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File No.: 458933/05-MIN/01-2024

Government of India

Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change

(Issued by the State Environment Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA),  
ODISHA)

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Dated 14/03/2024



To,

Batakrushna Nath  
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**Subject:** Amendment in Environmental Clearance (EC) 16/01/2024 granted to the project under the provision of the EIA Notification 2006 -regarding.

**Sir/Madam,**

This is in reference to your application submitted to SEIAA vide proposal number SIA/OR/MIN/458933/2024 dated 16/01/2024 for grant of an amendment in prior Environmental Clearance (EC) to the project under the provision of the EIA Notification 2006-and as amended thereof.

2. The particulars of the proposal are as below :

(i) EC Identification No.	EC24C0107OR5190228A
(ii) File No.	458933/05-MIN/01-2024
(iii) Clearance Type	Amendment in EC
(iv) Category	B2
(v) Schedule No./ Project Activity	1(a) Mining of minerals PAHANGA KANDAL SAND QUARRY OVER 12.00 ACRES OR 4.856 HECTARES IN VILLAGE PAHANGA UNDER NIALI TAHASIL OF CUTTACK DISTRICT, ODISHA
(vii) Name of Project	CUTTACK, ODISHA
(viii) Location of Project (District, State)	SEIAA
(ix) Issuing Authority	16/01/2024
(x) EC Date	NO
(xii) Applicability of General Conditions	
(xiii) Status of implementation of the project	

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**File No. SIA/OR/MIN/458933/2024**

To

Sri Batakrushna Nath  
S/o-S.C. Nath,  
At-Mahanadi Vihar, Chauliaganj  
Pin-753004, Odisha

**Sub: Proposal for Amendment of Environmental Clearance (EC) of Pahanga Kandal Sand Quarry over 12.00 Acres or 4.856 Hectares in Village Pahanga under Niali Tahasil of Cuttack District, Odisha of Sri Batakrushna Nath, the PP/Successful bidder/lessee-regarding.**

- Ref: (i) EC identification no. 1496/SEIAA dated 30.06.2021 & EC transfer vide letter no. 3621/SEIAA dt. 18.12.2021 & EC amended on 21.06.2023.
- (ii) Online Application no. SIA/OR/MIN/458933/2024 dtd.16.01.2024

Sir/Madam,

This has reference to your online application no. SIA/OR/MIN/458933/2024 dated 16.01.2024, wherein you have requested for amendment (i.e. amendment of EC regard to annual production of sand as per replenishment study report) of Environmental Clearance (EC) granted by SEIAA, Odisha vide letter no./EC identification No. 1496/SEIAA dated 30.06.2021 in favour of Sri Batakrushna Nath, the lessee/successful bidder.

2. The application was examined in the State Environment Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA), Odisha in its 157<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 22.02.2024 in accordance with the EIA Notification, 2006 as amended from time to time and the following points are noted;

- (i) This is a proposal for amendment of EC of Pahanga Kandal Sand Quarry over 12.00 Acres or 4.856 Hectares In Village Pahanga under Niali Tahasil of Cuttack District, Odisha.
- (ii) The project proponent has obtained EC from SEIAA, Odisha vide EC letter no. 1496/SEIAA dated 30.06.2021 & EC transfer vide letter no. 3621/SEIAA dt. 18.12.2021 & EC amended on 21.06.2023 for Pahanga Kandal Sand Quarry over 12.00 Acres or 4.856 Hectares in Village Pahanga under Niali Tahasil of Cuttack District, Odisha.



