

# MINUTES of 194<sup>th</sup> (Day-1) MEETING OF STATELEVEL ENVIRONMENT IMPACT ASSESSMENT AUTHORITY (SEIAA) A.P., MEETING HELD ON 21.09.2022 AT VIJAYAWADA A.P.

## 194<sup>th</sup> SEIAA

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#### **Present**:

The following members were present. (Through Video Conference)

1.	Sri P. Venkata Rami Reddy, I.A.S, (Retired).	Chairman
2.	Dr.Thatiparthi Byragi Reddy  Professor. Department of Environmental Sciences, Andhra University, Visakhapatnam	Member
3.	Dr. P.V.Chalapathi Rao, I.F.S  Special Secretary to Govt.,	Member Secretary

Environment, Forests, Sciences and	
Technology Department, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh &	
Member Secretary, SEIAA,A.P.	

#### 27/09/2022

Agenda	5.993 Ha Road Metal & Building stone of M/s. Divyanejaneya Stone Crusher,
Item:	Sy. No. 45 of Pedadungada Village, Vepada Mandal, Vizianagaram District,
197.01&	Andhra Pradesh – TOR Amendment – Reg.
194.01	SIA/AP/MIN/257778/202

Recommendations of the SEAC on 07.09.2022

Category: B2 at par with B1.

The proposed project is for mining of **Road Metal & Building stone** in an area of 5.993Ha with a proposed production quantity of **Road Metal & Building stone**: 76869 Cum/ Annum. with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.

The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals ( $\leq$ 250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).

The Authorized representative of the proponent and their consultant M/s. Sai universal Mining Services have attended the meeting. The project proponent has submitted change of consultant letter.

The Committee noted that as per cluster letter issued by Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Vizianagaram, vide Lr. dated: 29.09.2020. There are 10 existing quarries within the radius of 500 mts area. The total cluster area is >5.0 Ha.

The Committee, then, noted that the extent of proposed mine lease area is **5.993 Ha**. The project falls under **B2 at par with B1** category. The life of the mine is 20 years.

Earlier, this case was placed in 155<sup>th</sup> SEAC and 151<sup>st</sup> SEIAA meeting and recommended to issue standard TOR with public hearing with following condition.

1. The project proponent shall prepare cluster EIA and EMP. Accordingly, TOR was issued on 25.06.21.

But, the extent and mineral name & production capacity was mentioned wrongly in TOR dt. 25.06.2021.

Now the proponent applied for amendment of TOR. The committee re-examined the project.

Further, the committee verified previous TOR, minutes, application and

recommended to issue **Amendment to TOR.** 

The Committee after re-examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue Amendment to Standard TOR with public hearing dt 25.06.21asRoad Metal & Building stone- 76869 Cum/ Annum in place of lime kankar- 928367 TPA and the extent as 5.993Ha in place of 6.964.Ha.

**Decision of SEIAA:**-Agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to issue Amendment to Standard TOR with public hearing.

Agenda Item: 197.02&

10.940 Ha Colour granite of M/s. Natural Minerals Sy. No. 430 & 431 (Old Sy.No.358) of Basaladoddi Village, Peddakadabur Mandal, Kurnool District, Andhra Pradesh – TOR Amendment – reg.

SIA/AP/MIN/267519/2022 194.02

Recommendations of the SEAC on 07.09.2022

Category: B2 at par with B1.

The proposed project is for mining of **Colour granite** in an extent of 10.940Ha. with a proposed production quantity of **Colour granite**: 37307 Cum/ Annum, with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.

The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals ( $\leq$ 250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).

The project proponent and their consultant M/s. Sai universal Mining Services have attended meeting. The project proponent has submitted change of consultant letter.

The Committee noted that as per cluster letter issued by Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, **Kurnool**, vide Lr. dated: 20.10.2020. There are 3 existing quarries within the radius of 500 mts area. The total cluster area is >5.0 Ha.

The Committee noted that the extent of proposed mine lease area is **10.940 Ha**. The project falls under **B2 at par with B1** category. The life of the mine is 33 years.

Earlier, this case was placed in 155<sup>th</sup> SEAC and 151<sup>st</sup> SEIAA meeting and recommended to issue standard TOR with public hearing with following condition.

1. The project proponent shall prepare cluster EIA and EMP.

Accordingly, TOR was issued on 25.06.21.

But, the production capacity of **Colour granite** was mentioned wrongly in the TOR dt. 25.06.2021 as 186537 Cum/ Annum ( 5 years production quantity) in place of B7307 Cum/ Annum. The proponent made an application for correction in the product quantities.

The committee verified the application, mining plan and recommended to issue Amendment to TOR in production quantity.

The Committee after re-examining the project proposals, mining plan, application, presentations, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue Amendment to Standard TOR with public hearing for

	<b>Colour granite</b> production capacity as 37307 Cum/ Annum in lieu of 186537 Cum/ Annum.			
	<b>Decision of SEIAA:-</b> Agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to issue Amendment to Standard TOR with public hearing.			
Item:	Basaladoddi Village Peddakadabur (M) Kurnool District Andhra Pradesh – **TOR Amendment – reg. SIA/AP/MIN/267536/2022			
	Recommendations of the SEAC on 07.09.2022 Category: B2 at par with B1.			
	The proposed project is for mining of <b>Colour granite</b> of 4.0Ha. with a proposed production quantity of <b>Colour granite</b> : 14329 Cum/ Annum. with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.  The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (≤250 ha of			
	mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).			
	The Authorized representative of the proponent and their consultant M/s. S universal Mining Services have attended the online meeting. The project propone has submitted change of consultant letter.			
	The Committee noted that as per cluster letter issued by Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, <b>Kurnool</b> , vide Lr. dated: 20.10.2020. There is one existing quarry within the radius of 500 mts area. The total cluster area is >5.0 Ha.			
	The Committee noted that the extent of proposed mine lease area is <b>4.0H Ha</b> . The project falls under B2 at par with <b>B2 at par with B1</b> category.			
	Earlier, this case was placed in 155 <sup>th</sup> SEAC and 151 <sup>st</sup> SEIAA meeting and committee and authority recommended to issue standard TOR with public hearing with following condition.			
	1. The project proponent shall prepare cluster EIA and EMP. But, the production capacity of <b>Colour granite</b> was mentioned wrongly in the TOR dt. 25.06.2021 as 71644 Cum/ Annum (5 years production quantity) The proponent made application for correction in the product quantities.			
	The committee verified the application and mining plan recommended to issue <b>Amendment to TOR in production quantity.</b>			
	The Committee after re-examining the project proposals, mining plan, application, presentations, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations,			
	recommended to issue Amendment to Standard TOR with public hearing for <b>Colour granite</b> production capacity as14329 Cum/ Annum in lieu of 71644 Cum/ Annum.			
	<b>Decision of SEIAA:-</b> Agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to issue Amendment to Standard TOR with public hearing.			
1 –	2.0 Ha Road metal & Building stone of Smt. L.S.T.B.V. Narasamamba at Sy			
Item:	No: 99/10 of Kongavanipalem Village, Bhogapuram Mandal, Vizianagaram			
197.04&	District, Andhra Pradesh– TOR Amendment – Reg.			

