

Minutes of the 62nd Meeting of SEIAA dtd 13-7-2011

The 62nd meeting of the State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority was convened on 13th July, 2011 at 2.30 P.M at the Authority's office in M.P. Pollution Control Board Building, Paryavaran Parisar, Bhopal. The meeting was chaired by Shri Amar Singh, Chairman, SEIAA. The following members attended the meeting:-

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| 1 | Shri M. Hashim | Member |
| 2 | Shri Manohar Dubey, | Member Secretary |

1. Case No 542/10

SVC Resources Ltd, Navbharat, Udhoyg Bhawan, 2nd floor, Ring Road No.1, Telibhandha-P.O, Ravigram, Distt-Raipur CG, Iron ore beneficiation plant at village-Dhamki, Teh- Sihora, Distt-Jabalpur-M.P.

The case was discussed in 52nd SEIAA meeting dt 8-03-11 and it was recorded that - "The above case was considered in 76th meeting of SEAC and recommended for grant of Prior Environmental Clearance. The Authority while scrutinizing the documents observed following issues.

- (i) Executive summary of EIA is not submitted.
- (ii) Attested/notarized latest copy of Khasra.
- (iii) Attested/notarized copy of sale deed of land included in the project and NoC from Gram Panchayat.

Hence, it was decided by the Authority to write to the Project Proponent to submit above mentioned documents by 31st May, 2011."

The Authority has scrutinized following documents submitted by the proponent vide their letter No. nil dt 21-04-2011:

- (i) Executive summary of EIA report
- (ii) Attested copy of Khasra and,
- (iii) Attested copy of sale deed of land included in the project and NoC from Gram Panchayat.

The Authority accepted the recommendation of SEAC and decided to accord Prior Environmental Clearance to the proposed project on the condition that the proponent should ensure the plantation (in 1.15 ha) as submitted in the Executive summary of EIA and will submit six monthly progress report of plantation to the Authority.

2. Case No 242/08

M/s Om Prakash, Bhadrathia stone mine, Gwalior, M.P., Stone mine 8.00 ha. at village-Chandpara, Distt-Gwalior M.P.

The case was discussed in 51st SEIAA meeting dt 25-02-11 and recorded that - "The above case was considered in 76th meeting of SEAC and recommended for grant of Prior Environmental Clearance.

The Authority while scrutinizing the documents observed that the Project Proponent has not submitted summary EIA report as indicated in Appendix III A of notification S O 1533 dt 14th September 2006 issued by MoEF, GOI.


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Member Secretary


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Member


(Amar Singh)
Chairman

It was also observed by the Authority that the Project Proponent has not submitted an attested/notarized copy of Mining Lease and latest copy of Khasra.

Hence, it was decided by the Authority to write to Project Proponent to submit following documents by 15th May 2011:

- (i) Summary Report of EIA which should be project specific.
- (ii) Attested/notarized copy of Mining Lease
- (iii) Attested/notarized latest copy of Khasra".

In response to the decision of SEIAA the proponent has submitted information which was received in SEIAA office on 27-04-2011

The Authority has scrutinized Executive summary of EIA report and found that plantation in 2.5 ha land in 5 year period has been proposed by the proponent. The scrutiny of Khasra and mining lease documents reveals that it is Govt. land.

The Authority accepted the recommendation of SEAC and decided to accord Prior Environmental Clearance to the proposed project with the condition that plantation in 2.5 ha land in 5 year period is ensured by the Project Proponent and its progress shall be mentioned in the six- monthly report to be submitted by the proponent to the Authority.

3. Case No.255/2009

Shri Jagdish Dhaneria, 119/1 Kumawatpura, Juni-Indore M.P., Bauxite laterite ochre & clay deposit, 9.71 hact. at village Chitti, Jagir, Teh-Sirmour, Distt-Rewa-M.P.

The case was discussed in 48th SEIAA meeting dt 05-02-11 and recorded that - "The above case was considered in the 61st SEAC meeting and recommended for Prior Environmental Clearance.

The Authority while scrutinizing the documents observed that the distance of the mining lease area from inter-state boundary has not been submitted. Hence it was decided to write to the Distt. Collector asking the above information up to 31st March, 2011".


