

MINUTES OF STATE EXPERT APPRAISAL COMMITTEE
199th MEETING 21th June 2015

The 199th meeting of the State Expert Appraisal Committee (SEAC) was held on 21th June, 2015 under the Chairmanship of Dr. R. B. Lal. The following members attended the meeting-

1. Shri K.P. Nyati, Member
2. Shri U.R. Singh, Member
3. Shri A.A. Mishra, Secretary

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

- 1. Case No. - 2551/2014 Mr. M.S. Ajnare, Chief Engineer, Lower Narmada Projects, Narmada Bhawan Scheme, 74, C-Sector, BG, Indore-452010** Prior Environment Clearance for proposed "Narmada Malwa Gambhir Link Project" at Village-Barwah, Tehsil-Barwah, Sanwer, Ujjain, Depalpur, Ghatiya, Barnagar, Dist-Khargone (MP)

This is Irrigation project comparing lift irrigation with Net CCA of 50000 Ha. The water shall be lifted from the existing source and transported to the command area through Pipes therefore, no submergence is proposed in the project. The application was forwarded by SEIAA to SEAC for scoping so as to determine TOR to carry out EIA and prepare EMP for the project. It was submitted by the PP that since project doesn't involve any submergence and water conductor system consists of pipeline, pumping and command area, EIA study is based on secondary data and limited primary data to substantiate secondary level information. Accordingly the TOR was proposed by the proponent.

The salient features of the project along with the proposed TOR were presented by the PP and their consultants before the committee. After deliberations TOR was approved by the committee with inclusion of the following points in addition to standard TOR:

1. A detail of the source (quantum of water available, other potential users etc.) from water is envisaged to be lifted shall be furnished.
2. Sedimentation study in the pipe lines including the deposition, scaling etc.
3. How micro-irrigation technology shall be implemented in this project after the completion of the project.
4. The study area for the EIA shall include 0.5 Km area on either sides of the pipeline.
5. Management plan for dug-out material generated during laying / construction of the pipe line / structures.
6. An inventory of various features such as sensitive areas, fragile areas, mining / industrial areas, habitation, water-bodies, major roads, etc. shall be prepared and furnished with EIA.
7. An inventory of flora & fauna based on actual ground survey shall be presented.
8. As forest land is involved in the project FC stage to be clarified with supporting documents.
9. As reported that the baseline data collection has already been initiated, the same can be used in the EIA report.

The PP has conducted the EIA studies including public hearing and the same were submitted. The case was presented for the grant of EC with following details:-

Salient features of the Project:

Type of Project : Major Lift Irrigation Project

Location

▪ Lifting Point : In Khargone District, near Junction Structure of

▪ Right Bank Canal of Omkareshwar Project at RD 9.775 km.

▪ Command : In Indore & Ujjain District

River Basin

▪ Name

Lifting : Narmada Basin

Command : Gambhir & Kshipra Sub Basin of Chambal Basin

▪ Located In : Madhya Pradesh

River/ Tributaries : Narmada to Gambhir River
(Interlinking river project)

▪ Lifting Point/ Rising Main : Khargone Barwaha

▪ Command Area : Indore Sanwer
Depalpur
Ujjain Ujjain
Ghatiya
Khachrod
Barnagar

Location of Head-works

▪ Lifting Point : Barwaha village of Khargone District
(Junction structure at RD 9.775 km of Right Bank Canal)

Earthquake Zone : Zone-III (Moderate Seismic)

▪ Area to be irrigated

Kharif : 32,000 ha.

Rabi : 45,000 ha.

Summer : 1,000 ha.

Gross Irrigated area : 78,000 ha.

Intensity of irrigation : 156%

▪ Water utilization : 12.5 cumec

(for irrigation only)

Project Performance

▪ Irrigation : 50,000 ha.

Head Regulator(s): Junction Structure shall be constructed near Barwaha village of Khargone district as outlets for Left Bank Canal & Right Bank Canal

Canal System

▪ Main Canal (Piped) : Right Bank Pipe 6 75.00 km

Left Bank Pipe 6 57.50 km

▪ Purpose : Irrigation and raw water to every villages of command area

▪ Type : Pipe line (M.S. Pipe)
Disnet will be of HDPE pipe

- Flow : Piped system

Water availability

- NWDT ordered that out of the utilizable quantum of Narmada waters, Madhya Pradesh is entitled to a share of 18.25 Million Acre Feet
- Present use by Madhya Pradesh is 12 MAF
- Hence, it has been planned to divert (for drinking & irrigation purposes) a part of allocated share of water to Malwa region which is continuously facing acute problem of surface and sub surface water since decades.

