

Minutes of the 319th Meeting of SEIAA dated 20.04.2016

The 319th meeting of the State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority was convened on 20.04.2016 at the Authority's Office in Environmental Planning and Co-Ordination Organization (EPCO), Paryavaran Parisar, Bhopal. The meeting was chaired by Shri Waseem Akhtar, Chairman, SEIAA. The following member attended the meeting:-

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| 1 | Shri H.S. Verma | Member |
| 2 | Shri Ajatshatru Shrivastava | Member Secretary |

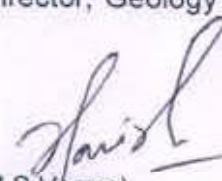
A. Following mining cases received from SEAC and case of query response have been considered:-


S.N	Case No.	Category	No. & date of latest SEAC
1.	1252/2013	1(a) B2	13 th SEAC-II meeting dtd 21.03.2016
2.	878/2012	1(a) B2	09 th SEAC-II meeting dtd 24.02.2016
3.	4550/2015	1(a) B2	17 th SEAC-II meeting dtd. 06.04.2016
4.	2842/2015	1(a) B2	17 th SEAC-II meeting dtd. 06.04.2016
5.	2931/2015	1(a) B2	17 th SEAC-II meeting dtd. 06.04.2016
6.	2312/2014	1(a) B2	17 th SEAC-II meeting dtd. 06.04.2016
7.	3924/2015	1(a) B2	17 th SEAC-II meeting dtd. 06.04.2016
8.	4168/2015	1(a) B2	17 th SEAC-II meeting dtd. 06.04.2016
9.	3271/2015	1(a) B2	17 th SEAC-II meeting dtd. 06.04.2016
10.	4206/2015	1(a) B2	17 th SEAC-II meeting dtd. 06.04.2016
11.	4219/2015	1(a) B2	17 th SEAC-II meeting dtd. 06.04.2016
12.	5120/2015	1(a) B2	17 th SEAC-II meeting dtd. 06.04.2016
13.	709/2012	1(a)	17 th SEAC-II meeting dtd. 06.04.2016
14.	99/2008	1(a)	17 th SEAC-II meeting dtd. 06.04.2016
15.	1409/2013	1(a)	17 th SEAC-II meeting dtd. 06.04.2016

1. **Case No. 1252/2013**, Prior Environmental Clearance for **Marble Mine** (Open Cast Mechanized Method) in an area 4.96 ha. for proposed production capacity of 33,340 TPA at Khasra no. 10, 15, 16/1, 16/2, & 25 at Village - Chhapra, Tehsil - Bahoriband, Dist - Katni by M/s. D.M. Marble, 2-D, Bhupalpura, Udaipur (Rajasthan).

- (1) The case was recommended in 13th SEAC -II meeting dtd 21.03.2016 with 13 special conditions.
- (2) The case was discussed in 310th SEIAA meeting dtd 30.03.2016. Thereafter, PP/Consultant made a presentation on all aspects of the project and all concerned issues were discussed in details.
- (3) It was noted that the criteria of inter-state boundary is not applicable as mining site falls in Bahoriband Tehsil of District - Katni, National Park/Sanctuary is not located within 10 km radius. Hence, the General Condition is not attracted.
- (4) Mining plan is approved by the Director, Geology & Mining (vide Letter. No. 2964 dtd. 18.02.2013).


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- (5) The proposed plantation program was examined and it was found that 1650 trees covering an area of 1.65 ha shall be planted during the lease period.
- (6) It was also noted that the Public Hearing was carried out on 20.11.2015 at mine site, Village - Chapra, Tehsil- Bahoriband, Distt. – Katni (MP) under the Chairmanship of ADM, Katni.
- (7) After detailed discussions and perusal of recommendations of 13th SEAC -II meeting dtd 21.03.2016, presentation made by the PP in SEIAA & SEAC, it was decided to accept the recommendation of SEAC for grant of prior EC to the project **subject to the following specific conditions:**
 - I. Before commencing any mining activity fencing of the entire area shall be carried out.
 - II. Garland drain alongwith settling tank shall be constructed all around the mine.
 - III. Plantation of 500 plants shall be carried out during the monsoon.
 - IV. Proper pipeline should be installed for watering of plants.
 - V. Proper infrastructure with toilet facility shall be developed for the labourers.
 - VI. Under CSR activity in addition to the proposed activities following activities should be added.
 - a) Providing sanitation facilities and clean drinking for the schools near the mine site in consultation with Collector, Katni.
 - b) Skill upgradation programme for the villagers of nearby villages.
 - c) Sanitation activities including construction of individual toilets for local residents in consultation with village Panchayat.
 - d) Drinking water facilities for villagers of nearby villages.
 - e) Installation of rainwater harvesting structure.
 - VII. The appropriate budget provision shall be made for the CSR activities.


Hence, Prior Environmental Clearance is granted for **Marble Mine** (Open Cast Mechanized Method) in an area 4.96 ha. for proposed production capacity of 33,340 TPA at Khasra no. 10, 15, 16/1, 16/2, & 25 at Village - Chhapra, Tehsil – Bahoriband, Dist - Katni (MP), **for the lease period** to M/s. D.M. Marble, 2-D, Bhupalpura, Udaipur (Rajasthan).

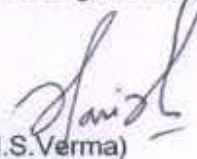
2. **Case No. 878/2012**, Prior Environmental Clearance for **Marble Mine** (Open Cast Mechanized Method) in an area 3.36 ha. for proposed production capacity of 21456 cum/year at Khasra no. 168 & 178 at Village - Chhapra, Tehsil – Bahoriband, Dist - Katni by M/s. Laxmi Marble Industries through Shri rajendra Sharma, General Manager, R.M. Lohiya ward , 08 Satyam Compound, Nadi Paar, Katni (M.P.).


