, Unnao. Shri Ankit., Area-0.8377 Ha). File No. 6323/ Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/213842/2020
SEIAA noted that the project has already been taken in its 511th meeting in which SEIAA has granted EC to the above project.
 3. Sand/ Bajari/Boulder Mining at Gata No.-378/2 & 379/2, Village- SherpurPelo, Tehsil-Behat, District- Saharanpur, U.P., Shri Aadesh Pandey., Area 7.00 Ha. File No. 5988/5654/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/58589/2020
Replenishment study submitted by project proponent/consultant should be circulated to all Chairman and members of SEIAA and SEAC and a joint meeting be organized, on online mode and the project proponent/consultant be asked to make a presentation.
 4. Sand/Bajri/Boulder mining from Yamuna River bed at Gata No.-1/1/1, Laat No.-03, Village-NuniyariAehatmal, Tehsil-Behat, Saharanpur., Shri Dhanpal Singh & Shri Rajeev Bhatia, M/s Shanti Enterprises., Area-24.29 Ha. File No. 6266/5850/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/62194/2020
Replenishment study submitted by project proponent/consultant should be circulated to all Chairman and members of SEIAA and SEAC and a joint meeting be organized, on online mode and the project proponent/consultant be asked to make a presentation.
 5. Badkala River Sand/Bajari/Boulder Mining at Khand No./Gata No.-8/1, 19, & 22, Village-HaiderpurHinduwalla, Tehsil- Behat, Distt.-Saharanpur,U.P., Area: 4.20 Ha. File No. 5590/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/147716/2020
Replenishment study submitted by project proponent/consultant should be circulated to all Chairman and members of SEIAA and SEAC and a joint meeting be organized, on online mode and the project proponent/consultant be asked to make a presentation.



6. Granite Mining at Gata No.- 1876, Khand No.- 04, Village- Girawan, Naraini, Banda, Shri Suresh Pratap Singh, M/s Bajrang Road Lines, Area-1.21 ha File No. 6559/ 6104 Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/ 67411/2021

SEIAA noted that the above project was taken in its 527th meeting in which inadvertently the following condition was added – “but the SEIAA replaces the specific condition regarding cluster certificate as “If in future during the progressive mining this lease area becomes part of cluster i.e. area equal to or more than 5 ha., limited to B-1 category, then additional conditions based on the EIA conducted by the concerned lease holders shall be imposed and joint EMP shall be implemented. The lease holder shall mandatorily follow all the imposed conditions otherwise it will amount to violation of E.C. conditions. If the certificate related to cluster provided by the competent authority is found false or incorrect then punitive actions as per the law shall be initiated against the authority issuing the cluster certificate” which should be deleted and following additional condition should be added:-

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

Agenda-B: - Minutes of 590th SEAC-2 Meeting Dated 09/11/2021

1. Stone Mining at Gata No.-478/2, Khand No.-02 New, Village-Bilbai, Tehsil & District- Mahoba, Shri Dinesh Chandra Gupta, Area -2.024 ha. File No. 6571/6178/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/59764/2021

SEIAA noted that the project has already been taken in its 521st meeting in which SEIAA has granted EC to the above project.

2. Soil Excavation at Gata No.- 50, Village- ShahpurBujurg, Dhanaura, Amroha, Pawan Chauhan, M/s Jai Bhole Nath, Area: 1.7250 Ha. File No. 6577/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/229800/2021

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

3. Sand Mining from Koshi Riverbed at Gata No. 236, 237, 238, 240 & 245, Village- Rampur Dhamman, Tehsil – Tanda, Rampur, Shri Brahmpal Singh,, Area: 1.721 Ha. File No. 6578/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/229510/2021

SEIAA noted that the project has already been taken in its 527th meeting.

4. Stone Mining at Gata No.-277, Khand No.- 02, at Village-Silari, Tehsil-Moth, Jhansi, U.P., Shri AnoopParecha, area-1.416 ha. File No. 6584/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/203180/2021

SEIAA noted that the project has already been taken in its 524th meeting in which SEIAA has granted EC to the above project.

5. Stone Mining at Gata No.-2 Mi, 4 Mi, 3, 5, 6 Mi, at Village- Chakgaurabisen, Post Post-Nakti, Mishrauli, Mirzapur, U.P., Shri Satya Prakash Singh, Lease area-0.525 ha. File No. 6585/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/217188/2021

SEIAA noted that the project has already been taken in its 524th meeting in which SEIAA has granted EC to the above project.

6. Stone Mining at Gata No.-1097, Khand No.- 01, Village- Utiyan, Tehsil-Sadar, Mahoba, U.P., Smt. RatnaJadaun, area-1.214 ha. File No. 6090/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/ 59536/2020
SEIAA noted that the project has already been taken in its 521st meeting in which SEIAA has granted EC to the above project.

7. Sand Mining at Gata No.- 1 Gh, Village- KothriGauriya, Tehsil- Sirauligaupur, Barabanki, Shri Md. Azam,, Area-2.1833 ha. File No. 6595/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/231464/2021
SEIAA noted that the project has already been taken in its 527th meeting in which SEIAA has granted EC to the above project.

