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File No.: 463692/136-MIN/03-2024

Government of India

Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change

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



Dated 17/06/2024



To,

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Subject: Amendment in Environmental Clearance (EC) 28/03/2024 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/463692/2024 dated 28/03/2024 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.	EC24C0107OR5592073A
(ii) File No.	463692/136-MIN/03-2024
(iii) Clearance Type	Amendment in EC
(iv) Category	B2
(v) Schedule No./ Project Activity	1(a) Mining of minerals Proposal for modification of EC on the basis of Replenishment Study Report of CHANDIPOS SAND BED over an area 12.00Ac or 4.856Hac in Chandiposh village under Kuarmunda tahasil of Sundargarh district Odisha
(vii) Name of Project	SUNDARGARH, ODISHA
(viii) Location of Project (District, State)	SEIAA
(ix) Issuing Authority	28/03/2024
(x) EC Date	NO
(xii) Applicability of General Conditions	
(xiii) Status of implementation of the project	

This has reference to your online application no. SIA/OR/MIN/463692/2024 dated 28.03.2024, 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. 9547/SEIAA dt. 04.11.2020 in favour Sri Mohan Kumar Agarwal, the successful bidder/lessee.

2. The application was examined in the State Environment Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA), Odisha in its 167th meeting held on 03.06.2024 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 Chandiposh Sand Bed over an area 12.00Ac or 4.856Hac in Chandiposh village under Kuarmunda tahasil of Sundargarh district Odisha.

(ii) The project proponent has obtained EC from SEIAA, Odisha vide EC letter no. /EC Identification No. – 9547/SEIAA dt. 04.11.2020 and EC transfer dt. 28.12.2023 for Chandiposh Sand Bed over an area 12.00Ac or 4.856Hac in Chandiposh village under Kuarmunda tahasil of Sundargarh district Odisha.

(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 is 42195 cum with depth of sand deposition was 1.0 meter and proposed for annual extraction-10000 cum.

(iv) The SEIAA allowed 10000 cum of sand for 1st year production with depth of mining 1.0 meter.

(v) There is an EC conditions point no. 9.1 to 9.2 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 2021, if satisfactory replenishment study report is not submitted.”

(vi) The quarry operated period from 19.05.2021 to 31.03.2022 (i.e. FY 2021-22) and 5347 cum of sand material has been extracted from the source against the 10000 for 1st year lease period approved in EC letter. Similarly, 8715 cum of sand has been extracted for the period 01.04.2022 to 31.03.2023 (i.e. FY-2022-23) and 1444 cum of sand has been extracted for the period 01.04.2023 to 30.06.2023 (FY-2023-24) and later 3rd year lease period but the PP has not mentioned the 3rd year extraction quantity of sand.

(vii) The replenishment study was done by Sri Zinu Sh. Sathua and Zeotek Consultancy, the (ORSAC Empanelment Agencies) with mentioned that Mineable Reserve during Pre-monsoon survey- 2023 = 30,195Cum, Mineable Reserve during Post-monsoon survey-2023 = 24,009Cum and quantity of sand replenished is 6186 cum and proposed production 10000 cum.

(viii) The PP has deposited amount of Rs. 2,50,000/- (Rupees Two Lakh) to District Environment Society Sundargarh for raising plantation.

(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 03.05.2024 and The SEAC decided to recommend the proposal as per the replenishment study and volume replenished i.e. 6186cum/annum subjected modification of Mining Plan.

4. Amendment of Environmental Clearance (EC) letter no./Identification no. 9547/SEIAA dt. 04.11.2020 issued for Chandiposh River Sand Quarry in favour of Sri Mohan Kumar Agarwal is allowed for extraction quantity of sand 6186 cum per annum for the balance lease period. The other stipulated terms and conditions of the original EC initially granted on 04.11.2020 remains same subject to satisfactory compliance to all the stipulated terms and conditions of EC along with following additional stipulation:

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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-110011for 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, Sundargarh, DFO, Sundargarh and Tahasildar Kuarmunda /Mining Sundargarh 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

(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 PP will implement the EMP with a budgetary allocation as proposed in the EMP report during EC application.

(iv)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 is liable to revoked.

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