Water Regime in Upper Chambal basin

- “ The Upper Chambal Sub-basin is one of the most water deficient regions in India. Per capita water availability in 2011 is 212 Cum and in 2050 it will further come down to 121 Cum.
- “ The total demand of water for domestic and industrial purposes will be doubled from existing 304 MCM to 586 MCM.
- “ Irrigation water demand will remain stagnant to about 553 MCM unless water is imported from nearby basin.
- “ The ground water resources have indicated over exploitation in most of the tehsils. As against net ground water availability of 3527 MCM, the annual draft for all purposes is 3,741 MCM.
- “ Present demand of additional water is being mined from ground water resources which are causing depletion of ground water table. This situation will go on worsening with the passage of time as demand will increase to an unmanageable state as there will not be usable ground water left.
- “ To further arrest depletion of ground water resources and for providing at least 15% of existing area irrigated mostly by ground water and considering all other demands, total water requirement will be 5317 MCM in 2050 scenario. Hence, at 75% dependability water deficit is 2661 MCM and that at 50% dependability is 749 MCM.
- “ At least 2661 MCM water will be required to be provided additionally. The study indicates that additional demand for water can only be met by bringing additional water from nearby basins/sub-basins.

As the project involves forest land, the PP has furnished a copy of the application submitted to the competent authority for clearance under FCA.

After deliberations, the submissions and presentation made by the PP were found to be satisfactory and acceptable hence the case was recommended for grant of prior EC subject to the following special conditions:

- It being a major lift irrigation project which involves the lifting of water through water pumps, a contingency plan (in case of failure of pumps) should be in place. It was informed by PP during presentation that only three to four pumps out of seven will be operated at a time. Thus it was decided that rest three will be kept operational during emergency as contingency plan.
- PP should explore the possibility of getting the farmers crop insured against crop failure in case of any breakdown in the irrigation system.
- PP should explore the possibility of energy conservation as about 85 MW of power will be used for water pumping & other activities.
- The project involves irrigation through techniques such as drip and sprinkler system. PP should also explore the possibility of root irrigation system. All the relevant farmers should also be trained for root/drip/sprinkler type of irrigation systems.

- SCADA system is proposed for detection leakages in pipelines. PP should explore the possibility of galvanizing the water pipeline other than proposed epoxy coatings.
- Dug out top soil should be used either for plantation or should be spread on farmers field with their consent.
- Adequate corridors should be provided for free movement of animals in identified areas in consultation with forest department.
- A minimum of Rs. 40 Cr. (ie about 2% of the project cost) be earmarked for implementation of EMP. Of this 30% ie Rs. 12.00 Cr. to be utilized for plantation. The balance can be utilized for other CSR related activities such as Health, Field Training & Extension for farmers of the affected areas, incentives for soil & Water conservation, Development & Maintenance of animal corridors, Providing water source to wild animals in the area, Environmental monitoring etc.
- In public hearing by and large the people have supported the project. The commitments given during public hearing should be ensured by the PP.
- As the project involves forest area also, necessary clearance under FCA will be obtained by PP from MoEF&CC, Govt. of India.

2. **Case No. – 3039/2015 Shri Deepak Choudhary, Jawahar Gali No. 7, Sendhwa, Barwani (M.P.)-451666 Sand Quarry Lease Area - 5.00 Ha., Capacity - 12,573 cum/year, at Khasra No.- 705, Vill.-Dondwada, Teh.-Niwali, District-Barwani (M.P.)**

This is a case of mining of Sand Quarry. The application was forwarded by SEIAA to SEAC for appraisal. The proposed site is located at Khasra No.- 705, Vill.-Dondwada, Teh.-Niwali, District-Barwani (M.P.). in 5.00 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 1000 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. 267 dated 31/3/2015 has reported that there is no mine operating or proposed within 1000 meters around the said mine.