- (1) The case was recommended in 09th SEAC -II meeting dtd 24.02.2016 with 13 special.
- (2) The case was discussed in 235th SEIAA meeting dtd 08.09.2015 and it was recorded that

"The case was discussed in 213th SEAC meeting 08.08.2015 and it was recorded:-

"TOR validity January 2015. May be delisted".


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Since the PP has not submitted the EIA Report within the stipulated period, the case is hereby delisted. Accordingly PP and other concerned may be informed."

- (3) The case was again discussed in 243rd SEIAA meeting dtd 28.09.2015 and it was recorded that
- "After detailed discussion and perusal of the recommendation of 235th SEIAA meeting dtd. 08.09.2015, the case was delisted as ToR validity had expired in Jan. 2015. PP has submitted a representation vide letter dtd. 21.09.2015 for re-listing the case. It is decided to re-list the case and send the case file to SEAC alongwith PP's representation for appraisal. Copy to PP & all concerned. "*
- (4) The case was then discussed in 308th SEIAA meeting dtd 26.03.2016 and PP/Consultant was invited for presentation. Thereafter, PP/Consultant made a presentation on all aspects of the project and all concerned issues were discussed in details.
- (5) It was noted that the criteria of inter-state boundary is not applicable as mining site falls in Bahoriband Tehsil of District - Katni, National Park/Sanctuary is not located within 10 km radius. Hence, the General Condition is not attracted.
- (6) Mining plan is approved by the Director, Geology & Mining (vide Letter. No. 8900 dtd. 15.06.2012).
- (7) The proposed plantation program was examined and it was found that 1507 trees covering an area of 1.3938 ha shall be planted during the lease period.
- (8) It was also noted that the Public Hearing was carried out on 18.09.2015 at mine site, Village - Chapra, Tehsil- Bahoriband, Distt. - Katni (MP) under the Chairmanship of ADM, Katni.
- (9) It was noted that the validity of the air & water consent issued by MPPCB has expired in 2015. MPPCB also issued notices for compliance of the conditions mentioned in consent.
- (10) PP informed that they have carried out the works as per the conditions mentioned in air & water consent.
- (11) After detailed discussions and perusal of recommendations of 09th SEAC -II meeting dtd 24.02.2016, presentation made by the PP in SEIAA & SEAC, it was decided that:
- I. PP shall submit the affidavit mentioning that they have complied with all the conditions imposed in air & water consent issued by MPPCB.
 - II. MPPCB officials shall inspect the site and examine whether the compliance of the conditions mentioned in the consent has been carried out or not and submit a copy report in SEIAA.
 - III. PP shall submit the existing status of compliance conditions alongwith the photographs within two week time.
- (12) **PP shall present the case on 04.05.2016 after submission of the above information.**



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3. **Case No.4550/15** Prior Environment Clearance for **Sand Quarry** (opencast manual method) in an area of 7.0 ha. for production capacity of 70,000 cum/Year at Khasra No. 896/1 at Vill. Shahganj, Teshil – Budhni, Distt. Sehore (M.P.) by M/s. S.R. Traders, Sub Lessee, M.P. State Mining Corp. Ltd., Shri Atul Gondal, E-5, Shop NO. 12 Metro Plaza, Bittan Market, Bhopal (M.P.) – 462 004.


After perusal of the recommendations of 17th SEAC-II meeting dtd. 06.04.2016, it was reported that :-

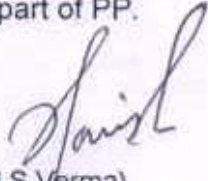
"...Case was presented by PP and their consultant. During presentation, it was observed that as per the certificate issued by the DFO, Ratapani Abhayaran is at a distance of 8.0 kms (a Notified PA) Clearance from NBWL is therefore needed. PP has submitted the copy of online application made for wild life clearance with proposal no. FP/MP/MIN/324/2015 and date of submission is 09/11/2015. It was also observed during presentation as per the Google image of January, 2016 based on the co-ordinates provided by the PP that some parts of the lease area is submerged in the water and thus committee decided that 30 meters area of lease from the river side be left as no mining area as it is submerged in water. The other submissions made by PP were found satisfactory and acceptable and thus the committee decided to recommend the case for grant of prior EC subject to the following special conditions in addition to the standard conditions at annexure 'B':


- *Production of Sand as per mine plan with quantity not exceeding 70,000 cum/year.*
- *District Authority should record the deposition of sand in the lease area at an interval of 50 meters annually in the last week of September and maintain the records in RL (Reduce Level) Measurement Book. Accordingly authority may allow lease holder to excavate the replenished quantity of sand in the subsequent year.*
- *Evacuation of sand should not be allowed through the roads passing through the villages.*
- *Heavy vehicles (Hywa) should not be allowed on Kachcha, narrow roads.*
- *If causeway (Rapra) is required to be constructed for mining. It should be removed completely before rainy season every year.*
- *The river bank from where access ramps are made should be restored and access should be closed every year before rainy season.*
- *No diversion of active channel should be allowed for mining...*

After detailed discussions on the above recommendations it was decided to grant Prior Environmental Clearance subject to the following specific conditions in addition to the conditions imposed by SEAC

- I. PP shall not start mining activity before execution of lease agreement.
- II. The production capacity shall be limited to the quantity proposed by SEAC-II.
- III. The lease area should be properly demarcated in the presence of the Revenue & Mining Officials and proper boundary stones should be established.
- IV. No in-stream mining shall be allowed. The local authorities should ensure that the mining activity is confined only in the dry portion of the river where sand is exposed.
- V. The depth of the pit shall not exceed 1.0 m or normal water level prevalent in the lean season whichever is less.
- VI. The final decision of Hon'ble NGT (CZ) Bhopal and Hon'ble NGT Principal Bench, New Delhi in OA No. 49/2015 (Amarkant Mishra Vs State of MP & others), shall be obligatory on the part of PP.


