



STATE ENVIRONMENT IMPACT ASSESSMENT AUTHORITY, ASSAM
Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Government of India
BAMUNIMADAM, GUWAHATI 781021, ASSAM

Minutes of the 45th Meeting of the SEIAA, Assam held on 20/01/2023

The 45th Meeting of the SEIAA, Assam was held at Conference Hall of the Pollution Control Board, Assam, Guwahati-21 on 20/01/2023 at 3.30 p.m.

The following Members were present

- Sri Pradyut Kumar Choudhury, Chairman, SEIAA, Assam.
- Sri Indreswar Kalita, ACS, Addl. Secretary, Environment and Forest Department, Govt. of Assam and Member Secretary, SEIAA, Assam. - *Attended online*.
- Dr. Hari Prasad Sarma, Member, SEIAA, Assam.

Sri Pradyut Kumar Choudhury, Chairman, SEIAA, Assam presided over the meeting.

Agenda Item 1.

Actions on the recommendations of 52th Meeting of SEAC held on 7th January, 2023.

1. **Proposal requesting of EC for mining of Sand & Stone from "Chitila 2 Sand & Stone Materials Mahal under Kachugaon Forest Division, Gossaigaon, BTC proposed by Sri Argeng Narzary. SEIAA. 3156/2022, (SIA/AS/MIS/401504/2022).**

SEAC Resolution 51/3:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of sand & stone from the "Chitila 2 Sand & Stone Materials Mahal" under Kachugaon Forest Division, Gossaigaon, BTC proposed by Sri Argeng Narzary is placed before the SEA for appraisal and detail discussion. Total area of the project is 4.34 hect and falls under category B₂. The Mining Plan approved by the DGM, Assam vide letter dated 11th Aug. 2022 is discussed in detailed. Necessary approval granted by the Secretary, BTC, Kokrajhar dated 14th June 2022 and LOI issued by the concerned Divisional Forest Officer is deliberated. The requisite orders issued by the DFO, Kachugaon Forest Division vide letter dated 25th July 2022 and 25th Aug. 2022 are also discussed. Necessary analytical report on the ratio of minable materials is examined. The committee after due deliberation *recommended the project proposal approving to extract 36000 cu.m. sand & gravel (gravel 7300 cu.m. + sand 28700 cu.m. = 36000 cu.m.) from the proposed mining area within a period of five (5) years with the condition that the maximum mining depth is recommended up to two (2) meters from the unmined ground surface. The proponent is permitted to extract 7200 cu.m. sand & gravel (1460 cu.m. gravel + 5740 cu.m. sand = 7200 cu.m.) from the proposed mine site per year strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.*

The Divisional Forest Officer, Kachugaon Forest Division, Gossaigaon under BTC is requested to ensure due surveillances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. The DFO is also requested to mark the approved mining area on the ground fixing permanent boundary pillars before allowing actual mining as mining is strictly permitted within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. He will further ensure that necessary compliance of the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

SEIAA Resolution 45/1:

Approved for issuance of EC as per condition laid down by SEAC.

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Addl. Secretary, Env & Forest, Assam
cum Member Secretary, SEIAA, Assam.

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Dr. Hari Prasad Sarma,
Member, SEIAA, Assam

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Sri Pradyut Kumar Choudhury,
Chairman, SEIAA, Assam.

2. **Proposal requesting of EC for mining of Sand and Gravel from “Bandarghat MCA-2 Of 2022-24” For Sand and Gravel under Golaghat Forest Division proposed by the Divisional Forest Officer, Golaghat Forest Division. SEIAA. 3222/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/407208/2022).**

SEAC Resolution 52/4:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of Sand & Gravel from the “Bandarghat MCA-2 Of 2022-24” For Sand and Gravel” under Golaghat Forest Division proposed by the Divisional Forest Officer, Golaghat Forest Division is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Area of the project is five hect. and comes under category B₂. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 26th Sept. 2022 is discussed in detailed. Report of the Divisional Forest Officer, Golaghat Forest Division communicated vide letter dated 18th Nov. 2022 and 15th Nov. 2022 is examined. Thorough deliberation is held. The committee after due deliberation recommended the proposal approving to **extract 21000 cu.m. sand and gravel (6300 cu.m. sand and 14700 cu.m. gravel) from the proposed mining site within a period of two (2) years with the condition that (a) maximum mining depth is recommended up to 2 (two) meters from the unmined ground surface (b) the active bank of the river should not get disturbed due to mining and transportation of materials and (c) in between the mining area a non-mining zone of 100 meters shall have to be kept in pursuance of the AMMC Rules 2013. It is also recommended to extract 10500 cu.m. sand and gravel (3150 cu.m sand and 7350 cu.m. gravel, total 10500 cu.m. sand & gravel) from the proposed project site per year strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining site.**

The Divisional Forest Officer, Golaghat Forest Division, Golaghat is requested to ensure due surveillances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. The DFO is also requested to mark the approved mining area on the ground fixing permanent boundary pillars before allowing actual mining as mining is strictly permitted within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. He will further ensure that necessary compliance of the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

SEIAA Resolution 45/2:

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3. **Proposal of EC for mining of Sand from “DIG/J of 2022-29 Sand Mining Contract Area at Margherita on Buhidihing River Bed” under Digboi Division proposed by Toya Chetry. (SEIAA.3234/2022), (SIA/AS/MIN/ 409742/2022)**


SEAC Resolution 52/5:


The project proposal asking EC for mining of sand from the “DIG/J of 2022-29 Sand Mining Contract Area at Margherita on Buhidihing River Bed” under Digboi Forest Division proposed by Toya Chetry is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Requisite documents furnished by the proponent in support of his proposal are examined and appraised. Project area is 4.45 hect and falls under category B₂. The Mining Plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 21st Sept. 2022 is discussed in detailed. The approved mining plan as well as reports of the Divisional Forest Officer, Digboi Forest Division communicated vide letter dated 26th Sept. 2022 and 22th Aug 2022 is deliberated. The committee after due deliberation recommended the project proposal approving to extract 98500 cu.m. river bed sand from the proposed mining site within a period of five (5) years. The proponent is allowed to extract 19700 cu.m. river bed sand from the approved mining site annually strictly following all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining site including sufficient site care should be taken while mining and transportation so the high rise bank of the river is not get disturbed. The Divisional Forest Officer, Digboi Forest Division, Digboi is requested to ensure due surveillances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. The DFO is also requested to mark the approved mining area on the ground fixing permanent boundary pillars before allowing actual mining as mining is strictly permitted within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. He will further ensure that necessary compliance of the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation

SEIAA Resolution 45/3:

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4. Proposal of EC for mining of Ordinary Sand from “Jamunagaon Ordinary Sand Mining Permit Unit 2022-24 (Revenue Portion) under Nagaon South Forest Division proposed by the DFO, Nagaon South Division. SEIAA.3228/2022, (SIA/AS/MIS/407990/2022).

