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File No.: SEIAA-1519/03-2021  
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 30/05/2024



To,

BISWAJIT MOHANTY  
Sri Rupesh Agrawal  
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**Subject:** Grant of Transfer of EC to the project under the provision of the EIA Notification 2006 and as amended thereof regarding.

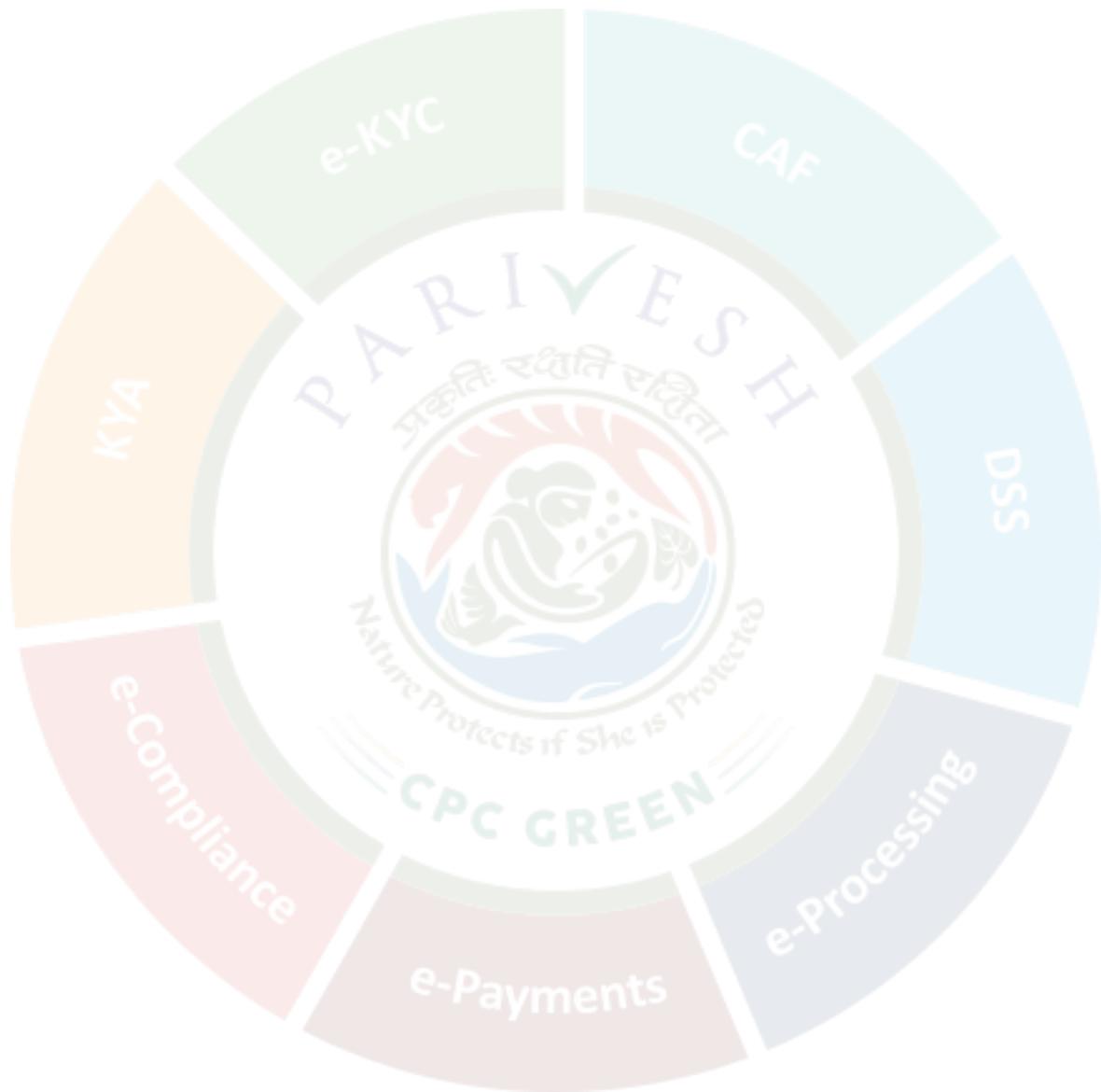
**Sir/Madam,**

This is in reference to your application submitted to SEIAA vide proposal number SIA/OR/MIN/469406/2024 dated 16/04/2024 for grant of transfer of EC to the project under the provision of para 11 of the EIA Notification 2006-and as amended thereof.

2. The particulars of the proposal are as below :

(i) EC Identification No.	EC24C0107OR5526998T
(ii) File No.	SEIAA-1519/03-2021
(iii) Clearance Type	Transfer of EC
(iv) Category	B2
(v) Schedule No./ Project Activity	1(a) Mining of minerals Proposal for Transfer of Environmental Clearance of Uchhla Sand Bed over an Area of 12.355 acres or 5.0 Hectares in Village Uchhla Under Golamunda Tahasil of Kalahandi District
(vii) Name of Project	KALAHANDI, ODISHA
(viii) Location of Project (District, State)	SEIAA
(ix) Issuing Authority	30/05/2024
(x) EC Date	BISWAJIT MOHANTY, At-Sitabordipada, PO-Bhawanipatna, Dist.-Kalahandi, Odisha, PIN-766013, Sitabordipada, 358, 21, 766013
(xi) Details of Transferee	Sri Rupesh Agrawal, At/Po-Golamunda, Golamunda, 358, 21, 766016
(xii) Details of Transferor	