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- (iii) During EC application the PP has submitted required documents along with mining plan where it is mentioned that mineable reserve of the proposed sand was 65258 cum with depth of sand deposition was 2.0 meter and proposed for annual extraction-7032 cum.
  - (iv) The SEIAA allowed 7032 cum of sand for 1<sup>st</sup> year production with depth of mining 1.5 meter.
  - (v) There is an EC conditions point no. 9.1 to 9.2 in page no. 03 that "Pending carrying out of the study & submission of the report, this clearance is being granted in an adhoc manner and is liable to be revoked after one year i.e. after 15<sup>th</sup> May 2022, if satisfactory replenishment study report is not submitted."
  - (vi) The Amendment of EC was issued on 21.06.2023 and allowed extraction of sand quantity 5235 cum for 2<sup>nd</sup> year subject to submission ASRRS report by 31<sup>st</sup> march 2024.
  - (vii) The PP has extracted 2232 cum of sand from the source for the period 01.02.2022 to till 23.05.2022.
  - (viii) The ARRS done by My World Consultancy Services Pvt Ltd with mentioned that both Pre monsoon (25.05.2023) and Post Monsoon (03.11.2023) has been carried out by Drone survey method. The available replenishment mineable reserve after post monsoon in common workable area of 7709sqm is 7000 cum.
  - (ix) Documents submitted for amendment of EC;
    - a. Form No. 4 for amendment of Environmental Clearance,
    - b. Replenishment study report
3. The proposal was placed in SEAC meeting held on 29.01. 2024 and the SEAC decided to recommend the proposal for Mod EC as per the replenished sand quantity i.e., 7000 cum of sand.
4. Amendment of Environmental Clearance (EC) letter no./Identification no. 1496/SEIAA dated 30.06.2021 issued for Pahanga Kandal Sand Quarry in favour of Sri Batakrushna Nath is **allowed** for extraction quantity of sand i.e. **7000 cum/annum** for the rest of the lease period i.e. for the 2<sup>nd</sup> year, 3<sup>rd</sup> year, 4<sup>th</sup> year and 5<sup>th</sup> year. The other stipulated terms and conditions of the original EC initially granted remains same subject to satisfactory compliance to all the stipulated terms and conditions of EC along with following additional stipulation:

**Additional stipulation**

- (i) The PP is required to carry out the Annual rate of replenishment study (ARRS) through ORSAC empanel agency in subsequent year and submit the report to SEIAA, Odisha.
- (ii) The validity of EC is for validity of DSR or validity of lease period whichever is earlier.
- (iii) The Project Proponent (lease holder) shall deposit Rs.2,50,000/-, with the respective District Environment Society for raising 500 plants (minimum @100



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- trees per Ha) of native species within 2 years in a suitable location adjoining to quarry
- (iv) The PP shall implement the EMP cost is mentioned in the EMP report and submitted it during EC application.

The Project Proponent shall uploaded/submitted six monthly EC compliance in the Parivesh Portal of MoEF & CC., Govt. of India only within six months (06) from date of issue of transfer of EC, falling which the EC stands automatically revoked.

In case, there is a change in the scope of the project, fresh Environment Clearance shall be obtained.

Yours faithfully,

  
Member Secretary

Copy to

1. Joint Secretary (Environment), Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change Govt. of India, Indira Paryavaran Bhavan, Jor Bagh Road, Aliganj, New Delhi-110003 for information.
2. Principal Secretary, Forests & Environment Dept., Government of Odisha for information.
3. Member Secretary, State Pollution Control Board, Odisha, Paribesh Bhawan, A/118, Nilakantha Nagar, Unit-8, Bhubaneswar for information.
4. Additional Principal Conservator of Forests, Regional Office (EZ), Ministry of Environment & Forests, A-31, Chandrasekharapur, Bhubaneswar for information.
5. Chairman, Central Pollution Control Board, CBD-cum-office Complex, East Arjun Nagar, New Delhi-110032 for information.
6. Member Secretary, CGWA, 18/11, Jamnagar House, Man Singh Road, New Delhi-110011 for information.
7. Copy to Director of Mines, Steel & Mines Dept., Govt. of Odisha for information and necessary action.
8. Copy to the Collector/Sub Collector, Cuttack, DFO, Cuttack and Tahasildar Niali /Mining Officer, Cuttack for information and necessary action.
9. Chairman/Member / Member Secretary, SEIAA for information.
10. Chairman, SEAC/Member Secretary, SEAC, Paribesh Bhawan, A/118, Nilakantha Nagar, Unit-VIII, Bhubaneswar for information.
11. Guard file for record.

  
Member Secretary