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- VII. PP should ensure that no access ramps are made for transportation of sand from the opposite bank of the river.
- VIII. Before commencing the mining activity, site demarcation should be done leaving 30m. from the river site as a "no mining zone". The demarcation should be done by the Revenue Officials in the presence of Mining Officer, Sehore.
- IX. The transportation route should be decided in consultation with the local Gram Panchayat.
- X. The entire lease area should be properly fenced and boundary stones marked at the site.
- XI. PP should ensure that the flow of river should not be affected due the access ramps.
- XII. PP will ensure three row plantation towards the village settlement side in the entire length of suitable species three year old to conserve and retain the banks.
- XIII. SEAC has put a condition for obtaining Wild Life Clearance from NWLB and PP has submitted on-line application also. No mining activity shall commence till the Wild Life Clearance is given by the National Board for Wild Life. The OM dated 02.12.2009 shall be applicable in this particular case. Mining Officer, Indore shall be responsible for compliance.
- XIV. Grant of environmental clearance does not necessarily implies that forestry and wildlife clearance shall be granted to the project and that their proposals for forestry and wildlife clearance will be considered by the respective authorities on their merits and decision taken.


Hence, Prior Environmental Clearance is granted **Sand Quarry** (opencast manual method) in an area of 7.0 ha. for production capacity of 70,000 cum/Year at Khasra No. 896/1 at Vill. Shahganj, Teshil – Budhni, Distt. Sehore (MP) for the lease period to M/s. S.R. Traders, Sub Lessee, M.P. State Mining Corp. Ltd., Shri Atul Gondal, E-5, Shop NO. 12 Metro Plaza, Bittan Market, Bhopal (M.P.) – 462 004.

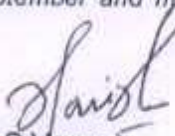
4. **Case No. – 2842/2015** Prior Environmental Clearance for **Sand Quarry** (opencast manual method) in an area of 7.891 ha., for production capacity of 32,701 cum/year, at Khasra No. –34, at Vill.-Kubari, Teh.-Palera, District-Tikamgarh (MP) by Shri Nagendra Singh, OIC, M.P. State Mining Corporation Ltd., Civil Line, Tikamgarh (MP)-472001


After perusal of the recommendations of 17th SEAC-II meeting dtd. 06.04.2016, it was reported that :-

"...The case was presented by the PP and their consultant wherein during presentation it was observed as per Google image of April, 2014 based on the co-ordinates provided by the PP that apprx. 55% of the lease area is submerged in water and only 45% of the area is remaining for safe & sustainable sand mining. Since the approved volume of sand evacuation as per revised mine plan is 32,701cum/year which can be achieved from the remaining 45% of the area. The submissions made by PP were found satisfactory and acceptable and thus the committee decided to recommend the case for grant of prior EC subject to the following special conditions in addition to the standard conditions at annexure 'B':

- *Production of Sand as per mine plan with quantity not exceeding 32,701cum/year.*
- *District Authority should record the deposition of sand in the lease area at an interval of 50 meters annually in the last week of September and maintain the records in RL (Reduce*


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Level) Measurement Book. Accordingly authority may allow lease holder to excavate the replenished quantity of sand in the subsequent year.


- Evacuation of sand should not be allowed through the roads passing through the villages.
- Heavy vehicles (Hywa) should not be allowed on Kachcha, narrow roads.
- If causeway (Rapra) is required to be constructed for mining. It should be removed completely before rainy season every year.
- The river bank from where access ramps are made should be restored and access should be closed every year before rainy season.
- No diversion of active channel should be allowed for mining."

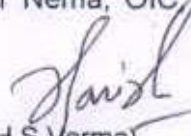
After detailed discussions on the above recommendations it was decided to grant Prior Environmental Clearance subject to the following specific conditions in addition to the conditions imposed by SEAC


- I. PP shall not start mining activity before execution of lease agreement.
- II. The production capacity shall be limited to the quantity proposed by SEAC-II.
- III. The lease area should be properly demarcated in the presence of the Revenue & Mining Officials and proper boundary stones should be established.
- IV. No in-stream mining shall be allowed. The local authorities should ensure that the mining activity is confined only in the dry portion of the river where sand is exposed.
- V. The depth of the pit shall not exceed 1.0 m or normal water level prevalent in the lean season whichever is less.
- VI. The final decision of Hon'ble NGT (CZ) Bhopal and Hon'ble NGT Principal Bench, New Delhi in OA No. 49/2015 (Amarkant Mishra Vs State of MP & others), shall be obligatory on the part of PP.
- VII. PP should ensure that no access ramps are made for transportation of sand from the opposite bank of the river.
- VIII. The transportation route should be decided in consultation with the local Gram Panchayat.
- IX. The entire lease area should be properly fenced and boundary stones marked at the site.
- X. PP should ensure that the flow of river should not be affected due the access ramps.
- XI. PP will ensure three row plantation towards the village settlement side in the entire length of suitable species three year old to conserve and retain the banks.

Hence, Prior Environmental Clearance is granted **Sand Quarry** (opencast manual method) in an area of 7.891 ha., for production capacity of 32,701 cum/year, at Khasra No. -34, at Vill.-Kubari, Teh.-Palera, District-Tikamgarh (MP) **for the lease period** to Shri Nagendra Singh, OIC, M.P. State Mining Corporation Ltd., Civil Line, Tikamgarh (MP)-472001.

