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File No.: 467229/132-MIN/03-2024

Government of India

Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change

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



Dated 27/09/2024



To,

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Subject: Amendment in Environmental Clearance (EC) 25/03/2024 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/467229/2024 dated 25/03/2024 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.	EC24C0107OR5311210A
(ii) File No.	467229/132-MIN/03-2024
(iii) Clearance Type	Amendment in EC
(iv) Category	B2
(v) Schedule No./ Project Activity	1(a) Mining of minerals Proposal for Amendment of EC for Baspur Luna River Sand Quarry is located in village Baspur over an area of 12.231 Ac or 4.95 Ha. (Khata No-439 and Plot No.- 1099) under Derabish Tahasil in Kendrapara of Odisha State.
(vii) Name of Project	
(viii) Location of Project (District, State)	KENDRAPARA, ODISHA
(ix) Issuing Authority	SEIAA
(x) EC Date	25/03/2024
(xii) Applicability of General Conditions	NO
(xiii) Status of implementation of the project	

1. In view of the particulars given in the Para-1 above, the project proposal interalia including Form-4 (Part A, B & C) were submitted to the SEAC for an appraisal by the State Level Expert Appraisal Committee (SEAC) under the provision

of EIA notification 2006 and its subsequent amendments thereto.

2. The above-mentioned proposal has been considered by SEAC in its meeting held on 03.05.2024. The minutes of the meeting and all the project documents are available on Parivesh portal which can be accessed from the Parivesh portal by scanning the QR Code above or through the following web link [click here](#).
3. The brief about the reasons for an amendment requested along with the brief on the salient features of the project as submitted by the project proponent in Form- 4 (Part A, B & C) and as presented before SEAC and the details of the amendment of EC are annexed as Annexure- 2.
4. The PP has submitted the amendment of EC application under item no. 1(a)- 'Mining of Mineral Projects' in the schedule of EIA Notification, 2006 as amended from time to time, and the minor mineral extraction project falls under Category B2 as the mining lease area is less than 5 ha.
5. The proposal was placed in the SEAC meeting held on 03.05.2024 under the provisions of EIA Notification 2006 and its subsequent amendments and the SEAC decided to recommend the proposal to extract sand as per the actual replenishment quantity i.e., 8016 m³ as mentioned in Replenishment Study Report subject to approval of Modified Mining Plan. Transportation of sand to be taken up with permission from appropriate authorities. Safety distance from bridge as per the MoEF guidelines should be maintained.
6. The SEIAA, Odisha has examined the proposal in 170th meeting held on 03.07.2024 & 04.07.2024 in accordance with the extant provisions of the Environment Impact Assessment (EIA) Notification, 2006 & further amendments thereto and based on the recommendations of the SEAC hereby accords amendment in Environment Clearance dated 22/08/2022 for the instant proposal to Sri Jogendra Behera and allowed the production quantity of sand **8016 cum per year for rest of the lease period** under the provisions of EIA Notification, 2006 and as amended thereof subject to compliance of EC conditions, general instructions issued vide EC letter dated 22/08/2022 and EC letter no./identification number EC22B001OR162433 and following additional specific conditions as mentioned in Annexure-1.
7. This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

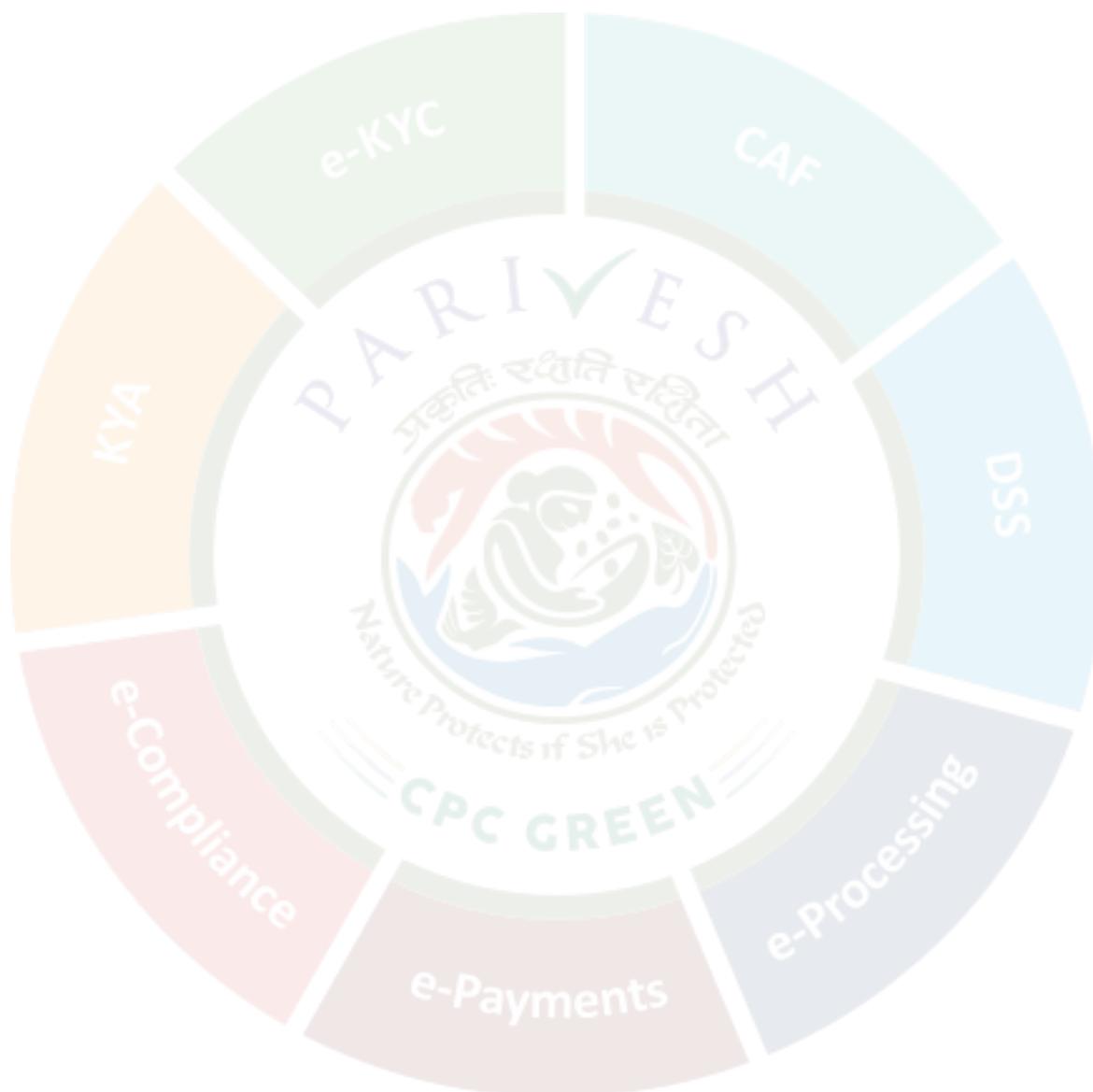
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1. Joint Secretary (Environment), Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change Govt. of India, Indira Paryavaran Bhavan, Jor Bagh Road, Aliganj, New Delhi-110003 for information.
2. Principal Secretary, Forests & Environment Dept., Government 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 Director of Mines, Steel & Mines Dept., Govt. of Odisha for information and necessary action.
8. Copy to the Collector/Sub Collector, Kendrapara, DFO, Kendrapara and Tahasildar Derabish /Mining Officer Kendrapara 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.

