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File No.: 8303
Government of India
Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change
(Issued by the State Environment Impact Assessment Authority(SEIAA),
TAMIL NADU)



Dated 25/06/2024



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Subject: Amendment/Time Extension in prior Terms of Reference (ToR) granted 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-TN vide proposal number SIA/TN/MIN/466813/2024 dated 21/03/2024 for grant of an amendment/ Extension of validity of Terms of Reference with Public Hearing for the Proposed Red Gravel and Ordinary stone quarry over an extent of 4.55.0 Ha located in S.F.No: 295/2A, 295/2B, 295/2D, 238/1, 295/4C, 238/3A, 238/2 and 238/3B, Keelaramanathi Village, Kamuthi Taluk, Ramanathapuram District by Thiru.M.Karthik under the provision of the EIA Notification 2006-and as amended thereof.

Ref:

1. MoEF&CC Office Memorandum dated: 08.06.2022
2. Earlier ToR issued by Letter.No.SEIAA-TN/F.No.8303/SEAC/ToR-954/2021 dated:03.05.2021
3. Online Proposal No. SIA/TN/INFRA2/466813/2023 Dated: 21.03.2024
4. Proponent application for extension of validity of ToR dated:06.05.2024

2. The particulars of the proposal are as below :

(i) TOR Identification No.	TO24B0108TN5745460A
(ii) File No.	8303
(iii) Clearance Type	Amendment in TOR and extension of ToR
(iv) Category	B1
(v) Schedule No./ Project Activity	1(a) Mining of minerals

(vii) Name of Project	Keelaramanathi Village Red Gravel and Ordinary Earth Quarry (Extent: 4.55.0 Ha)
(ix) Location of Project (District, State)	RAMANATHAPURAM, TAMIL NADU
(x) Issuing Authority	SEIAA
(xii) Applicability of General Conditions	No

3. In view of the particulars given in the Para 1 above, the project proposal interalia including Form-1(Part A and B) were submitted to SEIAA-TN for an appraisal by the State Expert Appraisal Committee under the provision of EIA notification 2006 and its subsequent amendments.
4. The above-mentioned proposal has been considered by SEIAA in the meeting held on 19/06/2024. The minutes of the meeting and all the project documents are available on PARIVESH portal which can be accessed by scanning the QR Code above.
5. he SEAC, based on information submitted viz: Form 1 (Part A, B) report etc., & clarifications provided by the project proponent and after detailed deliberations on all technical aspects and compliance thereto furnished by the Project Proponent, recommended the proposal for grant of Environment Clearance under the provision of EIA Notification, 2006 and as amended thereof subject to stipulation of Specific and Standard EC conditions as detailed in the point below.

The SEAC noted the following:

1. The Project Proponent, Thiru.M.Karthik has applied for Amendment / Time Extension of Terms of Reference for the proposed Red Gravel and Ordinary stone quarry over an extent of 4.55.0 Ha located in S.F.No: 295/2A, 295/2B, 295/2D, 238/1, 295/4C, 238/3A, 238/2 and 238/3B, Keelaramanathi Village, Kamuthi Taluk, Ramanathapuram District , Tamil Nadu.
2. The proposed quarry/activity is covered under Category “B1” of Item 1(a) “Mining Projects” of the Schedule to the EIA Notification, 2006, as amended.
3. ToR along with Public Hearing issued vide Letter.No.SEIAA-TN/F.No.8303/SEAC/ToR-954/2021 dated:03.05.2021 with validity upto 02.05.2024 restricting the ultimate depth of mining from 14m(12m Ordinary Stone+2m of Gravel) and accordingly the quantity of mining is 3,19,531cu.m of Ordinary Stone & 68,840cu.m of Gravel for a period of five years as per the approved mining plan considering the hydrogeological regime of the surrounding area.
4. As per MoEF&CC Office Memorandum dated: 08.06.2022, the validity of ToR shall be for a maximum period of four years in case of mining projects. Hence, the validity of the ToR issued is deemed to be valid upto **02.05.2025**.
Based on the presentation & documents furnished by the project proponent, the Committee decided to extend the validity period of ToR for a period of 1 year, i.e., up to **02.03.2025** subject to the following specific conditions.
 1. The PP shall complete the fencing, tree plantation and photographs, videos of the same shall be furnished.
 2. The PP shall complete the garland drainage around the boundary of the proposed quarry and the photographs indicating the same shall be shown during the EIA appraisal.
 3. The PP shall carry out drone video survey covering the cluster, green belt, fencing, etc.
 4. **All other conditions mentioned in the ToR Letter.No.SEIAA-TN/F.No.8303/SEAC/ToR-954/2021 dated:03.05.2021 shall remain unchanged and unaltered.**
6. The SEIAA, in its meeting held on 19/06/2024, based on information & clarifications provided by the project proponent and after detailed deliberations recommended the proposal for grant of amendment in Terms of Reference under the provision of EIA Notification, 2006 and as amended thereof.

After detailed discussions, the Authority accepts the recommendation of SEAC and decided to **grant ToR Extension** for a period of 1 year, i.e., up to 02.05.2025.

7.This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority

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1. The Secretary, Ministry of Mines, Government of India, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.
2. The Additional Chief Secretary to Government, Environment, Climate Change and Forests Department, Tamil Nadu.
3. The Additional Chief Secretary to Government, Natural Resources Department, Tamil Nadu.
4. The Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Regional Office (SZ), 34, HEPC Building, 1st & 2nd Floor, Cathedral Garden Road, Nungambakkam, Chennai - 34.
5. The Chairman, Central Pollution Control Board, Parivesh Bhawan, CBD-Cum-Office Complex, East Arjun Nagar, New Delhi - 110 032.
6. The Chairperson, TNPC Board, 76, Mount Salai, Guindy, Chennai - 32.
7. The District Collector, Ramanathapuram District.
8. The Commissioner of Geology and Mines, Guindy, Chennai - 32.
9. Assistant Director, Department of Geology & Mining, Ramanathapuram District.
10. EI Division, Ministry of Environment & Forests, Paryavaran Bhawan, New Delhi.
11. File Copy.

Annexure 1

Specific Terms of Reference for (Mining Of Minerals)

1. Seiaa Specificb Conditions:

S. No	Terms of Reference
1.1	After detailed discussions, the Authority accepts the recommendation of SEAC and decided to grant ToR Extension for a period of 1 year, i.e., up to 02.05.2025