#### **194.04** | SIA/AP/MIN/269973/2022

Recommendations of the SEAC on 07.09.2022 Category: B2.

The proposed project is for mining of Road Metal and Building Stone in an area of 2.00 Ha. with a proposed production quantity of Road Metal and Building Stone - 99594 m3 /annum with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.

The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals ( $\leq$ 250 Ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).

The representative of the project proponent and their consultant M/s. S.V.Enviro Labs & Consultants., have attended the meeting.

The committee noted that this an existing mine involving violation of EIA Notification, 2006.

This is an existing mine, earlier the PP applied for TOR under violation category to the MoEFCC on 13.09.2017. The project proponent submitted the TOR application through online on 14.07.2021 seeking for the Terms of Reference (TOR).

The Committee, then, after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC' Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended for issue of Standard TOR and Specific TOR (STOR) with Public Hearing and following additional TOR conditions:

1. The project proponent shall submit the cluster EIA & EMP, NOC from the nearby crushers.

Decision Of SEIAA in 164<sup>th</sup> meeting:- Agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC for issue of Standard TOR and Specific TOR (STOR) with Public Hearing subject to outcome of the Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Tamil Nadu in WP (MD) No.11757 of 2021 and WMP(MD) No. 9241 of 2021.

Accordingly Standard TOR and Specific TOR (STOR) (violation) TOR was issued on 29.10.21.

Now the proponent applied for amendment of TOR for TOR without Public hearing as the cluster is below 5.0 Ha. The committee re-examined the project

Further, noted that as per cluster letter issued by Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, **Vizianagaram**, vide Lr. dated: 15.12.2020,there is oneexisting quarry within the radius of 500 mts area. This one existing quarry lease was granted before 09.09.2013. The total cluster area is 2.0 Ha only which is <5.0 Ha.

The committee verified previous cluster letter, minutes and noted that the total cluster area is 2.0 Ha and opined that it is a violation TOR without public hearing case and recommended to issue amendment to Standard TOR and Specific TOR (STOR) with Public Hearing dt 29.10.21 as Standard TOR and Specific TOR (STOR) without Public Hearing

The Committee after re-examining the project proposals, presentations,

MoEF&CC' Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue Amendment to Standard TOR and Specific TOR (STOR) with Public Hearing dt 29.10.21 as **Standard TOR and Specific TOR (STOR) without public hearing and with following additional conditions.** 

- 1. The project proponent shall prepare cluster EIA and EMP.
- 2. The project proponent shall prepare detailed plantation plan.
- 3. The project proponent shall prepare plan for surface runoff protection measures.
- 4. The project proponent shall submit plan for restoration of benches and buffer zone remediation plan.
- 5. The proponent is liable to pay the penalties as levied by the concerned competent authority, as per the OM No.28.1.2022 and clause No 12 of SOP dated07-07-2021, duly incorporating the total production during the violation period and submit the calculation of penalties based on the project cost and the total turnover during the violation period.
- 6. Credible action under section 15 read with section 19 of E (P) act, 1986 to be initiated by concerned Regional office, APPCB.
- 7. The project proponent shall carry assessment of ecological damage, remediation plan and natural and community resource augmentation plan and it shall be prepared as an independent chapter in the environment impact assessment report by the accredited consultants. The collection and analysis of data for assessment of ecological damage, preparation of remediation plan and natural and community resource augmentation plan shall be done by an environmental laboratory duly notified under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, or a environmental laboratory accredited by National Accreditation Board for Testing and Calibration Laboratories, or a laboratory of a Council of Scientific and Industrial Research institution working in the field of environment.
- 8. The project proponent shall ensure implementation of Environmental Management Plan, comprising remediation plan and natural and community resource augmentation plan corresponding to the ecological damage assessed and economic benefit derived due to violation.
- 9. The project proponent will be required to submit a bank guarantee equivalent to the amount of remediation plan and Natural and Community Resource Augmentation Plan with the State Pollution Control Board.
- 10.The project proponent shall give an undertaking by way of affidavit to comply with all the statutory requirements and judgment of Hon'ble Supreme Court dated the 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2017 in writ petition (Civil) No.144 of 2014 in the matter of common cause verse union of India and Ors. Before grant of TOR/EC. The undertaking inter-alia includes commitment of the PP not to repeat any such violation in future

**Decision of SEIAA:-**Agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to issue Standard TOR and Specific TOR (STOR) without public hearing.

Agenda Item: 197.05& 194.05

1.0 Ha Road metal & Building stone of Smt. L.V.N. Madhavi at Sy No: 97 of Ramachandrapeta Village, Bhogapuram Mandal, Vizianagaram District, Andhra Pradesh – TOR Amendment – Reg. SIA/AP/MIN/269940/2022

Recommendations of the SEAC on 07.09.2022 Category: B2.

The proposed project is for mining of Road Metal and Building Stone in an areaof1.00 Ha. with a proposed production quantity of Road Metal and Building Stone -45134m3 /annum with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.

The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (≤250 Ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).

The representative of the project proponent and their consultant M/s. S.V.Enviro Labs & Consultants., have attended the meeting.

The committee noted that this an existing mine involving violation of EIA Notification, 2006.

This is an existing mine, earlier the PP applied for TOR under violation category to the MoEFCC on 13.09.2017. The project proponent submitted the TOR application through online on 14.07.2021 seeking for the Terms of Reference (TOR).

The Committee then after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC' Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended for issue of Standard TOR and Specific TOR (STOR) with Public Hearing and following additional TOR conditions:

**1**. The project proponent shall submit the cluster EIA & EMP, NOC from the nearby crushers.

Decision Of SEIAA in 164<sup>th</sup> meeting:- Agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC for issue of Standard TOR and Specific TOR (STOR) with Public Hearing subject to outcome of the Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Tamil Nadu in WP(MD) No.11757 of 2021 and WMP(MD) No. 9241 of 2021.

Accordingly Standard TOR and Specific TOR (STOR) (violation) TOR was issued on 29.10.21.

Now the proponent applied for amendment of TOR for TOR without Public hearing as the cluster is below 5.0 Ha. The committee re-examined the project

Further, noted that as per cluster letter issued by Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, **Vizianagaram**, vide Lr. dated: 15.12.2020. There is one existing quarry within the radius of 500 mts area. This one existing quarry lease was granted before 09.09.2013. The total cluster area is 2.0 Ha only which is <5.0 Ha.

