

The 195<sup>th</sup> meeting of the State Expert Appraisal Committee (SEAC) was held on 1<sup>st</sup> June, 2015 under the Chairmanship of Dr. R. B. Lal for discussion on the query responses submitted by the PP and the projects / issues received from SEIAA. The following members attended the meeting-

1. Dr. Mohini Saxena, Member
2. Shri K.P. Nyati, Member
3. Dr. U.R. Singh, Member
4. Dr. M.P. Singh, Member
5. Dr. Alok Mittal, Member
6. Shri Manohar K. Joshi, Member
7. Dr. Manoj Pradhan, Member
8. Shri A.A. Mishra, Secretary

The Chairman welcomed all the members of the Committee and thereafter agenda items were taken up for deliberation

1. **Case No. – 2612/2015 Shri Trilok Singh S/o Shri Chander Singh, Village & Post-Mugli, Teh.-Ashta (M.P.)-466116 Crusher Stone Quarry Lease Area - 2.00 ha., Capacity - 8,550 cum/year, at Village-Malikhedi, Teh.-Ashta, Distt. Sehore (M.P.)**

This is a case of mining of **Crusher Stone Quarry**. The application was forwarded by SEIAA to SEAC for appraisal. The proposed site is located at **Village-Malikhedi, Teh.-Ashta, Distt. Sehore (M.P.) in 2.00 ha.**, The project requires prior EC before commencement of any activity at site.

PP has submitted a copy of approved Mining Plan, letter from Mining Officer certifying the leases within 500 meters radius around the site and requisite information in the prescribed format duly verified by the DFO. PP has reported that the pit formed after mining shall be developed into a water body. Crusher is proposed in the lease area. Concerned Mining Officer vide letter no. 1028 dated: 16/4/2015 has reported that there are 02 mines operating / proposed within 500 meters around the said mine and total lease area is 6.200 ha. It was observed that the Tehsildar verified information pertaining to the nearby features has not been furnished by the PP, hence the case could not be appraised by the committee. PP was asked to submit the requisite information within 15 days. The case was deferred till then.

2. **Case No. – 2617/2015 Shri Shailendra Singh S/o Shri Yadendra Singh, Village-Bhanni, Teh.-Beohari, Distt.-Shahdol (M.P.)-484774 Basalt Stone Quarry Lease Area - 1.214 ha., Capacity - 8,820 cum/year, at Village-Bhanni, Teh.-Beohari, Distt.-Shahdol (M.P.)**

This is a case of mining of **Stone Boulder**. The application was forwarded by SEIAA to SEAC for appraisal. The proposed site is located at **-Khasra No.274/3 in -1.214 ha.** The project requires prior EC before commencement of any activity at site.

PP has submitted a copy of approved Mining Plan, letter from Mining Officer certifying the leases within 500 meters radius around the site and requisite information in the prescribed format duly verified by the Tehsildar and DFO. PP has reported that the pit formed after mining shall be developed into a water body. Crusher is proposed in the lease area.

Concerned Mining Officer vide letter no 480, dated 31-03-15, has reported that there is no mine operating / proposed within 500 meters around the said mine

Based on the submissions and the presentation made by the PP the case was recommended for grant of prior EC subject to the standard conditions\*\* with inclusion of following special conditions:

1. The production capacity shall be as per the approved Mining Plan not exceeding 8820 m<sup>3</sup> / Year and the depth of the pits shall be as per the approved mining Plan.
3. **Case No. – 2619/2015 Shri Iqbal Bhatiya Singh S/o Shri S.M.S. Bhatiya, 68, Jamindar Colony, Town & Distt.-Khargone (M.P.)-451001 Basalt Stone Quarry Lease Area - 1.00 ha., Capacity -5,700 cum/year, at Village-Putla, Teh.-Jirniya, Distt.-Khargone (M.P.)**

This is a case of mining of - *Basalt Stone*. The application was forwarded by SEIAA to SEAC for appraisal. The proposed site is located at *Khasra No.-25/2*, in -1.00 ha. The project requires prior EC before commencement of any activity at site.

PP has submitted a copy of approved Mining Plan, letter from Mining Officer certifying the leases within 500 meters radius around the site and requisite information in the prescribed format duly verified by the Tehsildar and DFO. PP has reported that the pit formed after mining shall be developed into a water body. Crusher is not proposed in the lease area. Concerned Mining Officer vide letter no. -1465, dated -18/3/15, has reported that there is no mine operating / proposed within 500 meters around the said mine. Exact distance of the project boundary from the nearest forest boundary could not be assessed from the documents furnished by the PP hence the case was deferred till submission of the same. PP was asked to submit the requisite information within 15 days.

