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Minutes of the 729th Meeting of the State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, UP (SEIAA) held on 16-05-2023

The meeting of 729th State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, UP (SEIAA) was held on-line on 16.05.2023 the Directorate of Environment. The following were present in the meeting:-

1. Shri Paras Nath

Member, SEIAA, U.P

2. Shri Ajay Kumar Sharma

Member Secretary, SEIAA, U.P

Agenda A-

(i) Minutes of 738th SEAC-1 Meeting Dated 27/03/2023

1. **Proposed for Group housing project at Khasra No.-276(P), 385(P), 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393(P), 394(P), 398, 399, 401(P), 402(P), 403(P), 404(P), 405(P), and 442(P), Village - Mauza Mau, Tehsil and Distt. Agra, U.P. of M/s Paawan Sahakari Avas Samiti Ltd File no-7662**

SEIAA opined to accept the recommendation of SEAC and grant EC to the said project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by SEAC. In addition to the conditions imposed by SEAC, SEIAA added following additional specific conditions:-

1. EC will be issued only after action has been initiated u/s 15 read with section-19 of EPA, 1986 against the project proponent and project proponent submit a bank guarantee of Rs. 20,77,000/- (twenty lakh seventy seven thousand rupees only) as submitted by project proponent equivalent to the amount of remediation plan and natural and community resource augmentation plan to UPPCB and since as per SOP dated 07.07.2021 total project cost incurred up to the date of filing of application is to be taken into consideration the penalty of Rs. 34,67,000/- (thirty four lakh sixty seven thousand rupees only) according to Chartered Accountant Certificate submitted by project proponent mentioning Rs. 34.67 Crore has been invested in the project as total cost incurred is to be deposited to UPPCB.
2. The project proponent shall submit total project cost incurred up to the date of filing of application from Government approved evaluator within a month.
3. The project proponent shall submit within the next 3 months the details of solar power plant and solar electrification details within the project.



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4. The project proponent shall ensure to plant broad leaf trees and their maintenance. The CPCB guidelines in this regard shall be followed.
5. 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.
6. 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.
7. The project proponent shall submit within the next 3 months the details of segregation plan of MSW.
8. 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.
9. Under any circumstances untreated sewage shall not be discharged to municipal sewer line.
10. 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.
11. 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.
12. 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.
13. 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.
14. Provision for charging of electric vehicles as per the guidelines of GoI / GoUP should be submitted within the next 3 months.
15. PP should display EC granted to them on their website. 6-monthly compliance report should be displayed on their website and to be given every six month to residents / occupants of the building.
16. EC is granted with the condition that EC is valid only for the building plan which has been submitted by PP for seeking EC. In case approved building plan is different from the one submitted for seeking EC then this EC will stand null and void.



(ii) Minutes of 739th SEAC-1 Meeting Dated 28/03/2023

1. **Ekana Ontario (R-3 Residential Project), Ekana Antalya(R-4 Group Housing Project) & Ekana Mall at Ekana Sportz City, Sector- 7, Gomti Nagar Extension Shaheed Path Road, Lucknow, U.P., File No. 7681/ Proposal No. SIA/UP/INFRA2/420763/2023**

SEIAA noted that the project proponent/consultant did not appear hence the matter will be discussed only after submission of online requests on prescribed online portal.

2. **Commercial Building at Plot no.-1, Sector-94, Noida, District- Gautam Buddha Nagar, Shri Sandeep Sharma, M/s Lavish Buildmart Pvt. Ltd., File No. 7695/7660/ Proposal No. SIA/UP/INFRA2/ 420853/2023**

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

3. **Manufacturing unit for steel and steel products (Forgings) with capacity 60,000 Ton/year at Khasra No. 225 & 226, Masota Road Lakhna, Pilkhuwa, District-Hapur, U.P., M/s Prakash Projects Pvt. Ltd. Shri RP Garg., File No. 7438/ Proposal No. SIA/UP/IND1/409215/2022**

