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File No.: AP MIN EC KK 03 2024 146
Government of India
Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change
(Issued by the State Environment Impact Assessment Authority(SEIAA),
ANDHRA PRADESH)



Dated 23/06/2025



To,

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Subject: Extension in validity of prior Environmental Clearance (EC) dated granted to the project under the provision of the EIA Notification 2006 and as amended thereof regarding.

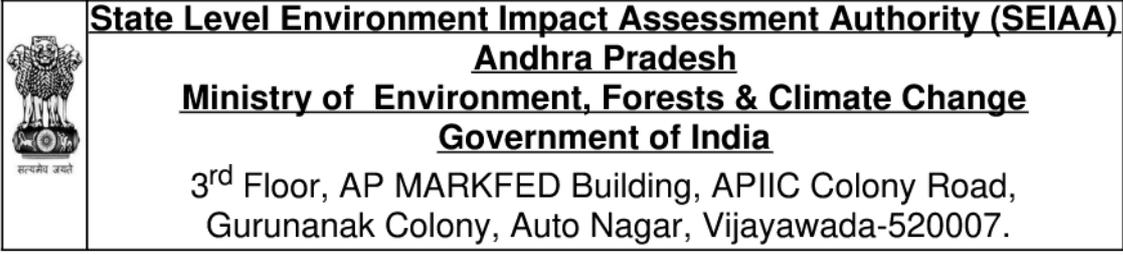
Sir/Madam,

This is in reference to your application submitted to Ministry vide proposal number SIA/AP/MIN/462071/2024 dated 01/03/2024 for an extension in validity of prior Environmental Clearance (EC) granted 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) Validity Extension Identification No.	EC24C0108AP5984152N
(ii) File No.	AP MIN EC KK 03 2024 146
(iii) Clearance Type	Application for Validity Extension of EC- Form-6
(iv) Category	B2
(v) Schedule No./ Project Activity	1(a) Mining of minerals
(vii) Name of Project	M/s. Aparna Enterprises Limited,
(viii) Location of Project (District, State)	KAKINADA, ANDHRA PRADESH
(ix) Issuing Authority	SEIAA
(x) EC date	
(xi) Status of implementation of the project	CTE was taken and project is under construction/development
(xiii) Whether any amendment to the earlier EC has been sought?	No

N/A



Order No. SEIAA/AP/MIN/EC/KK/03/2024/146/264.01 & 264.01

Sub: **SEIAA, A.P. – 2.550 Ha, Clay Mine of M/s. Aparna Enterprises Limited, Sy.No.: 17/1, 17/1A, 17/1B, 17/1C, 17/1D, 17/10A, 17/10B, 17/10E & 17/14 Z-Ragampeta Village, Gandepalli Mandal, Kakinada District (Erstwhile E.G Dist), Andhra Pradesh – Extension of Environmental Clearance validity – Issued - Reg.**

- Ref:
1. EC Order No. SEIAA/AP/EG/MIN/01/2019/820-337, dt: 31.05.2019.
 2. Application received by the proponent through online on 01.03.2024 for EC extension (**SIA/AP/MIN/462071/2024**).
 3. Information received by the proponent on 27.02.2025 & 14.05.2025.

- I. The SEIAA, AP vide reference 1st cited issued EC order to the 2.550 Ha, Clay Mine at Sy.No.17/1, 17/1A, 17/1B, 17/1C, 17/1D, 17/10A, 17/10B, 17/10E & 17/14, Z-Ragampeta (V), Gandepalli (M), East Godavari District, Andhra Pradesh in favour of M/s. Aparna Enterprises Limited with production capacity of Clay – 1,02,999 TPA. This order is valid for a period of 5 years or the expiry date of mine lease period issued by the Government of A.P., whichever is earlier.
- II. The proponent vide reference 2nd cited requested the SEIAA to extend the validity period of EC.
- III. Accordingly, the request of the proponent was examined by the State level Expert Appraisal Committee (SEAC) in its meeting held on **21.05.2025**.