The committee verified previous cluster letter, minutes and noted that the total cluster area is 1.0 Ha and hence, it is a violation TOR without public hearing case and recommended to issue amendment to Standard TOR and Specific TOR (STOR) with Public Hearing dt 29.10.21 as Standard TOR and Specific TOR (STOR) with Public Hearing

The committee verified previous cluster letter, minutes and noted that the total cluster area is 1.0 Ha and opined that it is a violation TOR without public hearing case and recommended to issue amendment to Standard TOR and Specific TOR (STOR) with Public Hearing dt 29.10.21 as Standard TOR and Specific TOR (STOR) without Public Hearing

The Committee after re-examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC' Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue Amendment to Standard TOR and Specific TOR (STOR) with Public Hearing dt 29.10.21 as **Standard TOR and Specific TOR (STOR) without public hearing and with following additional conditions.** 

- 1. The project proponent shall prepare cluster EIA and EMP.
- 2. The project proponent shall prepare detailed plantation plan.
- 3. The project proponent shall prepare plan for surface runoff protection measures.
- **4.** The project proponent shall submit plan for restoration of benches and buffer zone remediation plan.
- 5. The proponent is liable to pay the penalties as levied by the concerned competent authority, as per the OM No.28.1.2022 and clause No 12 of SOP dated07-07-2021, duly incorporating the total production during the violation period and submit the calculation of penalties based on the project cost and the total turnover during the violation period.
- 6. Credible action under section 15 read with section 19 of E (P) act, 1986 to be initiated by concerned Regional office, APPCB.
- 7. The project proponent shall carry assessment of ecological damage, remediation plan and natural and community resource augmentation plan and it shall be prepared as an independent chapter in the environment impact assessment report by the accredited consultants. The collection and analysis of data for assessment of ecological damage, preparation of remediation plan and natural and community resource augmentation plan shall be done by an environmental laboratory duly notified under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, or a environmental laboratory accredited by National Accreditation Board for Testing and Calibration Laboratories, or a laboratory of a Council of Scientific and Industrial Research institution working in the field of environment.
- 8. The project proponent shall ensure implementation of Environmental Management Plan, comprising remediation plan and natural and community resource augmentation plan corresponding to the ecological damage assessed and economic benefit derived due to violation.
- 9. The project proponent will be required to submit a bank guarantee equivalent to the amount of remediation plan and Natural and Community Resource Augmentation Plan with the State Pollution Control Board.
- 10.The project proponent shall give an undertaking by way of affidavit to comply with all the statutory requirements and judgment of Hon'ble Supreme Court dated the 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2017 in writ petition (Civil) No.144 of 2014 in the matter of common cause verse union of India and Ors. Before grant of TOR/EC. The undertaking inter-alia includes commitment of the PP not to repeat any such violation in future

**Decision of SEIAA:-**Agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to issue Standard TOR and Specific TOR (STOR) without public hearing.

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Agenda	1.889 Ha mining of Dolomite & Steatite of M/s Sri Chaitanya Minerals at Sy.							
Item:	No. 505/A	& 505/B o	f Nagaruru	Villag	e, Yadiki	Mandal,	Ananthap	uramu
197.06&	District,	Andhra	Pradesh	_	TOR	Amendme	nt –	Reg
194.06	SIA/AP/MI	N/274145/20	022					
	Recommendations of the SEAC on 07.09.2022							

The project proponent has obtained TOR with following conditions on 31.03.2022 1. The proponent shall maintain 30 meters buffer zone towards Roadside.

2. The mining unit shall submit cluster EIA & EMP along with production quantities.

Now the project proponent applied for amendment of TOR to delete the S.No.1 condition in the TOR.

The committee opined that this is neither corrigendum nor amendment case but falls under reappraisal case. Hence recommended not to consider the application.

The Committee after re-examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to reject the **TOR** Amendment **application**.

**Decision of SEIAA:**-Agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to **reject** the TOR Amendment application.

# Agenda Item: 194.07

10.0 Ha mining of Silica sand of M/s. Sri Ramanjaneya Minerals at Sy. No. 38, Siddavaram Village, Kota Mandal, Nellore District, Andhra Pradesh – TOR SIA/AP/MIN/277256/2022 **197.07& Extension – Reg.** 

Recommendations of the SEAC on 07.09.2022

Category: B1Category

The proposed project is for mining of **Silica sand** in an area of **10.0 Ha**. with a proposed production quantity of Silica sand 125256 m3/annum with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.

The project proponent has obtained Standard TOR with public hearing on 14.05.2019 with validity period of 3 years and requested for extension

## S.o No.221(E) reads as follows:

Notwithstanding anything contained in this notification, the period from the 1st April, 2020 to the 31st March, 2021 shall not be considered for the purpose of calculation of the period of validity of Prior Environmental Clearances granted under the provisions of this notification in view of outbreak of Corona Virus (COVID-19) and subsequent lockdowns (total or partial) declared for its control, however, all activities undertaken during this period in respect of the Environmental Clearance granted shall be treated as valid.

### MoEF&CC OM dt. 8.06.2022 reads as follows:

Thereafter, MoEF&CC also issued a gazette notification vide S.0.751 (E) dated 17/02/2020 stating that the Terms of Reference for the projects or activities except for River valley and Hydro-electric projects, issued by the concerned regulatory authority, shall have the validity of four years from the date of issue. In case of the River valley and Hydro-electric projects, the validity of ToR will be for five years.

The Committee after re-examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC Notifications (S o No. 221 (E) & OMs , MoEF&CC OM dt. 8.06.2022 and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue Extension of TOR dt.14.05.2019 for a period up to two years i.e., 13.05.2024 with a condition that conditions mentioned in the earlier TOR remains same.