5. **Case No. – 2931/2015** Prior Environmental Clearance for **River Sand Mine** (opencast manual method) in an area of 12.145 Ha. for production capacity of 1,10,000 cum/year, at Khasra no.-60, Vill.- Divlakhedi, Teh.-Hoshangabad, District Hoshangabad (M.P.) by Shri Raj Kumar Nema, OIC, Sub Off., M.P. State Mining


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Corporation Ltd., H.No. 12 Ward No. 17, Sainath Colony, Meenakshi, Hoshangabad (M.P.)-461001.


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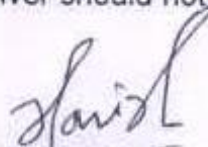
"...The case was presented by the PP and their consultant wherein it was observed that Mining Officer vide their letter no. 3975 dated 21/03/2016 has submitted that there are no mines sanctioned within 500 meters and thus as revised per mining officer this mine becomes noncluster mine. The other submissions made by PP were found satisfactory and acceptable and thus the committee decided to recommend the case for grant of prior EC subject to the following special conditions in addition to the standard conditions at annexure 'B':


- *Production of Sand as per mine plan with quantity not exceeding 1,10,000 cum/year.*
- *District Authority should record the deposition of sand in the lease area at an interval of 100 meters annually in the last week of September and maintain the records in RL (Reduce Level) Measurement Book. Accordingly authority may allow lease holder to excavate the replenished quantity of sand in the subsequent year.*
- *Evacuation of sand should not be allowed through the roads passing through the villages.*
- *Heavy vehicles (Hywa) should not be allowed on Kachcha, narrow roads.*
- *If causeway (Rapra) is required to be constructed for mining. It should be removed completely before rainy season every year.*
- *The river bank from where access ramps are made should be restored and access should be closed every year before rainy season.*
- *No diversion of active channel should be allowed for mining.*

After detailed discussions on the above recommendations it was decided to grant Prior Environmental Clearance subject to the following specific conditions in addition to the conditions imposed by SEAC

- I. PP shall not start mining activity before execution of lease agreement.
- II. The production capacity shall be limited to the quantity proposed by SEAC-II.
- III. The lease area should be properly demarcated in the presence of the Revenue & Mining Officials and proper boundary stones should be established.
- IV. No in-stream mining shall be allowed. The local authorities should ensure that the mining activity is confined only in the dry portion of the river where sand is exposed.
- V. The depth of the pit shall not exceed 1.0 m or normal water level prevalent in the lean season whichever is less.
- VI. The final decision of Hon'ble NGT (CZ) Bhopal and Hon'ble NGT Principal Bench, New Delhi in OA No. 49/2015 (Amarkant Mishra Vs State of MP & others), shall be obligatory on the part of PP.
- VII. PP should ensure that no access ramps are made for transportation of sand from the opposite bank of the river.
- VIII. The transportation route should be decided in consultation with the local Gram Panchayat.
- IX. The entire lease area should be properly fenced and boundary stones marked at the site.
- X. PP should ensure that the flow of river should not be affected due the access ramps.


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- XI. PP will ensure three row plantation towards the village settlement side in the entire length of suitable species three year old to conserve and retain the banks.

Hence, Prior Environmental Clearance is granted **River Sand Mine** (opencast manual method) in an area of 12.145 Ha. for production capacity of 1,10,000 cum/year, at Khasra no.-60, at Vill.- Divlakhedi, Teh.-Hoshangabad, District Hoshangabad (MP) **for the lease period** to Shri Raj Kumar Nema, OIC, Sub Off., M.P. State Mining Corporation Ltd., H.No. 12 Ward No. 17, Sainath Colony, Meenakshi, Hoshangabad (M.P.)-461001.

6. **Case No. – 2312/2014** Prior Environmental Clearance for **Farsi Pattar Quarry** in an area of 1.963 ha., for production capacity of 13,004 Cum/Year at Khasra No. 62, 64/1, 64/2, 64/3 at Village-Ata, Tehsil – Malthon, Distt. Sagar (MP) by Shri Surendra Singh Tomar S/o Shri Roop Singh Tomar, Village – Ata Karnelgarh, Tehsil – Malthon, Distt. Sagar (M-9893677392).

After perusal of the recommendations of 17th SEAC-II meeting dtd. 06.04.2016, it was reported that :-

"...Hon'ble NGT Central Zone in appeal no.43/2015 (Surendra Singh Tomar V/s Chairman, MPSEIAA & Others) by order no. 07 dated 19/01/2016 has remanded the case to SEIAA with the direction that a fresh decision be taken in accordance with the data material received by way of inspection report with all relevant considerations.

As per the directives of Hon'ble NGT the case file along with inspection report was sent by SEIAA to SEAC II for re-appraisal vide letter no. 12666/SEIAA/16 dated 29/03/2016.


The case was placed before the committee along with the report of the joint inspection committee constituted by the hon'ble NGT vide order dated 22/12/2015.

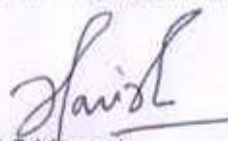
As per the joint inspection report it is evident that the village is only 60 meters away from the QL while Tehsildar vide their letter dated 22/09/2014 has reported that the village is at a distance of 350 meters and the educational institute is at 400 meters. Similarly Mining Officer vide their letter no. 609 dated 08/06/2015 has also confirmed that the human settlement is 350 meters away from the lease. The committee after deliberation decided that as per the joint inspection report of the committee the distance of QL (Khasra no. 64/1, 64/2 & 64/3) from human settlement is only 60 meters and as per the MMR, 1996 sub rule 5 (2) (c) the minimum distance from public place should be 100 meters. As this site does not meets the minimum criteria of distance as per the MMR, 1996 sub rule 5 (2) (c), the committee recommends that this case should not be recommended for grant of Environmental Clearance."