SEAC Resolution 52/6:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of ordinary river bed sand from the “Jamunagaon Ordinary Sand Mining Permit Unit 2022-24 (Revenue Portion)” under Nagaon South Forest Division proposed by the DFO, Nagaon South Division, Hojai is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. The project area is 4.3 hect and comes under category of B₂ in on coal mining. The minng plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 26th Sept. 2022 is discussed in detailed. Recommendation of the DFO, Nagaon South Forest Division, Hojai communicated vide letter dated 13th Oct. 2022; LOI issued by him dated 25th Aug 2022 and NOC issued by the Deputy Commissioner, Hojai dated 8th Aug 2022 is deliberated. The committee after due deliberation recommended the project proposal approving to *extract 39800 cu.m. ordinary river bed sand from the proposed mining site within a period of 2 (two) years with the condition that (a) the maximum mining depth is recommended up to two (2) meters from the unmined ground surface & (b) all necessary care shall have to take not to disturb the active river bank while mining and transportation of the mining materials. The proponent is allowed to extract 19900 cu.m. ordinary river bed sand from the proposed mining site annually strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.* The Divisional Forest Officer, Nagaon South Forest Division, Hojai is requested to ensure due surveillances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. The DFO is also requested to mark the approved mining area on the ground fixing permanent boundary pillars before allowing actual mining as mining is strictly permitted within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. He will further ensure that necessary compliance of the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

SEIAA Resolution 45/4:

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5. Proposal of E.C for mining of Sand from “Boha Sand Mining Permit Area (Rev. Portion) on Kopili River Bed” in the District of Morigaon under Nagaon Forest Division proposed by the Divisional Forest Officer Nagaon Forest Division. SEIAA. 3271/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/411278/2022).

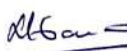
SEAC Resolution 52/7:


The project proposal asking EC for mining of river bed sand from the **Boha Sand Mining Permit Area (Rev. Portion) on Kopili River Bed**” in the District of Morigaon under Nagaon Forest Division proposed by the **Divisional Forest Officer Nagaon Forest Division** is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Project area proposed 5 hect that comes under category B₂. On examining the requisite documents, it is observed that the reserved quantity shown in the approved mining plan almost 146466 cu.m. for two years whereas quantity recommended mere 10000 cu.m. for two years. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 23rd Nov. 2022 is discussed in detail. The recommendation communicated by the DGO, Nagaon Forest Division communicated vide letter dated 28th Nov. 2022 & 7th Nov. 2022 are discussed. Thorough deliberation is held and the committee *recommended approving to extract river bed sand 10000 cu.m. from the extreme up stream reach segment of about 1.19 hect area as indicated in the mining plan (between the GPS coordinates 26° 10'19.13"-N; 92° 6'17.57-E and 26° 10'30.18"-N; 92° 5'45.-E) within a period of two (2) years. Rest of the five segments proposed in the approved mining plan is not recommended for mining as the recommended segment is sufficient to make available the required quantity of sand. The DFO, Nagaon Forest Division is allowed to extract 5000 cu.m. river bed sand from the aforesaid recommended portion of the mining site annually. The proponent shall have to strictly follow all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan in course of mining operation.* The Divisional Forest Officer, Nagaon Forest Division, Nagaon is requested to ensure due surveillances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. The DFO is also requested to mark the approved mining area (i.e. **only 1.19 hect. out of 5.0 hect proposed**) on the ground fixing permanent boundary pillars before allowing actual mining as mining is strictly permitted within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. He will further ensure that necessary compliance of the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation

SEIAA Resolution 45/5:

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6. Proposal asking EC for "Construction of New Medical College Catering MMCH and Kalapahar Campus Along with 800 Bedded General Hospital at MMCH Campus, Guwahati proposed by Govt. Of Assam Public Work (Building & NH) Department. SEIAA.3133/2022, (SIA/AS/MIS/ 259810/2022).

SEAC Resolution 52/8:

The project proposal requesting EC for "Construction of New Medical College Catering MMCH and Kalapahar Campus along with 800 Bedded General Hospital at MMCH Campus, Guwahati, Assam proposed by the Govt. Of Assam Public Work (Building & NH) Department is laced before the SEAC for review, appraisal and detail deliberation. This particular proposal was discussed in detailed in the 47th SEAC meeting held on 21st Oct. 2022 where necessary presentation given. It is seen that the plot of land (Part -1 - Kalapahar Campus) is 55684 Sq.m. and built up area 102932.03 Sq.m. accommodation 350 beds that falls under 8(a) B₂ category. Having presentation and following deliberation the committee asked certain additional information being ADS on 6th Dec. 2022. The proponent has already furnished required information. The consultant again given presentation before the committee and participated in the deliberation. *The committee after due deliberation recommended the project proposal approving for issuance of necessary EC for the Kalapahar part of the project under the provision of the EIA notification 20. The proponent shall have to adhere to all the proposed measures/ activities detailed in the DPR in letter & spirit while executing the project.*

SEIAA Resolution 45/6:

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7. Proposal of EC for construction of a "New Medical College and Hospital, at Morigaon District, Assam proposed by the Executive Engineer, PWD, Morigaon.

SEIAA. 3266/2022, (SIA/AS/INFRA2/404753/2022).

SEAC Resolution 52/9:


The project proposal asking EC for construction of a "New Medical College and Hospital" at Bagharagaon under Morigaon Revenue Circle in the District of Morigaon, Assam proposed by the Executive Engineer, PWD, Territorial Building Division, Morigaon is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail deliberation. Area of the project is 13.76 hect. and built up area 98694.97 Sq.m. The project is categorized under B₂ - 8 (a). The proposal was scrutinized earlier and sought EDS on 8th Dec. 2022. Accordingly, the proponent has furnished necessary reply on EDS. Subsequently, the proponent was invited to give presentation stating detail project activities in the 52nd SEAC meeting held on 7th Jan.2022. The proponent with the assistance of their approved consultant given presentation before the committee and participated in the following discussion. Detail deliberation is held in presence of the consultant and he agreed to furnish certain additional information/ documents being ADS on the project proposal as noted below.

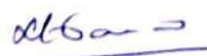
- Location of the STP should be shown in the map.
- Rainwater harvesting pits & their design and capacity is required.
- Storm water discharge plan and drainage layout with its connectivity to outside drainage.
- Drainage network in 500-meter buffer area.
- Location and capacity of the proposed in house incinerator.
- Contour map in 500-meter buffer area.
- List of the tree to be planted in the green area preferably local/native species be selected in consultation with the District Forest Officer.


With the above information /documents SEIAA, Assam may approve the project proposal based on their merits.