	Decision of CEIAA. Agreed with the recommendation of the CEAC to issue		
	<b>Decision of SEIAA:-</b> Agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to issue Extension of TOR dt.14.05.2019 for a period up to two years i.e., 13.05.2024.		
Agenda	12.141 Ha mining of Silica sand of M/s. Andhra Pradesh Mineral Development		
Item:	Corporation Ltd., at Sy.No.314-A Kothapatnam Village Kota Mandal, Nellore		
1	District, A.P – TOR Extension – Reg. SIA/AP/MIN/283009/2022		
194.08			
	Recommendations of the SEAC on 07.09.2022 Category: B1Category		
	The proposed project is for mining of <b>Silica sand</b> in an area of <b>12.141 Ha</b> . with a proposed production quantity of <b>Silica sand 1,44,000 TPA</b> with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.  The project proponent has obtained Standard TOR with public hearing on 12.08.2019 with validity period of 3 years and requested for extension		
	S.o No.221(E) reads as follows:  Notwithstanding anything contained in this notification, the period from the 1st April, 2020 to the 31st March, 2021 shall not be considered for the purpose of calculation of the period of validity of Prior Environmental Clearances granted under the provisions of this notification in view of outbreak of Corona Virus (COVID-19) and subsequent lockdowns (total or partial) declared for its control, however, all activities undertaken during this period in respect of the Environmental Clearance granted shall be treated as valid.		
	<b>MoEF&amp;CC OM dt. 8.06.2022 reads as follows:</b> Thereafter, MoEF&CC also issued a gazette notification vide S.0.751 (E) dated 17/02/2020 stating that the Terms of Reference for the projects or activities except for River valley and Hydro-electric projects, issued by the concerned regulatory authority, shall have the validity of four years from the date of issue. In case of the River valley and Hydro-electric projects, the validity of ToR will be for five years.		
	The Committee after re-examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC Notifications (So No. 221 (E) & OMs, MoEF&CC OM dt. 8.06.2022 and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue Extension of TOR dt.12.08.2019 for a period up to two years i.e., 11.08.2024 with a condition that conditions mentioned in the earlier TOR remains same.		
	<b>Decision of SEIAA:</b> -Agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to issue Extension of TOR dt.12.08.2019 for a period up to two years i.e., 11.08.2024.		
Agenda	8.195 Ha mining of Mica, Quartz & Feldspar of M/s. SV Minerals LLP at Sy.		
1 0	No:37 P & 38 P of Prabhagiripatnam Village, Podalakur Mandal, SPSR		
1	k Nellore District, Andhra Pradesh – TOR Extension – Reg.		
194.09	SIA/AP/MIN/283852/2022		
	Recommendations of the SEAC on 07.09.2022		
	Category: B1Category		
	The proposed project is for mining of <b>Mica, Quartz &amp; Feldspar</b> in an area of <b>10.0 Ha</b> . with a proposed production quantity of <b>Mica - 8116 TPA, Quartz-45697 TPA&amp; Feldspar – 72771 TPA</b> with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.		

The project proponent has obtained Standard TOR with public hearing on 04.07.2019 with validity period of 3 years and requested for extension S.o No.221(E) reads as follows:

Notwithstanding anything contained in this notification, the period from the 1st April, 2020 to the 31st March, 2021 shall not be considered for the purpose of calculation of the period of validity of Prior Environmental Clearances granted under the provisions of this notification in view of outbreak of Corona Virus (COVID-19) and subsequent lockdowns (total or partial) declared for its control, however, all activities undertaken during this period in respect of the Environmental Clearance granted shall be treated as validy.

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The Committee after re-examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC Notifications (S o No. 221 (E) & OMs, MoEF&CC OM dt. 8.06.2022 and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue Extension of TOR dt.04.07.2019.for a period up to two years i.e., 03.07.2024 with a condition that conditions mentioned in the earlier TOR remains same.

**Decision of SEIAA:-**Agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to issue Extension of TOR dt.04.07.2019 for a period up to two years i.e., 03.07.2024.

Agenda Item:

7.252 Ha mining of Black galaxy granite of M/s. Pearl Mineral and Mines Pvt. Ltd at Sy. No. 55/6B (P) of R.L. Puram Village, Chimakurthy Mandal, 197.10& Prakasam District, Andhara Pradesh-523226 – TOR Corrigendum – Reg.

194.10 SIA/AP/MIN/282600/2022

Recommendations of the SEAC on 07.09.2022

Category: B2

The proposed project is for mining Black galaxy granite in an area of 7.252 Ha. with a proposed production quantity of Black galaxy granite - 42000cum/ Annum to 73445 m3/annum with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.

The mine operator applied for TOR for expansion to enhance the production capacity of Black galaxy granite from – 42000 m3/annum to 73445 m3/annum. The TOR is issued on 18.12.2020 for production capacity enhancement from 73445 m3/annum to 367227 m3/annum. Now the mine operator applied for the following corrigendum in TOR.

Sl.No	As per TOR copy	Corrigendum
		Recommended
	Proposed project of black galaxy granite	
	expansion from 73445 m3/annum to 367227	capacity – 42000
	m3/annum with a condition that the total	m3/annum.

	Recommendations of the SEAC on 07.09.2022		
Item:	6.072 Ha Mining of Kuppam Grey Colour Granite, Road Metal, Building Stone and Dimensional Stone useful for Cubes &Kerbs of M/s. R.R Stones Private Limited in Sy. No. 184 of Muddanapalli Village, Santhipuram Mandal, Chittoor District, Andhra Pradesh – TOR Corrigendum – Reg. SIA/AP/MIN/288680/2022		
A = 3	<b>Decision of SEIAA:</b> -Agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to issue Amendment to TOR.		
	<ul> <li>The Committee after examining the project proposals, mining plan presentations, MoEF&amp;CC' Notifications &amp; OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue above <b>Amendment to TOR with the following condition</b>.</li> <li>1. The project proponent shall prepare the EIA considering the cumulative impact of stone crusher.</li> </ul>		
	The committee perused the mining plan dt. 21.08.2020 and noted that the mining plan is included stone crusher also and opined that this stone crusher shall be included in the mine lease area.		
	1 RMBS - 27534 m3/Annum & RMBS - 256500 m3/Annum & GRVAEL - GRAVEL-256500 m3/Annum 27534 m3/Annum and Crusher in the Mine Lease Area.		
	The project proponent has obtained TOR on 24.05.2022 with validity period of 3 years and requested for amendment in production quantities.  S.No. Products Mentioned in TOR Amendment recommended		
	Recommendations of the SEAC on 07.09.2022 Category: B2 at par with B1. The proposed project is for mining Road Metal, Building Stone & Gravel in an area of 15.674 Ha. with a proposed production quantity Road Metal, Building Stone- 27534m3/annum& Gravel –256500- m3/annum with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.		
Item:	15.674 Ha Mining of Road Metal, Building Stone & Gravel of M/s. Vikesh Metal Industries in Survey No: 228, Alathur Village, B.N. Kandriga Mandal, Chittoor District, Andhra Pradesh State – TOR Amendment – Reg. SIA/AP/MIN/287621/2022		
	presentations, MoEF&CC' Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue the above <b>Corrigendum to TOR dt. 18.12.2020</b> . <b>Decision of SEIAA:-</b> Agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to issue Corrigendum to TOR.		
	The Committee after examining the project proposals, verified application,		
	production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per mining scheme / The enhancement of plan production capacity from 42000 m3/annum to 73445 m3/annum.		

## Category: B1

The proposed project is for mining **Kuppam Grey Colour Granite**, **Road Metal**, Building Stone and Dimensional Stone useful for Cubes & Kerbsin an area of **6.072 Ha.** with a proposed production quantity of **Kuppam Grey Colour Granite-**5820, Road Metal, Building Stone- 4365 and Dimensional Stone useful for **Cubes &Kerbs**— **27848 m3/annum**with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.

The project proponent has obtained TOR on 01.07.2022 with validity period of 3 years and requested for amendment in production quantities.