As per the above observation in SEAC meeting, besides the human settlement which is reportedly 60 m. from the mining site, the distance from the National Highway is 108 m., from the forest boundary it is 25 m. and from the water body about 80 m. (as per the google map). Taking into consideration the recommendation of SEAC and the observation of SEIAA as per the ground realities, the site is unsuitable for mining activity and therefore **it has been decided to reject the case.** Copy to all concerned.

7. **Case No. - 3924/15** Prior Environment Clearance for **Sand Quarry** (opencast manual method) in an area of 10.100 ha. for production capacity of 1,00,000 cum/year at Khasra no.-239/1, Vill.-Neelkanth, Tehsil-Nasrullaganj, District-Sehore (MP) by Shri Kailash Chandra Gupta, M/s Sainik Foods Pvt. Ltd., H.I.G.G.D-5, Dindayal Nagar, Phase-1, Kanth Road, Muradabad (UP)-461661.

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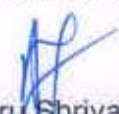
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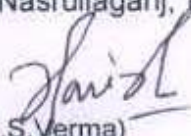
- Production of Sand as per mine plan with quantity not exceeding 1,00,000 cum/year.
- District Authority should record the deposition of sand in the lease area at an interval of 100 meters annually in the last week of September and maintain the records in RL (Reduce Level) Measurement Book. Accordingly authority may allow lease holder to excavate the replenished quantity of sand in the subsequent year.
- Evacuation of sand should not be allowed through the roads passing through the villages.
- Heavy vehicles (Hywa) should not be allowed on Kachcha, narrow roads.
- If causeway (Rapta) is required to be constructed for mining. It should be removed completely before rainy season every year.
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- IX. The entire lease area should be properly fenced and boundary stones marked at the site.
- X. PP should ensure that the flow of river should not be affected due the access ramps.
- XI. PP will ensure three row plantation towards the village settlement side in the entire length of suitable species three year old to conserve and retain the banks.

Hence, Prior Environmental Clearance is granted **Sand Quarry** (opencast manual method) in an area of 10.100 ha. for production capacity of 1,00,000 cum/year at Khasra no.-239/1, Vill.-Neelkanth, Tehsil-Nasrullaganj, District-Sehore (MP) for the


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lease period to Shri Kailash Chandra Gupta, M/s Sainik Foods Pvt. Ltd., H.I.G.G.D-5, Dindayal Nagar, Phase-1, Kanth Road, Muradabad (UP)-461661.

8. **Case No.4168/15** Prior Environment Clearance for **Sand Quarry** (opencast manual method) in an area of 09.00 ha. for production capacity of 1,35,000 cum/year at Khasra No.- 1/1 at Village-Guranjhat, Tehsil-Seoni Malwa, District-Hoshangabad (MP) by M/s Ankur Construction, Shri Rounak Jain, Cement Road, Kothi Bazar, and Betul (M.P) 461223.

After perusal of the recommendations of 17th SEAC-II meeting dtd. 06.04.2016, it was reported that :-

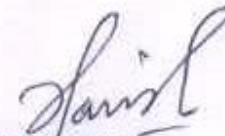
"...The case was presented by the PP and their consultant submissions made by PP were found satisfactory and acceptable and thus the committee decided to recommend the case for grant of prior EC subject to the following special conditions in addition to the standard conditions at annexure 'B':

- *Production of Sand as per mine plan with quantity not exceeding 1,35,000 cum/year.*
- *District Authority should record the deposition of sand in the lease area at an interval of 50 meters annually in the last week of September and maintain the records in RL (Reduce Level) Measurement Book. Accordingly authority may allow lease holder to excavate the replenished quantity of sand in the subsequent year.*
- *Evacuation of sand should not be allowed through the roads passing through the villages.*
- *Heavy vehicles (Hywa) should not be allowed on Kachcha, narrow roads.*
- *If causeway (Rapra) is required to be constructed for mining. It should be removed completely before rainy season every year.*
- *The river bank from where access ramps are made should be restored and access should be closed every year before rainy season.*
- *No diversion of active channel should be allowed for mining.*

After detailed discussions on the above recommendations it was decided to grant Prior Environmental Clearance subject to the following specific conditions in addition to the conditions imposed by SEAC

- I. PP shall not start mining activity before execution of lease agreement.
- II. The production capacity shall be limited to the quantity proposed by SEAC-II.
- III. The lease area should be properly demarcated in the presence of the Revenue & Mining Officials and proper boundary stones should be established.
- IV. No in-stream mining shall be allowed. The local authorities should ensure that the mining activity is confined only in the dry portion of the river where sand is exposed.
- V. The depth of the pit shall not exceed 1.5 m or normal water level prevalent in the lean season whichever is less.
- VI. The final decision of Hon'ble NGT (CZ) Bhopal and Hon'ble NGT Principal Bench, New Delhi in OA No. 49/2015 (Amarkant Mishra Vs State of MP & others), shall be obligatory on the part of PP.
- VII. PP should ensure that no access ramps are made for transportation of sand from the opposite bank of the river.
- VIII. The transportation route should be decided in consultation with the local Gram Panchayat.


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- IX. The entire lease area should be properly fenced and boundary stones marked at the site.
- X. PP should ensure that the flow of river should not be affected due the access ramps.
- XI. PP will ensure three row plantation towards the village settlement side in the entire length of suitable species three year old to conserve and retain the banks.

Hence, Prior Environmental Clearance is granted **Sand Quarry** (opencast manual method) in an area of 09.00 ha. for production capacity of 1,35,000 cum/year at Khasra No.- 1/1 at Village-Guranjghat, Tehsil-Seoni Malwa, District-Hoshangabad (MP) for the lease period to M/s Ankur Construction, Shri Rounak Jain, Cement Road, Kothi Bazar, and Betul (M.P) 461223.

