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Minutes of the 516th Meeting of the State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, UP (SEIAA) held on 19.11.2021

The meeting of 516th State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, UP (SEIAA) was held on-line on 19.11.2021 at the Directorate s 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.

Agenda-A: -Complaints/letters - Nil

Agenda-B: -Replies-Nil

Agenda-C: Minutes of 576th SEAC-2 Meeting Dated 04/10/2021

 Commercial Project "Lulu Mall" at Plot No. T4A, T-5, IBB-2, Sushant Golf City, Shaheed Path, Village-Hariharpur, Tehsil-Sarojininagar, Lucknow., M/s Lulu India Shopping Mall Pvt. Ltd. File No. 6467/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIS/66094/2021

SEIAA observed that minutes from SEAC-2 are still awaited.

 Stone Mining at Gata No.-479, 480, Khand No.- 01, Village-Kanja, Tehsil-Mauranipur, Jhansi., ShriPawan Kumar Seth., Area-2.023 ha. File No. 6434/Proposal No. SIA/UP/ MIN/217970/2021

SEIAA observed the comment of SEAC that the matter shall be discussed after submission of online information on prescribed portal.

3. Stone Mining at Gata No.-35, Khand No.-04, Village-Sangrampur, Tehsil-Atarra, Banda., Shri Suresh Singh, Area-2.0 ha. File No. 6437/Proposal No. SIA/UP/ MIN/ 64288/2021

SEIAA noted that the above project was granted ToR in its 514th meeting dated 13.11.2021.

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 Granite Mining at Gata No.-715/24, Village- Gonda, Tehsil- Karwi, District- Chitarkoot., Shri Rajjan Bajpeyi, Area -4.048 ha. File No. 6441/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/64582/2021

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

 Stone Mining at Gata No.-669, Khand No.21, Village-Khailar, Tehsil-Sadar, Jhansi., Shri Jitendra Pratap Singh Yadav, Area-2.023 ha. File No. 6442/Proposal No. SIA/UP/ MIN/64702/2021

SEIAA noted that the above project was granted ToR in its 514th meeting dated 13.11.2021.

 Stone Mining at Gata No. 3096, Khand No.- 12, Village-Bijauli, Tehsil-Sadar, Jhansi., Shri Anoop Parecha, Area-0.8090 ha. File No. 6443/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/ 219548 /2021

SEIAA observed the comment of SEAC that the matter shall be discussed after submission of online information on prescribed portal.

 Stone Mining at Gata No.-989, Khand No.-04, Village-Makarbai, Tehsil -Sadar, Mahoba., Shri Anant Ram Shukla., Area-0.809 ha. File No. 6445/Proposal No. SIA/ UP/MIN/ 61812 /2021

SE!AA observed the comment of SEAC that the matter shall be discussed after submission of online information on prescribed portal.

 Stone Mining at Khasra No.-115, Khand No.- 04, Village- Habupura, Tehsil-Garautha, District-Jhansi., Smt. Aneeta Gupta., Area -2.023 ha. File No. 6446/Proposal No. SIA/ UP/ MIN/65174/2021

SEIAA observed the comment of SEAC that the matter shall be discussed after submission of online information on prescribed portal.

9. Stone Mining at Gata No.-1097, Khand No.-02, Village-Utiyan, Mahoba., Shri Bhanu Gupta., Area-1.214 ha. File No. 6449/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/61530/2021

SEIAA took note of SEAC-2 observation that project proponent has requested to defer the matter and the file shall not be treated as pending and be opened only after request from project proponent. SEIAA decided to delist the project till the time project proponent makes a request for appraisal and reference be send to DM, Mahoba that no mining shall take place till valid EC is obtained.

 Stone Mining at Gata No.-669, Khand No.-03, Village- Khailar, Tehsil-Sadar, Jhansi., Shri Pramod Kumar Gupta., Area-2.023 ha. File No. 6454/Proposal No. SIA/UP/ MIN/ 220612/ 2021

SEIAA observed the comment of SEAC that the matter shall be discussed after submission of online information on prescribed portal.

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 Stone Mining at Gata No.-1370, Khand No.-05, Village-Kulpahar, Tehsil-Kulpahar, Mahoba., Shri Naimur Rahman., Area-2.02 ha. File No. 6459/Proposal No. SIA/UP/ MIN/65890/2021

SEIAA took note of SEAC-2 observation that project proponent has requested to defer the matter and the file shall not be treated as pending and be opened only after request from project proponent. SEIAA decided to delist the project till the time project proponent makes a request for appraisal and reference be send to DM, Mahoba that no mining shall take place till valid EC is obtained.

12. Soil Mining at Gata No.- 122/1, Village- Dhanaikheda, Tehsil & District- Sitapurr., Shri Umesh Kumar Giri, Area -1.00 ha. File No. 6250/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/205956 /2021

SEIAA observed the comment of SEAC that the matter shall be discussed after submission of online information on prescribed portal.

 Chak Baraincha Sand Mining from private land from Garra River Bed at Khasra No.-157, 158, 159, 160 a, 161a, 162ba, 163, 164, Village-Chak Baraincha, Tehsil-Tilhar, Shahjahanpur., M/s Gurunanak Contractor, Area: 1.186 Ha. File No. 6510/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/ 225652/2021

SEIAA agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC to grant the prior Environmental Clearance to the proposed project <u>for one year only</u> 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:-

- 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.
- 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.
- 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.
- 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

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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 2,000 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.

Nodal Officer

SEIAA, UP

(Ajay Kumar Sharma) Member-Secretary SEIAA (Paras Nath)

Member SEIAA (Dr. Rajiv Kumar Garg) Chairman

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