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File No.: 515399/409-MIN/12-2024

Government of India

Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change

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



Dated 17/03/2025



To,

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Subject: Amendment in prior EC 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 Ministry vide proposal number SIA/OR/MIN/515399/2024 dated 20/12/2024 for grant of an amendment in prior 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.	TO24C0107OR5906452A
(ii) File No.	515399/409-MIN/12-2024
(iii) Clearance Type	Amendment in EC
(iv) Category	B2
(v) Schedule No./ Project Activity	1(a) Mining of minerals,1(a) Mining of minerals Proposal for amendment of EC for Budhapanka Brahmani Sand Bed is located in village Budhapanka over an area of 11.80 Ac/ 4.775 ha. under Odapada Tahasil in Dhenkanal District of Odisha.
(vii) Name of Project	
(ix) Location of Project (District, State)	DHENKANAL, ODISHA
(x) Issuing Authority	SEIAA
(xii) Applicability of General Conditions	No

1. In view of the particulars given in the Para 1 above, the project proposal interalia including Application for amendment in ToR (for categories A & B1)/Amendment in EC (for category B2)- Form-3 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 by State Environmental Impact Assessment Authority, Odisha (SEIAA, Odisha) in 190th meeting held on 01/03/2025. 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 in the matter, the authority accepted the recommendation of SEAC and decided to reject the proposal due to the following reasons as pointed out by SEAC:

- i. Production of the riverbed sand during FY 2023 – 2024 and FY 2024 -2025 (Till December 2024) to be ascertained by the Mining Officer In-charge for ensuring compliance with the transferred EC conditions.
 - ii. The ML lease deed tenure has expired, and the CTO is in the name of the Tehsildar, Odapada, an anomaly needs to be rectified.
 - iii. The EC compliance report submitted by the project proponent is not proper.
 - iv. The pre and post monsoon photogrammetry surveys using drones / UAV are not carried out as per the standard operating procedure (SOP) for study of rate of replenishment of sand using drone survey prepared by ORSAC for SEIAA, Odisha and submitted vide letter No. ORSAC/PR/0951/21/2588 dated 02nd June 2023. Hence, the replenishment study report is not accepted. The PP shall submit revised ARRS report.”
3. Hence, the proposal is Rejected as per provision of EIA Notification, 2006 and as amended thereof.
4. 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.
5. This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

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1. Principal 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. The Director of Mines, Steel & Mines Dept, Govt. of Odisha Bhubaneswar for information.
4. Additional Principal Conservator of Forests, Integrated Regional Office (IRO), 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. Chairman/Member/Member Secretary, SEIAA for information.
7. Member Secretary, SEAC, Paribesh Bhawan, A/118, Nilakantha Nagar, Unit-VIII, Bhubaneswar for information.
8. Collector & DM, Dhenkanal , Sub-Collector, Dhenkanal , Deputy Director of Mines, Dhenkanal , DFO, Cuttack, RO, SPCB, Dhenkanal , Tahasildar, Odapada /Mining Officer, Dhenkanal for Information and necessary action.
9. Guard file for record/Website/Parivesh Portal