9. **Case No. 3271/15** Prior Environment Clearance for **Sand Quarry** (opencast manual method) in an area of 18.774 ha. for production capacity of 15,000 cum/year at Khasra No.-01, 158, at Vill.-Ganeshpura, Teh.-Rajgarh, District-Rajgarh (MP) by Shri Maherwan Singh S/o Shri Shiv Singh, Vill.-Ganeshpura, Teh.- & District-Rajgarh (MP)-465661.


After perusal of the recommendations of 17th SEAC-II meeting dtd. 06.04.2016, it was reported that :-

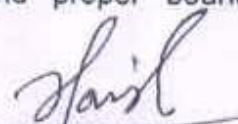
"...The case was presented by the PP and their consultant wherein during presentation an anicut like structure was seen in the Google image based on the co-ordinate provided by the PP. Thus committee decided that for safety 100 meter area be left on the both side of the anicut in the QL as no mining area. The other submissions made by PP were found satisfactory and acceptable and thus the committee decided to recommend the case for grant of prior EC subject to the following special conditions in addition to the standard conditions at annexure 'B':


- *Production of Sand as per mine plan with quantity not exceeding 15,000 cum/year.*
- *District Authority should record the deposition of sand in the lease area at an interval of 100 meters annually in the last week of September and maintain the records in RL (Reduce Level) Measurement Book. Accordingly authority may allow lease holder to excavate the replenished quantity of sand in the subsequent year.*
- *Evacuation of sand should not be allowed through the roads passing through the villages.*
- *Heavy vehicles (Hywa) should not be allowed on Kachcha, narrow roads.*
- *If causeway (Rapra) is required to be constructed for mining. It should be removed completely before rainy season every year.*
- *The river bank from where access ramps are made should be restored and access should be closed every year before rainy season.*
- *No diversion of active channel should be allowed for mining.*
- *100 meter area be left on the both side of the anicut in the QL as no mining area.*

After detailed discussions on the above recommendations it was decided to grant Prior Environmental Clearance subject to the following specific conditions in addition to the conditions imposed by SEAC

- I. PP shall not start mining activity before execution of lease agreement.
- II. The production capacity shall be limited to the quantity proposed by SEAC-II.
- III. The lease area should be properly demarcated in the presence of the Revenue & Mining Officials and proper boundary stones should be established.


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- IV. No in-stream mining shall be allowed. The local authorities should ensure that the mining activity is confined only in the dry portion of the river where sand is exposed.
- V. The depth of the pit shall not exceed 0.8 m or normal water level prevalent in the lean season whichever is less.
- VI. The final decision of Hon'ble NGT (CZ) Bhopal and Hon'ble NGT Principal Bench, New Delhi in OA No. 49/2015 (Amarkant Mishra Vs State of MP & others), shall be obligatory on the part of PP.
- VII. PP should ensure that no access ramps are made for transportation of sand from the opposite bank of the river.
- VIII. The transportation route should be decided in consultation with the local Gram Panchayat.
- IX. The entire lease area should be properly fenced and boundary stones marked at the site.
- X. PP should ensure that the flow of river should not be affected due the access ramps.
- XI. PP will ensure three row plantation towards the village settlement side in the entire length of suitable species three year old to conserve and retain the banks.


Hence, Prior Environmental Clearance is granted **Sand Quarry** (opencast manual method) in an area of 18.774 ha. for production capacity of 15,000 cum/year at Khasra No.-01, 158, at Vill.-Ganeshpura, Teh.-Rajgarh, District-Rajgarh (MP) for the lease period to Shri Maherwan Singh S/o Shri Shiv Singh, Vill.-Ganeshpura, Teh.- & District-Rajgarh (MP)-465661..

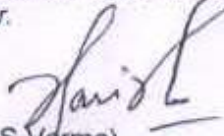
10. **Case No.4206/15** Prior Environment Clearance for **Sand Quarry** (opencast manual method) in an area of 6.433 ha. for production capacity of 96,495 cum/year at Khasra no.-291, 559 at Village-Dethi, Tehsil-Seoni Malwa, District Hoshangabad (MP) by Shri Rounak Jain, M/s Ankur Construction, Sub Lessee, M/s M.P. State Mining Corp. Ltd., Cement Road, Kothi Bazar, and District-Betul (MP)-461223

After perusal of the recommendations of 17th SEAC-II meeting dtd. 06.04.2016, it was reported that :-

"...The case was presented by the PP and their consultant wherein it was observed as per the Google image that a natural drain is joining the lease from the northwest side in Khasra no. 291. Thus committee decided that 50 meters area be left in the lease of Khasra no. 291 on the both side where natural drain is joining the river. Other submissions made by PP were found satisfactory and acceptable and thus the committee decided to recommend the case for grant of prior EC subject to the following special conditions in addition to the standard conditions at annexure 'B':

- Production of Sand as per mine plan with quantity not exceeding 96,495 cum/year.
- District Authority should record the deposition of sand in the lease area at an interval of 50 meters annually in the last week of September and maintain the records in RL (Reduce Level) Measurement Book. Accordingly authority may allow lease holder to excavate the replenished quantity of sand in the subsequent year.
- Evacuation of sand should not be allowed through the roads passing through the villages.
- Heavy vehicles (Hywa) should not be allowed on Kachcha, narrow roads.
- If causeway (Rapta) is required to be constructed for mining. It should be removed completely before rainy season every year.


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- The river bank from where access ramps are made should be restored and access should be closed every year before rainy season.
- No diversion of active channel should be allowed for mining.
- In khasra no. 291, 50 meters area be left in the lease on the both side where natural drain is joining the river.


