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Government of India

Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change

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



Date 24/01/2025



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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,

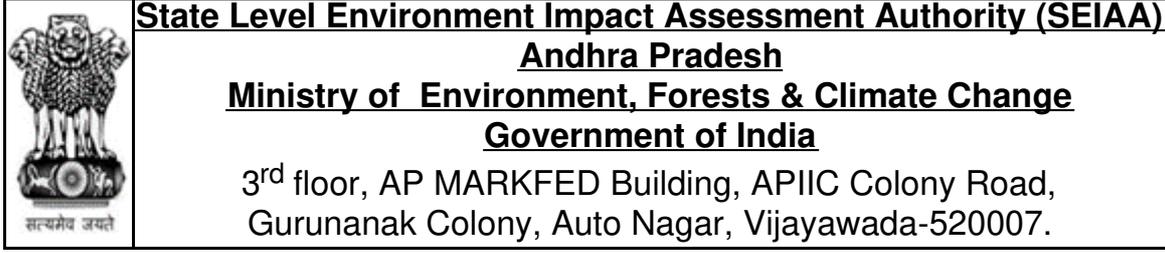
This is in reference to your application submitted to Ministry vide proposal number
SIA/AP/MIN/506245/2024 dated null for Rejection of prior Environmental Clearance (EC) to the
project under the provision of the EIA Notification 2006-and as amended thereof.

2. The particulars of the proposal are as below :

(i) EC Identification No.	EC24C0108AP5849777N
(ii) File No.	AP VZN MIN 05 2016 104
(iii) Clearance Type	Application for Validity Extension of EC- Form-6
(iv) Category	B2
(v) Project/Activity Included Schedule No.	1(a) Mining of minerals
(vii) Name of Project	14.16ha Quartz & Quartzite Mine of C. V. Subhash Patnaik
(viii) Name of Company/Organization	c v subhash patnaik
(ix) Location of Project (District, State)	VIZIANAGARAM, , ANDHRA PRADESH,
(x) Issuing Authority	SEIAA
(xi) Applicability of General Conditions as per EIA Notification, 2006	No

N/A

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Order No. SEIAA/AP/VZN/MIN/05/2016/104/249.26&249.18

Sub: SEIAA, A.P. – 14.16 Ha, mining of Quartz & Quartzite in Sri C V Subhash Patnaik at Sy.No.43 of Garugubilli Village, Merakamudidam Mandal, Vizianagaram District, A.P.– Extension of Environmental Clearance – Rejection - Reg.

Ref: 1. EC Order No: SEIAA/AP/VZN/MIN/05/2016-104-141, dt: 19/04/2018.
2. Your application received dt.26.11.2024 through online for EC vide proposal No. SIA/AP/MIN/506245/2024.

- I. The SEIAA, AP vide reference 1st cited you have submitted an application through online on 26.11.2024 seeking Environmental Clearance for the proposed mine of 14.16 Ha, mining of Quartz & Quartzite in Sri C V Subhashpatnaik at Sy.No.43 Garugubilli Village, Merakamudidam Mandal, Vizianagaram District, Andhra Pradesh with production capacity of Quartz & Quartzite 1,00,080 TPA.
- II. The proponent vide reference 2nd cited requested the SEIAA to extend the validity period of EC.
- III. The issue was **examined by the SEAC in its meeting held on 12.12.2024**. The Committee observed the following:

The representative of the project and their consultant M/s. Global enviro labs Pvt. Ltd. have attended the meeting and presented the proposal. The SEAC committee noted that:

- a. The SEIAA, A.P., vide order dt. 19.04.2018 issued Environmental Clearance subject mine for mining of **Quartz & Quartzite 1,00,080 TPA** in **14.16 Ha**. This order is valid for a period of 2 years, or the expiry date of mine lease period issued by the Government of A.P., whichever is earlier. The EC expired on 18.04.2020.
- b. The Department of Mines and Geology vide order dt. 04.10.2023 issued work order subject mine for 20 years.
- c. The applicant applied for extension of validity of EC on 26/11/2024.

- d. Now, the project proponent has requested for extension Environmental clearance based on the following provision provided in S .0 No. 1807 Dt. 12.04.2022 issued by MoEF&CC, GoI.
“Provided that in the case of mining projects or activities, the validity shall be counted from the date of execution of the mining lease”.
- e. The committee did not accept the proposal of applicant.
- f. The committee noted that project proponent has not applied EC extension application as per time period stipulated in the S.O. 1141(E). dt. 29th April, 2015 and wherein it is mentioned as:
- g. within one month after the validity period of EC, such cases shall be referred to concerned Expert Appraisal Committee (EAC) or State Level Expert Appraisal committee (SEAC) and based on their recommendations, the delay shall be condoned at the level of the Joint Secretary in the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change or Member Secretary, SEIAA, as the case may be:
- h. more than one month after the validity period of EC but less than three months after such validity period, then, based on the recommendations of the EAC or the SEAC, the delay shall be condoned with the approval of the Minister in charge of Environment Forest and Climate Change or Chairman, as the case may be:
- i. *Provided that no condonation for delay shall be granted for any application for extension filed 90 days after the validity period of EC.”*
- j. The committee noted EC validity expired on 18.04.2020 and not filed Environmental clearance application within the time period stipulated in the S.O. 1141(E). dt. 29th April, 2015. Hence, committee **recommended to reject the** EC extension proposal and directed to apply for Environmental clearance.

The Committee after examining the project proposals, presentations, MoEF&CC Notifications & OMs and detailed deliberations, **recommended to reject the** EC extension proposal and directed to apply for Environmental clearance.

- IV. The issue was placed before the SEIAA in its meeting held on **17.01.2025**. The SEIAA agreed with the recommendations of the SEAC to **reject** the proposal.
- V. In view of the above, **your application is here by REJECTED**. No mining / construction / expansion or development of a work shall be carried out without obtaining Environmental Clearance as per the provisions laid under E(P) Act, 1986 and EIA notification 2006

dt.14.09.2006 and its EC amendments thereof.

- VI. Any appeal against this order shall lie with the National Green Tribunal, if preferred, within a period of 30 days as prescribed under Section 16 of the National Green Tribunal Act, 2010.

SPECIAL SECRETARY TO GOVT

MEMBER SECRETARY, SEIAA, A.P.	MEMBER, SEIAA, A.P.	CHAIRMAN, SEIAA, A.P.
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To

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1. The Chairman, SEAC, A.P. for kind information.
2. The Member Secretary, APPCB for kind information.
3. The EE, RO: Visakhapatnam, APPCB for information.
4. The Regional Officer, MoEF&CC, GoI, Vijayawada for kind information.
5. The Secretary, MoEF&CC, GoI New Delhi for kind information.
6. Monitoring Cell, MoEF&CC, GoI, New Delhi for kind information.