SEIAA Resolution 45/7:

The PP is required to submit document within 7 days and there after EC is issued. Approved EC is principle.


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8. **Proposal of EC for mining of Sand, Gravel and Earth from the “Bhimpara Sand, Gravel and Earth Quarry under Lakhimpur Forest Division proposed by Sri Ranadev Saikia. SEIAA. 2000/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/411662/2022).**

SEAC Resolution 52/11:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of sand, gravel and earth from the “**Bhimpara Sand, Gravel and Earth Quarry (MCA)**” under Lakhimpur Forest Division proposed by **Sri Ranadev Saikia** is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. The proposal was initially discussed in the 35th SEAC meeting held on 30th April 2022. The proposed mining area is applied for 9.0 hect. and on examining the area and after due deliberation the committee reduced an area of 1.5 hect being stable sand bar within the proposed mining site of 9.0 hect. Accordingly, TOR was recommended on 12th May 2022 asking to submit detail EIA report along with report on public hearing on the approved 7.5 hect mining area. Report says that public hearing conducted on 15th Nov. 2022 and submitted the report enclosing final EIA report on 30th Nov. 2022. The proposal was included in the agenda of the 52nd SEAC meeting for detail deliberation. The EIA report etc. are appraised and deliberated thoroughly. The committee after due deliberation *recommended the proposal approving to extract Sand 166438 cu.m.; Gravel 83219 cu.m. and river bed ordinary earth 166438 cu.m. form the approved mining site of 7.5 hect area within a period of 5 (five) years. The proponent is permitted to extract maximum quantity of Sand 33288 cu.m., Gravel 16644 cum.m and river bed ordinary earth 33288 cu.m per year. The proponent shall have to strictly follow all the terms and condition laid down the approved mining plan/ EIA report in course of mining operation.*

The Divisional Forest Officer, Lakhimpur Forest Division, North Lakhimpur is requested to ensure due surveillances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. The DFO is also requested to mark the approved mining area (i.e. only 7.5 hect.) on the ground fixing permanent boundary pillars before allowing actual mining as mining is strictly permitted within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. He will further ensure that necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

SEIAA Resolution 45/8:

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9. **Proposal of E.C for collection of Ordinary Earth from “Dudhpatil Grant Patta Land Earth Mining Permit Area” under Cachar Forest Division, Silchar proposed by Smt. Aparna Deb. SEIAA. 3291/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/407639/2022)**

SEAC Resolution 52/12:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of ordinary earth from the **Dudhpatil Grant Patta Land Earth Mining Permit Area**” under Cachar Forest Division, Silchar proposed by **Smt. Aparna Debis** placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Project area is 0.74 hect. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 21st Oct. 2022 is discussed in detailed. The recommendation of the concerned DFO communicated vide letter dated 7th Oct. 2022 & 31st Oct. 2022 is discussed and appraised. The JVR conducted on 25th Aug. 2022; NOC issued by the Deputy Commissioner, Silchar communicated vide letter No.CRS.1/NOC/SADAR/2021/1020 dated 18th Feb. 2022 and land records are examined. Due deliberation is held and the committee recommended the proposal *approving to extract 86670 cu.m ordinary earth from the proposed mining site within a period of two (2) years. The proponent is permitted to extract 43335 cu.m. ordinary earth from the proposed mining site annually strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.*

The Divisional Forest Officer, Cachar Forest Division, Silchar is requested to ensure due surveillances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. The DFO is also requested to mark the approved mining area on the ground fixing permanent boundary pillars before allowing actual mining as mining is strictly permitted within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. The DFO will also ensure that the mining operation should not create any disturbance on the traffic movement as the Lunding – Silchar road is adjacent to the mining site. He will further ensure that necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

SEIAA Resolution 45/9:

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10. **Proposal of E.C for collection of Ordinary Sand and Gravel from “Debasthan Ordinary Sand Proposal of E.C for mining of Sand from “Jhanji Seleng Tea Lowjan MPA for Sand” under Jorhat Division proposed by Sri Pulin Mahanta. SEIAA. 3276/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/408600/2022) SEAC Resolution 52/13:**

The project proposal asking EC for mining of ordinary sand from the “Jhanji Seleng Tea Lowjan MPA for Sand” under Jorhat Forest Division proposed by Sri Pulin Mahanta is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Project area is 1.10 hect. Necessary documents submitted by the proponent is examined and appraised. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 21st Oct. 2022 is discussed. Recommendation of the Divisional Forest Officer, Jorhat Division dated 17th Nov. 2022 is also deliberated. The proposal is discussed in detail and the committee after due deliberation recommended the proposal approving to *extract ordinary sand 5000 cu.m. from the proposed mining site with a period of two years with the condition that (i) maximum mining depth is approved up to two meters from the unmined ground surface & (ii) active river bank should not get disturb due mining and transportation of mining materials. The proponent is allowed to extract 2500cu.m. sand annually strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.*

The Divisional Forest Officer, Jorhat Forest Division, Jorhat is requested to ensure due surveillances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. The DFO is also requested to mark the approved mining area on the ground fixing permanent boundary pillars before allowing actual mining as mining is strictly permitted within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. He will further ensure that necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

SEIAA Resolution 45/10:

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11. **Proposal of E.C for mining of Sand from “DBR/30/Burdening/Horeghat- Bharalibari/Sand MCA” under Dibrugarh Forest Division proposed by DFO, Dibrugarh. SEIAA.3257/2022, (SIA/AS/IND/411191/2022)**

SEAC Resolution 52/14:

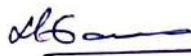
The project proposal asking EC for mining of river bed sand from the “DBR/30/Burdening/Horeghat Bharalibari/Sand MCA” under Dibrugarh Forest Division proposed by the Divisional Forest Officer, Dibrugarh is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail deliberation. project area is 4.53 hect in Buridihing River. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 31st Oct. 2022 is deliberated. Recommendation of the Divisional Forest Officer, Dibrugarh Forest Division communicated vide letter dated 14th Nov. 2022 & 30th Nov. 2022 are discussed. The project proposal is discussed thoroughly and the committee recommended the proposal approving to *extract 165000 cu.m river bed sand from the proposed mining site within a period of 5 (five) years with the condition that the active river bank should not get disturb because of mining operation and transportation of mining materials. The proponent is allowed to extract 33000 cu.m. river bad sand annually strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.*


The Divisional Forest Officer, Dibrugarh Forest Division, Dibrugarh is requested to ensure due surveillances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. The DFO is also requested to mark the approved mining area on the ground fixing permanent boundary pillars before allowing actual mining as mining is strictly permitted within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. He will further ensure that necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation

SEIAA Resolution 45/11:

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12. Proposal of E.C for mining of sand/stone from “Tirap River Sand/Stone Mining Contract Area” under Digboi Forest Division proposed by Sri Bijoy Borah. SEIAA.3223/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/406380/2022)

SEAC Resolution 52/15:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of river bed sand & stone from the **Tirap River Sand/Stone Mining Contract Area** under Digboi Forest Division proposed by **Sri Bijoy Borah** is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Necessary documents furnished by the proponent are scrutinized and appraised. Project area is 4.5 hect. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 20th July 2022 is discussed. Recommendation of the Divisional Forest Officer, Digboi Forest Division communicated vide letter dated 30th May, 2022 & 1st Sept. 2022 is examined and discussed. Analytical report of the ratio of minable materials are also discussed. Due deliberation is held and the committee recommended the project proposal *approving to extract 50000cu.m. river bed sand and 50000 cu.m. stone from the proposed mining site within a period of 5 (five) years with the condition that the maximum mining depth is approved up to 2 (two) meters from the unmined surface. The proponent is allowed to extract 10000 cu.m. river bed sand and stone each per year strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.*

The Divisional Forest Officer, Digboi Forest Division, Digboi is requested to ensure due surveillances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. The DFO is also requested to mark the approved mining area on the ground fixing permanent boundary pillars before allowing actual mining as mining is strictly permitted within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. He will further ensure that necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation

SEIAA Resolution 45/12:

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13. Proposal asking EC for mining of Sand & gravel from “Bandarghat MCA-1 Of 2022-24” for Sand and Gravel” under Golaghat Forest Division proposed by the Divisional Forest Officer, Golaghat Forest Division. SEIAA.3221/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/407200/2022).

SEAC Resolution 52/16:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of sand & gravel from the “**Bandarghat MCA-1 Of 2022-24” for Sand and Gravel**” under Golaghat Forest Division proposed by the **Divisional Forest Officer, Golaghat Forest Division** is placed before the SEAC for scrutiny, appraisal and detail discussion. Project area is 5.0 hect. Necessary documents submitted by the proponent in support of the proposal are examined and appraised. The Mining Plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 29th Sept. 2022 is discussed. Recommendation of the DFO, Golaghat communicated vide letter dated 15th Nov. 2022 & 18th Nov. 2022 is also discussed in detailed. Necessary deliberation is held and the committee recommended the project proposal *approving to extract 6000 cu.m. sand and 14000cu.m. river bed stone from the proposed mining site within a period of two (2) years subject to the condition that (a) a gap of 100 meters has to be kept as non-mining zone between the GPS coordinates 26° 34' 5.23"-N; 93° 44' 25.61-E and 26° 34' 2.94"-N; 93° 44' 24.0.-E) on the proposed mining site following the guide lines of the AMMC Rules, 2013 and (b) maximum mining depth is recommended up to two (2) meters from the unmined surface. The proponent is recommended to extract 3000 cu.m. river bed sand and 7000 cu.m. stone annually from the approved mining area strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.*

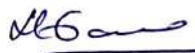
The Divisional Forest Officer, Golaghat Forest Division, Golaghat is requested to ensure due surveillances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. The DFO is also requested to mark the approved mining area on the ground fixing permanent boundary pillars before allowing actual mining as mining is strictly permitted within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. He will further ensure that necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

SEIAA Resolution 45/13:

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14. Proposal asking EC for mining of sand from "Mazumdar Bazar Minor Mineral Unit-I (Sand) on Barak River Bed under Cachar Forest Division proposed by the Divisional Forest Officer, Cachar, Silchar. SEIAA.3250/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/410374/2022).

SEAC Resolution 52/17:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of river bed sand from the "Mazumdar Bazar Minor Mineral Unit-I (Sand) on Barak River Bed" under Cachar Forest Division proposed by the Divisional Forest Officer, Cachar, Silchar is placed before the SEAC for scrutiny, appraisal and deliberation. Area proposed for the project is 1.34 hect on the river bed of Barak River. Requisite documents are verified and discussed. The Mining Plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 10th Nov. 2022 is discussed in detailed. Recommendation of the concerned DFO vide letter dated 22nd Nov.2022 & 9th Dec. 2022 are also discussed. The committee after thread bare deliberation recommended the proposal *approving to extract 19800 cu.m. river bed sand from the proposed mine area within a period of two (2) years with the condition that –(a) maximum mining depth is recommended up to 2 (two) meters from the unmined surface & (b) high rise /active bank of the river should not get damage due to mining and transportation of mining materials. The proponent is allowed to extract 9900 cu.m. river bed sand annually strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.* The Divisional Forest Officer, Cachar Forest Division, Silchar is requested to ensure due surveillances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. The DFO is also requested to mark the approved mining area on the ground fixing permanent boundary pillars before allowing actual mining as mining is strictly permitted within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. He will further ensure that necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

SEIAA Resolution 45/14:

Approved for issuance of EC as per condition laid down by SEAC.

15. Proposal asking EC for mining of Sand from "Kanaighat MCA -1 Of 2022-24 for Sand under Golaghat Forest Division proposed by the Divisional Forest Officer, Golaghat. SEIAA.3235/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/409561/2022).

SEAC Resolution 52/18:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of river bed sand from the "Kanaighat MCA -1 Of 2022-24 for Sand under Golaghat Forest Division proposed by the Divisional Forest Officer, Golaghat is placed before the SEAC for scrutiny, appraisal and detail discussion. Proposed mining area is 5.0 hect which is considered in two different segments on both sides of the Numoligarh – Golaghat Road. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 14th Sept. 2022 is discussed. Recommendation of the DFO, Golaghat is also discussed in detailed. It is observed that the reserved quantity of the minable materials estimated within the proposed mining site is too large in comparison to the requirement and as recommended in the approved mining plan. Due deliberation is held on the above points. The committee after due deliberation recommended **mining on the segment /block located on South of the Numoligarh – Golaghat Road comprising an area of 3.7 hect for mining and the other segment is not considered for mining operation on the ground that the single segment will fulfill the demand of minable materials.** *The committee approves to extract 20000 cu.m. of river bed sand from the aforesaid mining segment comprising 3.7 hect within a period of two (2) years @ 10000 cu.m. per year. The proponent is permitted to extract the approved quantity of river bed sand with maximum mining depth up to two meters from the unmined surface and strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.* The Divisional Forest Officer, Golaghat Forest Division, Golaghat is requested to ensure due surveillances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. The DFO, Golaghat is also requested to mark the approved mining area (i.e. single block comprising 3.7 hect on the South of the Numoligarh- Golaghat Road) on the ground fixing permanent boundary pillars before allowing actual mining as mining is strictly permitted within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. The other block on the North of Numoligarh- Golaghat Road is not recommended for mining. He will further ensure that necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation

SEIAA Resolution 45/15:

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16. Proposal asking EC for mining of ordinary clay from "Ranganadi River Mining Permit Area for Ordinary Clay (Y-Schedule Mineral) Near Bogolijan Village" under Lakhimpur Division proposed by J.C Construction. SEIAA.3278/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/411326/2022).