After detailed discussions on the above recommendations it was decided to grant Prior Environmental Clearance subject to the following specific conditions in addition to the conditions imposed by SEAC

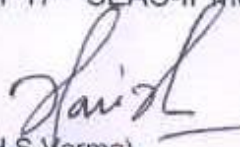
- I. PP shall not start mining activity before execution of lease agreement.
- II. The production capacity shall be limited to the quantity proposed by SEAC-II.
- III. The lease area should be properly demarcated in the presence of the Revenue & Mining Officials and proper boundary stones should be established.
- IV. No in-stream mining shall be allowed. The local authorities should ensure that the mining activity is confined only in the dry portion of the river where sand is exposed.
- V. The depth of the pit shall not exceed 1.6 m or normal water level prevalent in the lean season whichever is less.
- VI. The final decision of Hon'ble NGT (CZ) Bhopal and Hon'ble NGT Principal Bench, New Delhi in OA No. 49/2015 (Amarkant Mishra Vs State of MP & others), shall be obligatory on the part of PP.
- VII. PP should ensure that no access ramps are made for transportation of sand from the opposite bank of the river.
- VIII. The transportation route should be decided in consultation with the local Gram Panchayat.
- IX. The entire lease area should be properly fenced and boundary stones marked at the site.
- X. PP should ensure that the flow of river should not be affected due the access ramps.
- XI. PP will ensure three row plantation towards the village settlement side in the entire length of suitable species three year old to conserve and retain the banks.


Hence, Prior Environmental Clearance is granted **Sand Quarry** (opencast manual method) in an area of 6.433 ha. for production capacity of 96,495 cum/year at Khasra no.-291, 559 at Village-Dethi, Tehsil-Seoni Malwa, District Hoshangabad (MP) **for the lease period** to Shri Rounak Jain, M/s Ankur Construction, Sub Lessee, M/s M.P. State Mining Corp. Ltd., Cement Road, Kothi Bazar, and District-Betul (MP)-461223.

11. **Case No.4219/15** Prior Environment Clearance for **Sand Quarry (Opencast manual method)** in an area of 20.00 ha. for production capacity of 3,90,000 cum/year **(as per SEAC recommendation)** at Khasra no.-591/1228, Village-Govarde, Tehsil-Manpur, District-Umaria (MP) by Shri Kailash Chandra Gupta, M/s Shiva Corporation India Pvt. Ltd., 312, Ganpati Plaza, MIG Road, Jaipur (Raj.)-472001.

After perusal of the recommendations of 17th SEAC-II meeting dtd. 06.04.2016, it was reported that -


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"...During presentation, it was observed that the lease area of Khasra no. 591/1228 is in two parts and a bridge is crossing the lease. It was also observed by the committee that the part of both the leases located in Khasra no. 591/1228 is submerged in water and a natural drain is joining the lease at southern side. Considering above situation committee decided that approx. 35% of the area become uninhabitable and thus only 3,90,000 cum/year of sand be allowed to be evacuated. Other submissions made by PP were found satisfactory and acceptable and thus the committee decided to recommend the case for grant of prior EC subject to the following special conditions in addition to the standard conditions at annexure 'B':

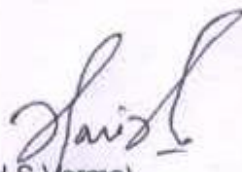
- Production of Sand as per mine plan with quantity not exceeding 3,90,000 cum/year.
- District Authority should record the deposition of sand in the lease area at an interval of 100 meters annually in the last week of September and maintain the records in RL (Reduce Level) Measurement Book. Accordingly authority may allow lease holder to excavate the replenished quantity of sand in the subsequent year.
- Evacuation of sand should not be allowed through the roads passing through the villages.
- Heavy vehicles (Hywa) should not be allowed on Kachcha, narrow roads.
- If causeway (Rapta) is required to be constructed for mining. It should be removed completely before rainy season every year.
- The river bank from where access ramps are made should be restored and access should be closed every year before rainy season.
- No diversion of active channel should be allowed for mining."

After detailed discussions on the above recommendations it was decided to grant Prior Environmental Clearance subject to the following specific conditions in addition to the conditions imposed by SEAC

- I. PP shall not start mining activity before execution of lease agreement.
- II. The production capacity shall be limited to the quantity proposed by SEAC-II.
- III. The lease area should be properly demarcated in the presence of the Revenue & Mining Officials and proper boundary stones should be established.
- IV. No in-stream mining shall be allowed. The local authorities should ensure that the mining activity is confined only in the dry portion of the river where sand is exposed.
- V. The depth of the pit shall not exceed 2.0 m or normal water level prevalent in the lean season whichever is less.
- VI. The final decision of Hon'ble NGT (CZ) Bhopal and Hon'ble NGT Principal Bench, New Delhi in OA No. 49/2015 (Amarkant Mishra Vs State of MP & others), shall be obligatory on the part of PP.
- VII. PP should ensure that no access ramps are made for transportation of sand from the opposite bank of the river.
- VIII. The transportation route should be decided in consultation with the Deputy Director, Bandhavgarh Tiger Reserve and in no case PP will transport the material through Bandhavgarh Tiger Reserve range.
- IX. The entire lease area should be properly fenced and boundary stones marked at the site.
- X. PP should ensure that the flow of river should not be affected due the access ramps.



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- XI. PP will ensure three row plantation towards the village settlement side in the entire length of suitable species three year old to conserve and retain the banks.