SEIAA agreed with the recommendation of SEAC-1 to issue standard ToR adding following points:-

1. Project proponent shall submit secondary induction process details.
2. All pages of technical documents/EIA/EMP etc. should be signed by the consultant and project proponent both.
3. Copy of all the analysis reports duly signed by analyst approved by NABL or MoEF&CC shall be annexed with the EIA report and original analysis reports should be presented at the time of presentation.
4. MOU signed between the project proponent and the consultant should be submitted.
5. 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 along with EIA.
6. Public hearing shall be conducted as per EIA notification, 2006 (as amended).
7. Provision for charging of electric vehicles as per the guidelines of GoI / GoUP should be submitted.
8. Along with the EIA-EMP report, PP / consultant will also submit in tabular form as to how they have addressed entire ToR while preparing draft EIA-EMP report for PH. Further, PP / consultant will submit in tabular form as to how they have addressed issues raised during public hearing and have incorporated the same in final EIA-EMP report. A presentation to this effect should be made before SEAC at the time of EIA-EMP presentation.



4. Commercial Project at Plot No. 5(T-5) at International Business Bay-1, Sushant Golf city, Hi-Tech Township, Sultanpur Road, Lucknow, M/s SJP Hotel & Resort Pvt. Ltd, Shri Sunil Miglani., File No. 7401/ Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIS/82971/2022

SEIAA noted that SEAC has recommended to grant ToR to the above project under violation category. SEIAA agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to issue additional ToR to the title proposal for conducting EIA studies under the provisions of MoEFCC, GoI vide OM no. 22-21/2020-IA.III dated 07.07.2021 which has laid down Standard Operating Procedure (SoP) for Identification and handling of violation cases. SEIAA opined as follows –

- a) PP / consultant to submit compliance report of earlier CtE and CtO through UPSPCB.
- b) PP / consultant to submit point-wise compliance, in a tabular form, of MoEFCC, GoI OM no. 22-21/2020-IA.III dated 07.07.2021 (SoP for identification and handling of violation cases under EIA Notification 2006)
- c) Further, SEIAA added that without prejudice to any other consequences, action to be initiated u/s 15 read with section-19 of EPA, 1986 against the PP and Project to be closed until EC is granted.

SEIAA also added the following points to ToR-

1. The project proponent shall submit actual photo of site and total project cost incurred up to the date of filing of application from Government approved evaluator within a month.
2. The State Government/SPCB to take action against the project proponent under the provisions of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, and further no consent to operate to be issued till the project is granted EC.
3. Direction to be issued under section 5 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 to stop the violating activities till the EC is obtained.
4. The project proponent shall be required to submit a bank guarantee equivalent to the amount of remediation plan and natural and community resource augmentation plan with the SPCB prior to the grant of EC. The quantum shall be recommended by the EAC and finalized by the regulatory authority. The bank guarantee shall be released after successful implementation of the EMP, followed by recommendations of the EAC and approval of the regulatory authority.
5. Assessment of ecological damage with respect to air, water, land and other environmental attributes. The collection and analysis of data shall be done by an environmental laboratory duly notified under the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, or an environmental laboratory accredited by NABL, or a laboratory of a Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR).
6. Preparation of EMP comprising remediation plan and natural and community resource augmentation plan corresponding to the ecological damage assessed and economic benefits derived due to violation.
7. The remediation plan and the natural and community resource augmentation plan to be prepared as an independent chapter (13) in the EIA report by the accredited consultants.
8. Budget of remediation plan and natural and community resource augmentation plan corresponding to the ecological damage shall be completed within three years and to be prepared accordingly.



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9. All pages of technical documents/EIA/EMP etc. should be signed by the consultant and project proponent both.
10. Copy of all the analysis reports duly signed by analyst approved by NABL or MoEF&CC shall be annexed with the EIA report and original analysis reports should be presented at the time of presentation.
11. MOU signed between the project proponent and the consultant should be submitted.
12. 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 along with EIA.
13. Public hearing shall be conducted as per EIA notification, 2006 (as amended).
14. Provision for charging of electric vehicles as per the guidelines of GoI / GoUP should be submitted.
15. SEIAA opined that the project proponent shall submit permission of CGWA or proposal for alternative source of fresh water.