SEAC Resolution 52/19:


The project proposal requesting EC for mining of ordinary clay/river bed deposit from the "Ranganadi River Mining Permit Area for Ordinary Clay (Y-Schedule Mineral) near Bogolijan Village" under Lakhimpur Forest Division proposed by J.C Construction is placed before the SEAC for scrutiny, appraisal and detail deliberation. Area of the proposed mining site is 1.30 hect and the proposal is forwarded by the Deputy Commissioner, Lakhimpur vide letter No. LDC.76/2021/121 dated 18th Nov. 2022. Necessary NOC is also issued by the Deputy Commissioner, Lakhimpur vide letter dated 22nd Feb 2021. The DGM, Assam has also approved the Mining Plan communicated vide letter dated 29th Nov, 2022 allowing to extract 27000 cu.m ordinary clay within a period of two years. The proposal is discussed in detailed. Due deliberation is held and the committee recommended the proposal approving to *extract 27000 cu.m. ordinary clay/ river bed deposit from the proposed mining site within a period of two years and @ 13500 cu.m per year with the condition that the proponent shall have to approach the Divisional Forest Officer, Lakhimpur Forest Division for certification that the proposed mining site do not fall within any Protected Area or ESZ. This indulgence is required on the points No. 13 & 16 of the approval granted by the DGM, Assam.*


The Divisional Forest Officer, Lakhimpur Forest Division, North Lakhimpur is to be informed that the proposal was forwarded by the Deputy Commissioner, Lakhimpur District directly requesting EC and the same is processed accordingly. *However, the Divisional Forest Officer, Lakhimpur Forest Division, North Lakhimpur is requested to ensure that the proposed area do not fall within any PA or ESZ and if so, mining operation should be stopped with intimation to this end.* He is requested to mount due surveillances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. The DFO is also requested to mark the approved mining area on the ground fixing permanent boundary pillars before actual mining as mining is strictly permitted within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. He will further ensure that necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation. *(Copy of the EC when granted may please be sent to the Deputy Commissioner, Lakhimpur District, North Lakhimpur for favour of his kind information and necessary action.)*

SEIAA Resolution 45/16:

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17. **Proposal asking EC for mining of Sand from “Katakhal Sand Mining Unit 4” under Hailakandi Forest Division, Hailakandi proposed by Sri Amal Paul. SEIAA.3240/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/409147/2022).**

SEAC Resolution 52/20:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of Sand from the “Katakhal Sand Mining Unit 4” under Hailakandi Forest Division, Hailakandi proposed by Sri Amal Paulis placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Project area is 4.95 hect and falls under B₂ category. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 18th Nov. 2022 is deliberated in detailed. Necessary LOI issued by the concerned DFO dated 18th July 2022 is discussed. Recommendation of the DFO communicated vide letter dated 21st Nov. 2022 is also discussed. All necessary documents are examined and after due deliberation the committee recommended the proposal approving to *extract 75000 cu.m. sand from the proposed mining site within a period of five (5) years strictly following all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan. The proponent shall have to take all possible measures so that the active bank of the river is not get damage in course of mining and transportation of materials. The proponent is also allowed to extract 15000 cu.m. sand per year from the approved mining site.*

The Divisional Forest Officer, Hailakandi Forest Division, Hailakandi is requested to ensure due surveillances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. The DFO is also requested to mark the approved mining area on the ground fixing permanent boundary pillars before allowing actual mining as mining is strictly permitted within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. He will further ensure that necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

SEIAA Resolution 45/17:

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18. **Proposal asking EC for mining of Ordinary clay from “Charaihabi Ordinary Clay (Silt) Mining Permit Area” under Dibrugarh Forest Division proposed by SGCCL-ANPL (JV). SEIAA.3267/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/407225/2022).**

SEAC Resolution 52/21:


The project proposal asking EC for mining of ordinary clay/silt from the “Charaihabi Ordinary Clay (Silt) Mining Permit Area” under Dibrugarh Forest Division proposed by SGCCL-ANPL (JV) is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. The project area is 4.95 hect. as indicated in the KML file and records. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 10th Nov. 2022 is discussed in detail. Recommendation of the DFO, Dibrugarh Forest Division communicated vide latter dated 14th Nov. 2022 is also discussed. Thorough deliberation is held and the committee recommended approving the proposal to *extract 72000 cu.m. ordinary clay/silt from the proposed mining site within a period of one (1) year. The proponent shall have to strictly adhere to all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan during the mining period. The proponent shall have to take all possible measures so that the high rise bank of the river is not get disturbed in course of mining and transportation of materials.*


The Divisional Forest Officer, Dibrugarh Forest Division, Dibrugarh is requested to ensure due surveillances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. The DFO is also requested to mark the approved mining area on the ground fixing permanent boundary pillars before allowing actual mining as mining is strictly permitted within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. He will further ensure that necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

SEIAA Resolution 45/18:

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19. Proposal asking EC for mining of ordinary clay from “Brahmaputra River Ordinary Clay (Silt) Mining Permit Area, Old Bogibeel Ghat” under Dibrugarh Forest Division proposed by Ganapati Builders. SEIAA.32682022, (SIA/AS/MIN/407763/2022).

SEAC Resolution 52/22:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of ordinary clay from the “Brahmaputra River Ordinary Clay (Silt) Mining Permit Area, Old Bogibeel Ghat” under Dibrugarh Forest Division proposed by Ganapati Builders is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Project area is 4.1 hect. as indicated in the KML file & other records furnished by the proponent. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 18th Nov. 2022 is discussed in detail. Recommendation of the concerned DFO vide letter dated 19th Nov. 2022 is also discussed. Further, the recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner, Dibrugarh communicated vide letter dated 13th Oct. 2022 and report of the Executive Engineer, WR Deptt. DBR Dated 30th Sept. 2022 is examined and discussed. Due deliberation is held and the committee recommended the project proposal approving to *extract 60000 cu.m. ordinary clay from the proposed mining site within a period of two (2) years strictly following all terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan. The proponent is permitted to extract 30000 cum. Ordinary clay per year taking all possible measures not to disturb the active bank of the river in course of mining operation & transportation of mining materials.* The Divisional Forest Officer, Dibrugarh Forest Division, Dibrugarh is requested to ensure due surveillances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. The DFO is also requested to mark the approved mining area on the ground fixing permanent boundary pillars before allowing actual mining as mining is strictly permitted within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. He will further ensure that necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

SEIAA Resolution 45/19:

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20. Proposal asking EC for mining of Sand from “DIG/K Sand Mining Contract Area of 2022-29 under Digboi Division proposed by Sri Sanjeev Das. SEIAA.3249/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/410070/2022).