The EMS and other submissions made by the PP were found to be satisfactory and acceptable. Thus committee decided to recommend **the case for grant of prior EC subject to the following special conditions:**

1. The amount towards reclamation of the 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.
2. PP shall be responsible for discrepancy (if any) in the submissions made by the PP to SEAC & SEIAA.
3. Plantation shall be carried out on the banks for stabilization of the banks.
4. Abstraction of sand shall be as per the approved Mining Scheme but not exceeding 12,573 m³ in a year and the depth of mining shall be restricted to 3m or water level, whichever is less.
5. Mining shall be carried only between 1st October to 31st May i.e. during non-monsoon period that too from the left bank on south side.
6. Transportation of sand shall not be carried out through forest area.
7. The mining activity shall be done manually.
8. Heavy vehicles shall not be allowed on the banks for loading of sand.

9. The sand shall be transported by small trolleys up to the main transport vehicle.
10. Transport vehicles will be covered with tarpauline to minimize dust/sand particle emissions.
11. For carrying out mining in proximity to any bridge and/or embankment, appropriate safety zone of 1 Km on upstream as well as on downstream from the periphery of the mining site shall be ensured taking into account the structural parameters, location aspects, flow rate, etc., and no mining shall be carried out in the safety zone.
12. No in stream mining shall be allowed.
13. The mining shall be carried out strictly as per the approved mining plan and ensure that the annual replenishment of sand in the mining lease area is sufficient to sustain the mining operations at levels prescribed in the mining plan.
14. Established water conveyance channels should not be relocated, straightened, or modified.
15. If the stream is dry, the excavation must not proceed beyond the lowest undisturbed elevation of the stream bottom, which is a function of local hydraulics, hydrology, and geomorphology.
16. After mining is complete, the edge of the pit should be graded to a 2.5:1 slope in the direction of the flow.
17. PP shall take Socio-economic activities in the region through the Gram Panchayat.
18. EC will be valid for mine lease period subject to a ceiling of 5 years.

3. Case No. – 2941/2015 Shri Kale Khan S/o Shri Aalam Khan, 206, Sector-A, Indra Vihar Colony, Airport Road, Lalghati, Bhopal (M.P.)-462036 Sand Quarry Lease Area - 5.30 Ha., Capacity - 70,000 cum/year, at Khasra No. 6 157, 158 Vill.-Sirsona, Teh.-Karaira, District-Shivpuri (M.P.)

This is a case of mining of Sand Quarry. The application was forwarded by SEIAA to SEAC for appraisal. The proposed site is located at Khasra No. 6 157, 158 Vill.-Sirsona, Teh.-Karaira, District-Shivpuri (M.P.) in 5.30 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 1000 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. 341 dated 9/4/2015 has reported that there is no mine operating or proposed within 1000 meters around the said mine.

The EMS and other submissions made by the PP were found to be satisfactory and acceptable. Thus committee decided to recommend **the case for grant of prior EC subject to the following special conditions:**

1. The amount towards reclamation of the 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.
2. PP shall be responsible for discrepancy (if any) in the submissions made by the PP to SEAC & SEIAA.
3. Plantation shall be carried out on the banks for stabilization of the banks.
4. Abstraction of sand shall be as per the approved Mining Scheme but not exceeding 70000 m³ in a year and the depth of mining shall be restricted to 2m as per approved mining plan or water level, whichever is less.
5. Mining shall be carried only between 1st October to 31st May i.e. during non-monsoon period.

6. Transportation of sand shall not be carried out through forest area.
7. The mining activity shall be done manually.
8. Heavy vehicles shall not be allowed on the banks for loading of sand.
9. The sand shall be transported by small trolleys up to the main transport vehicle.
10. Transport vehicles will be covered with tarpoline to minimize dust/sand particle emissions.
11. For carrying out mining in proximity to any bridge and/or embankment, appropriate safety zone of 1 Km on upstream as well as on downstream from the periphery of the mining site shall be ensured taking into account the structural parameters, location aspects, flow rate, etc., and no mining shall be carried out in the safety zone.
12. No in stream mining shall be allowed.
13. The mining shall be carried out strictly as per the approved mining plan and ensure that the annual replenishment of sand in the mining lease area is sufficient to sustain the mining operations at levels prescribed in the mining plan.
14. Established water conveyance channels should not be relocated, straightened, or modified.
15. If the stream is dry, the excavation must not proceed beyond the lowest undisturbed elevation of the stream bottom, which is a function of local hydraulics, hydrology, and geomorphology.
16. After mining is complete, the edge of the pit should be graded to a 2.5:1 slope in the direction of the flow.
17. PP shall take Socio-economic activities in the region through the Gram Panchayat.
18. EC will be valid for mine lease period subject to a ceiling of 5 years.

