The 381st meeting of the State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority was convened on 04.11.2016 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 members attended the meeting:-

1 Shri H.S. Verma

Member

2. Shri Anupam Rajan

Member Secretary

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

S.No.	Case No.	Category	No. & date of latest SEAC
1.	5330/2016	1(a)	50th SEAC-II meeting dtd. 30.09.2016
2.	96/2008	1(a)	-
3.	3989/2015	1(a)B2	340 th SEIAA meeting dtd. 14.06.2016
4.	3298/2015	1(a)B2	-
5.	3023/2015	1(a)	45th SEAC-II meeting dtd. 09.08.2016
6.	880/2012	1(a)B2	374th SEIAA meeting dtd. 03.10.2016
7.	1596/2013	1(a)B2	374th SEIAA meeting dtd. 03.10.2016
8.	256/2009	1(a)	34th SEIAA meeting dtd. 11 -5 2010
9.	257/2009	1(a)	34th SEIAA meeting dtd. 11 -5 2010

- Case No.-5330/2016 Prior Environment Clearance for Ochre, White Clay, Laterite & Bauxite Mine in an area of 8.094 ha. (46,798 TPA) at Khasra no.-66/2, Village-Barui, Tehsil Birsinghpur, Dist. Satna (MP) by M/s Kumjilal Ishwari Prasad Agrawal, P.O. Jaitwara, Distt Satna, MP 485221.
 - (1) This is a project pertaining to mining of Ochre, White Clay, Laterite & Bauxite Mine in MLA of 8.094 ha The activity is mentioned at S.N. 1 (a) of the Schedule of EIA Notification 2006 as amended from time to time. The project is reported to be at a distance of more than 10 km from National park and is at 5.250 km from Ranipur wild life sanctuary and interstate boundary of U.P. Thus it does not attract the general conditions and falls under category 'B-1" by virtue of its location and mining lease area. The forest boundary is more than 250 m. The case was forwarded by SEIAA to SEAC for appraisal of EIA for environment clearance for the project. It was submitted that this is a proposed mine having valid lease of 50 years from 27.12.1980 to 26.12.2030 with production of 46,797 Tonnes per annum.
 - (2) It was reported by the PP that the lease area was granted to M/s Kumjilal Ishwari Prasad Agrawal for 10 years from 27.12.1980 and renewed over the earlier held area for 20 years from 27.12.1990. The mining lease is extended for 50 years from date of first grant as per MM(D&R) amendment act 2015 upto 26.12.2030. This is a case of old mining lease. The Mining Plan with progressive mine closure plan has been approved by IBM, Jabalpur (vide letter No. MP/Satna/Bauxite/M.Sch.-21/15-16 dtd. 10.11.2015).
 - (3) SEAC in its 50th SEAC meeting dtd. 30.09.2016 has recommended the case with 13 special conditions for issuance of EC.

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- (4) The case was then discussed in 379th SEIAA meeting dtd 24.10.2016 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 detail.
- (5) The proposed plantation program was examined and it was found that 16200 sapling of tree species shall be planted in an area 8.094 ha during the lease period.
- (6) It was noted that the water requirement is 12 KLD (Mining, allied activities & dust suppression 4 KLD, Green Belt 5 KLD & Domestic/Drinking 3 KLD) which shall be met by nearby Village.
- (7) It was also noted that the Public Hearing was carried out on 05.03.2016 at mine site, Village- Barui, Tehsil – Birsinghpur, Dist – Satna (MP) under the Chairmanship of Collector, Satna.
- (8) After detailed discussions and perusal of recommendations of 50th SEAC-II meeting dtd. 20.09.2016, 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:-
 - Before commencing any mining activity fencing shall be carried out all around the lease area. Proper watch and ward arrangements should be made by the PP to avoid any untoward incident involving public and animals.
 - II. PP shall install the proper sign boards highlighting the dangers of trespassing by the villagers at 100 m. distance all around the lease area.
 - III. PP shall ensure the waste disposal shall be carried out as per mining plan.
 - IV. PP shall demarcate a barrier zone of 7.5 m as no mining zone in the periphery of mining lease area and develop a green belt. The three row plantation shall be carried out in the periphery of mining lease area with proper irrigation facilities in a current year.
 - V. Greenbelt of 1.2 ha will be reserved for peripheral plantation and properly fencing it should be done during first year and proper arrangements of water should be made for the plantation.
 - VI. PP shall carried out plantation on either side of approach road from ML area to RES road and maintain it on regular basis.
 - VII. PP shall carried out the backfilling of OB dump according to the process given in mining plan and ensure that OB shall not be dumped outside the ML area.
 - VIII. PP has ensured the commitment made by him in public hearing for construction and widening of RES road (Sonvarsha Jaitwara) in consultation with Executive Engineer, RES, Satna and maintain it on regular basis.
 - IX. Transportation will be allowed only with covered vehicle.
 - X. Garland drain with settling tanks and check dam shall be constructed all around the mine. PP shall also ensure the proper cleaning and maintenance of garland drain and settling tank.

