

## **Minutes of the 7<sup>th</sup> SEIAA Meeting held on 12<sup>th</sup> January, 2009**

The seventh meeting of State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority was convened on 12<sup>th</sup> January.2009 at 11.30 A M at Authority's office in M.P. Pollution Control Building, Paryavaran Parisar, Bhopal chaired by Shri Subroto Banerji.

The following members attended the meeting:-

1. Shri M. Hashim, Member
2. Smt. Deepti Gaur Mukerjee, Member Secretary

(I) Following cases deferred by SEIAA for granting environmental clearance were discussed.

1. BLA Power Pvt Ltd, Teh-Gadarwara, Thermal Power Project, 84, Mokar Chamber III, Vill-Niwari, Teh-Gadarwara , Distt-Narsinghpur- M.P., **Case No.178/2008**.

The above case was recommended by SEAC for granting environmental clearance. After scrutinizing the details provided by the project proponent, it was decided in the 6<sup>th</sup> meeting to reexamine the case in the next SEIAA meeting in the light of the mandatory provisions for fly ash disposal as well as the permission given by energy deptt. to the project.

After detailed scrutiny the SEIAA came to the conclusion that this case can not be considered for Environmental clearance at this stage because of the following two issues.

(i) The Land is fully not in the possession of the project proponent. The documents submitted reveal that till date only 78 acre of land has been acquired.

SEAC may advise the project proponent to acquire/purchase the total amount of land required for the project as incomplete ownership of proposed project area would have other repercussions on the project. Hence environmental clearance can not be given at this stage.

(ii) It is proposed in the project document that the coal will be transported to plant site by road. All the trucks carrying coal will be passing through Gadarwara, which is a small town. The adverse impact on the environment due to transportation of 250 trucks of coal per day through Gadarwara town in the absence of an existing alternate route and the exact status of the proposed bye-pass also needs to be ascertained.

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The SEIAA decided to send the case back to SEAC for reconsideration on the above two points.

4. M.P. Housing Board, Gwalior , **Case No.118/2008**

The above project was considered on the ground of the building permission by the Gwalior Municipal Corporation. It is not accorded to the project proponent, till date.

Hence it was decided that this case can only be considered for environmental clearance after providing the copy of the building permission by the project proponent to the authority.

Meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the chair.

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