4. Case No. 2934/2015 Shri Shreeji Infrastructure India Pvt. Ltd., R/o 1180, University Road, South Civil Line, Panchedi, Tehsil Distt. Jabalpur Stone (Gitti) Quarry lease Area = 4.00 Ha. Capacity of 1,50,000 Cu.m./Year at Khasra No. 311, Gunal Khalsa, Ujjain (M.P.)

This is a case of mining of Stone (Gitti). The application was forwarded by SEIAA to SEAC for appraisal. The proposed site is located at Khasra No. 311, Gunal Khalsa, Ujjain (M.P.) 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 not proposed in the lease area. Concerned Mining Officer vide letter no. 1261 dated 27/04/2015 has reported that there are two mines operating or proposed within 500 meters around the said mine and the total area is 10.00 ha.

The EMS and other submissions made by the PP were found to be satisfactory and acceptable, hence committee decided to recommend the case for grant of prior EC subject to the following special conditions:

1. 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.

2. The mined out pits shall be developed into water body being appropriately fenced and with safe stairway.
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 pollution control measures for crusher have to be installed as per the recommendation of MPPCB.
6. Permission / NOC shall be obtained from Gram Panchayat for lifting water from the village resources and shall be furnished to MPPCB while obtaining necessary consents under the provisions of Air / Water consents.
7. Curtaining of site shall be done using appropriate media.
8. Production of stone boulder shall be as per the mining plan not exceeding 1,50,000 Cu.m./Year and maximum average depth of pits shall be as per the approved mining plan.
9. The proposed plantation should be carried out along with the mining and PP would maintain the plants for five years including casualty replacement.
10. Transportation shall not be carried out through forest area.
11. Appropriate activities shall be taken up for social up-liftment of the area. Funds reserved towards the same shall be utilized through Gram Panchayat.
12. PP will take adequate precautions so as not to cause any damage to the flora and fauna during mining operations.
13. 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.

Discussion on the Cases received for review from SEIAA

1. **Case No. - 669/2012 Sh. Pawan Kumar Ahluwalia, M.D. , M/s K.J. S. Cement Ltd., N.H.-7, Village- Amiliya, Lakhwar Tehsil - Maihar, Distt. - Satna(M.P.) Bhatia Limestone Mine at Khasra No 1014, 1015, 1029, 1031, etc. Village – Bhatiya, Tehsil – Maihar, Distt.- Satna (M.P.) Capacity - 5.0 lacs TPA, Lease Area - 45.888 ha.**

In 185th Meeting of SEIAA dt. 27/02/15, it was pointed out that adverse comments on safety of nearby habitation and school have been recorded in the Public Hearing and subsequently SEIAA has asked SEAC to comment specifically on the same vide letter no. 415 dated 23/04/15.

The Public Hearing issues were dealt in the SEAC meeting in detail. The issue regarding safe distance of habitation and school from the project site raised by one of the residents was discussed; it was observed by the committee that the PP in presence of Local administration has responded that the said mine is about 300 meters & no damages to people & their property has been reported by this mine during previous operation. Committee is of the view that as most of the affected residents are being benefited by the project and also local administration has not commented on the adverse issue raised in the public hearing, the case may be considered for grant of prior EC. PP has already submitted the details & commitment for the above vide letter no. 157 dated 24/04/15.

2. **Case No. - 670/2012 - Sh. Pawan Kumar Ahluwalia, M.D. , M/s K.J. S. Cement Ltd., N.H.-7, Village- Amiliya, Lakhwar Tehsil - Maihar, Distt. - Satna(M.P.) Barahia Limestone Mine at Khasra No. 229 - 250, 344-359, 364-380, 411, etc Village – Barahia, Tehsil – Maihar, Distt.- Satna (M.P.) Capacity- 30,000 TPA , Lease Area – 7.102 ha.**

In 184th Meeting of SEIAA dt. 26/02/15, it was pointed out that adverse comments on safety of nearby habitation and school have been recorded in the Public Hearing and subsequently SEIAA has asked SEAC to comment specifically on the same vide letter no. 953 dated 14/05/15.

