

Minutes of the 28th meeting of State level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Jharkhand, held on 30th December, 2014.

The 28th meeting of the State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA) was convened on 30/12/2014 at the office of SEIAA, Ranchi. The meeting was chaired by Dr. Gurdeep Singh, Chairman SEIAA Jharkhand. The attendance at the meeting is as follows:

1. Dr. Gurdeep Singh, Chairman, SEIAA, Jharkhand, Ranchi.
2. Shri A.K Gupta, Member Secretary, SEIAA, Jharkhand, Ranchi.

The decisions taken in the 28th SEIAA meeting are as follows -

1. Minutes of the meeting of SEIAA, Jharkhand held on 11th December, 2014 were confirmed.
2. SEIAA had referred the following proposals to SEAC for reconsideration on certain grounds. SEAC has again sent its recommendations regarding these proposals. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC regarding grant of Environmental Clearance to these proposals and took decisions as follows -

- a) OSD Coke Private LTD. (Unit 2), BIADA, Kandra Industrial Area, Bhitia, District Dhanbad, Jharkhand.
- b) OSD Coke Private LTD.(Unit 1), Village Amjhore, P.O. Baliapur, District Dhanbad, Jharkhand.

SEIAA had referred these matters back to SEAC with specific observations. In its recommendations SEAC has not given specific comments on those specific observations. Based on presentation made by consultant and project proponent, the SEAC has recommended for EC. SEAC needs to make recommendations mentioning specifically on the issues raised by SEIAA.

- c) Low Ash Hard Coke cum Coal Washery unit of M/s Ma Chhinmastika Sponge Iron Ltd at Village - Harway, P .O- Karma, District - Ramgarh, Jharkhand.


Project Proponent was supposed to resubmit the EIA/EMP Reports in view of the observations made by SEIAA. The matter was referred back to SEAC for reconsideration on the issues raised by SEIAA. The proponent has not yet submitted the revised reports. Many opportunities were given to the project proponent but they failed to comply. SEIAA, under the circumstances, decided to reject the proposal.

- d) Stone Boulder Mining of M/s Shaping Mines & Minerals Pvt. Ltd at Village- Bhulkuli, P.O- Saraikela Kharsawan, District-Saraikela, Jharkhand (1.68 Ha)

SEAC has recommended the grant of EC to the project proposal. SEIAA had referred the matter back to SEAC as the certificate issued by CO, Rajnagar had shown a water body within 500 m distance of the project. SEAC has now relied its recommendation to grant EC on a revised certificate issued by CO, Rajnagar that mentions no water body within 500 m distance of the project. It is found that there are two different reports submitted by CO, Rajnagar.

SEIAA decides that SEAC makes a site inspection and then make its recommendations.


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- e) Stone Quarry of M/s Bandana Stone Works, Village- Lohando Mako, Tehsil – Lohando Mako, District-Sahibganj, Jharkhand (3.496 Ha).

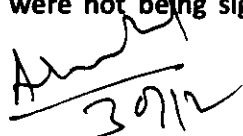
SEAC has informed that project proponent would submit the revised mine plan. The proposal would be considered by SEIAA once SEAC makes its recommendations again.

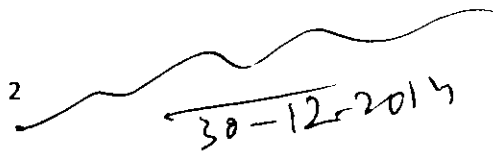
3. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC for issuing the ToR to the following project proposals related to Balu Ghats – River bed Sand Mining:

- i. Anidih Balu Ghat (Sand Mine) of M/s Mahavir Infraengineering P. Ltd, Village-Anidih, Tehsil-Bundu, District- Ranchi, Jharkhand (22.55 Ha).
- ii. Gadadih Balu Ghat (Sand Mine) of M/s Mahavir Infraengineering P. Ltd, Village-Gadadih, Tehsil- Sonahatu, District- Ranchi, Jharkhand (14.78 Ha).
- iii. Erkia Balu Ghat (Sand Mine) of M/s Mahavir Infraengineering P. Ltd, Village-Erkia, Tehsil - Bundu, District- Ranchi, Jharkhand (19.12 Ha).
- iv. Salsud Balu Ghat on Radu River (Sand Mine) of M/s Mahavir Infraengineering P. Ltd, Village-Salsud, Tehsil-Sonahatu, District-Ranchi, Jharkhand (7.63 Ha).
- v. Gomyadih Balu Ghat (Sand Mine) of M/s Mahavir Infraengineering P. Ltd, Village-Gomyadih, Tehsil-Sonahatu, District- Ranchi, Jharkhand (9.06 Ha).
- vi. Navadih Balu Ghat (Sand Mine) of M/s Mahavir Infraengineering P. Ltd, Village-Navadih, Tehsil-Khalari, District- Ranchi, Jharkhand (5.47 Ha).
- vii. Biradiri Balu Ghat (Sand Mine) of M/s Mahavir Infraengineering P. Ltd, Village-Biradiri, Tehsil-Sonahatu, District- Ranchi, Jharkhand (15.85 Ha).
- viii. Dibadih Balu Ghat (Sand Mine) of M/s Mahavir Infraengineering P. Ltd, Village-Dibadih, Tehsil-Sonahatu, District- Ranchi, Jharkhand (14.03 Ha).
- ix. Hethburadih Balu Ghat (Sand Mine) of M/s Mahavir Infraengineering P. Ltd, Village-Hethburadih, Tehsil-Bundu, District- Ranchi, Jharkhand (13.00 Ha).
- x. Churgi Balu Ghat (Sand Mine) of M/s Mahavir Infraengineering P. Ltd, Village-Churgi, Tehsil -Bundu, District- Ranchi, Jharkhand (21.59 Ha)
- xi. Somadih Balu Ghat (Sand Mine) of M/s Mahavir Infraengineering P. Ltd, Village-Somadih, Tehsil-Sonahatu, District- Ranchi, Jharkhand (17.26 Ha)
- xii. Edarmahatu Balu Ghat (Sand Mine) of M/s Mahavir Infraengineering P. Ltd, Village-Edarmahatu, Tehsil-Sonahatu, District- Ranchi, Jharkhand (12.15 Ha).
- xiii. Kanchi Balu Ghat (Sand Mine) of M/s Mahavir Infraengineering P. Ltd, Village-Kanchi, Tehsil-Bundu, District- Ranchi, Jharkhand (24.53 Ha).

SEIAA agrees with the recommendations of SEAC regarding the issues of ToR to these project proposals. SEIAA decides to issue the ToR to these project proposals.

4. In the 24th meeting of SEIAA held on 02/09/2014 it was observed that recommendations of SEAC did not seem to be consistent on the cases of similar nature. SEAC has specifically made its response. SEIAA took note of the comments. SEAC needs to bring all the facts clearly in their recommendations.
5. In the 24th meeting of SEIAA held on 02/09/2014 it was observed that the minutes of the SEAC meeting were not being signed by all the members. SEAC has mentioned that the


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statement was not correct and that all the members invariably sign on the minutes of SEAC meeting.

SEIAA once again observes that the minutes of SEAC meeting forwarded to it do not bear the signatures of all the members. SEAC would like to forward the minutes bearing the signature of all the members.

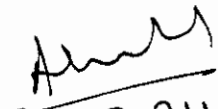
6. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC to grant the Environmental Clearance to the following project proposals related to stone mining –

- i. Damdami Stone Mine of M/s Maa Stone Works at Village.- Damdami, P.S. & Block- Husainabad, District- Palamu, Jharkhand (4.047 Ha)
- ii. Stone Mine of Mr. Arun Kumar Ladia at Village – Lakhanpur, Block- Bengabad, District- Giridih, Jharkhand.(0.732 Ha)
- iii. Stone Mine of Smt. Saroj Minj at Village- Karoundajor, Tehsil- Bharno, District-Gumla, Jharkhand (3.64 Ha)
- iv. Gadwa Stone Deposit of Shri Ram Niwas Yadav at Village- Gadwa, Thana- Taljhari, District-Sahibganj Jharkhand (3.67 Ha).
- v. Saharpur Stone Deposit of Shri Kaushal Kishore Singh & Shri Harinandan Choudhary at Village- Dudhani, P.S. -Dumka, District- Dumka, Jharkhand (1.137 Ha)
- vi. Stone Mine of M/s Janta Stone Works at Village- Ledatand, P.S.- Topchachi, District Dhanbad, Jharkhand. (0.708 Ha)
- vii. Stone Mine of Mr. Santosh Kumar Munshi at Village.- Gendanawadih, P.S.- Topchanchi, District- Dhanbad ,Jharkhand.(1.214 Ha)
- viii. M/s Okhargara Stone Mines of Mr. Sunil Kumar Sharma at Village.- Okhargara, Tehsil- Meral, District- Garhwa, Jharkhand (0.50 Ha)
- ix. M/s New India Industries (Stone Mine) at Village – Dumariatand, Tehsil- Suriya, District- Giridih Jharkhand (1.79 Ha).
- x. Chorganwa Stone Mines of Shri Teklal Saw at Village- Chorganwa, P.S. -Mahuatand, District- Bokaro, Jharkhand (0.486 Ha.)