4. **Case No. 2625/2015 – Shri Bhupendra Singh Rao, GM, M/s Mine Corp India Pvt. Ltd., 14-A, Globus City, Kolar Road, Chuna Bhatti, Bhopal (M.P.)-462016- Sand Stone Quarry Lease Area - 3.00 ha., Capacity - 46,358 cum/year, at Village-Sunnd, Teh.-Raisen, Distt.- Raisen (M.P.)**

Neither the Project Proponent (PP) nor his representative was present to explain the query which might be raised or to make any commitment which may be desired by the committee during the deliberation. Committee decided to call the PP in subsequent meetings after hearing from PP. A request has to be made by the PP for scheduling the case in coming meetings within a month's time after which the case shall be returned to SEIAA assuming that PP is not interested to continue with the project.

5. **Case No. – 2633/2015 Shri Shaswat Tantaya, Director, Shri Dhansharashti Properties Pvt. Ltd., 5/2, Russhel Street, Kolkata-71 (WB) Stone Quarry Lease Area - 1.420 ha., Capacity -7,125 cum/year) at Village-Kayadi, Tehsil-Waraseoni, District-Balaghat (MP)**

This is a case of mining of Stone Quarry. The application was forwarded by SEIAA to SEAC for appraisal. The proposed site is located at Village-Kayadi, Tehsil-Waraseoni, District-Balaghat in **1.420 ha.**, The project requires prior EC before commencement of any activity at site.

PP has submitted a copy of approved Mining Plan, letter from Mining Officer certifying the leases within 500 meters radius around the site and requisite information in the prescribed format duly verified by the Tehsildar and DFO. PP has reported that the pit formed after mining shall be developed into a water body. Crusher is proposed in the lease area. Concerned Mining Officer vide letter no. 210 dated: 23/2/2015 has reported that there are 11 more mines operating / proposed within 500 meters around the said mine and total lease area is 21.646.

Based on the submissions and the presentation made by the PP the case was recommended for grant of prior EC subject to the standard conditions\*\* with inclusion of following special conditions:

1. The production capacity shall be as per the approved Mining Plan not exceeding 7125 m<sup>3</sup> / Year and the depth of the pits shall be as per the approved Mining Plan not exceeding 12 meters.

**6. Case No. – 2636/2015 Shri Rajesh Ram Singh Yadav, Gandhi Nagar, Indore (M.P.)-455001 Murrum Quarry Lease Area - 2.00 ha., Capacity -15,276 cum/year) at Village-Bada Bangarda, Tehsil-Hatod, District-Indore (MP)**

This is a case of mining of Murrum Quarry. The application was forwarded by SEIAA to SEAC for appraisal. The proposed site is located at Village-Bada Bangarda, Tehsil-Hatod, District-Indore in **2.00 ha.**, The project requires prior EC before commencement of any activity at site.

PP has submitted a copy of approved Mining Plan, letter from Mining Officer certifying the leases within 500 meters radius around the site and requisite information in the prescribed format duly verified by the Tehsildar and DFO. Concerned Mining Officer vide letter no. 1695 dated: 15/9/2014 has reported that there is no mine operating or proposed within 500 meters around the said mine.

Based on the submissions and the presentation made by the PP the case was recommended for grant of prior EC subject to the standard conditions\*\* with inclusion of following special conditions:

1. The production capacity shall be as per the approved Mining Plan not exceeding 15276 m<sup>3</sup> / Year and the depth of the pits shall be as per the approved mining Plan.

**7. Case No. – 2639/2015 Shri Meharwan Singh S/o Shri Dev Singh, Village-Rasulpura, Tehsil-Ashta, District-Sehore (M.P.)-466116. Basalt Stone Quarry Lease Area - 4.00 ha., Capacity -17,100 cum/year, at Village- Rasulpura, Tehsil-Ashta, District-Sehore (MP)**

This is a case of mining of *Basalt Stone Quarry*. The application was forwarded by SEIAA to SEAC for appraisal. The proposed site is located at *Village- Rasulpura, Tehsil-Ashta, District-Sehore* in **4.00 ha.**, The project requires prior EC before commencement of any activity at site.

PP has submitted a copy of approved Mining Plan, letter from Mining Officer certifying the leases within 500 meters radius around the site and requisite information in the prescribed format duly verified by the Tehsildar and DFO. PP has reported that the pit formed after mining shall be developed into a water body. Crusher is proposed in the lease area. Concerned Mining Officer vide letter no. 1276 dated: 30/4/2015 has reported that there is no mine operating or proposed within 500 meters around the said mine.

It was submitted by the PP during the meeting that although application has been filed for EC with production capacity of 17100 m<sup>3</sup>/ Year, the desired production capacity based on market demand and other aspect is only 15500 m<sup>3</sup>/Year.