S.No.	Products Mentioned in TOR	Amendment recommended in products
	for Cubes & Kerbs – 27848 m3/annum.	Kuppam Grey Colour Granite-5820 m3/annum , Road Metal, Building Stone- 4365 m3/annum and Dimensional Stone useful for Cubes &Kerbs– 27848 m3/annum

The committee verified the application and recommended the above amendment in products.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, application, presentations, MoEF&CC' Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue Corrigendum to TOR dt 01.07.2022.

**Decision of SEIAA:**-Agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to issue Corrigendum to TOR.

# Agenda Item: 194.13

1.520 Ha Mining of Colour granite of M/s. Mars Granites in Sy. No: 486/1, 488/1 of Nellipudi Village, Gangavaram Mandal, East Godavari District, 197.13& Andhra Pradesh State – Amendment in EC – Reg. SIA/AP/MIN/267904/2022

## Recommendations of the SEAC on 07.09.2022 Category: B2.

The proposed project is for mining **Colour granite** in an area of **1.520 Ha.** with a proposed production quantity of Colour granite - 1200m3/annum with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.

The mine operator applied for amendment of EC for enhancement of production quantities from 1200 m3/annum to 6545 m3/annum by making application in EC amendment category.

The committee noted that the project proponent has applied for expansion of production capacity in the amendment provision instead of making application for expansion with detailed modified mining plan and hence, this can be treated as an appraisal case.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC'

Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to reject the application with an advice to apply for EC for the expansion along with the certified compliance of the existing EC order dt.25.10.2013.

**Decision of SEIAA:-**Agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to reject the proposal.

# Agenda Item: 194.14

24.739 Ha Mining of Nandavaram – Venkatapuram Limestone Block of M/s. Sree Jayajothi Cement Pvt. Ltd., in Sy.No.507/3, 512, 513, 514/1,514/1, 514/2, 197.14& 514/3A, 514/3B, 514/4A, 514/4B & 519 of Nandavaram (V) & Sy.No.7/1 & 5/2 of Venkatapuram (V), Banaganapalli (M), Kurnool District – Corrigendum in SIA/AP/MIN/269985/2022 EC – Reg.

## Recommendations of the SEAC on 07.09.2022 Category: B2.

The proposed project is for mining in an area of **24.739 Ha.** with a proposed production quantity of **Limestone** ----- m3/annum with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan and obtained EC on 11.06.2018 with validity period of 5.53 vears.

The proponent applied for corrigendum to EC order in life of the mine from 5.53 years to 7 years.

EC dated 1:	1.06.2018	Corrigendum recommended
	_	Is open cast semi-mechanised mine
		and the life of mine is 7.0 years. The total mine lease area is 24.739 ha.
condition	of 5.53 years of the expiry date	This order is valid for a period of 7.0 years from the date of execution of
	GoAP whichever is earlier	mining lease or the expiry date of mine lease period issued by GoAP whichever is earlier

The committee verified the approved mining plan dt.14.03.2018 and EMP which is prepared for 5 years wherein the life of the mine is mentioned 7 years. Hence, the committee recommended for corrigendum to life of the mine as per MoEF notification 1807 (E) dt 12.04.2022 which reads as follows:

The "Validity of Environmental Clearance" is meant the period from which a prior Environmental Clearance is granted by the regulatory authority, or may be presumed by the applicant to have been granted under sub-paragraph (iii) of paragraph 8, to the start of production operations by the project or activity; or construction 4 **GAZETTE** completion of all THE OF EXTRAORDINARY [PART II—SEC. 3(ii)] operations in case of construction projects relating to item 8 of the Schedule, to which the application for prior environmental clearance refers:

Provided that in the case of mining projects or activities, the validity shall be counted from the date of execution of the mining lease.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, approved mining plan dt.14.03.2018 and EMP presentations, MoEF&CC' Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue Corrigendum to EC in validity of life of mine as 7 years to the EC order dt11.06.2018 as above. **Decision of SEIAA:**-Agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to issue Corrigendum to EC. 1.798 Ha Colour Granite Mine of Sri S. Sakthidharan at Sy. No. 208, Agenda Item: Vanamaladinne Village, Punganur Mandal, Chittoor District, Andhra **197.16&** Pradesh – Amendment in EC – Reg. SIA/AP/MIN/273494/2022 194.15 Recommendations of the SEAC on 07.09.2022 Category: B2. The proposed project is for mining Colour granite in an area of 1.798 Ha.with a proposed production quantity of Colour granite - 2400 m3/annum with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan. The project proponent has obtained EC on 15.03.2022 for production capacity of 15.966 **m3/annum.** The mine operator applied for amendment of EC for amendment of production quantities 15966m3/annumin place of 2400m3/annum by making application in EC amendment category. The committee verified the application and approved mining plan and noted that the EC was issued for run of mine (ROM) capacity i.e., 15966 m3/ annum which includes waste also. Hence, the committee recommended for Amendment to production capacity i.e., 2400 m3/annum. The Committee after examining the project proposals, approved mining plan presentations, MoEF&CC' Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue amendment to existing EC in production capacity of Colour granite – 2400 m3/annum in lieu of . Colour granite – 15966 m3/annum. **Decision of SEIAA:-**Agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to issue amendment to existing EC in production capacity of Colour granite – 2400 m3/annum in lieu of Colour granite – 15966 m3/annum. Agenda M/s. Sai Gluco Pharma to Bulk Drugs & Drug Intermediates manufacturing unit at Plot Nos.: 68A & 68B, IDA, Kondapally Village, Ibrahimpatnam Item: 197.19& Mandal, Krishna District Andhra Pradesh– Amendment in EC – Reg. SIA/AP/IND3/276530/2022 194.16 Recommendations of the SEAC on 07.09.2022 The project proponent has applied for EC expansion and obtained EC expansion on 27.05.2022. Now the project proponent has applied for amendment of production capacity in existing production capacity was mentioned wrongly as 0.4 TPM in place of 12 TPM in page NOs 2 and 3 under SNo 1 of the order.. The committee verified the application, EMP, CFO and EC and recommended to