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- XI. Water fogging system shall be adopted at loading site.
- XII. PP shall construct the shed of 25 m x 50 m length with proper ventilation which accommodates 50 labours within the ML area.
- XIII. Payments of wages to the workers shall be done in accordance with the provisions in the labour laws.
- XIV. Proper infrastructure with shelter, drinking water and toilet facility shall be developed for the labourers.
- XV. PP should ensure water quality testing before it is discharged to any nalla or to be used by villagers for irrigating the agriculture fields, R.O. MPPCB will ensure regular air & water monitoring of the lease area.
- XVI. SEAC has put a condition for obtaining Wild Life Clearance from NBWL and PP has submitted 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, Satna shall be responsible for compliance.
- XVII. Grant of environmental clearance does not necessarily implies that wildlife clearance shall be granted to the project and that their proposals for wildlife clearance will be considered by the respective authorities on their merits and decision taken.
- XVIII. Under CSR activity in addition to the proposed activities following activities should be added.
 - a) Skill upgradation programme for the villagers of Devra, Karigohi, Bari Amrai and Sonversa under Digital India Scheme.
 - Sanitation activities including construction of individual toilets for local residents of nearby village in consultation with village Panchayat.
 - c) Drinking water facilities for villagers of nearby villages.
 - d) Construction of community hall for tribal families.
 - e) All the above activities shall be carried out in consultation with Gram Panchayat and District Collector.
 - f) Health awareness program including hygiene and sanitation.
- XIX. The appropriate budget provision of Rs. 5.50 lakhs shall be made for the CSR activities.
- (9) PP has committed during the presentation to ensure the following :
 - a) Adequate precautions so as not the cause any damage to the flora and fauna during the mining operation.
 - b) No labour camp to be constructed within ML area.
 - c) Care will be taken that noise produced during vehicles movement are within the permissible noise level.
 - d) Care will be taken that no hunting of animals and birds carried out by labours.
 - e) If wild animals are noticed crossing the area, it will not be disturbed at all.

f) Labours will not be allowed to discards food, plastic etc., which can attract animals near the core site.

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g) Only low polluting vehicle will be allowed for carrying ore material. All vehicles allowed in the project site area will have to provide pollution under control certificate at the end of three months.

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- h) No tree cutting, chopping, lumbering, uprooting of shrubs and herbs should be allowed. In other words no damage flora and fauna will be ensured.
- (10) PP has submitted commitment of Health Awareness Program: People will be educated and awareness will be spread regarding Malaria, its causes, impacts and methods to mitigate the disease spread, Suggestive measures will include the following:
 - a) Maintaining hygienic conditions and preventing stagnation of water in bottles, ditches, pots, coolers etc which is the major cause of Malaria.
 - b) Use of Mosquito nets in night during sleeping hours in villages namely Devra, Karigohi, Bari Amrai and Sonversa etc.
 - c) Spraying of Mosquito resistants in the villages at regular intervals.
 - d) Providing awareness regarding healthy food habits and proper nutrition so as to minimize diseases such as anemia, malnutrition especially in small children.
 - e) Encouragement of local people and awareness to maintain hygiene and sanitation conditions, more and more use of toilets by the village people and making them aware of the harmful impacts of open defecation and its adverse impacts on health due to spread of insects, bacteria and mosquitoes.
 - f) Providing Personal Protective Equipments such as Dust Mask, boots, hand gloves, Safety Helmets to the mine workers and not only providing the equipments but also ensuring its use during the mine operation.
 - g) Local people will be educated regarding benefits of plantation, thereby preventing cutting of trees for using wood as fuel and plantation of native species where possible. Encouraging more and more plantation in the local villages.
 - h) Discouraging use of plastic bags and other plastic products and encouraging use of Jute bags or paper bags.
 - To generate awareness so as not to cause any damage to flora and fauna.