Hence, Prior Environmental Clearance is granted **Sand Quarry (Opencast manual method)** in an area of 20.00 ha. for production capacity of 3,90,000 cum/year (as per SEAC recommendation) at Khasra no.-591/1228, Village-Govarde, Tehsil-Manpur, District-Umaria (MP) for the lease period to Shri Kailash Chandra Gupta, M/s Shiva Corporation India Pvt. Ltd., 312, Ganpati Plaza, MIG Road, Jaipur (Raj.)-472001.

12. **Case No. 5120/16** Prior Environment Clearance for **Sand Quarry (Opencast manual method)** in an area of 8.635 ha. for production capacity of 32,000 cum/year at Khasra no.-1763, 95/1, Village-Jaithari/Govari, Tehsil-Jaithari, District-Anuppur (MP) by Shri Amit Khampariya, Sub Lessee of MPSMCL, 3162, Ganga Nagar, Jabalpur (MP)-482003


After perusal of the recommendations of 17th SEAC-II meeting dtd. 06.04.2016, it was reported that :-

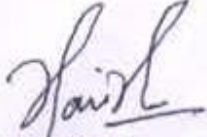
"...The case was presented by the PP and their consultant wherein it was observed from the Google image based on the co-ordinates provided by the PP that a natural drain is joining the lease at western side. Thus committee decided that 10 meter area be left as a non-mining area on the both sides of the lease where the natural drain is joining the lease. The other submissions made by PP were found satisfactory and acceptable and thus the committee decided to recommend the case for grant of prior EC subject to the following special conditions in addition to the standard conditions at annexure 'B':


- Production of Sand as per mine plan with quantity not exceeding 32,000 cum/year.
- District Authority should record the deposition of sand in the lease area at an interval of 50 meters annually in the last week of September and maintain the records in RL (Reduce Level) Measurement Book. Accordingly authority may allow lease holder to excavate the replenished quantity of sand in the subsequent year.
- Evacuation of sand should not be allowed through the roads passing through the villages.
- Heavy vehicles (Hywa) should not be allowed on Kachcha, narrow roads.
- If causeway (Rapra) is required to be constructed for mining. It should be removed completely before rainy season every year.
- The river bank from where access ramps are made should be restored and access should be closed every year before rainy season.
- No diversion of active channel should be allowed for mining.
- 10 meter area be left as a non-mining area on the both sides of the lease where the natural drain is joining the lease."

After detailed discussions on the above recommendations it was decided to grant Prior Environmental Clearance subject to the following specific conditions in addition to the conditions imposed by SEAC

- I. PP shall not start mining activity before execution of lease agreement.
- II. The production capacity shall be limited to the quantity proposed by SEAC-II.
- III. The lease area should be properly demarcated in the presence of the Revenue & Mining Officials and proper boundary stones should be established.


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- IV. No in-stream mining shall be allowed. The local authorities should ensure that the mining activity is confined only in the dry portion of the river where sand is exposed.
- V. The depth of the pit shall not exceed 0.4 m or normal water level prevalent in the lean season whichever is less.
- VI. The final decision of Hon'ble NGT (CZ) Bhopal and Hon'ble NGT Principal Bench, New Delhi in OA No. 49/2015 (Amarkant Mishra Vs State of MP & others), shall be obligatory on the part of PP.
- VII. PP should ensure that no access ramps are made for transportation of sand from the opposite bank of the river.
- VIII. The transportation route should be decided in consultation with the local Gram Panchayat.
- IX. The entire lease area should be properly fenced and boundary stones marked at the site.
- X. PP should ensure that the flow of river should not be affected due the access ramps.
- XI. PP will ensure three row plantation towards the village settlement side in the entire length of suitable species three year old to conserve and retain the banks.

Hence, Prior Environmental Clearance is granted **Sand Quarry (Opencast manual method)** in an area of 8.635 ha. for production capacity of 32,000 cum/year at Khasra no.-1763, 95/1, Village-Jaithari/Govari, Tehsil-Jaithari, District-Anuppur (MP) **for the lease period** to Shri Amit Khampariya, Sub Lessee of MPSMCL, 3162, Ganga Nagar, Jabalpur (MP)-482003.

13. **Case No 709/2012** Prior Environmental Clearance for **Limestone and laterite mine** in an area of 25.256 ha for production capacity of 0.40 MTPA at Vill.- Janardanpur, Teh.- - Rampur Baghelan, District – Satna (MP) by Shri Sanktha Prasad Dwivedi, Vill.-Janardanpur, Teh.- Rampur Baghelan, Satna (MP).

After perusal of the recommendations of 17th SEAC-II meeting dtd. 06.04.2016, PP may be invited for presentation.


14. **Case No. 99/2008** Prior Environmental Clearance for **Dubiyara Iron Ore Mine** in an area of 32.374 Ha, for production capacity of 0.20 Million T/Y at Village Dubiyara Tehsil-Sihora, District-Jabalpur (MP) M/s Nirmala Minerals, Pathak Ward P.O. Katni, District Katni (MP)-483501

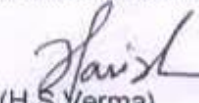
After perusal of the recommendations of 17th SEAC-II meeting dtd. 06.04.2016, PP may be invited for presentation.


15. **Case No. 1409/13** Prior Environmental Clearance for **Sarima (Kothra- Kothar) Ochre & Laterite Mine** in an area of 16.87 ha for production capacity of 65000 TPA (50000 TPA of Laterite & 15000 TPA of Ocher) at Khasra No. 121P at Vill.- Kothra-Kothar, Teh.- Semaria, District- Rewa (MP) by M/S Lachchhilal & Sons, through Partner Shri Prakash Kumar Mittal R/o P.O.-Jaitwara, Distt. Satna (M.P.) – 485221.

After perusal of the recommendations of 17th SEAC-II meeting dtd. 06.04.2016, PP may be invited for presentation.

Meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair


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