Based on the submissions and the presentation made by the PP the case was recommended for grant of prior EC subject to the standard conditions\*\* with inclusion of following special conditions:

1. The production capacity shall be as per the approved Mining Plan not exceeding 15500 m<sup>3</sup> / Year as desired by the PP and the maximum depth will be 12 meters.
2. A barrier zone of 7.5 meters all along the mine periphery within lease area should be left for safe and sustainable mining.

**8. Case No. – 2647/2015 Shri Shaikh Jakir S/o Shri Munshi Khan, Sabda Tarana, Shajapur (M.P.) Stone Quarry Lease Area - 0.90 ha., Capacity - 5,000 cum/year, at Village-Gadroli, Tehsil-Shajapur, District-Shajapur (MP) .**

This is a case of mining of Stone Quarry. The application was forwarded by SEIAA to SEAC for appraisal. The proposed site is located at Village-Gadroli, Tehsil-Shajapur, District-Shajapur in **0.90 ha.**,The project requires prior EC before commencement of any activity at site.

PP has submitted a copy of approved Mining Plan, letter from Mining Officer certifying the leases within 500 meters radius around the site and requisite information in the prescribed format duly verified by the Tehsildar and DFO. PP has reported that the pit formed after mining shall be developed into a water body. Crusher is not proposed in the lease area. Concerned Mining Officer vide letter no. 1023 dated: 18/12/2014 has reported that there are 03 more mines are operating/ proposed within 500 meters around the said mine and total lease area is 2.527.

Based on the submissions and the presentation made by the PP the case was recommended for grant of prior EC subject to the standard conditions\*\* with inclusion of following special conditions:

1. The production capacity shall be as per the approved Mining Plan not exceeding 5000 m<sup>3</sup> / Year.
2. At least 20 trees per year shall be planted in the buffer strip of 7.5 meters along with the mining and maintained with casualty replacement.
3. Crusher shall not be allowed in the lease area.

9. **Case No. – 2648/2015 Shri Shaikh Manjur S/o Shri Shaikh Gulab, Village-Chichli, Tehsil-Gadarwara, Narsinghpur (M.P.)-487001 Soil Quarry Lease Area - 3.00 ha.,** Capacity - 3,980 cum/year, at Village-Chichli, Tehsil-Gadarwara, District-Narsinghpur (MP).

This is a case of mining of Soil Quarry. The application was forwarded by SEIAA to SEAC for appraisal. The proposed site is located at at Village-Chichli, Tehsil-Gadarwara, District-Narsinghpur in **3.00 ha.**, The project requires prior EC before commencement of any activity at site.

PP has submitted a copy of approved Mining Plan, letter from Mining Officer certifying the leases within 500 meters radius around the site and requisite information in the prescribed format duly verified by the Tehsildar and DFO. Concerned Mining Officer vide letter no. NIL dated : 27/01/2015 has reported that there is no mine operating / proposed within 500 meters around the said mine.

Based on the submissions and the presentation made by the PP the case was recommended for grant of prior EC subject to the standard conditions\*\* with inclusion of following special conditions:

1. The production capacity shall be as per the approved Mining Plan not exceeding 3980 m<sup>3</sup> / Year.

10. **Case No. – 2649/2015 Smt. Menka Singh, Rajandra Bhawan, Rewa (M.P.)-486001.Stone Quarry Lease Area - 1.214 ha.,** Capacity - 35,027 cum/year, at Village-Pangadi Kala, Tehsil-Sirmour, District-Rewa (MP).

This is a case of mining of Stone Quarry. The application was forwarded by SEIAA to SEAC for appraisal. The proposed site is located at at Village-Pangadi Kala, Tehsil-Sirmour, District-Rewa in **1.214 ha.**, The project requires prior EC before commencement of any activity at site.

PP has submitted a copy of approved Mining Plan, letter from Mining Officer certifying the leases within 500 meters radius around the site and requisite information in the prescribed format duly verified by the Tehsildar and DFO. PP has reported that the pit formed after mining shall be developed into a water body. Crusher is not proposed in the lease area. Concerned Mining Officer vide letter no. 2046 dated: 30/12/2014 has reported that there is no mine operating / proposed within 500 meters around the said mine.

Based on the submissions and the presentation made by the PP the case was recommended for grant of prior EC subject to the standard conditions\*\* with inclusion of following special conditions:

1. The size and shape of the mine do not support the targeted production capacity hence the same has been restricted up to 10000 m<sup>3</sup>/Year instead of 35027 m<sup>3</sup>/Year). The production capacity shall therefore be as per the approved Mining Plan not exceeding 10000 m<sup>3</sup> / Year.
2. Crusher shall not be allowed in the lease area.