Hence, Prior Environmental Clearance is granted for Ochre, White Clay, Laterite & Bauxite Mine (Opencast other than fully Mechanized Method) in an area of 8.094 ha. for production capacity of 46797 TPA at Khasra no.-66/2 at Village-Barui, Tehsil - Birsinghpur, Dist. Satna (MP) for the lease period to M/s Kumjilal Ishwari Prasad Agrawal, P.O. Jaitwara, Distt Satna, MP – 485221

2. Case No. 96/2008 Prior Environmental Clearance for Agaria Iron ore mine (Open cast Semi-mechanized Method) in an area of 20.141. ha. for production Capacity of 50000 MT/annum at Khasra 1093 No. at Village Agaria Teh- Sehora District - Jabalpur (M.P) by M/s Nirmala Minaral, Pathale ward-Katni (M.P.) - 483501

PP may be invited for detailed presentation.

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3. Case No. 3989/2015 Prior Environment Clearance for Metal Stone Quarry (Opencast Semi- Mechanized Method) in an area of 4.00 ha. for production capacity 42,000 cum/year at Village-Singhori, Tehsil-Bichhiya, District-Mandla (MP) by Shri Ram Singh Thakur S/o Shri Babulal Thakur R/o Bichhiya, Tehsil-Bichhiya, District-Mandla (MP) – 481885

PP has submitted the query response on 27.10.2016 regarding site inspection of DFO (East) Mandla, wherein he has given the distances from the core area and buffer zone of Kanha National Park and recommended NOC for mining activity. After detailed discussion of query response in 340th SEIAA meeting dtd. 14.06.2016, the case is relisted. Considering the recommendations of 263rd SEAC meeting dtd. 11.01.2016, it has been 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 depth of the pit shall be as per the mining plan approved by the competent authority.
- (iii) The lease area should be properly fenced and peripheral plantation should be done in three rows.
- (iv) Proper sign boards highlighting the dangers of trespassing by the villagers should be installed at four corners of the lease area.
- (v) Existing plantation should not be disturbed.
- (vi) Before commencing the mining activity, site demarcation should be done leaving 100m. from the Pakka Road on the east side and 50m. from the nallas on the west & south sides as a "no mining zone". The demarcation should be done by the Revenue Officials in the presence of Mining Officer, Mandla.

Hence, Prior Environmental Clearance is granted for **Metal Stone Quarry** (Opencast Semi- Mechanized Method) in an area of 4.00 ha. for production capacity 42,000 cum/year at Village-Singhori, Tehsil-Bichhiya, District-Mandla (M.P.) **for the lease period to** Shri Ram Singh Thakur S/o Shri Babulal Thakur R/o Bichhiya, Tehsil-Bichhiya, District-Mandla (MP) – 481885.

4. Case No.3298/2015 Prior Environment Clearance for Dolomite Mine in an area of 13.25 ha. (6,00,000 TPA) at Village-Kakiya, Tehsil-Bichiya, District-Mandla (MP) by Shri O.G. Goyal, Executive Director & Nominated Owner, M/s Hira Power & Steels Ltd., 101-C, Parwani Complex, Civil Line, Raipur (CG) -492001

PP has submitted a letter dated 28.10.2016 wherein he has requested that the case may be appraised in B2 category as in the new notification of SO 423(E) dtd. 10.02.2015 the mineral has been de categorized from major to minor. Letter be sent to SEAC for appropriate action. Copy to PP.