SEIAA agrees with the recommendations made by SEAC to grant Environmental Clearance (EC) to these project proposals. SEIAA, therefore, decides to grant EC to these projects on the conditions recommended by SEAC.

7. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC to grant the Environmental Clearance to the following project proposals related to brick clay mining –

- i. Brick Clay Mining of M/s SPM Bricks at Village Rakua, P.O-Sutri, P.S- Gola, District- Ramgarh, Jharkhand(1.00 Ha).


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- ii. Brick Clay Mining of M/s Janta Bricks Manufacturers at Village – Bauakala P.O - Bansuria, District-Dhanbad, Jharkhand (0.509 Ha).

- iii. Brick Clay Mining of M/s JBC Bricks at Village- Hesagarha, P.O -Hesagarha, District-Ramgarh , Jharkhand (0.73 Ha)
- iv. Brick Clay Mining of M/s Dinesh Kumar Bricks at Village Kaditola, P.O-Suganu, District-Ranchi, Jharkhand (0.857 Ha)
- v. Brick Clay Mining of M/s General Bricks Company at Village-Bolaitand, P.O & P.S- Rajganj, District-Dhanbad, Jharkhand (0.496 Ha)
- vi. Brick Clay Mining of M/s S.C.M Bricks at Village-Masmohna, P.O-Barkakana, District-Ramgarh, Jharkhand (0.80 Ha).
- vii. Brick Clay Mining of M/s Shree Maa Rankini Bricks at Village – Chandrarekha, P.O-Mahulia, District-East Singhbhum Jharkhand (1.71 Ha).
- viii. Brick Clay Mining of M/s S.K.F Bricks at Village-Masmohna, P.O-Barkakana, District-Ramgarh, Jharkhand (0.81 Ha.)
- ix. Brick Clay Mining for M/s S.C.M Bricks at Village – Kashitand, P.O. – Kalyanpur, P.S.- Barwa adda, District- Dhanbad, Jharkhand (1.01 Ha.)
- x. Brick Clay Mining for M/s P.K.S Bricks (Shri Prem Kumar Singh) at Village –Doba , P.O.- Kapali, P.S.- Chandil, District- Saraikela-Kharsawan, Jharkhand(1.72 Ha).
- xi. Brick Clay Mining of M/s Shyamal Baran Mandal Bricks at Village – Putlupung, P.O-Chakri, P.S- Kowali, District-East Singhbhum, Jharkhand (0.860 Ha).
- xii. Brick Clay Mining of M/s Shivcharan Industries at Village – Dumarkunda, P.O-Chirkunda, District-Dhanbad, Jharkhand (1.00 Ha).
- xiii. Brick Clay Mining of M/s NBM Bricks at Golmara, P.O-Muradih, P.S- Barwaadda, District- Dhanbad, Jharkhand (0.598 Ha)
- xiv. Brick Clay Mining for M/s Ashok Bricks (Shri Ashok Kumar) at Village – Damkada Barwa, P.O.- Kalyanpur, P.S.- Barwa adda, District- Dhanbad, Jharkhand.(1.01 Ha)
- xv. Brick Clay Mining of M/s BBM Bricks at Village - Chota Pichhari, P.O-Kalyanpur, District-Dhanbad, Jharkhand (0.481 Ha).
- xvi. Brick Clay Mining for M/s Jain Clay Works at Village – Govindpur, P.O.- Bahragora, District- East Singhbhum, Jharkhand (1.97 Ha)
- xvii. Brick Clay Mining for M/s Hind Bricks (Shri Mohit Agrawal) at Sonagada, P.O.- Musabani, District- East Singhbhum, Jharkhand.(0.30 Ha)
- xviii. Brick Clay Mining for M/s Atikur Rahman at Village - Bhatiya Basti, Adityapur, Saraikela- Kharsawan Jharkhand (0.93 Ha)
- xix. Brick Clay Mining for M/s Maa bricks at Village- Chaha, P.O.- Jamira, P.S.- Rajrappa, District-Ramgarh, Jharkhand (0.404 Ha).
- xx. Brick Clay Mining of M/s SPM Bricks at Village- Jainagar, P.O Murradih, District-Dhanbad, Jharkhand (0.59 Ha).