11. **Case No. – 2650/2015 Shri Shaikh Ahaphaj, Ward No. 12, Bhilai Road, Lanji, Balaghat (M.P.)-481222.** Stone Quarry Lease Area - 1.00 ha., Capacity - 8,000 cum/year, at Village-Purwatola, Tehsil-Lanji, District-Balaghat (MP).

This is a case of mining of Stone Quarry. The application was forwarded by SEIAA to SEAC for appraisal. The proposed site is located at Village-Purwatola, Tehsil-Lanji, District-Balaghat in 1.00 ha., The project requires prior EC before commencement of any activity at site.

PP has submitted a copy of approved Mining Plan, letter from Mining Officer certifying the leases within 500 meters radius around the site and requisite information in the prescribed format duly verified by the Tehsildar and DFO. PP has reported that the pit formed after mining shall be developed into a water body. Crusher is proposed in the lease area. Concerned Mining Officer vide letter no. 1840 dated: 22/12/2014 has reported that there is no mine operating / proposed within 500 meters around the said mine.

It was observed that the Mining Plan / EMP is lacking clarity on certain site specific components. Hence committee asked the PP to submit revised Mining Plan and EMP resolving following

- The stone to be mined out has been mentioned as Quartz at some places and as Basalt at some places, the same has to be clarified.
- The presentation reveals vegetation in the lease area which is likely to be removed during mining; inventory of the vegetation at site has to be prepared clarifying how the same shall be conserved / cleared.
- Top-Soil management has not been furnished in the Mining Plan.

12. **Case No. – 2652/2015 Smt. Madhu Tiwari, Village-Navalpur, Tehsil-Sohagpur, District-Shahdol (M.P.)-484771.** Stone Quarry Lease Area - 4.00 ha., Capacity - 25,000 cum/year) at Village-Navalpur, Tehsil-Sohagpur, District-Shahdol (MP).

This is a case of mining of Stone Quarry. The application was forwarded by SEIAA to SEAC for appraisal. The proposed site is located at Village-Navalpur, Tehsil-Sohagpur, District-Shahdol in 4.00 ha., The project requires prior EC before commencement of any activity at site.

PP has submitted a copy of approved Mining Plan, letter from Mining Officer certifying the leases within 500 meters radius around the site and requisite information in the prescribed format duly verified by the Tehsildar and DFO. PP has reported that the pit formed after mining shall be developed into a water body. Crusher is proposed in the lease area. Concerned Mining Officer vide letter no. 153 dated: 11/02/2015 has reported that there are 01 more mines operating / proposed within 500 meters around the said mine and total lease area is 5.618.

After deliberation PP was asked to submit component-wise revised EMP budget within 15 days.

13. **Case No. – 2653/2015 Smt. Sunita Gangwal W/o Shri Vipin Gangwal, M/s Toki Mine Stone Quarry Deposit, Tehsil-Manawar, District-Dhar (M.P.)-454446.** Stone Quarry Lease Area - 2.00 ha., Capacity -5,700 cum/year, at Village-Toki, Tehsil-Manawar, District-Dhar (MP)

This is a case of mining of Stone Quarry. The application was forwarded by SEIAA to SEAC for appraisal. The proposed site is located at Village-Toki, Tehsil-Manawar, District-Dhar in 2.00 ha., The project requires prior EC before commencement of any activity at site.

PP has submitted a copy of approved Mining Plan, letter from Mining Officer certifying the leases within 500 meters radius around the site and requisite information in the prescribed format duly verified by the Tehsildar and DFO. PP has reported that the pit formed after mining shall be developed into a water body. Crusher is not proposed in the lease area. Concerned Mining Officer vide letter no. 56 dated: 08/1/2015 has reported that there are 02 more mines are operating/ proposed within 500 meters around the said mine and total lease area is 6.0 ha.

Based on the submissions and the presentation made by the PP the case was recommended for grant of prior EC subject to the standard conditions\*\* with inclusion of following special conditions:

1. The production capacity shall be as per the approved Mining Plan not exceeding 5700 m<sup>3</sup> / Year with depth restriction of 6 meters.

14. **Case No. – 2655/2015 Smt. Shel Kumari Agrawal W/o Shri Shivcharan Agarwal, Village-Sastara, Post-Norojabad, Railway Station Ke Pass, District-Umaria (M.P.).** Basalt Stone Quarry Lease Area – 2.00 ha., Capacity - 8,550 cum/year, at Village-Mardari, Tehsil-Norojabad, District-Umaria (MP) .

This is a case of mining of Basalt Stone Quarry. The application was forwarded by SEIAA to SEAC for appraisal. The proposed site is located at Village-Mardari, Tehsil-Norojabad, District-Umaria in 2.00 ha., The project requires prior EC before commencement of any activity at site.