The representative of the project and their consultant M/s. HECS have attended the meeting and presented the proposal. The SEAC committee noted that:

- a. This proposal was placed in 246th SEAC meeting and then, the project proponent and also their consultant have not attended the meeting and the committee recommend to defer for ADS seeking reasons for not

attending the meeting and also to place this case only after the project proponent request the SEAC to place their proposal in the future SEAC meeting.

- b. The SEIAA, A.P., vide order dt. 31.09.2019 issued Environmental Clearance to **Subject mine**, for mining **Clay- 1,02,999 TPA** and which is valid for 5 years or the expiry date of mine lease period.
- c. The Department of Mines and Geology vide order dt. 24.07.2019 issued work order to Subject mine for 20 years i.e., valid upto 23.07.2039.
- d. The applicant applied for extension of validity of EC on 01/03/2024.
- e. As per the approved mining plan dt. 24.03.2023 the total mineral reserves is 812 506 T. The proponent proposed to excavate – 89,100 TPA and Life of the mine is 9 years.
- f. The SEAC committee noted that MoEF&CC, GoI vide O.M. dated 13.12.2022 extended the validity of Environmental Clearances which had not expired as on the date of publication of Notification i.e. 12/04/2022 and shall stand automatically extended to respective increased validity i.e. 30 years for mining project Provided that "the period of validity of Environmental Clearance with respect to the type of projects and Activities listed at Para 1 above (30 years for mining project) may be extended in respect of valid Environmental Clearance, by the regulatory authority concerned, by a maximum period of years as indicated at para No.1 Column (D) above, if an application is made in the laid down proforma to the regulatory authority by the applicant as per the provisions of EIA Notification, 2006: provided further that the regulatory authority may also consult the concerned Expert Appraisal Committee before grant of such extension."
- g. As per S.O.No.1807 (E) dated 12.04.2022, "The prior Environmental Clearance granted for mining projects shall be valid for the project life as laid down in the mining plan approved and renewed by competent authority, from time to time, subject to a maximum of thirty years, whichever is earlier.
- h. The project proponent not uploaded latest production and dispatch details letter. Hence, committee directed the project proponent to submit latest production and Dispatch details.
- i. This proposal was placed in 262nd SEAC meeting and then, the Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC Notifications, & OMs, MoEF&CC OMs and detailed deliberations, **recommended to raise ADS for submission of latest production and Dispatch details letter from the Department of mines and Geology.**

j. Accordingly, PP submitted ADS reply and again, placed in 264th SEAC meeting and noted that:

- The PP vide letter dt. 07.05.2025 submitted production and dispatch details letter issued by the Department of Mines and Geology. The permits within limits only.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC Notifications, & OMs and detailed deliberations, recommended to issue EC extension for 9 years.

IV. The **State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA)**, in its meeting held on 16.06.2025 examined the proposal and **agreed with the recommendations of SEAC** to issue Extension of Environmental Clearance validity for a period of 8.44 years.

V. The SEIAA, A.P, **hereby extends the validity period of the EC order dt. 31.05.2019** for a period of 8.44 years with the following additional conditions:

- i. The mining operations shall be in accordance with the latest Notifications & OMs issued by the MoEF&CC, GoI.
- ii. The project proponent shall follow the orders of National Green Tribunal passed in O.A.No.304/2019.

VI. All other information mentioned and conditions stipulated in the EC order dt. 31.05.2019 issued vide reference 1st cited remains the same.

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2. The Member Secretary, APPCB for kind information.
3. The EE, RO: Kakinada, APPCB for information.
4. The Regional Officer, MoEF&CC, Gol Vijayawada for kind information.
5. The Secretary, MoEF&CC, Gol, New Delhi for kind information.
6. Monitoring Cell, MoEF&CC, Gol, New Delhi for kind information.

