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File No: 489863/305-MIN/07-2024

Government of India

Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change

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

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Date 05/11/2024



To,

Manoj Kumar Goel  
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**Subject:** Rejection of Environmental Clearance (EC) to the proposed Project under the EIA Notification 2006-  
and as amended thereof -regarding.

**Sir/Madam,**

This is in reference to your application submitted to Ministry vide proposal number SIA/OR/MIN/489863/2024 dated null for Rejection of 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.	EC24C0107OR5276759A
(ii) File No.	489863/305-MIN/07-2024
(iii) Clearance Type	Amendment in EC
(iv) Category	B2
(v) Project/Activity Included Schedule No.	1(a) Mining of minerals
(vii) Name of Project	Proposal for Amendment of Environmental Clearance of Patharla Sand Bed Over an Area of 9.00 Acres or 3.642 Hectares in Village Patharla Under Titlagarh Tahasil of Balangir District.
(viii) Name of Company/Organization	MANOJ GOEL
(ix) Location of Project (District, State)	BALANGIR, , ODISHA,
(x) Issuing Authority	SEIAA
(xi) Applicability of General Conditions as per EIA Notification, 2006	No

1. In view of the particulars given in the Para 1 above, the project proposal interalia including Application for Amendment in EC- Form-4 were submitted to the SEAC, Odisha for an appraisal by the State Expert Appraisal Committee (SEAC) under the provision of EIA notification 2006 and its subsequent amendments.

2. The above-mentioned proposal has been considered in 175th Meeting of State Environment Impact Assessment

Authority meeting held from 23/10/2024 to 24/10/2024. Based on the recommendations of the State Expert Appraisal Committee, Odisha (SEAC, Odisha), information & clarifications provided by the project proponent and after detailed deliberations the Authority decided "After detailed deliberation, the authority accepted the recommendation of SEAC and rejected the amendment of EC application as the ARRS report is not acceptable due to the following reasons:

i) Common Safe area has not been worked out properly. It is mentioned that since the most of lease area was waterlogged during post monsoon survey so drone survey could not be processed in water logged area. How the common safe workable area of 32294.620 has been arrived is not clear. Also, how other data like elevation etc has been obtained is not clear.

ii) No GCPs are taken.

iii) No benchmark is taken.

iv) No error statement is given.

V) Elevation data in table 7 and DTM is not matching."

Therefore, the proposal for Amendment in EC is Rejected as per provision of EIA Notification, 2006 and as amended thereof.

3. The minutes of the meeting and all the Application and documents submitted are available on PARIVESH portal which can be accessed by scanning the QR Code above.

4. This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

#### **Copy To**

1. Additional Chief Secretary, Forest, Environment & Climate Change Dept., Government of Odisha for information.
2. Member Secretary, State Pollution Control Board, Odisha, Paribesh Bhawan, A/118, Nilakantha Nagar, Unit-8, Bhubaneswar for information.
3. Member Secretary, SEAC, Paribesh Bhawan, A/118, Nilakantha Nagar, Unit- VIII, Bhubaneswar for information.
4. Deputy D.G.Forest., Integrated Regional Office (IRO), Ministry of Environment & Forests, A/3, Chandrasekharpur, Bhubaneswar for information.
5. Director of Mines, Steel & Mines Dept., Govt. of Odisha
6. Collector & DM, Balangir/Sub Collector, Balangir/, DFO, Balangir, Mining Officer, Balangir for Information and necessary action.
7. Guard file for record/Website/Parivesh Portal.

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