PP has submitted a copy of approved Mining Plan, letter from Mining Officer certifying the leases within 500 meters radius around the site and requisite information in the prescribed format duly verified by the Tehsildar and DFO. PP has reported that the pit formed after mining shall be developed into a water body. Crusher is proposed in the lease area. Concerned Mining Officer vide letter no. 253 dated: 29/01/2015 has reported that there is no mine operating / proposed within 500 meters around the said mine.

Based on the submissions and the presentation made by the PP the case was recommended for grant of prior EC subject to the standard conditions\*\* with inclusion of following special conditions:

1. The production capacity shall be as per the approved Mining Plan not exceeding 8550 m<sup>3</sup> / Year.
2. Garland drains and appropriate check-dams shall be constructed on the lease boundary to prevent any flow into the nearby nallah.

**15. Case No. – 2661/2015 Shri Vishal Agrawal S/o Shri Nathuramji Agrawal, Durga Chowk, Tehsil-Ghodadongri, District-Betul (M.P.)-460110. Crusher Stone Deposit Lease Area - 1.165 ha. Capacity -11,400 cum/year, at Village-Kanhawadi, Tehsil-Ghodadongri, District-Betul (MP) .**

This is a case of mining Stone Deposit. The application was forwarded by SEIAA to SEAC for appraisal. The proposed site is located at Village-Kanhawadi, Tehsil-Ghodadongri, District-Betul in **1.165 ha.**, The project requires prior EC before commencement of any activity at site.

PP has submitted a copy of approved Mining Plan, letter from Mining Officer certifying the leases within 500 meters radius around the site and requisite information in the prescribed format duly verified by the Tehsildar and DFO. PP has reported that the pit formed after mining shall be developed into a water body. Crusher is proposed in the lease area. Concerned Mining Officer vide letter no. 65 dated: 19/01/2015 has reported that there is no mine operating / proposed within 500 meters around the said mine.

Based on the submissions and the presentation made by the PP the case was recommended for grant of prior EC subject to the standard conditions\*\* with inclusion of following special conditions:

1. The production capacity shall be as per the approved Mining Plan not exceeding 11400 m<sup>3</sup> / Year.
2. Old mined-out area towards North of the site is reported to be owned by the PP, the same shall reclaimed suitably.
3. Depth of any of the pits shall not exceed 12 meters.

**16. Case No. – 2663/2015 Shri Anup Kumar Chobey, Village-Dhana, District-Sagar (M.P.)-470228. Stone Boulder Quarry Lease Area – 1.60 ha. Capacity - 6,500 cum/year, at Village-Biharikheda, Tehsil-Sagar, District-Sagar (MP) .**

This is a case of mining of *Stone Boulder Quarry*. The application was forwarded by SEIAA to SEAC for appraisal. The proposed site is located at *Village-Biharikheda, Tehsil-Sagar, District-Sagar* in **1.60 ha.** The project requires prior EC before commencement of any activity at site.

PP has submitted a copy of approved Mining Plan, letter from Mining Officer certifying the leases within 500 meters radius around the site and requisite information in the prescribed format duly verified by the Tehsildar and DFO. PP has reported that the pit formed after mining shall be developed into a water body. Crusher is proposed in the lease area. Concerned Mining Officer vide letter no. 281 dated: 15/04/2015 has reported that there is 01



more mine operating / proposed within 500 meters around the said mine and the total lease area is 3.30 Ha.

DFO in his letter no. 2297 dated 17/07/2014 has reported that the lease area is entered as 'Grazing Land' in Khasra - Paanch-Saala and has shown his concern regarding grazing pressure on the forest area. However, no clear comments have been provided by the DFO in this regard. Hence it was decided to ask the concerned DFO to provide specific comments on the issue. The case shall be further considered after the comments from DFO are received.

17. **Case No. – 2666/2015 Shri Puneet Agarwal, Director, M/s Prakash Asphaltting & Tolls Highway (I) Ltd., 76, Mall Road, Town-Mahu, Indore (M.P.)-453001. Basalt Stone Quarry Lease Area -2.262 ha., Capacity - 11,400 cum/year, at Village-Dhannad, Tehsil-Depalpur, District-Indore (MP) .**

This is a case of mining of Basalt Stone Quarry. The application was forwarded by SEIAA to SEAC for appraisal. The proposed site is located , *at Village-Dhannad, Tehsil-Depalpur, District-Indore in 2.262 ha.*, The project requires prior EC before commencement of any activity at site.