issue amendment to existing EC for existing production capacity as 12 TPM in place of 0.4 TPM. The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC' Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to amendment to existing EC for existing production capacity as 12 TPD in place of 0.4 TPM. **Decision of SEIAA:**-Agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to issue amendment to existing EC for existing production capacity as 12 TPD in place of 0.4 TPM. M/s. Srinija Life Sciences Pvt. Ltd. located at Sy. Nos.: 17/1A1 & 17/1C, Agenda Item: Gauravaram Village, Jaggayyapeta Mandal, Krishna District Andhra Pradesh - **Amendment in EC** - **Reg.** SIA/AP/IND3/280266/2022 197.20& 194.17 Recommendations of the SEAC on 07.09.2022 The project proponent has applied for EC and obtained EC on 24.06.2022. Now the project proponent has applied EC Amendment in the granted Environmental Clearance (EC) are as follows: 1. In Page No. 3 the By-product table quantity unit was mentioned as TPM instead of Kg/Day. Need to change the quantity unit as Kg/Day. 2. In Page No. 3 the By-Product Potassium Iodide -255.90 Kg/Day was mentioned under Fenofibrate product instead of Fluconazole product. Need to change the byproduct Potassium Iodide -255.90 Kg/Day under Fluconazole product. 3. In Page No. 3 the production quantity was mentioned as 17 TPM instead of 126 TPM. Need to change the production capacity as 126 TPM. The committee verified the application, EMP, and EC and recommended to issue amendment to EC as above to relevelent columns in the EC order dt 27.05.2022.. The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, EIA appraisal, MoEF&CC' Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue amendment to EC as above. **Decision of SEIAA:-**Agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to issue amendment to EC. Agenda 3.419 Ha. Mining of Lime Kankar/Lime stone (Minor) of M/s Viswanadha Item: Stone Crusher at Survey No 307/9 of Bhatrupalem Village, Dhachepalli 197.22& Mandal, Guntur District, A.P.- Environmental Clearance - Reg. SIA/AP/MIN/284747/2022 194.18 Recommendations of the SEAC on 07.09.2022 Category: B2 The proposed project is for mining **Lime Kankar/Lime stone (Minor)** in an area of **3.419 Ha.** with a proposed production quantity of **Lime Kankar/Lime stone** (Minor) – 77009 TPA with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan. The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA

Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (<100 ha of

mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).

The project proponent and NVSPL Ravikanth, RQP, have attended the meeting.

The Committee noted that as per cluster letter issued by Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Guntur-II, Dachepalli (HQ), vide Lr. dated: 16.05.2022,there are no existing quarry leases within the radius of 500 mts area. The total cluster area is 3.419 ha which is <5.0 ha and obtained LOI on 31.01.2022 for 10 years.

The Committee noted that the extent of proposed mine lease area is **3.419 Ha.** The project falls under B2 category. Life of the mine is 10 years. The project proponent has submitted forest NOC vide letter dt.03.06.2022 as the forest is within 500mts.

The proponent volunteered to provide Digital Class Rooms and primary benches to the **Bhatrupalem** High school as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, EIA appraisal, MoEF&CC' Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue Environmental Clearance.

- 1. The proponent shall comply with the proposals furnished in Environmental management plan.
- 2. The project proponent shall develop greenbelt along approach roads & village Road sides.
- 3. The project proponent shall maintain 7.5mt greenbelt in buffer zone and existing buffer zone plantation should not be disturbed.
- 4. The project proponent shall carryout mining duly maintaining proper benches.
- 5. The proponent shall take dust suppression measures to meet the CPCB stipulated ambient air quality standards at any point of time.
- 6. The project proponent shall comply conditions stipulated in the Forest NOC dt.03.06.2022.
- 7. The project proponent shall provide 232m rock bund on western side boundary of lease area and 130 mt trench on south side boundary of lease areato prevent surface runoff.

**Decision of SEIAA:-**Agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to issue Environmental Clearance.

Agenda Item:

194.19

2.015 Ha. Mining of Colour granite of M/s Swastick Exports at Sy. No. 418/3-C2E(P), 420/2, 420/3 & 420/4 P of Gokanakonda Village, Vinukonda Mandal, 197.23& Guntur District, Andhra Pradesh – Environmental Clearance – Reg. SIA/AP/MIN/286679/2022

Recommendations of the SEAC on 07.09.2022

Category: B2

The proposed project is for mining **Colour granite** in an area of **2.015 Ha.** with a proposed production quantity of Colour granite – 3210 m3/annum with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.

The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals ( $\leq$ 250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).

The representative of proponent and NVSPL Ravikanth, RQPhave attended the meeting.

The Committee noted that as per cluster letter issued by Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Guntur-II, Dachepalli (HQ), vide Lr. dated: 12.04.2022. There are 3 quarry leases within the radius of 500 mts area. The total cluster area is 4.015 Ha which is <5.0 Ha and obtained LOI on 5.01.2022.

The Committee noted that the extent of proposed mine lease area is **2.015 Ha.** The project falls under B2category. Mine life 10 years.

The project proponent submitted modified mining plan by leaving 0.85 Ha nonmining zone as per NGT norms to comply with NGT norms by leaving 100mt distance from habitation.

The proponent volunteered to provide water treatment plan with borewell to the Gokanakonda High school as a part of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, EIA appraisal, MoEF&CC' Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue Environmental Clearance.

- 1. The proponent shall comply with the proposals furnished in Environmental management plan.
- 2. The project proponent shall develop greenbelt along approach roads & village Road sides.
- 3. The project proponent shall maintain 7.5mt greenbelt in buffer zone and existing buffer zone plantation should not be disturbed.
- 4. The proponent shall take dust suppression measures to meet the CPCB stipulated ambient air quality standards at any point of time.
- 5. The project proponent shall acquire 0.5Ha additional land for dumping of waste after 2<sup>nd</sup> vear.

**Decision of SEIAA:-**Agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to issue Environmental Clearance.

# Agenda Item: 194.20

0.560 Ha. Mining of Limestone Slabs (Black) of Sri Y Srinivasulu at Sy. No. B05/P of Palkur Village, Banaganapalle Mandal, Kurnool District 197.25& Environmental Clearance – Reg. SIA/AP/MIN/287056/2022

Recommendations of the SEAC on 07.09.2022

Category: B2

The proposed project is for mining **Limestone Slabs** (**Black**) in an area of **0.560** Ha. with a proposed production quantity of Limestone Slabs (Black)- 3000 **m3/annum** with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.

The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals ( $\leq$ 250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).

The representative of proponent and their Harendra, RQPhave attended the meeting.

The Committee noted that as per cluster letter issued by Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Banaganapalle, vide Lr. dated: 08.06.2022. There are 11 existing quarry leases within the radius of 500 mts area. The total cluster area is 4.813 Ha which is <5.0 Ha. No drilling and blasting is involved.

The Committee noted that the extent of proposed mine lease area is **0.560 Ha.** The project falls under **B2 category**. Mine life 6.04 years.

The proponent volunteered to provide water treatment plant with borewell to the **Devanagar village** Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC' Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue Environmental Clearance.

- 1. The proponent shall comply with the proposals furnished in Environmental management plan.
- 2. No drilling and blasting is allowed.
- 3. The project proponent shall develop greenbelt along approach roads & village Road sides.
- 4. The project proponent shall maintain 7.5mt greenbelt in buffer zone and existing buffer zone plantation should not be disturbed.
- 5. The project proponent shall carryout mining duly maintaining proper benches.
- 6. The proponent shall take dust suppression measures to meet the CPCB stipulated ambient air quality standards at any point of time.