The Public Hearing issues were dealt in the SEAC meeting in detail. Objections which have been raised in Public Hearing have been responded by the PP. Local administration has not commented on the adverse issue raised in the public hearing. It is noteworthy to state that this mine is about 50 meters from the other mine mentioned as case no. 669/12 hence all observations made are applicable to this project also. Committee is of the view that as most of the affected residents are being benefited by the project and also local administration has not commented on the adverse issue raised in the public hearing. Hence the case may be considered for grant of prior EC. PP has already submitted the details & commitment for the above vide letter no. 156 dated 21/04/15.

3. Case No. - 2324/2014 Shri Kunj Bihari Pandey (Owner) S/o Shri Krishan Mohan Pandey, Kathvariya, Tehsil-Gunor, Panna (MP)-488333 Prior Environment Clearance for approval of proposed Farshi Patthar Quarry in an area of 1.00 ha. at Village-Jaitpura, Tehsil-Pawai, District-Panna (MP)

In 197th Meeting of SEIAA, it was pointed out that DFO in its certificate has reported that the forest boundary is 160 meters from the project site which is to be re-checked.

The case was discussed in the meeting on the observations made by the SEIAA and also the submissions made by the PP vide letter dated 21/05/215.

PP has submitted that the mine is within 250 m (160 meter) from the nearest forest boundary but is in operation since 2007 hence the NOC from the state level committee is not required in the case. Thus as per the point no 4 of the certificate, (please refer annexure-3 of OM issued by SEIAA vide letter no. 2366 dated 06/02/2013) if the mining lease is sanctioned between 07/10/2002 to 29/08/2008, the NOC of Jila Panchayat is to be obtained. PP has submitted that their case was presented before a committee constituted for this purpose in collector office and on the basis of the recommendations of committee, approval was given by Mining officer vide their letter no. 2305 dated 01/11/2007. On the basis of above submissions made by the PP, the case may be considered for the grant of EC and the conditions stipulated by the Mining officer in letter no 2305 dated 01/11/2015 may also be incorporated in the EC.

4. Case No. - 2253/2015 - Shri Shailendra Parihar S/o Shri Devendra Parihar, 78, Jawahar Nagar, Neemuch (MP)-458441 Alhed Stone Quarry Lease Area -0.94ha., at Khasra No. -848/1, Village-Alhed, Tehsil-Manasa, District-Neemuch (MP) Capacity- 6000 Cu.mt./Year.

The case was discussed in 194th SEIAA meeting. The cumulative area including the area of this mine is 25.813 ha., hence in view of cluster of more than 25 Ha EIA has to be carried out as per the MoEF OM J-13012/12/2013-iA-II(I) dtd. 24.12.2013. (Cat. B1 Project).

The case was discussed in the meeting. PP has submitted a reply (which is addressed to SEIAA) with reference to the minutes of SEIAA 194th meeting and the soft copy of above reply dated 27.05.2015 is also mailed to SEAC which states that

“Actually there are only 6 other mining leases situated within a radius of 500 meters from Alhad Stone quarry project of Sh. Shalendra Parihar. The cumulative area of all those (6) mining project is 13.800 Hectares. After adding the area of the mining project under reference (0.940 Hectare) the total area comes to 14.740 Hectares. While issuing the earlier certificate dated 19.12.2014 the Mining Officer mentioned the number of mining projects located within Manasa Tehsil”.

The PP has also enclosed the revised letter no. 492 dated 21/05/15 of mining officer stating six more mines in 500 meter with total cumulative area of 14.740 Ha which is different from the earlier record.

Now as per the revised certificate issued by the mining officer the area is now less than 25 ha., hence considering the project as category B-2, the case may therefore be considered for grant EC as per the previous recommendations of SEAC in 175th meeting dated 25.02.2015.

5. **Case no. 682/2012 Ku. Bharti Parwani, Vishnu Heights of M/s Jitesh Estate Pvt. Ltd., 141, Mezzanine Floor, City Trade Centre, Malviya Nagar, Bhopal (M.P.) – 462003-** Vishnu Heights of M/s Jitesh Estate Pvt. Ltd. at Part of Khasra no. of 24/1/3,14/3 and 14/5/1 Village ó Bawdia kalan, Teh. ó Huzur, Distt. ó Bhopal (M.P.) Total Land Area ó 2.634 ha. , Total Built Up Area ó 79595.35 sq mt. for Residential Building, Club House and School.