PP has submitted a copy of approved Mining Plan, letter from Mining Officer certifying the leases within 500 meters radius around the site and requisite information in the prescribed format duly verified by the Tehsildar and DFO. PP has reported that the pit formed after mining shall be developed into a water body. Crusher is proposed in the lease area. Concerned Mining Officer vide letter no. 358 dated: 07/5/2015 has reported that there are 02 more mines operating or proposed within 500 meters around the said mine and total lease area is 5.743 ha.

Scrutiny of the Mining Plan revealed following discrepancies:

- The mine is reported to be old operating mine with depth of pits varying from 10 to 15 meters, whereas, the Mining Plan has been prepared for maximum depth of 6 meters.
- The Surface plan is not matching with the actual state of mining area.

In view of above, committee asked the PP to submit revised copy of approved Mining Plan.

18. **Case No. – 2670/2015 Shri Vivek Shukla S/o Shri M.K. Shukla, 50, MIG, Govind Bhawan Colony, South Civil Line, Jabalpur (M.P.)-482004. Jamuniya Metal Stone Deposit Lease Area-2.00 ha., Capacity - 17,100 cum/year, at Village-Jamuniya, Tehsil-Jabalpur, District-Jabalpur (M.P.) .**

This is a case of mining of Metal Stone Deposit. The application was forwarded by SEIAA to SEAC for appraisal. The proposed site is located at Village-Jamuniya, Tehsil-Jabalpur, District-Jabalpur in **2.00 ha.**, The project requires prior EC before commencement of any activity at site.

PP has submitted a copy of approved Mining Plan, letter from Mining Officer certifying the leases within 500 meters radius around the site and requisite information in the prescribed

format duly verified by the Tehsildar and DFO. PP has reported that the pit formed after mining shall be developed into a water body. Crusher is proposed in the lease area. Concerned Mining Officer vide letter no. NIL dated: 13/10/2014 has reported that there is no mines operating or proposed within 500 meters around the said mine.

Scrutiny of the Mining Plan revealed following discrepancies:

- Site description with respect to the topography, existing vegetation etc. has not been provided in the Mining Plan.
- EMP is observed to be general and not site specific.

In view of above, committee asked the PP to submit revised copy of approved Mining Plan along with the site-specific EMP.

19. **Case No. – 2671/2015 Smt. Urmila Chaturvedi, M.M. Choubey Ward, Behind Chaturvedi Complex, Katni (M.P.)-483501.** *Prior Environment Clearance for approval of Rajarwara Limestone Mines Lease Area-2.902 ha., Capacity - 32,000 MTPA, at Village-Rajarwara, Tehsil-Vijayraghavgarh, District-Katni (M.P.).*

This is a case of mining of Lime Stone Mine. The application was forwarded by SEIAA to SEAC for scoping / appraisal. The proposed site is located at *Village-Rajarwara, Tehsil-Vijayraghavgarh, District-Katni in 2.902 ha.*, It was reported that this is an old operational mine. The project requires prior EC before commencement of any activity at site. The project falls under category 1(a), B-1. After deliberations committee issued following TORs in addition to the standard TOR:

- History of the Mine since beginning along with the present status of the mine.
- Production figures prior to Sept 2013 and after that till date duly verified from the concerned Mining Officer.
- Details of the measures taken for pollution Control along with the status of green area developed at site.
- Compliance of the conditions of the Consents granted by the MPPCB to be submitted with EIA.

20. **Case No. – 2672/2015 Shri Prabhat Kumar Pathak, Sr. Manager, M/s Dilip Buildcon Ltd., Chuna Bhatti, Kolar Road, Bhopal (M.P.)-462016.** *Ahirgaon Boulder Quarry Lease Area-2.00 ha., Capacity - 50,000 cum/year, at Village-Ahirgaon, Tehsil-Raghurajnar, District-Satna (M.P.).*

This is a case of mining of Boulder Quarry. The application was forwarded by SEIAA to SEAC for appraisal. The proposed site is located at *Village-Ahirgaon, Tehsil-Raghurajnar, District-Satna in 2.00 ha.*, The project requires prior EC before commencement of any activity at site.

PP has submitted a copy of approved Mining Plan, letter from Mining Officer certifying the leases within 500 meters radius around the site and requisite information in the prescribed format duly verified by the Tehsildar and DFO. PP has reported that the pit formed after

mining shall be developed into a water body. Crusher is proposed in the lease area. Concerned Mining Officer vide letter no. 246 dated: 12/03/2015 has reported that there is no mine operating or proposed within 500 meters around the said mine.

Neither the Project Proponent (PP) nor his representative was present to explain the query which might be raised or to make any commitment which may be desired by the committee during the deliberation. Committee decided to call the PP in subsequent meetings after hearing from PP. A request has to be made by the PP for scheduling the case in coming meetings within a month's time after which the case shall be returned to SEIAA assuming that PP is not interested to continue with the project.