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- 5. Case No. 3023/2015 Prior Environmental Clearance for Khera Majora Iron Ore Deposit Lease Area - 4.60 Ha., Capacity - 1,14,750 TPA, at Compartment No.-308,(Khera Majoora, Forest Range- Bakswaha, Forest BlockKhera Majora) Vill.-Khera Majora, Teh.-Bijawar, District-Chhatarpur (M.P.) by Shri Ajay Pal Singh, Director, M/s Jindutt Minerals Pvt. Ltd., 6th km Sagar Road, Post Office-Dhadari, District-Chhatarpur (M.P.)-471001
 - This is a project pertaining to mining of Iron Ore in MLA of 4.60 ha The activity is mentioned at S.No. 1 (a) of the Schedule of EIA Notification 2006 as amended from time to time. The project is reported to be at a distance of more than 10 km from National park and sanctuary etc. and the interstate boundary is at 126 km, thus it is not attracted by the general conditions and falls under category 'B-1" by virtue of its location and mining lease area. The case was forwarded by SEIAA to SEAC for appraisal of EIA for environment clearance for the project. It was submitted that this is a proposed mine having valid lease of 50 years from 17.11.2015 with production of 1,14,750 TPA.
 - It was reported by the PP that the lease area was granted to M/s Jindutt Minerals Pvt. Ltd. for 50 years upto 16.11.2065. This is a case of new mining lease. The Mining Plan with progressive mine closure plan has been approved by IBM, Nagpur (vide letter No. MP/ Chattarpur/ Iron Ore / MPLN / G-02/ 12-13/49 Nagpur dated 13.02.2013).
 - (3) SEAC in its 45th SEAC-II meeting dtd. 09.08.2016 has recommended the case with 14 special conditions for issuance of EC.
 - After detailed discussion and perusal of query response in 363rd SEIAA meeting dtd 29.08.2016 & 369th SEIAA meeting dtd. 23.09.2016 and thereafter, PP/Consultant made a presentation on all aspects of the project and all concerned issues were discussed in details.
 - It was noted that as per DFO ,Chhatarpur vide letter.no. Maa.Chi. 2010/ 935 dtd. 25.05.2010, the National Park/Sanctuary are not located within 10 Km., radius and (as per Collector Office, Mining Division , Chhatarpur letter No. 284 dtd. 20.03.2015) the inter-state boundary is also not within 10 km. radius from the mining site. Hence, the General Conditions are not attracted.
 - The project site is located in Protected Forest land in Compartment no. P-308, Forest Comptt - Kheramajora. PP have approval of the Government of India under Section -2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for diversion of 4.896 ha (4.600 ha mining & 0.296 ha approach road) for extraction of Iron Ore Mining Project. MoEF & CC has granted forest clearance with 42 specific conditions. vide letter no. 6-MPC 017/2010-BHO/999 dated 05.08.2015.
 - It was noted that the water requirement is 19 KLD (11 KLD for Dust Suppression+ 2 KLD for Green Belt + 6 KLD for Domestic), which shall be met from Bore well and Sump.
 - It was also noted that the Public Hearing was carried out on 05.05.2016 at Govt. Primary School Parisar Village Mundar, under the Chairmanship of Upper Collector, Chhatarpur. The major comments of local people during public hearing are employment of local people, construction & maintenance of existing / approach road connecting the mine & main road, Plantation on

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road side , regular health check-up of mine workers & water sprinkling to suppress the dust emission etc..

- (9) This case was earlier discussed in 369th SEIAA meeting dtd. 23.06.2016. In response of that PP has submitted following information vide letter no. JMPL/ 2016-2017/ 734 dated 10.10.2016:
 - a) Detailed transportation Plan from mining site to State Highway along with existing road & proposed road.
 - b) Combined traffic study of own mine & its adjacent mine with management of truck movement & management Plan for dust suppression.
 - c) Plantation Plan of 0.645 ha with 1300 trees at boundary area & 3.955 ha with 7900 trees at backfilled area.
 - d) Run-off calculation for designing the garland drains, Bunds, check dam, & setting tanks. PP has proposed to construct 5 settling tanks with storage of 2625 cum surface runoff.
 - e) Revised budget plan of Rs 15.0 Lacs for social upliftment such as health awareness camp, construction of toilets, promotion & installation of non conventional energy sources, construction of approach road & water supply in nearby villagers Hatna & Mundar.
- (10) After detailed discussions and perusal of recommendations of 45th SEAC-II meeting dtd. 09.08.2016, 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 all around the lease area and display board at all four corners of the lease area shall be constructed. Proper watch and ward arrangements should be made by the PP to avoid any untoward incident involving public and animals.
 - II. PP shall demarcate a barrier zone of 7.5 m as no mining zone in the periphery of mining lease area and develop a green belt. The two row plantation shall be carried out in the greenbelt area in current year.
 - III. Greenbelt of 0.645 ha with 1300 trees at Boundary area to be developed in the first year with proper watering arrangement all around the boundary to avoid mortality. 3.955 ha with 7900 trees at Backfilled area shall be developed and proper arrangements of water should be made for the plantation.
 - IV. The road permitted under the permission and terms & conditions of the FCA 1980 to be constructed in consultation with the DFO, Chhatarpur. The remaining existing road on the revenue land upto the junction of the State Highway 51 should be strengthened and constructed (WBM) by the PP and other mine owners
 - V. The forest land will not be used for any other purpose than that mentioned in the proposal
 - VI. No damage will be done to the adjoining forest land;
 - VII. There will be regular monitoring by the Forest Department for compliance of conditions including the quantity extracted