8. Sand Mining at Gata No. 259 □, 258 □ & 258 □, Village/Ghat-Chivarahiya, Tehsil-Naugarh, Siddharth Nagar, Shri Sunil Kumar Jaiswal, Area: Area-2.32 Ha. File No. 6599/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/231984/2021
SEIAA noted that the project has already been taken in its 527th meeting in which SEIAA has granted EC to the above project.

9. Sand Mining from Ram Ganga river bed at Gata No: 365, Village-KamalpurMafi, Tehsil - Kanth, Moradabad, Shri Rajesh Kumar Gupta, M/s R. K. Construction and Supplier, Area – 3.919 ha. File No. 6607/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/227678/2021
SEIAA noted that the project has already been taken in its 527th meeting in which SEIAA has granted EC to the above project.

10. Stone Mining at Araj No.-122, Khand No.-04,, Village: Chitaiyan, Tehsil: Sadar, Mahoba, Shri Arun Kumar Dubey, Area – 1.012 ha. File No. 6611/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/67254/2021
SEIAA noted that the project has already been taken in its 521st meeting in which SEIAA has granted ToR to the above project.

11. "Sand/Morrum Mining" from Yamuna River Bed at Khasra/Gata No.- 1152, 1087, 1155, 1153, 1156, 1157, 1158, 1159, 1160, 1154, 1171, 1163 & 1164, Village- Hardauli, Tehsil- Ghatampur, Kanpur Nagar, U.P., Shri KhwajaIftikhar Uddin, M/s SarangInfratech, Area: 14.0 ha. File No. 6300/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/62646/2021
SEIAA noted that the project has already been taken in its 527th meeting in which SEIAA has granted ToR to the above project.

12. Expansion of Group Housing Colony at Plot No.- GH-A, (GH-6 to GH-13) Housing Sector, Talanagri Industrial Area, Aligarh, U.P., M/s Ozone Promoters Pvt. Ltd. File No. 6498/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIS/224266/2021
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. In addition to the conditions imposed by SEAC the SEIAA added following additional specific conditions:-

- 1- The project proponent shall submit within the next 3 months the details of solar power plant and solar electrification details within the project.
 - 2- The project proponent shall ensure to plant broad leaf trees and their maintenance. The CPCB guidelines in this regard shall be followed.
 - 3- The project proponent shall submit within the next 3 months the details on quantification of year wise CER activities along with cost and other details. CER activities must not be less 2% of the project cost. The CER activities should be related to mitigation of Environmental Pollution and awareness for the same.
 - 4- The project proponent shall submit within the next 3 months the details of estimated construction waste generated during the construction period and its management plan.
 - 5- The project proponent shall submit within the next 3 months the details of segregation plan of MSW.
 - 6- The project proponent shall ensure that waste water is properly treated in STP and maximum amount should be reused for gardening flushing system and washing etc. For reuse of water for irrigation sprinkler and drip irrigation system shall be installed and maintained for proper function. Part of the treated sewage, if discharged to sewer line, shall meet the prescribed standards for the discharge.
 - 7- Under any circumstances untreated sewage shall not be discharged to municipal sewer line.
 - 8- The project proponent will ensure that proper dust control arrangements are made during construction and proper display board is installed at the site to inform the public the steps taken to control air pollution as per the Construction and Demolition Waste Management Rules.
 - 9- The project proponent shall install micro solar power plants, toilets in nearby villages, public place or school from CER fund of the project for which E.C is granted in addition to and water harvesting pits and carbon sequestration parks / designed ecosystems.
 - 10- 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 forest clearance and permission of Central and State Government as per the provisions of Forest (conservation) Act, 1980 and submit before the start of work.
 - 11- If the proposed project is situated in notified area of ground water extraction, where creation of new wells for ground water extraction is not allowed, requirement of fresh water shall be met from alternate water sources other than ground water or legally valid source and permission from the competent authority shall be obtained to use it.
 - 12- Project Proponent will display, on project's / company's website the EC granted to the project and six monthly compliance status of EC conditions. Further, Project Proponent will make available, every six months, to all the buyers / residents of this project a copy of the EC granted to this project and the compliance status of EC conditions.
13. बरेली-लखनऊ हाइवे पर बन रहे हाउसिंग प्राजेक्ट "ओम रेजिडेन्सी" द्वारा पर्यावरण संरक्षण अधिनियम, 1986 का उल्लंघन करते हुए बिना पूर्व-पर्यावरणीय अनापत्ति एवं CTE व CTO प्राप्त किये बिना निर्माण कार्य



करने के संबंध में श्री बृज नारायण मिश्रा) संजय नगर, बरेली-लखनऊ बाईपास, जिला-बरेली, उ०प्र० के शिकायती पत्र दिनांक 02-11-2021 पर विचार-विमर्श।

SEIAA took note of comments recorded by SEAC in their minutes of meeting and decided further to send a reference to MS UP PCB for enquiring into the matter and take appropriate legal action. SEIAA opined that a letter shall be send to DM and VC, Bareilly Development Authority that no construction takes place without valid EC and incase the construction has been carried out without valid EC, so appropriate legal action shall be taken.

14. Stone Mining at Gata No.- 19, Khand No.-03, Village- Dunara, Tehsil & District-Mahoba, U.P., Leased Area -2.226 ha. File No. 6117/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/59754/2020

SEIAA noted that the project has already been taken in its 521st meeting in which SEIAA has granted EC to the above project.

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