21. **Case No. – 2675/2015 Shri Prabhat Kumar Pathak, Sr. Manager, M/s Dilip Buildcon Ltd., Chuna Bhatti, Kolar Road, Bhopal (M.P.)-462016.** Prior Environment Clearance for approval of Satri Boulder Quarry **Lease Area-2.46 ha.**, Capacity - 50,000 cum/year, at Village-Satri, Tehsil-Rampur-Baghelan, District-Satna (M.P.) .

This is a case of mining of Stone. The application was forwarded by SEIAA to SEAC for appraisal. The proposed site is located at Village-Satri, Tehsil-Rampur-Baghelan, District-Satna (M.P.) in 2.46 ha. The project requires prior EC before commencement of any activity at site.

PP has submitted a copy of approved Mining Plan, letter from Mining Officer certifying the leases within 500 meters radius around the site and requisite information in the prescribed format duly verified by the Tehsildar and DFO. PP has reported that the pit formed after mining shall be developed into a water body. Crusher is proposed in the lease area. Concerned Mining Officer vide letter no. --dated --has reported that there is no mine operating / proposed within 500 meters around the said mine.

Neither the Project Proponent (PP) nor his representative was present to explain the query which might be raised or to make any commitment which may be desired by the committee during the deliberation. Committee decided to call the PP in subsequent meetings after hearing from PP. A request has to be made by the PP for scheduling the case in coming meetings within a month's time after which the case shall be returned to SEIAA assuming that PP is not interested to continue with the project.

22. **Case No. – 2676/2015 Shri Prabhat Kumar Pathak, Sr. Manager, M/s Dilip Buildcon Ltd., Chuna Bhatti, Kolar Road, Bhopal Chandanpura Boulder Quarry Lease Area-4.00 ha.**, Capacity - 2,00,000 cum/year, at Village-Chandanpura, Tehsil-Shivpuri, District-Shivpuri (M.P.) .

This is a case of mining of Boulder Quarry. The application was forwarded by SEIAA to SEAC for appraisal. The proposed site is located at Village-Chandanpura, Tehsil-Shivpuri, District-Shivpuri in 4.00 ha.,. The project requires prior EC before commencement of any activity at site.

PP has submitted a copy of approved Mining Plan, letter from Mining Officer certifying the leases within 500 meters radius around the site and requisite information in the prescribed format duly verified by the Tehsildar and DFO. PP has reported that the pit formed after mining shall be developed into a water body. Crusher is proposed in the lease area.

Concerned Mining Officer vide letter no. 335 dated: 09/4/2015 has reported that there are no mines operating or proposed within 500 meters around the said mine.

Neither the Project Proponent (PP) nor his representative was present to explain the query which might be raised or to make any commitment which may be desired by the committee during the deliberation. Committee decided to call the PP in subsequent meetings after hearing from PP. A request has to be made by the PP for scheduling the case in coming meetings within a month's time after which the case shall be returned to SEIAA assuming that PP is not interested to continue with the project.

23. **Case No. – 2680/2015 Shri Prabhat Kumar Pathak, Sr. Manager, M/s Dilip Buildcon Ltd., Chuna Bhatti, Kolar Road, Bhopal (M.P.)-462016.** Ganesha Boulder Quarry Lease Area - 1.40 ha., Capacity - 50,000 cum/year, at Village-Ganesha, Tehsil-Rampur-Baghelan, District-Satna (M.P.) .

This is a case of mining of Boulder Quarry. The application was forwarded by SEIAA to SEAC for appraisal. The proposed site is located at Village-Ganesha, Tehsil-Rampur-Baghelan, District-Satna in 1.40 ha., The project requires prior EC before commencement of any activity at site.

PP has submitted a copy of approved Mining Plan, letter from Mining Officer certifying the leases within 500 meters radius around the site and requisite information in the prescribed format duly verified by the Tehsildar and DFO. PP has reported that the pit formed after mining shall be developed into a water body. Crusher is proposed in the lease area. Concerned Mining Officer vide letter no. -- dated: --- has reported that there are 03 more mines operating / proposed within 500 meters around the said mine and total lease area is 12.94 ha.

Neither the Project Proponent (PP) nor his representative was present to explain the query which might be raised or to make any commitment which may be desired by the committee during the deliberation. Committee decided to call the PP in subsequent meetings after hearing from PP. A request has to be made by the PP for scheduling the case in coming meetings within a month's time after which the case shall be returned to SEIAA assuming that PP is not interested to continue with the project.