SEAC Resolution 52/23:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of Sand from the “DIG/K Sand Mining Contract Area of 2022-29 under Digboi Division proposed by Sri Sanjeev Das is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail deliberation. Proposed project area is 4.7 hect. on Dehing River that falls under B2 category. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 30th Sept. 2022 is deliberated thoroughly. The LOI dated 22nd Aug. 2022 issued by the DFO, Digboi Forest Division and his recommendation dated 18th Nov. 2022 is discussed. Necessary deliberation is held. The committee after due deliberation recommended the project proposal approving to *extract 200000 cu.m. river bed sand from the proposed mining site within a period of five (5) years. The proponent is also allowed to extract 40000 cu.m. river bed sand from the proposed min site per year strictly following all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan. The proponent shall have to take all possible measures so that the high rise bank of the river is not get disturbed in course of mining and transportation of materials.*

The Divisional Forest Officer, Digboi Forest Division, Digboi is requested to ensure due surveillances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. The DFO is also requested to mark the approved mining area on the ground fixing permanent boundary pillars before allowing actual mining as mining is strictly permitted within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. He will further ensure that necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

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21. Proposal asking EC for mining of Sand & Stone from “Dhansiri (Balisiya Jargaon) Sand and Stone Mahal of Dhansiri Forest Division, under BTC proposed by Sri Thengwna Basumatary. SEIAA.3226/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/403194/2022).

SEAC Resolution 52/24:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of sand & stone from the “Dhansiri (Balisiya Jargaon) Sand and Stone Mahal” of Dhansiri Forest Division, under BTC proposed by Sri Thengwna Basumatary is placed before the SEAC for review, appraisal and detail deliberation. project area is 4.4 hect. under Dhansiri Forest Division. The project proposal was deliberated in the previous SEAC meeting and sought certain additional information including ratio analysis report on minable materials. Necessary information as asked on ADS have been furnished and discussed in detailed. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam and recommendation of the concerned DFO is deliberated. The committee after due deliberation *recommended the project proposal for five (5) years approving to extract 50000 cum. River bed stone and 25000 cu.m. river bed sand from the proposed mining area with the condition that (a) the maximum mining depth is recommended up to two (2) meters from the unmined surface & (b) the active bank of the river should not be disturbed while mining and transportation of mining materials. The proponent is recommended to extract 10000 cum. River bed stone and 5000 cu.m. river bed sand from the proposed mine site per year strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.* The Divisional Forest Officer, Dhansiri Forest Division under BTC is requested to ensure due surveillances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. The DFO, Dhansiri Forest Division is also requested to mark the approved mining area on the ground fixing permanent boundary pillars before allowing actual mining as mining is strictly permitted within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. He will further ensure that necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

SEIAA Resolution 45/21:

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22. Proposal asking EC for mining of Stone from “Jatinga River Minor Mineral Unit-4(Stone), (Mining Permit Area, Govt. Land)” under Cachar Forest Division, Silchar proposed by Sri Panna Deb. SEIAA.3153/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/401246/2022).


SEAC Resolution 52/25:


The project proposal asking EC for mining of river bed stone from the “Jatinga River Minor Mineral Unit-4(Stone), (Mining Permit Area, Govt. Land)” under Cachar Forest Division, Silchar proposed by Sri Panna Deb is placed before the SEAC for scrutiny, appraisal and deliberation. Proposed project area is 4.67 hect. on Jatinga River bed under Cachar Forest Division. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 12th Aug. 2022 is discussed in detailed. Recommendation of the Divisional Forest Officer, Cachar Forest Division communicated vide letter dated 7th June 2022 & 30th Aug. 2022 is deliberated. On scrutiny of the documents it is observed that the part of the proposed mining site is adjacent to the Lumding – Silchar Road. Due deliberation is held on the proposal. After a thread bare deliberation, the committee recommended the proposal approving to *excavate 57400 cu m. river bed stone from the proposed location within 2 (two) years with the following conditions: (a) the maximum mining depth is recommended up to two (2) meters from the unmined surface (b) at least 50 meters’ distance between the proposed boundary of the mine area and Lumding – Silchar Road has to be kept as non-mining zone to avoid landslides & (c) high rise river bank should not be disturbed in course of mining operation and transportation of mining materials. The proponent is allowed to excavate 28700 cu.m. river bed stone annually strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.* The Divisional Forest Officer, Cachar Forest Division, Silchar is requested to ensure due surveillances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. The DFO, Cachar Forest Division is also requested to mark the approved mining area (as discussed above) on the ground fixing permanent boundary pillars before allowing actual mining as mining is strictly permitted within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. He will further ensure that necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

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23. Proposal asking EC for mining of Sand from “2.0 Ha Lower Dikrong (Pithaguri) Mining Permit Area (Outside The R.F.) under Lakhimpur Forest Division proposed by Sri Khagen Hazarika. SEIAA.3197/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/ 404555/2022).

SEAC Resolution 52/26:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of sand & gravel from the “2.0 Ha Lower Dikrong (Pithaguri) Mining Permit Area (Outside The R.F.)” under Lakhimpur Forest Division proposed by Sri Khagen Hazarika is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail deliberation. project area proposed 2.0 hect on the river bed. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 11th April 2022 is discussed in detailed. The NOC issued on the proposal by the Deputy Commissioner, Lakhimpur District vide letter No. LDC.48/Forest NOC/2016/81 dated 3rd April 2018 is examined. Recommendation of the concerned DFO dated 21st Oct. 2022 and 8th March 2022 is also discussed. Considering the above and after due deliberation the committee recommended the proposal approving to *excavate 1500 cu.m. river bed sand and 2000 cu.m. river bed stone from the proposed mine site within a period of 1 (one) year with the condition that the maximum mining depth is recommended up to two (2) meter from the unmined ground surface.* The proponent shall have to strictly follow all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Lakhimpur Forest Division, North Lakhimpur is requested to ensure due surveillances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. The DFO, Lakhimpur Forest Division is also requested to mark the approved mining area on the ground fixing permanent boundary pillars before allowing actual mining as mining is strictly permitted within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. He will further ensure that necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

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24. Proposal asking EC for mining of Sand from “Kolaibil River Sand Mahal on Dhansiri River Karbi Anglong” under Karbi Anglong East Forest Division proposed by Sri Nemuel Tokbi. SEIAA.3265/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/ 411414/2022).