**Decision of SEIAA:**-Agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to issue Environmental Clearance.

# Agenda Item: 194.21

10.950 Ha. Mining of Quartz of M/s. Muneeswara Minerals at Sy No:195/2P, Mangalakunta village, Tarlupadu Mandal, Prakasam District, A.P. 197.26& Environmental Clearance – Reg. SIA/AP/MIN/81630/2019

## Recommendations of the SEAC on 07.09.2022 Category: B1

The proposed project is for mining Quartz in an area of 10.950 Ha. with a proposed production quantity of **Quartz – 54199 TPA** with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.

The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals ( $\leq$ 250 ha of

mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).

The representative of proponent and their SV Enviro Labs & Consultants have attended the meeting.

The Committee noted that as per cluster letter issued by Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Markapuram, vide Lr. dated: 16.12.2019. There are no existing quarry leases within the radius of 500 mts area.

The Committee noted that the extent of proposed mine lease area is **10.950 Ha.** The project falls under **B1 category**. **Mine life --- years.** 

The proponent volunteered to provide water treatment plant with borewell to the **Mangalakunta** Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine.

The project proponent has obtained TOR on 25.06.2020 and public hearing was held on 13.04.2022. cattle grazing, employment, impact of dust on veligonda canal, agriculture lands, on drinking water, transport issues were raised.

Reply of the proponent during the public hearing is as follows:

The project proponent has obtained TOR on 25.06.2020 and public hearing was held on 13.04.2022.

Reply of the proponent during the public hearing is as follows:

Sri A. Subhaskarreddy, coordinator of the proposed project: He responded in the issues emerged in the EPH on behalf of the project proponent. He clarified as follows:

BLASTING OPERATIONS: mining in quartz mines will not carried out in greater depths like other iron ore or lime stone mines. The quartz will not be available in more than 100ft depth. Quartz fragmentization will not be carried out and only shattering will be done with blasting with a low explosive delay detonators .advanced technology will be used in the blasting due to which the vibrations will not reach as close as 10mts distance also. Hence there will not be any damage to nearby canals and trouble to the villagers due to blasting operations.

Water issue: out of the total extent of 10.950 Ha quarry mining will be done in an extent of 2.0 Ha only where the quartz mineral is available. The remaining area is a non mineral bearing area and hence no quarry operations will be carried out. Fencing will be provided to the open mined pit to safe guard the cattle and remaining area will be kept openly for cattle grazing. Contour trenches will be provided in the catchment area at a distance of each 3 meter for settlement of water in the mining area and siltation sumps will be provided for accumulation of water in low profile mining area. The accumulated water will be utilized for dust suppression on haulage roads, avenue plantation along the road sides and development of green belt in 7.5 mt buffer zone within the mining area and the surface water will be sourced through tankers in case of non availability of water in sumps. There is no usage of chemicals and hence water will not be polluted there will be only dust pollution for which the mining unit proposed to take dust suppression

measures.

Employment preference shall be given to the local villagers only. The management will support in providing medical checkups, drinking water facility and education to the villagers until the operation of the mine.

The production capacity will be within the permitted capacity proposed for five years and it has been assured that the mine management shall not go for excess production capacity in the near future.

Periodical environmental monitoring will be conducted to analyze air and water parameters and necessary steps will be taken in the event of the analyzed parameters beyond the stipulated standards.

In order to fulfil the further necessary requirements for obtaining the Environmental Clearance for this mining activity, the proponent has initiated steps to carry out required EIA study in and around the mine lease area. This study covers an area surrounding the project site with a radial distance of 10 km from the proposed mine lease area.

The committee appraised the final EIA and noted that the predominant wind direction is from South -East to North – west and maximum GLCs observed is within the standards and falls at a distance of 120 mts in south and south – west direction of the mine.

In order to fulfil the further necessary requirements for obtaining the Environmental Clearance for this mining activity, the proponent has initiated steps to carry out required EIA study in and around the mine lease area. This study covers an area surrounding the project site with a radial distance of 10 km from the proposed mine lease area.

The committee appraised the final EIA and noted that the predominant wind direction is from South -East to North – west and maximum GLCs observed is within the standards and falls at a distance of 120 mts in south and south – west direction of the mine.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, final EIA, presentations, MoEF&CC' Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, **recommended to issue Environmental Clearance with additional conditions**.

- 1. The proponent shall comply with the proposals furnished in Environmental management plan.
- 2. The project proponent shall develop greenbelt along road side and shall take dust suppression measures.
- 3. The proponent shall fulfill the assurances given to the public in public hearing.
- 4. The proponent shall maintain buffer zone & proper benches during mining operations.
- 5. The project proponent shall construct 500m trench on Eastern side to prevent surface runoff.
- 6. Veligonda canal road shall not be used for transportation

**Decision of SEIAA:-**Agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to issue Environmental Clearance.

Item:	14.0 Ha. Mining of Quartz of M/s. Muneeswara Minerals at Sy No:195/2P, Mangalakunta village, Tarlupadu Mandal, Prakasam District , A.P. – Environmental Clearance – Reg. SIA/AP/MIN/81800/2019
	Recommendations of the SEAC on 07.09.2022 Category: B2
	The proposed project is for mining <b>Quartz</b> in an area of <b>14.0 Ha.</b> with a proposed production quantity of <b>Quartz</b> – <b>89719 TPA</b> with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.
	The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (≤250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).
	The representative of proponent and their SV Enviro Labs & Consultants have attended the meeting.
	The Committee noted that as per cluster letter issued by Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Markapuram, vide Lr. dated: 16.12.2019. There are no existing quarry leases within the radius of 500 mts area.
	The proponent volunteered to provide water treatment plant with borewell to the <b>Mangalakunta</b> Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine.
The project proponent has obtained TOR on 25.06.2020 and p was held on 13.04.2022.  Reply of the proponent during the public hearing is as follows:	
	Sri A. Subhaskarreddy, coordinator of the proposed project: He responded in the issues emerged in the EPH on behalf of the project proponent. He clarified as follows:
	BLASTING OPERATIONS: mining in quartz mines will not carried out in greater depths like other iron ore or lime stone mines. The quartz will not be available in more than 100ft depth. Quartz fragmentization will not be carried out and only shattering will be done with blasting with a low explosive delay detonators .advanced technology will be used in the blasting due to which the vibrations will not reach as close as 10mts distance also. Hence there will not be any damage to nearby canals and trouble to the villagers due to blasting operations.
	Water issue: out of the total extent of 14 Ha quarry mining will be done in an extent of 2.5 Ha only where the quartz mineral is available. The remaining

area is a non mineral bearing area and hence no quarry operations will be carried out. Fencing will be provided to the open mined pit to safe guard the cattle and remaining area will be kept openly for cattle grazing. Contour trenches will be provided in the catchment area at a distance of each 3 meter for settlement of water in the mining area and siltation sumps will be provided

for accumulation of water in low profile mining area. The accumulated water will be utilized for dust suppression on haulage roads, avenue plantation along the road sides and development of green belt in 7.5 mt buffer zone within the mining area and the surface water will be sourced through tankers in case of non availability of water in sumps. There is no usage of chemicals and hence water will not be polluted, there will be only dust pollution for which the mining unit proposed to take dust suppression measures.

