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99-04	Proposal for issue of Environmental Clearance for the proposed Sand Quarrying in
F. 6477	River Palar over an extent of 15.00.0 ha at S.F. No. 958/2 (P), Pasumathur Village,
	Gudiyatham Taluk, Vellore District - Regarding.
	The Executive Engineer, PWD, Mining & Monitoring Division, Villupuram applied
	Environmental Clearance on 27.11.2017 for the proposed Sand Quarry in River Palar
	over an extent of 15.00.0 ha at S.F. No. 958/2 (P), Pasumathur Village, Gudiyatham
	Taluk, Vellore District for quarrying of 150000 cu.m of Sand for a period of 1 year.
	The subject was placed before the 99 th SEAC Meeting held on 11.12.2017. In the
	meeting, the Executive Engineer, PWD was requested to make a presentation on the
	proposals of the PWD. Based on the presentation the SEAC decided to defer the
	proposal for want of clarity on the following aspects:
	1. There is contradiction in the data presented by the Executive Engineer
	regarding ground water table: in one place it is said to be 8m during summer
	and 7 m during rainy season. In another place in the report it is said to be 5-12
	feet (1.5m - 3.6m). The data on water table is very crucial to decide the
	permissible sand mining depth. When the EE was asked to clarify regarding
	this contradiction, he said he will verify the data and inform the SEAC the
	correct data.
	2. The depth of sand available is stated to be 14'- 30' in one place in the report
	and in another place it is stated that the maximum sand resource available is
	3m. This is also a contradiction on the important data related to the sand
	availability. When this was raised to the EE, he clarified that he will verify the
	data and present correct data to the SEAC in another few days.
	Based on the EE submission regarding the data required for appraisal of the
	project, the SEAC decided to defer the proposal for want of data on the above 2

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