SEAC Resolution 52/27:

The proposal asking EC for mining of Sand from the “Kolaibil River Sand Mahal on Dhansiri River Karbi Anglong” under Karbi Anglong East Forest Division proposed by Sri Nemuel Tokbi is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail deliberation. Total area of the project is 2.67 hect and the proposed area is on the river bed of Dhansiri River. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 30th Sept. 2022 is discussed in detailed. Necessary LOI issued by the concerned DFO on 23rd Aug. 2022 and recommendation of the DFO communicated vide letter dated 31st Oct. 2022 is examined and deliberated. Due deliberation is held and considering all the aspects, the committee recommended the project proposal to *excavate 6000 cu.m. river bed sand from the proposed mining area within a period of one (1) year with the condition that the maximum mining depth is permitted up to 2 (two) meters from the unmined surface.* The proponent shall have to excavate allotted 6000 cu.m. of river bed sand within one year strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Karbi Anglong East Forest Division, Diphu is requested to ensure due surveillances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. The DFO, Karbi Anglong East Forest Division is also requested to mark the approved mining area on the ground fixing permanent boundary pillars before allowing actual mining as mining is strictly permitted within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. He will further ensure that necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation

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25. Proposal asking EC for mining of ordinary earth from "2 No. Odalbakra Village Patta Land Ordinary Earth and Stone Mining Permit Area under Kamrup East Division proposed by Sri Dilip Goswami. SEIAA.3086/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/283676/2022)

SEAC Resolution 52/28:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of ordinary earth and stone from the "2 No. Odalbakra Village Patta Land Ordinary Earth and Stone Mining Permit Area" under Kamrup East Division proposed by Sri Dilip Goswami is placed before the SEAC for review, appraisal and detail discussion. Area of the proposed project is 0.30 hect in PP Land at Odalbakra Village within Kamrup Metro District. The proposed site was visited by the subcommittee of the SEAC on 12th Oct. 2022. And subsequently deliberated in the 49th SEAC meeting held on 19th NOV. 2022. Certain additional information has been sought and the proponent has furnished the required information 20th Dec. 2022. Due deliberation is held and the committee recommended the proposal approving to *extract 1000 cu.m. ordinary earth and 500 cu.m. stone from the proposed mining area within two years from the date of issuance of EC with the condition that proposed mining activities should not create any disturbance in the neighborhood. The proponent shall have to strictly follow all the terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.*

The Divisional Forest Officer, Kamrup East Forest Division, Basistha, Guwahati is requested to ensure due surveillances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. The DFO, Kamrup East Forest Division is also requested to mark the approved mining area on the ground fixing permanent boundary pillars before allowing actual mining as mining is strictly permitted within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. He will further ensure that necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation

SEIAA Resolution 45/25:

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26. Proposal asking EC for mining of Ordinary earth from "Ordinary Earth Mining Permit Area from Patta Land at Dhirerchar Pt-Ii Village.under Aie Valley Division" proposed by Zakir Ahmed. SEIAA.3130/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/250437/2022).

SEAC Resolution 52/30:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of ordinary earth from the **Ordinary Earth Mining Permit Area from Patta Land at Dhirerchar Pt-Ii Village**" under Aie Valley Forest Division" proposed by **Zakir Ahmed** is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Project area proposed 2.25 hect. the mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 21st Dec. 2021 is discussed in detail. The reply on ADS furnished by the proponent, land records etc. and recommendation of the concerned DFO communicated on 29th Dec. 2021 is also discussed in detail. Considering all the aspects the committee recommended the proposal approving to *extract 29200 cu.m. ordinary earth from the approved mining site within a period of two years' subject to the condition that the maximum mining depth is recommended up to 2 (two) meters from the unmined ground surface.* The proponent shall have to excavate **14600 cu.m. ordinary earth** from the proposed mining site **per year** strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Aie Valley Forest Division, Bongaigaon is requested to ensure due surveillances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. The DFO, Aie Valley Forest Division is also requested to mark the approved mining area on the ground fixing permanent boundary pillars before allowing actual mining as mining is strictly permitted within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. He will further ensure that necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

SEIAA Resolution 44/26:

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27. Proposal asking EC for mining of Ordinary earth from “Patta Land Ordinary Earth Mining Permit Area at Pamohi Village” under Kamrup East Division proposed by Prativa Teron. SEIAA.3237/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/ 402480/2022).

SEAC Resolution 52/31:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of ordinary earth from the “Patta Land Ordinary Earth Mining Permit Area at Pamohi Village” under Kamrup East Division proposed by Prativa Teron is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Area of the proposed project is only 0.037 hect. located at village Pamohi in the District of Kamrup Metro, Guwahati. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter No. 21st Sept. 2022 is discussed in detailed. Recommendation of the concerned DFO, and report of the JVR conducted on 19th Jan. 2022 is also discussed in detailed. Due deliberation is held and the committee after thorough deliberation recommended the project proposal approving to *extract 600 cu.m. ordinary earth from the proposed mining area within a period of 6 (six) months from the date of issuance of EC. The proponent shall have to strictly follow all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.*

The Divisional Forest Officer, Kamrup East Forest Division, Basistha, Guwahati is requested to ensure due surveillances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. The DFO, Kamrup East Forest Division is also requested to mark the approved mining area on the ground fixing permanent boundary pillars before allowing actual mining as mining is strictly permitted within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. He will further ensure that necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

SEIAA Resolution 45/27:

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28. Proposal asking EC for mining of Sand from “Disang River Sand Mining Permit Area, Jeoti Ghat” under Sivasagar Division proposed by Sri Sunmoni Buragohain. SEIAA.3195/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/403339/2022).

SEAC Resolution 52/32:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of river bed sand from the “Disang River Sand Mining Permit Area, Jeoti Ghat” under Sivasagar Division proposed by Sri Sunmoni Buragohain is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail deliberation. The project area proposed only 0.20 hect on the river bed of Disang river. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 31st March 2022 is deliberated in detailed. Recommendation of the DFO, Sivasagar Forest Division communicated vide letter dated 4th April 2022 is also examined and discussed. Considering the proposal and after detail deliberation the committee recommended to *extract 500 cu.m. river bed sand from the proposed mine area within a period of 6 (six) months with the condition that maximum mining depth is recommended up to 1.5 meters from the unmined ground surface. The proponent shall have to strictly follow all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining site.*

The Divisional Forest Officer, Sivasagar Forest Division, Sivasagar is requested to ensure due surveillances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. The DFO, Sivasagar Forest Division is also requested to mark the approved mining area on the ground fixing permanent boundary pillars before allowing actual mining as mining is strictly permitted within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. He will further ensure that necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

SEIAA Resolution 45/28:

Approved for issuance of EC as per condition laid down by SEAC.



