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99-05	Proposal for issue of Environmental Clearance for the proposed Sand Quarrying in			
F. 6481/2017	River Palar over an extent of 5.76.0 ha at S.F. No. 395 (P), Pattu Village, Gudiyathan			
To	Taluk, Vellore District - Regarding.			
	The Executive Engineer, PWD, Mining & Monitoring Division, Villupuram has			
	applied for Environmental Clearance on 28.11.2017 for the proposed Sand Quarry in			
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	River Palar over an extent of 5.76.0 ha at S.F. No. 395 (P), Pattu Village, Gudiyatham			
	Taluk, Vellore District for quarrying of 57600 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 6-8			
	feet (1.8m - 2.4m). 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 10'8" - 14' 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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		items. Once the EE subsappraise the project.	nits the required infor	rmation and data, the SEAC will
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