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- xxi. Brick Clay Mining of M/s ABM Bricks at Village- Budhawashayar, P.O- Murradih, District-Dhanbad, Jharkhand (0.404 Ha).
- xxii. Brick Clay Mining of M/s MBM Bricks at Village- Village - Jitpur, P.O - Nagarkiyari, P.S- Barwa Adda, District-Dhanbad, Jharkhand (0.404 Ha).
- xxiii. Brick Clay Mining of M/s Steel Bricks at Village- Saraiya, P.O- Kundrukalan, District- Ramgarh, Jharkhand (0.808 Ha).
- xxiv. Brick Clay Mining of M/s Jagdamba Bricks Manufacturers at Village-Udaypur, P.O- Kalyanpur, P.S-Barwaadda, District-Dhanbad, Jharkhand (0.43 Ha).

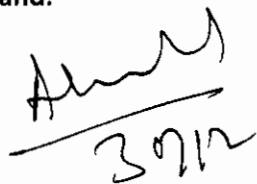
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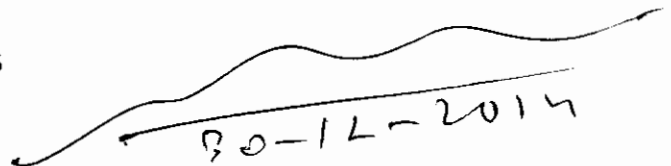
8. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC to grant the Environmental Clearance to the following project proposals related to Balu Ghats-River bed Sand mining.

- I. Chaptura on Bansloi River Balu Ghat of M/s Maredian Realtors Pvt. Ltd at Village - Chaptura, Tehsil- Maheshpur, District-Pakur, Jharkhand (1.28 Ha).
- II. Jagadispur on Bansloi River Balu Ghat of M/s Maredian Realtors Pvt Ltd at Village- Jagadispur, Tehsil- Maheshpur, District-Pakur, Jharkhand (3.04 Ha).
- III. Ghanshyampur on Bansloi River Balu Ghat of M/s Maredian Realtors Pvt Ltd at Village- Ghanshyampur, Tehsil- Maheshpur, District- Pakur, Jharkhand (4.02 Ha)
- IV. Babudaha on Bansloi River Balu Ghat of M/s The Mills Store Company (Bombay) Pvt Ltd at Village- Babudaha, Tehsil-Maheshpur, District-Pakur, Jharkhand (4.55 Ha).
- V. Dubrajpur on Bansloi River Balu Ghat of M/s The Mills Store Company (Bombay) Pvt Ltd, Village-Dubrajpur, Tehsil-Maheshpur, District-Pakur, Jharkhand (1.27 Ha).
- VI. Patharchali on Bansloi River Balu Ghat of M/s The Mills Store Company (Bombay) Pvt. Ltd at Village-Patharchali, Tehsil-Maheshpur, District-Pakur, Jharkhand (1.08 Ha).
- VII. Harishpur on Bansloi River Balu Ghat of M/s The Mills Store Company (Bombay) Pvt Ltd at Village-Harishpur, Tehsil-Maheshpur, District-Pakur, Jharkhand (2.70 Ha).

SEIAA agrees with the recommendations made by SEAC to grant Environmental Clearance (EC) to these project proposals. SEIAA therefore decides to grant EC to these projects on the conditions recommended by SEAC.

9. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC to grant the Environmental Clearance to the project proposal namely Screening & Scoping of Sponge Iron of M/s Narsimha Iron & Steel Pvt. Ltd., Village-Marhand, Tehsil-Hazaribagh, District-Hazaribagh, Jharkhand.


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SEIAA agrees with the recommendations made by SEAC to grant Environmental Clearance (EC) to the project proposal mentioned above. SEIAA, therefore, decides to grant EC to the project on the conditions recommended by SEAC.

10. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC for issuing the ToR to the following project proposals –

- i. Cluster Mines Patnibona Stone Mine along with Crusher (6.086 Ha), Patnibona Stone Mine (0.56 Ha) & Godai Tungi Stone Mine (2.218 Ha).
 - a. Patnibona Stone Mine along with Crusher of Shri Narsingh Lagdhir at Village – Patnibona, Thana- Taljhari, District-Sahebganj, Jharkhand (6.086 Ha.)
 - b. Patni bona Stone Mine of M/s Harilal Ajoy & Comp. at Village.- Patnibona, Thana- Taljhari, District- Sahebganj Jharkhand (0.567 Ha)
 - c. Godai Tungi Stone Mine of M/s Harilal Ajoy & Comp at Village.- Godai Tungi, Thana- Taljhari, District- Sahebganj, Jharkhand.(2.218 Ha)
- ii. Fire Clay Mining Project of M/s Ved Prakash Verma, Village-Chetar, P.O-Balumath, District-Latehar, Jharkhand (47.20 Ha).