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29. **Proposal asking EC for mining of sand and gravel from “Sukrunbari P.P. Land Mining Permit Area in Baksa Forest Division under BTC proposed by Sri Jebeswar Boro. SEIAA.3262/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/ 406163/2022).**

SEAC Resolution 52/33:

The project proposal asking EC for mining from the “Sukrunbari P.P. Land Mining Permit Area” in Baksa Forest Division under BTC proposed by Sri Jebeswar Boro is placed before the SEAC for scrutiny, appraisal and discussion. The project area is only 0.63 hect. on PP land. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 15th Oct. 2022 is discussed in detailed. The recommendation of the concerned DFO as well as the report on JVR conducted on 15th Dec. 2021 and land record certified by the Circle Officer, Jalah Revenue Circle has been discussed thoroughly. The ratio analysis report of the minable materials is also deliberated. Due deliberation is held and the committee after recommended the proposal approving to **extract 2000 cu.m. sand and 2750 cu.m. gravel from the proposed mining site within a period of two years with the condition that maximum mining depth is recommended up to 1.5 meters from the unmined ground surface. It is also recommended to extract 1000 cu m. sand and 1375 cu.m. gravel from the proposed area annually strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining site.**

The Divisional Forest Officer, Baksa Forest Division under BTC is requested to ensure due surveillances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. The DFO, is also requested to mark the approved mining area on the ground fixing permanent boundary pillars before allowing actual mining as mining is strictly permitted within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. He will further ensure that necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

SEIAA Resolution 45/29:

Approved for issuance of EC as per condition laid down by SEAC.

30. **Proposal asking EC for mining of Sand and fine aggregate from “Digaru Sand Mining Permit Area No. 5” under Kamrup East Forest Division proposed by Allied Construction. SEIAA.3239/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/ 407010/2022).**

SEAC Resolution 52/34:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of sand & fine aggregate from the “Digaru Sand Mining Permit Area No. 5” under Kamrup East Forest Division proposed by **Allied Construction** is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Project area is 2.86 hect in Digaru River. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter No. 7th Nov. 2022 is discussed in detailed. Recommendation of the concerned DFO and order dated 26th Aug. 2022 issued by the Addl, Deputy Commissioner, Kamrup Metro District and his letter dated 21st Jan 2021 is also discussed. Indent submitted by the Lt. Col. GE (AF) is also enclosed for perusal. Detailed deliberation is held on the proposal and the committee recommended approving to **extract 5000 cu.m sand and 5000 cu.m. fine aggregates (total 10000 cu.m. minable materials) from the proposed mining site within a period of one (1) year subject to the condition that the maximum mining depth is recommended up two (2) meters from the unmined surface. The proponent shall have to strictly follow all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.**

The Divisional Forest Officer, Kamrup East Forest Division, Basistha, Guwahati is requested to ensure due surveillances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. The DFO, Kamrup East Forest Division is also requested to mark the approved mining area on the ground fixing permanent boundary pillars before allowing actual mining as mining is strictly permitted within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. He will further ensure that necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

SEIAA Resolution 45/30:

Approved for issuance of EC as per condition laid down by SEAC.

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31. Proposal asking EC for mining of earth from "Earth Cutting Area at Natun Basti" under Goalpara Forest Division proposed by Abdul Mannan Ali. SEIAA.3212/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/234491/2022).

SEAC Resolution 52/35:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of ordinary earth from the "Earth Cutting Area at Natun Basti" under Goalpara Forest Division proposed by Abdul Mannan Ali is placed before the SEAC for appraisal and detail discussion. Project area proposed 0.345 hect. the mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 7th Oct. 2021 is discussed. Reply submitted by the proponent on the EDS are also deliberated. Report of the concerned DFO, report of JVR and report submitted by the concerned Revenue Circle Officer is deliberated. In the mining closure plan it is suggested to convert the proposed area into a fishery. Considering all the aspects and after due deliberation the committee recommended to *extract 3888 cu.m. ordinary earth from the proposed mining site within a period of two years' subject to the condition that the maximum mining depth is recommended up to two (2) meters from the unmined ground surface. The proponent is allowed to extract 1944 cu.m. ordinary earth per year strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan*

The Divisional Forest Officer, Goalpara Forest Division, Goalpara is requested to ensure due surveillances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. The DFO, Goalpara Forest Division is also requested to mark the approved mining area on the ground fixing permanent boundary pillars before allowing actual mining as mining is strictly permitted within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. He will further ensure that necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

SEIAA Resolution 45/31:

Approved for issuance of EC as per condition laid down by SEAC.

32. Proposal asking EC for mining of sand, gravel & boulder from "No.2 Burichatam P.P. Land Mining Permit Area" under Kachugaon Forest Division proposed by Jamal Sheikh. SEIAA.3207/2022, (SIA/AS/MIN/402487/2021).

SEAC Resolution 52/36:

The project proposal asking EC for mining of the sand, gravel & boulder from the "No.2 Burichatam P.P. Land Mining Permit Area" under Kachugaon Forest Division proposed by Jamal Hussain Sheikh is placed before the SEAC for scrutiny, appraisal and detail deliberation. project area is 0.46 hect on P.P. Land. The mining plan approved by the DGM, Assam communicated vide letter dated 26th Aug. 2022 is deliberated. Recommendation of the concerned DFO communicated vide letters dated 19th April 2022 & Circle Officer, Gossaigaon's letter dated 8th Sept 2019 relating to the land in question is discussed. The ratio estimated by sieve methods shown in the approved mining plan is examined and deliberated. Thorough deliberation is held and the committee after due discussion recommended the proposal approving to *excavate 2464 cu.m. sand; 1800 cu.m. gravel and 870 cu.m boulder from the proposed mining site within a period of 2 (two) years' subject to the condition that the maximum mining depth is recommended up to two (2) meters from the unmined ground surface. The proponent is allowed to excavate 1232 cu.m sand; 900 cu.m. gravel and 435 cu.m. boulder from the proposed mining site per year strictly following all other terms and condition laid down in the approved mining plan.*

The Divisional Forest Officer, Kachugaon Forest Division, Gossaigaon is requested to ensure due surveillances on the mining operation to avoid occurrences of irregularities during the mining period. The DFO, Kachugaon Forest Division is also requested to mark the approved mining area on the ground fixing permanent boundary pillars before allowing actual mining as mining is strictly permitted within the approved mining site and not beyond the limit of the same. He will further ensure that necessary compliance of all the terms and condition laid down in the EC be duly complied by the proponent in course of mining operation.

SEIAA Resolution 45/32:

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Item-2: Discussion on any urgent matter with the permission of the chair

33. Regularization of arrear of Shri Ram Babu Paswan, Driver w.e.f. May/22 to Dec/22 and arrear salary thereof.

SEIAA Resolution 45/33:

The matter shall be discussed in the next meeting.

The meeting came to an end with a vote of thanks from the Chair.



(Sri Pradyut Kumar Choudhury)
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