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- VIII. PP should ensure that dumping of over burden shall not be allowed in any area other than diverted forest land.
- IX. PP should follow all terms & conditions stipulated in approval under the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 given by MoEF, PCCF & MRD.
- X. The size of the Garland drain shall be 748 m x 2 m x 1 m to handle total surface runoff volume of 4121 cum.
- XI. Water fogging system shall be adopted at loading site.
- XII. PP shall construct the shed of 30 m x 20 m length with proper ventilation to accommodate 100 labours within the ML area.
- XIII. Transportation will be allowed only with covered vehicle.
- XIV. Garland drain with 5 settling tanks with storage of 2625 cum surface runoff shall be constructed all around the mine. PP shall also ensure construction of two check dams and create a bund of 5 m.x1.5 m. all around the boundary the proper cleaning and maintenance of garland drain and settling tank.
- XV. Payments of wages to the workers shall be done in consonance with the provisions in the labour laws.
- XVI. Proper infrastructure with shelter and toilet facility shall be developed for the labourers.
- XVII. Under CSR activity in addition to the proposed activities following activities should be added.
 - a) Skill upgradation programme for the villagers of nearby villages under Digital India Scheme.
 - b) PP shall also provide separate toilet facility for girls and boys with proper arrangement of water (water tanks & Pumps) in the school of nearby village.
 - c) Drinking water facilities for villagers of nearby villages.
 - d) All the above activities shall be carried out in consultation with Gram Panchayat and District Collector.
- XVIII. The appropriate budget provision of Rs. 15.00 lakhs shall be made for the CSR activities.

Hence, Prior Environmental Clearance is granted for Khera Majora Iron Ore Mine (Opencast Other than Fully Mechanised Method) in an area of 4.60 ha for production capacity of 1,14,750 TPA, at Compartment No.- 308,(Khera Majora, Forest Range- Bakswaha, Forest Block Khera Majora) Village- Khera Majora, Tehsil-Bijawar, District-Chhatarpur (M.P.) for the lease period to Shri Ajay Pal Singh, , 6th km Sagar Road, Post Office-Dhadari, District-Chhatarpur (M.P.)-471001.

6. Case No. 880/2012, Prior Environmental Clearance for Chhapra Marble Quarry (Open Cast Mechanized Method) in an area 1.17 ha.for proposed production capacity of 2940 cum/year at Khasra no. 204/1 at Village - Chhapra, Tehsil – Bahoriband, Dist. - Katni by M/s. Laxmi Gour Marble Industries, R.M. Lohiya ward, 08 Satyam Compound, Nadi Paar, Katni (M.P.)

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The case was discussed in 374th SEIAA meeting dtd. 03.10.2016 and it was recorded that :-

"PP was invited for presentation on his request. However PP could not appear before SEIAA on the stipulated day. From the record it was found that the lease has expired on 02.05.2013 and PP has not submitted the lease renewal letter from the competent authority. PP is now given last opportunity to present the case on 18.10.2016 alongwith complete information otherwise the case will be delisted/closed."

PP could not submit the desired information in the stipulated time, therefore it has been decided to delist the case which is liable for relisting once the PP submits the desired information. Copy to PP and all concerned.