SEIAA agrees with the recommendations made by SEAC to issue ToR to these project proposals. SEIAA therefore decides to issue ToR to these project proposals.

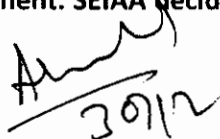
11. SEAC has requested SEIAA to communicate to proponents of the following projects to get the mining plan revised and resubmit the proposals as there were discrepancies in the mining plan submitted by them -

- i. Stone Quarry at Dhab Salonia of Shri Parmeshwar Gope at Village- Dhab Salonia, P.O- Dhab, Thana- Chauparan, District- Hazaribagh, Jharkhand (0.55 Ha)
- ii. Stone Quarry at Churchu of Shri Dilip Prasad at Village- Churchu, P.O- Ichak, Thana- Sadar, District- Hazaribagh, Jharkhand (0.412 Ha)

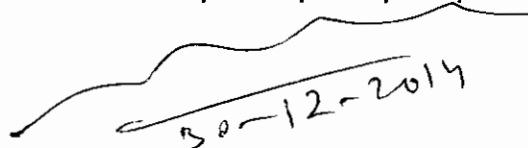
SEIAA agrees to the request made by SEAC. The project proponents should be communicated accordingly at the earliest.

12. It has come to the notice of SEIAA that SEAC receives certain documents etc from the project proponents / consultants during the SEAC meeting. However these documents are neither received under record nor are any mention made of them on the concerned file. SEAC needs to receive the documents from proponents during its meeting duly under record and make a mention of it duly when the file is sent back to SEIAA.

13. In the follow up of the decision taken by SEIAA in its 26th meeting held on 24th November, 2014 regarding the recommendations made by SEAC for issuing the ToR to the existing project of M/S Super Smelters Limited at Addi Bunglow Road, Jhumri Telaiya, District- Koderma, Jharkhand, SEIAA perused the data generated to prepared EIA / EMP submitted by the project proponent. SEIAA decides to issue the ToR as per the prescription prescribed by SEAC.


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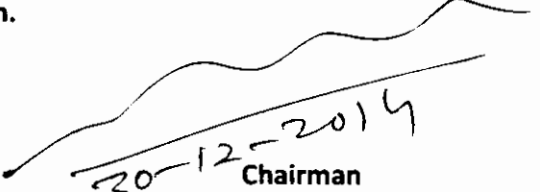

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14. SEIAA considered the SEAC letter no. 211 dated 18.12.2014 issued by Secretary, SEAC in the context of MoEF notification S.O. 2601 (E) dated 7th October, 2014. SEAC taking reference of its recommendations regarding Stone Mining Project (B2 category) in its 23rd meeting held on 17th to 20th November, 2014 has informed that the said recommendations were based on the MoEF notifications issued earlier than the notification S.O. 2601 (E) dated 7th October, 2014. In this reference SEAC has suggested that SEIAA may ask the project proponents to resubmit revised certificate from DMO stating that there are no mines existing and proposed within the distance of 500 m.

SEIAA agrees to the suggestion made by SEAC. The decisions of SEIAA in its 27th meeting held on 11th December, 2014 regarding grant of EC to stone mining projects based on the recommendations made by SEAC, are kept hold. SEIAA also decides to ask all the project proponents to accordingly resubmit the certificate from DMO concerned.

The meeting concluded with vote of thanks to the Chairman.


Member-Secretary
SEIAA.


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Chairman
SEIAA.

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1. Secretary, Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change, Indira Paryavaran Bhavan, Jor Bagh Road, Aliganj, New Delhi – 110003 for kind information.
2. Principal Secretary, Department of Forests & Environment, Government of Jharkhand, Nepal House Secretariat, Doranda, Ranchi for kind information.
3. Chairman, Central Pollution Control Board, CBD-cum-office Complex, East Arjun Nagar, New Delhi-110032 for kind information.
4. Chief Conservator of Forests, Regional Office (Eastern Zone), Ministry of Environment & Forests, A-31, Chandrasekharpur, Bhubhaneshwar, Odisha-751023 for kind information.
5. Member Secretary, Jharkhand State Pollution Control Board, Jharkhand, Ranchi.
6. Secretary, SEAC, Jharkhand, Ranchi for kind information.
7. Chairman/Member, SEIAA, Jharkhand, Ranchi for kind information.
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