Annexure 1

Additional EC Conditions

1. The PP is required to carry out the Annual Rate of Replenishment Study (ARRS) report through ORSAC empanel agency in subsequent year and submit the report to SEIAA, Odisha.
2. Validity of EC is for validity of DSR or validity of lease period whichever is earlier.
3. The PP will implement the EMP with a budgetary allocation as proposed in the EMP report during EC application.
4. The Project Proponent shall uploaded/submit six monthly EC compliance in the Parivesh Portal of MoEF & CC., Govt. of India only within six months (06) from date of issue of Amendment of EC in regular basis, falling which the EC is liable to revoked.



Proposal in brief:

The highlights of the proposal as ascertained from the application and as revealed from proceedings/discussion held during the meeting of SEAC/SEIAA, are given as under.

- (i) This is a proposal for amendment of EC of Baspur Luna River Sand Quarry is located in village Baspur over an area of 12.231 Ac or 4.95 Ha. (Khata No-439 and Plot No.-1099) under Derabish Tahasil in Kendrapara of Odisha State.
- (ii) The project proponent has obtained EC from SEIAA, Odisha vide EC letter no. /EC Identification No.– EC22B001OR162433 dt.22.08.2022 & EC transfer dt. 11.11.2022 for Baspur Luna River Sand Quarry is located in village Baspur over an area of 12.231 Ac or 4.95 Ha. (Khata No-439 and Plot No.- 1099) under Derabish Tahasil in Kendrapara of Odisha State.
- (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 bed is 57033 cum, depth of sand deposition-3.0 meter and proposed for annual extraction-55002 cum.
- (iv) The SEIAA allowed 5000cum of sand for 1st year production with depth of mining 0.5 meters.
- (v) There is an EC conditions point no. 7.1 to 7.2 in page no. 04 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 November 2023, if satisfactory replenishment study report is not submitted.”
- (vi) The PP has mentioned that 5000 cum of sand has been extracted from the source in 1st year lease period.
- (vii) The replenishment study was done by the Areal Constructions & Geo-India Services (ORSAC Empanelment Agencies), with mentioned that Mineable Reserve during Pre-Monsoon Standard Elevation = 5.751369661, Post-Monsoon Standard Elevation = 6.33281296 and quantity of sand replenished is **8016 cum** and proposed production 4809 cum.
- (viii) The PP has complied the conditions of transfer EC in respect to deposit the amount of Rs. 2,25,000/- to District Environmental Society towards raising tree plantation as per DFO letter to Tahasildar, Derabis vide letter no. 2414 dated 14.03.2024 and tahasildar, Derabis letter to Branch Manager, SBI, Main Branch, Kendrapara vide letter no. 2377 dated 16.08.2024.
- (i) Any deficiencies/omission have been noticed in the above documents- Nil

2. **Whether SEAC recommended the proposal** – The proposal was placed in the SEAC meeting held on 03.05.2024 and the SEAC decided to recommend the proposal to extract sand as per the actual replenishment quantity i.e., **8016 m³** as mentioned in Replenishment study Report subject to approval of Modified Mining Plan. Transportation of sand to be taken up with permission from appropriate authorities. Safety distance from bridge as per the MoEF guidelines should be maintained.