SEIAA opined that a letter shall be send to LDA and UPPCB 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.

5. **Proposed Expansion Project of Common Bio Medical Waste Treatment Facility at Khasra no. 313, Village-Bindowa, Tehsil-Mohanlalganj, Lucknow, M/s SMS Watergrace Mediawaste Management Pvt. Ltd., File No. 7319/6496/ Proposal No. SIA/UP/INFRA2/404755/2022**

SEIAA noted that SEAC has recommended to grant EC to the above project. SEIAA opined that the project proponent shall submit gap analysis report from UPPCB.

Agenda-B:- Minutes of 746th SEAC-1 Meeting Dated 09/05/2023

1. **Building Stone Gitti/Boulder (Sandstone) Mine at Arazi No 11/1mi, Village- Sukrit, Tehsil-Roberstganj, District- Sonbhadra, Shri Sunil Rai, Area- 0.7284 ha., File No. 7725/ Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/422959/2023**

In light of discussion held in SEIAA meeting no. 597 dated 05.05.2022. SEIAA opined to accept the recommendation of SEAC and grant EC to the said project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by SEAC but 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:-



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1. Validity period of this EC is 5 years from the date of issue as the Lol has been issued for a period of 5 years or co-terminus with the validity of current mine plan or current lease period whichever is earlier. After this period the EC will become null and void.
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. 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.
5. Plan for using the mine void for productive use in consultation with local administration and gram-panchayat.
6. 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.
7. 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.
8. In consultation with District Environment Authority or an Authority nominated by concerned DM, project proponent will prepared a conservation and management plan for rejuvenation and management of water bodies having total surface area of more than 5-ha. Funds for the same will be kept in a separate bank account and six monthly compliance status will be presented by project proponent before the nominated authority in the District.
9. 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.
10. Any application for transfer of this EC, during its validity period unless it is cancelled by a competent authority, has to be necessarily accompanied with status of compliance of EC conditions duly certified by IRO, MoEFCC, GoI, Lucknow.
11. 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



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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.

12. 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.
 13. Large number of mining projects are ongoing as well as new mining leases are coming up in the district. A reference be sent to DGM and MS, SPCB for preparing mitigation plan for controlling air pollution in the district especially in mining areas.
 14. If the air quality deteriorates due to mining, then District Administration & Directorate of Mining should ensure that mining be stopped immediately. Adequate measures be taken for restoring air quality and mining should commence only when air quality attains the prescribed standards.
2. **Building Stone, Granite Khanda, Gitti, Boulder Mine" located at Araj No.- 181 (Khand - 37), Village- Bari, Tehsil Sadar & District Mahoba, Smt Ragini, Area 2.024 Ha., File No. 7731/7162/ Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/420989/2023 "**

In light of discussion held in SEIAA meeting no. 597 dated 05.05.2022. SEIAA opined to accept the recommendation of SEAC and grant EC to the said project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by SEAC adding following specific conditions:-

1. Validity period of this EC is 5 years from the date of issue as the Lol has been issued for a period of 5 years or co-terminus with the validity of current mine plan or current lease period whichever is earlier After this period the EC will become null and void.
2. Directions/suggestions given during public hearing and commitment made by the project proponent should be strictly complied.
3. 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.
4. 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.
5. 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.
6. Plan for using the mine void for productive use in consultation with local administration and gram-panchayat.
7. 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.
8. 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 3,000 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.

