# State Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Bihar

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Ref. No. - 186

Patna, Date:- 29 04 2022

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# <u>17<sup>th</sup> Minutes of the meeting of SEIAA, Bihar, constituted on 12-08-2021 convened on 29<sup>th</sup></u> <u>April, 2022</u>

A meeting of SEIAA was convened on Friday, 29.04.2022. Following members were present in the meeting.

### Present: -

1.	Shri Atul Aditya Pandey	÷	Chairman.
2.	Shri Arun Prakash		Member.
3.	Shri Sudhir Kumar		Member Secretary

# Agenda Item No.- 01

Proposed Passenger Ropeway at Dungeshwari, Bodhgaya, District:- Gaya, State:- Bihar, (File No.: SIA/7(g)/1281/2021, Proposal No: SIA/BR/MIS/169085/2020).

Proposal discussed in SEAC on 11<sup>th</sup> April, 2022 and recommended for Environmental Clearance with Standard condition along with special condition.

### Agenda Item No.- 02

Proposed Passenger Ropeway at Brahmayoni, District:- Gaya, State:- Bihar, (File No.: SIA/7(g)/1279/2021, Proposal No: SIA/BR/MIS/169076/2020).

Proposal discussed in SEAC on 11<sup>th</sup> April, 2022 and recommended for Environmental Clearance with Standard condition along with special condition.

# Agenda Item No.- 03

Proposed Passenger Ropeway at Vanavar Hills, District:- Jehanabad, State:- Bihar, (File No.: SIA/7(g)/1280/2021, Proposal No: SIA/BR/MIS/169094/2020).

Proposal discussed in SEAC on 11<sup>th</sup> April, 2022 and recommended for Environmental Clearance with Standard condition along with special condition.

## **Resolve of the SEIAA:-**

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In view of the consideration of SEAC and its recommendation to grant of Environmental Clearance (EC), the SEIAA resolved to grant EC as per the O.M. No. 22-17/2021-IA-III(Pt.) of MoEF&CC dated 27.04.2022 with the following environmental safeguards as directed by the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Govt. of India while construction and operation of Aerial Ropeways:-

- a) All statutory compliance / clearances should be obtained and all necessary acts / rules are to be obeyed.
- b) Disaster Management Plan as per the Disaster Management Act may be got approved from Competent Authority.
- c) Plantation shall be taken up in accordance to State laws, if required, preferably with heavy foliage, broad leaves and wide canopy.
- d) Appropriate Air Pollution Control (APC) system (both during the construction / operation ) shall be provided for all the dust generation points inter-alia including loading, uploading transfer points, fugitive dust from all vulnerable sources, so as to comply prescribed standards.
- e) Diesel power generation sets, if any, as sources of backup power should be of enclosed type and conform to rules made under the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986. The height of stack of DG sets should be equal to the height needed for the combined capacity of all proposed DG sets. Low Sulpher diesel may be used. The location of the DG sets may be decided in construction with State Pollution Control Board.
- f) Base Line Noise level Survey shall be carried out prior to start of construction as per the prescribed guidelines. The ambient noise levels should conform to the standard prescribed under Noise Pollution (Regulation and Control) Rules, 2000.
- g) No waste water shall be discharged in open. Appropriate Water Pollution Control system shall be provided for the treatment of waste water.
- h) Energy conservation measures should be integral part of the project design and should be in place before project commissioning.
- Solar energy to the extent possible may be used in the project i.e. at upper terminal and lower terminal to reduce the carbon footprint.
- j) Adequate parking shall be constructed at upper terminal and lower terminal Project
  Proponent shall ensure smooth traffic management and minimum waiting time. A
  detailed traffic management and traffic decongestion plan should be drawn up

around the Project and implemented to the satisfaction of the State Urban Development / Transport Departments.

- k) The company shall have a well laid down environmental policy duly approved by the Board of Directors. The environmental policy should prescribe for standard operating procedures to have proper checks and balances and to bring into focus any infringements / deviation / violation of environmental / forest / wildlife norms/ conditions. The company shall have defined system of reporting infringements / deviation / violation of environmental / forest / wildlife norms/ deviation / violation of environmental / forest / wildlife norms/ or shareholder's /stake holders.
- Self-environmental audit shall be conducted annually. Even three years third party environmental audit shall be carried out.

#### Agenda Item No.- 04

Proposed Bihar Animal Sciences University at Patna, District:- Patna, State:-Bihar; (Total Plot Area: 9,06,496 m<sup>2</sup>, Total Built-up Area: - 2,44,798.48 m<sup>2</sup>) (File No.: SIA/8(b)/1851/2021, Proposal No: SIA/BR/MIS/70669/2021).

Proposal discussed in SEAC on 11<sup>th</sup> April, 2022 and recommended for Environmental Clearance with Standard condition along with special condition.

# Resolve of the SEIAA:-

In view of the consideration of SEAC and its recommendation to grant of Environmental Clearance (EC), the SEIAA resolved to grant EC with standard condition in addition to special condition viz-a-viz. provide solar panels in 30% of total rooftop area (open terrace), no tree should be felled unless exigencies demand. Wherever absolutely necessary, tree translocation shall be done with prior permission from the concerned regulatory authority. Old trees should be retained / translocated based on girth and age regulations as may be prescribed by the Forest Department. Plantations to be ensured in the ratio of species cut to species planted (preferably local/indigenous species), During construction phase, an expert snake catcher should be employed to rescuing snake, etc., regular training programme for labourers and officers for awareness about conservation of fauna, flora and their critical habitats during the initiation of project implementation stage, designated green island (existing natural and undisturbed land area ) for the existing fauna

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should be provided and should secured through fencing, with special condition as imposed by the SEAC in its MoM (Ref. No. 165, dated 22.04.2022).

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(Sudhir Kumar) Member Secretary, SEIAA

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(Arun Prakash), Member, SEIAA

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(Atul Aditya Pandey) Chairman, SEIAA