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SRF-2/1, Unit-IX, Bhubaneswar-751022, Tel: 0674-3512840, Email: seiaaodisha@gmail.com  
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**Sub: Proposal for Transfer of Environmental Clearance of Uchhla River Sand Quarry over an Area of 12.355 acres or 5.0 Hectares in Village Uchhla under Golamunda Tahasil of Kalahandi District, Odisha from the name Sri Rupesh Agrawal to Sri Biswajit Mohanty, the lessee/successful bidder-reg.**

- Ref: (i) EC letter no./EC identification no. 2634/SEIAA dt. 04.09.2021  
(ii) Mining Officer, Kalahandi, letter no. 19 dated 10.04.2024  
(iii) Online Application no. SIA/OR/MIN/469406/2024 dtd.16.04.2024

Sir/Madam

This has reference to your online application no. SIA/OR/MIN/469406/2024 dated 16.04.2024, wherein you have requested for transfer of Environmental Clearance (EC) granted by SEIAA, Odisha vide letter no./EC identification No. 2634/SEIAA dt. 04.09.2021 in favour of Sri Biswajit Mohanty, the successful bidder.

2. The application was examined in the State Environment Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA), Odisha in its 166<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 07.05.2024 & 08.05.2024 in accordance with the Para-11 of the EIA Notification, 2006 as amended from time to time and the following points are noted;

- (i) As submitted by the Mining Officer, Kalahandi it is noted that EC was obtained for Uchhla River Sand Quarry for a period of 5 years in favour of Sri Rupesh Agrawal vide the above-mentioned EC letter under reference. Sri Rupesh Agrawal, the earlier lessee/successful bidder has mentioned that his financial condition is not stable. Hence, he is no able to operate the quarry and wants to transfer the quarry to Sri Biswajit Mohanty, the new lessee for remaining period of the lease.
- (ii) Now, the said sairat source has been leased out by the Mining Officer, Kalahandi to the new lessee for remaining period lease. Hence, the Mining Officer has requested for transfer of EC in favour of Sri Biswajit Mohanty who is the successful bidder in this case for operationalization of the sairat source for remaining period of the lease under the provision of OMMC Rules, 2016.
- (iii) Neither, the PP nor the lease granting Authority have mentioned the operational status of the quarry and quantity of sand extracted from the source after obtaining EC from SEIAA, Odisha.
- (iv) Documents submitted for EC Transfer;



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- a. Form No. 7 for transfer of Environmental Clearance,
  - b. Letter no. 19 dated 10.04.2024 of Mining Officer, Kalahandi for transfer of EC to Sri Biswajit Mohanty as the successful bidder for Uchhla River Sand Quarry.
  - c. Cyber Treasury e-challan no.37F9E373DA dated 15.04.2024 of Rs.2000/- towards scrutiny fee.
  - d. Undertaking for accepting the terms and conditions in the original EC.
3. Transfer of Environmental Clearance (EC) letter no. 2634/SEIAA dt. 04.09.2021 of Uchhla River Sand Quarry **is allowed** in favour of Sri Biswajit Mohanty, the successful bidder/lessee. In absence of Annual Rate of Replenishment Study (ARRS) report, the production quantity of sand **750 cum** (i.e. 25% of the 1<sup>st</sup> year production quantity is allowed in EC letter) **is allowed for 2<sup>nd</sup> year** in adhoc manner. The other stipulated terms and conditions of the original EC initially granted on 04.09.2021 remain same subject to satisfactory compliance to all the stipulated terms and conditions of EC along with additional stipulation.

**Additional stipulation**

- (i) The project proponent is required to submit the Annual Rate of Replenishment Study (ARRS) through ORSAC empanel agency or NABET consultant as per MoEF & CC, Govt. of India guideline by **31<sup>st</sup> March 2025**.
- (ii) The validity of EC is for validity of DSR or validity of lease period whichever is earlier.
- (iii) Boundary Demarcation: - The boundary of the lease area shall be demarcated on ground at the project cost, by erecting 1.20 meter (4 feet approx.) high reinforced concrete pillars above ground, each inscribed with its serial number, distance from pillar to pillar and GPS co-ordinates by any empanelled agency of ORSAC.
- (iv) Digital Map: -A digital map (in KML format as well as PDF version) showing GPS coordinates of all boundary pillars duly countersigned by the concerned lease granting Authority Tahasildar/Mining Officer shall be submitted to SEIAA, Odisha through email at [info.seiaaodisha@gmail.com](mailto:info.seiaaodisha@gmail.com).
- (v) Intimation of EC: -The copies of the EC shall be sent to the Sarpanch (s) of the concerned Gram Panchayat (s), Urban Local Bodies and relevant other Offices of the Government with a request to display the same for 30 days from the date of receipt.
- (vi) Tree Plantation:-Compensatory Tree Planting (CTP) shall be carried out with minimum @100 trees per Ha. of lease area as per the approved cost norm for plantations of the State Forest Department. The Project Proponent (lease holder) shall deposit Rs.2,50,000/- with the respective District Environment Society for raising 500 plants of native species within 2 years in a suitable location adjoining to quarry.



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(vii) The PP shall expend the amount provision for EMP and submit it in six-monthly compliance report.

The Project Proponent/lessee shall uploaded/submitted six monthly EC compliance in the Parivesh Portal of MoEF & CC., Govt. of India only on half-yearly basis falling which the EC is liable to 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, Chandrasekharpur, 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 the Collector/Sub Collector, Kalahandi, DFO, Kalahandi and Tahasildar Golamunda /Mining Officer Kalahandi for information and necessary action.
8. Director of Mines, Steel & Mines Dept, Govt. of Odisha.
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