7. Case No. 1596/13, Prior Environmental Clearance for Amoch Marble Mine (Opencast Mechanized Method) in an area 6.96 ha. for proposed production capacity of 6000 cum/year at Khasra Nos. 126 to133 &146 at Village - Amoch, Tehsil - Bahoriband, Dist. - Katni (MP) by M/s. Action Marble (Partner, Shri Rajesh kumar Inani S/o Shri Nandlal Inani, Shri Satish Kumar Inani & Shri Mohd. Hazi Amin) -12 New ACC Colony District - Katni (M.P.) - 483501

This case was discussed in 374th SEIAA meeting dtd. 03.10.2016 and it was decided that if the PP does not submit the information by 17.10.2016 further action can be taken. PP should be given last chance to submit the information by 25.11.2016 otherwise the case will be delisted.

8. Case No. 256/2009: Prior Environmental Clearance for Laterite mine in an area of 10.00 ha. for production capacity of 50,000 TPA at Khasra No. 12/1 at Village-Soniyana, Teh.- Neemuch-, District- Neemuch (MP) by Shri Pooranmal Anjanana R/o Anjna complex Tagore Marg Tehsil & District- Neemuch – M.P.

PP has applied for prior environmental clearance for Laterite mine in Neemuch District on 27-06-2007 in MoEF&CC Delhi under A-catagory. Terms of Reference (ToR) were issued by MoEF&CC. After approval of TOR, the case was transferred to MS, MP-SEAC on dated 15.11.2008.

For submission of EIA, PP was informed by SEAC dated 19/01/2010 and there was no response from the PP in the context to the submission of EIA.

It was recorded in SEIAA 34th meeting held on dated 11 -5 2010 as below:

"SEAC in its 51 st meeting held on 23/03/2010 decided to return the case to SEIAA because there is no response from the project proponent in context to the submission of EIA by the project proponent.

SEIAA decide to reject the case on the above ground."

PP had again applied for Prior Environmental Clearance considering A category of project on dated 10.09.2012 to MoEF. ToR was issued MoEF by letter no. J-11015/340/2012-1A-II(M) dated 23-01-2015. This case was transferred to SEIAA by MoEF letter . J-11015/340/2012-1A-II(M) dated 2 Sept. 2016 MoEF&CC.

In the presence circumstances, considering MoEF&CC notification dated 10.02.2015, MoEF notification 15-01-2016 and office memorandum of SEIAA letter no. 4253 dated 03.08.2015, it is decided to consider this case for Prior EC in SEIAA, so PP should be informed to apply online on MoEF&CC website for Prior EC.

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9. Case No. 257/2009: Prior Environmental Clearance for Laterite mine in an area of 10.00 ha. for production capacity of 50,000 TPA at Khasra No. 12/1 (Part) at Village- Soniyana, Teh.- Neemuch-, District- Neemuch (MP) by Shri Shreelal Anjana R/o Anjana complex Tagore Marg Tehsil & District- Neemuch – M.P.

PP has applied for prior environmental clearance for Laterite mine in Neemuch District on 27-06-2007 in MoEF&CC Delhi under A-catagory. Terms of Reference (ToR) were issued by MoEF&CC. After approval of TOR, the case was transferred to MS, MP-SEAC on dated 15.11.2008.

For submission of EIA, PP was informed by SEAC dated 19/01/2010 and there was no response from the PP in the context to the submission of EIA.

It was recorded in SEIAA 34th meeting held on dated 11 -5 2010 as below:

"SEAC in its 51 st meeting held on 23/03/2010 decided to return the case to SEIAA because there is no response from the project proponent in context to the submission of EIA by the project proponent.

SEIAA decide to reject the case on the above ground."

PP had again applied for Prior Environmental Clearance considering A category of project on dated 10.09.2012 to MoEF. ToR was issued MoEF by letter no. J-11015/332/2012-1A-II(M) dated 14-05-2015. This case was transferred to SEIAA by MoEF letter . J-11015/340/2012-1A-II(M) dated 2 Sept. 2016 MoEF&CC.

In the presence circumstances, considering MoEF&CC notification dated 10.02.2015, MoEF notification 15-01-2016 and office memorandum of SEIAA letter no. 4253 dated 03.08.2015, it is decided to consider this case for Prior EC in SEIAA, so PP should be informed to apply online on MoEF&CC website for Prior EC.

Meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

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