9. In consultation with District Environment Authority or an Authority nominated by concerned DM, project proponent will prepared a conservation and management plan for rejuvenation and management of water bodies having total surface area of more than 15 ha. Funds for the same will be kept in a separate bank account and six monthly compliance status will be presented by project proponent before the nominated authority in the District.
 10. 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.
 11. Any application for transfer of this EC, during its validity period unless it is cancelled by a competent authority, has to be necessarily accompanied with status of compliance of EC conditions duly certified by IRO, MoEFCC, GoI, Lucknow.
 12. 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.
 13. 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.
 14. Large number of mining projects are ongoing as well as new mining leases are coming up in the district. A reference be sent to DGM and MS, SPCB for preparing mitigation plan for controlling air pollution in the district especially in mining areas.
 15. If the air quality deteriorates due to mining, then District Administration & Directorate of Mining should ensure that mining be stopped immediately. Adequate measures be taken for restoring air quality and mining should commence only when air quality attains the prescribed standards.
3. **"Building Stone (Sand Stone) Mine" Project at Arazi No.-02, SI No.- 07, at Village- Sariya, Tehsil- Chunar, District- Mirzapur, Shri Sanjay Bhai Patel, area 0.8090 ha., File No. 7741/6465/Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/423435/2023**

In light of discussion held in SEIAA meeting no. 597 dated 05.05.2022. SEIAA opined to accept the recommendation of SEAC and grant EC to the said project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by SEAC adding following specific conditions:-

1. Validity period of this EC is 5 years from the date of issue as the Lol has been issued for a period of 5 years or co-terminus with the validity of current mine plan or current lease period whichever is earlier After this period the EC will become null and void.



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2. Directions/suggestions given during public hearing and commitment made by the project proponent should be strictly complied.
3. 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.
4. 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.
5. 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.
6. Plan for using the mine void for productive use in consultation with local administration and gram-panchayat.
7. 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.
8. 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.
9. In consultation with District Environment Authority or an Authority nominated by concerned DM, project proponent will prepared a conservation and management plan for rejuvenation and management of water bodies having total surface area of more than 5 ha. Funds for the same will be kept in a separate bank account and six monthly compliance status will be presented by project proponent before the nominated authority in the District.
10. 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.
11. Any application for transfer of this EC, during its validity period unless it is cancelled by a competent authority, has to be necessarily accompanied with status of compliance of EC conditions duly certified by IRO, MoEFCC, GoI, Lucknow.
12. 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.

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13. 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.
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15. If the air quality deteriorates due to mining, then District Administration & Directorate of Mining should ensure that mining be stopped immediately. Adequate measures be taken for restoring air quality and mining should commence only when air quality attains the prescribed standards.

4. Ordinary Sand Mining Project on Yamuna River at Gata No.- 784 Mi, Village- Kishunpur, Tehsil- Bhognipur, District: Kanpur Dehat, Shri Santosh Kumar Sachan, M/s Jai Mahakal Exploration Pvt. Ltd., Area: 5.96 ha., File No. 7742/7164/ Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/423467/2023

In light of discussion held in in 731st SEAC meeting and SEIAA meeting no. 597 dated 05.05.2022. SEIAA opined to accept the recommendation of SEAC and grant EC to the said project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by SEAC adding following specific conditions:-

1. District Mining Officer shall ensure that if mineable quantity mentioned in LOI is amended as per replenishment study report the project proponent shall seek amended/fresh EC.
2. Directions/suggestions given during public hearing and commitment made by the project proponent should be strictly complied.
3. 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.
4. 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.
5. 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.
6. 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 6,000 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.



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7. In consultation with District Environment Authority or an Authority nominated by concerned DM, project proponent will prepared a conservation and management plan for rejuvenation and management of water bodies having total surface area of more than 30 ha. Funds for the same will be kept in a separate bank account and six monthly compliance status will be presented by project proponent before the nominated authority in the District.
 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.
 9. Any application for transfer of this EC, during its validity period unless it is cancelled by a competent authority, has to be necessarily accompanied with status of compliance of EC conditions duly certified by IRO, MoEFCC, Gol, Lucknow.
5. **"Building Stone, Granite, Khanda, Gitti& Boulder Mining Project" located at Arazi No.- 1097, Khand No. -04, Village- Utiyan, Tehsil- Sadar & District- Mahoba, Smt. Aparna Rai, Area- 0.809 Ha., File No. 7744/7163/ Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/424055/2023**