The case was discussed in 195th SEIAA meeting dated 20.04.15 and was sent back to SEAC vide their letter no 1528 dated 01.06.15 to appraise the case along with the reply/information submitted by PP to SEIAA on dated 15.04.15

The case was discussed in the meeting and it was decided that since the case pertains to 2012, the inspection of the site be carried out by SEAC to ascertain any construction activity on the site.

6. **Case No. 820/2012 - M/s Naman Equipments & Construction (India) Pvt. Ltd. , 115 Diamond Trade Centre, Diamond Colony, Indore (M.P.) " Nariman Point" of M/s Naman Equipments & Equipments & Construction (India) Pvt. Ltd. Khasra No. 101/2/1/1, 104/1, 104/2, etc Village – Pipliya, Tehsil& Distt.- Indore (M.P.) Total Land Area – 18,890.00 Sq.m., Total Built-up Area – 25,132.**

The case was discussed in 195th SEIAA meeting dated 20/04/2015 and information regarding query reply presented before SEAC is sought from SEAC.

The case was discussed and it was decided to call PP for discussion on queries raised by SEAC.

7. **Case No. 490/2009- M/S Reliance Industries Ltd. Block 6-D, 2nd floor, Reliance Park, Thane-Belapur Road, Gansoli Navi Mumbai (M.S)- EIA Presentation 100MW(2x50MW) Shahdol Coal Bed Methane (CBM)Gas Based Power Plant at Village- Hadaha near Shahdol Town adjacent NH-78 Distt-Shahdol (M.P). TOR issued by letter no.146 dated 18/02/2010.**

The case was discussed in 195th SEIAA meeting dated 20/04/2015 and information regarding query reply presented before SEAC is sought from SEAC.

The case was discussed and it was decided to call PP for discussion on queries raised by SEAC.

8. **Case No. - 2350/2015 Shri Dinesh Moolchandani, Director, M/s Paras Housing (India) Pvt. Ltd. , 243-B, Zone-1, M.P. Nagar, Bhopal-462011 (MP) Group Housing Project "Urbane Park" at Village-Bawadiakalan, Tehsil-Huzur, District-Bhopal (M.P.) at Khasra No. – 98, 99, 100, 101, 495/98, 102/1, 107, Total Project Area – 13587.30 Sq.m., Total Built up Area- 21332.70 Sq.m.**

The case was discussed in 196th. SEIAA meeting. SEIAA vide its letter no. 1534 dated 01/06/2015 wrote SEAC to submit the report on the basis of site visit to ascertain the construction already under taken and the present status of the project along with photographs. Clear recommendation should be given whether construction activity has been stopped or still going on.

The case was discussed in the meeting and it was decided to carry out the site visit by SEAC members as desired by SEIAA.

9. **Case no. 1818/2014 Shri Nirmal Somani S/o Shyam Sunder Somani, Town & District-Alirajpur (MP).** Prior Environment Clearance for approval of proposed River Sand Quarry in an area of 05.520 ha. at Village-Choti Wegalgaon, Tehsil-Sondhwa, District-Alirajpur (MP).

The case was discussed in 177th SEIAA meeting. SEIAA vide letter no. 2783 dated 03/03/15 has requested the committee to assess impact of proposed mining activity on the Barrage which is about 370 m.

The case was discussed and it was decided to carryout inspection of the site by SEAC members to assess impact of proposed mining activity on the Barrage.

10. **Case No. - 2298/2014 Shri Arjun Singh Chouhan S/o Shri Soman Singh Chouhan, Village-Doulatganj, Tehsil-Taal, District-Ratlam (MP)** 2805 dt. 27-12-2014 *Basalt Stone Quarry Lease Area –2.00 ha., at Khasra No. –04, Capacity-11400Cu.mt./Year, Village-Kharwakalan, Tehsil-Taal, District-Ratlam (MP)*

The case was discussed in 198th SEIAA meeting. SEIAA vide its letter no 1886 dated 10/06/15 wrote SEAC to review the case on the basis of representation submitted by the PP.