24. **Case No. 2711/2015 Shri Balaji Developers Partner Shri Vikas Mitta, 301 Pukhraj Corporate, Indore.** Stone Quarry Lease Area-1.998 ha., Capacity - 40,000 cum/year, at Khasra No. 87/1/1/1, 87/1/1/2, 87/1/2/2, 87/1/2/1 & 88/1 Vill. Kevdiya, Tehsil ó Indore, Distt. Indore (M.P.).

This is a case of mining of Stone Quarry. The application was forwarded by SEIAA to SEAC for appraisal. The proposed site is located Khasra No. 87/1/1/1, 87/1/1/2, 87/1/2/2, 87/1/2/1 & 88/1 Vill. Kevdiya, Tehsil ó Indore, Distt. Indore (M.P.) in 1.998 ha., The project requires prior EC before commencement of any activity at site.

PP has submitted a copy of approved Mining Plan, letter from Mining Officer certifying the leases within 500 meters radius around the site and requisite information in the prescribed format duly verified by the Tehsildar and DFO. PP has reported that the pit formed after mining shall be developed into a water body. Crusher is proposed in the lease area.

Concerned Mining Officer vide letter no. 162 dated 19/02/2015 has reported that there are no 02 more mines are operating or proposed within 500 meters around the said mine and total lease area is 5.798 ha.

The Ralamandal Notified Protected Area is reported to be at 6.25 Km. Hence PP is required to submit a copy of the application submitted to the competent authority for wild life clearance from standing committee of National Wild Life Board / GoI.

**25. Case No. – 2681/2015 M/s Shree Sidhawali Implex Pvt. Ltd., C-268, Second Floor, Vivekanand College, Vivek Vihar, New Delhi Kharag Stone Quarry Lease Area-3.20 ha., Capacity - 40,000 cum/year, at Village-Kharag, Tehsil-Datia, District-Datia (M.P.)**

This is a case of mining of Stone Quarry. The application was forwarded by SEIAA to SEAC for appraisal. The proposed site is located at Village-Kharag, Tehsil-Datia, District-Datia in **3.20 ha.**, The project requires prior EC before commencement of any activity at site.

PP has submitted a copy of approved Mining Plan, letter from Mining Officer certifying the leases within 500 meters radius around the site and requisite information in the prescribed format duly verified by the Tehsildar and DFO. PP has reported that the pit formed after mining shall be developed into a water body. Crusher is not proposed in the lease area. Concerned Mining Officer vide letter no. 40 dated: 19/02/2015 has reported that there are 09 more mines operating / proposed within 500 meters around the said mine and the total lease area is 19.71 Ha.

In view of location of the mine and the cluster like situation in the region committee decided to consider the case under category B-1 and issue following TOR to carry out EIA / EMP in addition to the standard TOR:

- One Month Monitoring shall be conducted.
- Air monitoring shall be carried out exclusively towards the Habitation, School and temple.
- Cumulative impacts shall be worked out.
- Regional EMP shall be prepared with cost of implementation of the same.
- Evacuation plan for excavated mineral to be submitted.
- Inventory of all the mines operating or proposed in the region shall be furnished with details of lease area, product and production capacity.

**\*\*Standard conditions wherever applicable:**

1. A 7.5 Meter broad strip shall be maintained as buffer zone within the lease area all along the ML boundary.
2. The amount towards reclamation of the pit and land in MLA shall be carried out through the mining department. The appropriate amount as estimated for the activity by mining department has to be deposited with the Collector to take up the activity after the mine is exhausted.
3. PP shall be responsible for discrepancy (if any) in the submissions made by the PP to SEAC & SEIAA
4. Transportation of material shall be done in covered vehicles.

5. Necessary consents shall be obtained from MPPCB and the air/water pollution control measures have to be installed as per the recommendation of MPPCB.
6. Curtaining of site shall be done using appropriate media.
7. The proposed plantation should be carried out along with the mining and PP would maintain the plants for five years including casualty replacement.
8. Transportation shall not be carried out through forest area.
9. Appropriate activities shall be taken up for social up-liftment of the area. Funds reserved towards the same shall be utilized through Gram Panchayat.
10. PP will take adequate precautions so as not to cause any damage to the flora and fauna during mining operations.
11. The validity of the EC shall be as per the provisions of EIA Notification subject to the following: Expansion or modernization in the project, entailing capacity addition with change in process and or technology and any change in product - mix in proposed mining unit shall require a fresh Environment Clearance.

Meeting ended with thanks to the Chair.

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**[R.B. Lal, Chairman]**

**[ A. A. Mishra, Secretary ]**

**[Dr. Mohini Saxena, Member]**

**[K.P. Nyati, Member]**

**[Dr. U.R. Singh, Member]**

**[Dr. Alok Mittal, Member]**

**[Dr. Manoj Pradhan,  
Member]**

**[Dr. M.P. Singh, Member]**

**[Manohar K. Joshi,  
Member]**