The Authority examined documents submitted by the Proponent vide letter No.Nil dt 14-03-2011, and found that information regarding distance from inter-state boundary has been submitted by the Proponent given by Divisional Forest Officer, Rewa. The Collector, Rewa, has not responded so far.

Hence, it was decided to remind the Collector by DO letter from Member Secretary, SEIAA to submit the information by 16th August, 2011.

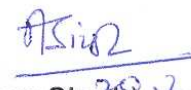
4. Case No 566/10

Office of the Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Distt-Gwalior-M.P., Gwalior Fort Ropeway project

The case was discussed in 58th SEIAA meeting dt 16-05-11 and recorded that - " The case was discussed in 49th SEIAA meeting dtd 10.02.11. The Authority observed that the EIA is not up to the mark, hence, it was decided to ask Commissioner, Municipal Corporation Gwalior to resubmit EIA which should be in specific terms and as per manual for ropeways issued by MoEF. It was also observed that no public consultation was made to finalize EIA report as prescribed by the Ministry of Environment & Forests, Gol. This prescribed formality is also to be followed."


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The project proponent has submitted restructured EIA. This is to be scrutinized by the Office of SEIAA to check if it is according to the manual. This should be placed in the next meeting of SEIAA with the scrutiny report".

The Authority has scrutinized documents submitted by the proponent and found that the proponent has not conducted public hearing for the proposed project.

Hence it was decided by the Authority to write to the project proponent to conduct public hearing for the project and submit the report within 3 months. This is the last chance failing which the case will be treated as closed. Copy of the letter should also be endorsed to Member Secretary, MPPCB.

5. Case No- 136/08

M/s Laxminarayan mining Co. Shri Shantilal Balmukund, Somani-241, Pratappur marg, Alirajpur, Jhabua M.P., Dolomite mine 8.093 ha. 4000 TPA at Vill-Panwani, Teh- Alirajpur, Distt-Jhabua- M.P.

The case was discussed in 47th SEIAA meeting dt 22-01-11 and recorded that - *"The above case was recommended by SEAC after reconsideration in their 63rd meeting on the protected areas under Wildlife Protection Act, 1972. The DFO, Alirajpur's letter no 3227 dt 06-08-10 specify the distance to be more than 10 K.M. Hence it is acceptable to the Authority.*

Since the proposed project is located in Jhabua District, which is a border district, the Authority decided to ask the Distt. Collector to specifies the distance of Mining Lease Area from the interstate boundary by 15th March, 2011 "

The Authority has scrutinized the documents received from the office of the Collector Alirajpur (vide their letter No. 95/ Mining/2011/ Alirajpur dtd 09-05-11) where in report of the office of Tehsildar is enclosed. The authority found that the interstate boundary is 25 km.

The Authority accepted the recommendation of SEAC and decided to issue Prior Environmental Clearance.

6 Policy decision for the case approached to SEIAA for NoC based on condition laid down by other regulatory authorities.

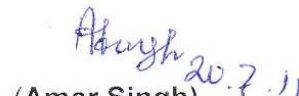
Recently M/s Dwarkadesh Haveli Builders, Carond, Bhopal have approached SEIAA (vide letter No DD/10-11/55 dt 27-05-11) for Prior Environmental Clearance for their township Project at Bhopal. The Proponent is developing Township on 21.943 ha land and the total built up area of 1,27,689.45 sq m. The Town & Country Planning has laid a condition to the project proponent to obtain NoC for environment from the concerned deptt. as per Environmental Protection Act, 1986.

As per schedule Item 8(b) of EIA notification, 2006 the Township and Area Development Projects **covering an area \geq 50 ha and or built up area \geq 1,50,000 sq m** require Prior Environmental Clearance.

The Authority decided as policy issue that in future such cases which are not in the jurisdiction (perview) of SEIAA as laid down by MoEF-Gol, EIA notification, 2006 should be directly returned to the proponent by Member Secretary.


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In this case, the copy of the letter to be sent to the proponent should be endorsed to the Director, Town & Country Planning for future guidance.

Meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair


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