Employment preference shall be given to the local villagers only. The management will support in providing medical checkups, drinking water facility and education to the villagers until the operation of the mine.

The production capacity will be within the permitted capacity proposed for five years and it has been assured that the mine management shall not go for excess production capacity in the near future.

Periodical environmental monitoring will be conducted to analyze air and water parameters and necessary steps will be taken in the event of the analyzed parameters beyond the stipulated standards.

In order to fulfil the further necessary requirements for obtaining the Environmental Clearance for this mining activity, the proponent has initiated steps to carry out required EIA study in and around the mine lease area. This study covers an area surrounding the project site with a radial distance of 10 km from the proposed mine lease area.

The committee appraised the final EIA and noted that the predominant wind direction is from South -East to North – west and maximum GLCs observed is within the standards and falls at a distance of 120 mts in south and south – west direction of the mine.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, final EIA, presentations, MoEF&CC' Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, **recommended to** issue Environmental Clearance with additional conditions.

- 1. The proponent shall comply with the proposals furnished in Environmental management plan.
- 2. The project proponent shall develop greenbelt along road side and shall take dust suppression measures.
- 3. The proponent shall fulfill the assurances given to the public in public hearing.
- 4. The proponent shall maintain buffer zone & proper benches.
- **5.** The project proponent shall construct 500m trench on Eastern side to prevent surface runoff.
- 6. Veligonda canal road shall not be used for transportation.

**Decision of SEIAA:-**Agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to issue Environmental Clearance.

Agenda	3.4 Ha Mining of R	oad metal and Building stone & Gravel by Sri S. Chenchu
Item:	Kiran Kumar at S	Survey no. 342/P (Old Sy.No.1), Krishnampalli Village,
197.28&	Yerpedu Mandal,	Chittoor District, Andhra Pradesh - Environmental
194.23	Clearance –Reg.	SIA/AP/MIN/280216/2022
	Dagamman dations	of the SEAC on 07 00 2022

Recommendations of the SEAC on 07.09.2022

Category: B2

The proposed project is for mining **Road metal and Building stone & Gravel** in an area of **3.4 Ha.** with a proposed production quantity of **Road metal & Building** stone - 88894 m3/annum Gravel - 7723 m3/annum with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.

The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals (<250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).

The representative of proponent and their M/s. Team Labs & Consultants have attended the meeting.

The Committee noted that as per cluster letter issued by Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Chittoor, vide Lr. dated: 20.06.2022. There is one existing quarry leases within the radius of 500 mts area. The total cluster area is <5.0 ha.

The Committee noted that the extent of proposed mine lease area is **3.4 Ha.** The project falls under **B2 category**. **Mine life 7.4 years**.

Earlier ADS was raised for submission of forest NOC as the forest is at 190 mts. The proponent submitted Forest NOC dt 03.09.2022.

The proponent volunteered to provide Water treatment plant with bore well to the Krishnampalli village Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity and shall maintain till the life of the mine.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, EIA appraisal, MoEF&CC' Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue Environmental Clearance.

- 1. The proponent shall comply with the proposals furnished in Environmental management plan.
- 2. Forest NOC conditions to be implemented.
- 3. The project proponent shall develop greenbelt along approach roads & village Road sides.
- 4. The project proponent shall maintain 7.5mt greenbelt in buffer zone and existing buffer zone plantation should not be disturbed.
- 5. The project proponent shall carryout mining duly maintaining proper benches.
- 6. The proponent shall take dust suppression measures to meet the CPCB stipulated ambient air quality standards at any point of time.

**Decision of SEIAA:-**Agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to issue Environmental Clearance.

Agenda item

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2.0 Ha Road Metal and Building stone of M/s Jayamary Stone Crusher, Sy No 24, Bowlawada village, Anakapalle Mandal, Visakhapatnam District, Andhra 197.29& **Pradesh – Amendment in EC – Reg**. SIA/AP/MIN/275245/2022

Recommendations of the SEAC on 07.09.2022

Category: B2

The proposed application is for amendment of EC for geo coordinates correction as per DGPS survey.

This is **Road Metal and Building stone** mine with operating capacity of RM& BS – 21919 M3 per annum with a condition that the total production during a scheme should be limited to the approved quantity as per Mining scheme/ plan.

The proposed project falls under Item No. 1(a) of the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its amendments thereof - (i). Mining of minerals ( $\leq$ 250 ha of mining lease area in respect of non-coal mine lease).

Earlier, the SEIAA issued Environmental clearance vide order No. SEIAA/AP/VSP/MIN/11/2019/1412-245, dated 11.02.2020 for production capacity of RM& BS – 21919 M3 per annum.

The proponent submitted that, of late, DGPS survey was done by mines department and the geo coordinates of the mine is redefined. Accordingly the proponent modified the mining plan and requested for amendment in geo coordinates in EC order.

The representative of proponent and their consultant SV Enviro labs have attended the meeting.

The committee noted that there will be discrepancy in hand held GPS co
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2019 & EC Copy 2020		DGPS Sketch			
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N			N		
17°44'11.92"	82°58'52.52" E	P2	17°44'19.62823"	82°58'55.20560" E	
N			N		
17°44'19.64"	82°58'55.19" E	Р3	17°44'11.92143"	82°58'52.50206" E	
N			N		
17°44'20.32"	82°58'50.23" E	P4	17°44'12.63304"	82°58'50.24543" E	
N			N		
17°44'19.29"	82°58'49.82" E	P5	17°44'16.07470"	82°58'49.51382" E	
N			N		
17°44'19.11"	82°58'53.05" E	Р6	17°44'15.90898"	82°58'52.35938" E	
N			N		
17°44'15.93"	82°58'52.33" E	P7	17°44'19.08714"	82°58'53.07979" E	
N			N		
17°44'16.06"	82°58'49.50" E	P8	17°44'19.49169"	82°58'49.87660" E	
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The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, modified mining plan, MoEF&CC' Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue **Amendment to Environmental Clearance order dt 11.02.20 in Geo co-ordinates as above with the following additional conditions:** 

- 1. Controlled blasting to be practiced in view of location of industrial shed near by.
- 2. Mining shall be done by maintaining proper benches.
- 3. Buffer zone to be maintained.

**Decision of SEIAA:-**Agreed with the recommendation of the SEAC to issue Amendment to Environmental Clearance.

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