The case was discussed and it was decided to call the PP for reappraisal of the project with respect to the presentation and documents submitted by the PP to SEIAA.

11. **Case No. – 2307/2014 Giriraj Bhalot S/o Shri Vishnu Prasad Bhalot, Govindpura, Tehsil – Nalkheda Distt. Agar Malwa (MP) (M-7725074640)** Basalt Stone Quarry Lease Area – 2.0 ha., at Khasra No.- 1480, Lease Period Ten Year at Village- Nilkheda, Tehsil ó Agar Malwa (MP), Capacity ó 11400 Cum/Year.

The case was discussed in 198th SEIAA meeting. SEIAA vide its letter no 1892 dated 10/06/15 wrote SEAC to review the case on the basis of representation submitted by the PP.

The case was discussed and it was decided to call the PP for reappraisal of the project with respect to the presentation and documents submitted by the PP to SEIAA.

12. **Case No. – 2291/2014 & Case No. – 2292/2014**

With reference to the SEIAA letter no. 1381 dated 27.05.15 file of the project under Case No. 2292/2014 was returned by SEIAA after scrutiny over there. Discrepancy was pointed out by SEIAA in the Case No and the project details of these cases registered as 2291/14 and 2292/14. On examining the project file and the proceedings of the 177th meeting of SEAC dated 23/03/2015 it was observed that due to typographic error the details of the two projects were quoted wrongly. Hence it was decided to amend the said minutes. Accordingly the details and recommendation for the said two cases may be read as follows:

Case No. – 2291/2014 Smt. Anita Patel, Village – Panjra Post – Mugwani, Distt. Narsinghpur - Metal Stone Quarry Lease Area –2.0. Lease Period Ten Years at Khasra No.ó143/1, 143/2 at Village-Panjra, Tehsil ó Narsinghpur, Distt. Narsinghpur (MP) Capacity ó 44460 Cu.mt./Year. Application forwarded by SEAC by SEIAA vide letter no. 2791/SEIAA/14 dated: 26/12/2014

This is a case of mining of stone bolder.The application was forwarded by SEIAA to SEAC for appraisal. The proposed site is located at Village- Panjra, Tehsil ó Narsinghpur, Distt. Narsinghpur (MP) in 2.0 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 & DFO. It was reported by the concerned Mining Officer of mining department vide letter no.10216 dated 28/11/2014, that there is no mine operating / proposed within 500 meter radius around the said mine. PP has reported that the pit formed after mining shall be developed into a water body.

The EMS and other submissions made by the PP were found to be satisfactory and acceptable, hence committee decided to recommend the case for grant of prior EC subject to the following special conditions:

1. Production of stone boulder shall be as per the mining plan not exceeding 44460 m³/Year and maximum average depth of pits shall not exceed 12 meters.
2. Other conditions as recommended earlier remain unaltered.

Case No. – 2292/2014 Shri Sher Mohammad S/o Shri Nisar Ahmad, Village – Sagore, Tehsil & District - Dhar Stone Quarry Lease Area –2.0. Lease Period Ten Years at Khasra No.61049 at Village- Kheda, Tehsil 6 Dhar, Distt. Dhar (MP) Capacity 6 6300 Cu.mt./Year. Application forwarded by SEAC by SEIAA vide letter no. 2793/SEIAA/14 dated: 26/12/2014

This is a case of mining of stone bolder. The application was forwarded by SEIAA to SEAC for appraisal. The proposed site is located at Village- Kheda, Tehsil 6 Dhar, Distt. Dhar (MP) 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 & DFO. It was reported by the concerned Mining Officer of mining department vide letter no. nil dated 31/10/2014, that 04 mines are operating / proposed within 500 meter radius around the said mine and total lease area is 13.0 Ha. PP has reported that the pit formed after mining shall be developed into a water body.

The EMS and other submissions made by the PP were found to be satisfactory and acceptable, hence committee decided to recommend the case for grant of prior EC subject to the following special conditions:

1. Production of stone boulder shall be as per the mining plan not exceeding 6300 m³/Year.
2. Other conditions as recommended earlier remain unaltered.

Meeting ended with thanks to the Chair and the Members.

[R.B. Lal, Chairman]

[Dr. U.R. Singh, Member]

[K.P. Nyati, Member]

[A.A. Mishra, Secretary]