In light of discussion held in SEIAA meeting no. 597 dated 05.05.2022. SEIAA opined to accept the recommendation of SEAC and grant EC to the said project but **the EC will be issued only after submission of legible copy of khasra map** along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by SEAC adding following specific conditions:-

1. Validity period of this EC is 5 years from the date of issue as the Lol has been issued for a period of 5 years or co-terminus with the validity of current mine plan or current lease period whichever is earlier After this period the EC will become null and void.
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 10. 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.
 11. Any application for transfer of this EC, during its validity period unless it is cancelled by a competent authority, has to be necessarily accompanied with status of compliance of EC conditions duly certified by IRO, MoEFCC, Gol, Lucknow.
 12. 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.
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 14. Large number of mining projects are ongoing as well as new mining leases are coming up in the district. A reference be sent to DGM and MS, SPCB for preparing mitigation plan for controlling air pollution in the district especially in mining areas.
 15. If the air quality deteriorates due to mining, then District Administration & Directorate of Mining should ensure that mining be stopped immediately. Adequate measures be taken for restoring air quality and mining should commence only when air quality attains the prescribed standards.
6. Riverbed Morrum Mining Project from Betwa River Khand No.-22/7, Village- Rirua Basariya, Tehsil- Sarila, District- Hamirpur, Shri Ravindra Singh Jaiwar, Area: 12.00 Ha., File No. 7747/7292/SIA/ UP/MIN/424157/2023

SEIAA noted that the above project has already been taken in its 728th meeting.



7. **"Building stone (Sandstone)" Project at Arazi No.-428, Village– Dhuria, Tehsil-Chunar, District–Mirzapur, Shri Shyamji Singh, Area – 1.01 ha., File No. 7748/7156/ Proposal No. SIA /UP/MIN/ 423991/2023**

In light of discussion held in SEIAA meeting no. 597 dated 05.05.2022. SEIAA opined to accept the recommendation of SEAC and grant EC to the said project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by SEAC adding following specific conditions:-

1. Validity period of this EC is 5 years from the date of issue as the Lol has been issued for a period of 5 years or co-terminus with the validity of current mine plan or current lease period whichever is earlier After this period the EC will become null and void.
2. Directions/suggestions given during public hearing and commitment made by the project proponent should be strictly complied.
3. 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.
4. 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.
5. 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.
6. Plan for using the mine void for productive use in consultation with local administration and gram-panchayat.
7. 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.
8. 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.
9. In consultation with District Environment Authority or an Authority nominated by concerned DM, project proponent will prepared a conservation and management plan for rejuvenation and management of water bodies having total surface area of more than 10 ha. Funds for the same will be kept in a separate bank account and six monthly compliance status will be presented by project proponent before the nominated authority in the District.
10. 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-



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compliance, if any, should be reported to UPSPCB for appropriate legal action and recovery of compensation.

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8. **Building stone Sand Stone Mine at Arazi No.- 1 क (Sl. No.- 39), Village- Sonpur, Tehsil- Chunar, District- Mirzapur, Shri Chandrabhan Singh, Area 1.21 ha., File No. 7785/7176/ Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/426159/2023**

In light of discussion held in SEIAA meeting no. 597 dated 05.05.2022. SEIAA opined to accept the recommendation of SEAC and grant EC to the said project along with all the general and specific conditions as suggested by SEAC adding following specific conditions:-

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9. Sonpur Building stone Sand Stone Mining project at Arazi No 1 क (Sl. No. 40) Village-Sonpur, Tehsil- Chunar, District: Mirzapur, Shri Chandrabhan Singh, Area: 1.21 ha., File No. 7786/ 7177/ Proposal No. SIA/UP/MIN/426201/2023

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