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Government of India
Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change
(Issued by the State Environment Impact Assessment
Authority(SEIAA), TELANGANA)



Dated 20/11/2024



To,

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4.755 Ha. Laterite Mine of M/s. Balaji Mines & Minerals.,
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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/TG/MIN/493229/2024 dated 18/08/2024 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.	EC24C0108TG5415643N
(ii) File No.	SEIAA/TS /OL/BLPL -13 /2017-3553
(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	4.755 Ha. Laterite Mine of M/s. Balaji Mines & Minerals., Sy. Nos.
(viii) Location of Project (District, State)	2560/1,2561,2563,2564,2565,2576,2576/1,2580/4,2580,2581, 2583,2584, 2585,2586& 2587 (Patta land) Ramachandrapuram Village, Mulugu Mandal, Mulugu District, Telangana
(ix) Issuing Authority	SEIAA
(x) EC date	25/01/2018
(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

In view of the particulars given in the Para 1 above, the project proposal interalia including Form-6 were submitted to the SEIAA under the provision of Para 9.0 of the EIA notification 2006 and its subsequent amendments. Details in Form 6 can be accessed from the PARIVESH portal by scanning the QR Code above.

The State Level Expert Appraisal Committee (SEAC) examined the proposal in its meeting held on **27.09.2024**. Based on the information furnished by the proponent and presentation made by the environmental Coordinator of M/s. Sri Sai Manasa Nature Tech Pvt. Ltd., Hyderabad and after detailed deliberations recommended the proposal for grant of extension in validity in Environment Clearance under the provision of EIA Notification, 2006 and as amended thereof.

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

The brief about the reasons for an extension of validity of EC, as submitted by the Project Proponent in Form-6 and presented during SEIAA is annexed to this letter as Annexure (1).

The SEIAA has examined the proposal in its meeting held on **11.11.2024** and based on the recommendations of the Appraisal Committee (SEAC), hereby accords **Extension in Validity of Environment Clearance for the instant proposal to M/s Balaji Mines & Minerals** under the provisions contained in the Para 9 of EIA Notification, 2006 and as amended thereof subject to compliance of EC conditions, general instructions issued vide EC letter dated: 25.01.2018 and EC identification number EC24C0108TG5415643N.

Earlier, the SEIAA, Telangana issued EC Order No: SEIAA/TS/OL/BPLP-13/2017, dt. 25.01.2018, for mining of Laterite with production capacity of 1,20,000 TPA in Mine lease area of 4.755 Ha., in favour of M/s. Balaji Mines & Minerals, Sy. No. 2560/1, 2563, 2564, 2565, 2576, 2576/1, 2580/4, 2580, 2581, 2583, 2584, 2585, 2586 & 2587, Ramachandrapuram (V), Mulugu (M), Jayashankar Bhupalapally District. CFE vide order dt. 03.12.2014 and CFO vide order dt.04.03.2023 valid upto 31.05.2023.

M/s. Balaji Mines & Minerals, has applied for extension of EC on 18.08.2024. The proponent earlier obtained mine lease by the DMG, Hyderabad vide Memo dt. 22.03.2018 & Execution of mining lease by ADM&G, Jayashankar Bhupalpally for a period of 20 years from 25.04.2018 to 24.04.2038 and as per old mining plan, the life of mine is 7 years. Further, informed that as per scheme of quarrying approved by DDMG, Warangal, vide letter dt: 07.01.2023 the life of the mine is 36 years with production capacity of 47,995.2 m³/annum. It is observed from the letter furnished by the ADMG, Mulugu District vide lr.dt.24.07.2024, permits were carried during the period from 2018-19 to 2020-21; 2022-23 & 2024-25. Hence, the proponent requested for extension of validity period of EC.

The proposal has been examined and processed in accordance with EIA Notification, 2006 and its amendments thereof. Based on the information furnished, presentation made by the consultant; Lr. dt. 24.07.2024 of the ADMG, Mulugu District permits were carried during the period from 2018-19 to 2020-21; 2022-23 & 2024-25; S.O. 1807(E), dt. 12.04.2022 of MoEF&CC, GoI. The SEIAA, Telangana hereby extends the validity period of Environmental Clearance issued vide EC order dt: 25.01.2018 for a period of 30 years from the date of EC order (OR) life of Mine whichever is earlier. It is reported that life of mine is 36 years @ 47,995.2 m³/annum.

The proponent shall not exceed the permitted mining capacity mentioned in the EC order dated: 25.01.2018.

The proponent shall operate the mine only after obtaining valid CFO from TGPCB.

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

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1. The Chairman, SEAC, TG for kind information.
2. The Member Secretary, TGPCB for kind information.
3. The EE, RO: Warangal, TGPCB for information.
4. The IRO, MoEF&CC, GoI, Hyderabad for kind information.

5. The Secretary, MoEF&CC, GoI, New Delhi for kind information.
6. The Director of Mines & Geology Dept., Hyderabad for kind information.

Annexure 1

Standard EC Conditions for (Mining of minerals)

1. Miscellaneous

S. No	EC Conditions
1.1	The illumination and sound at night at project sites disturb the villages in respect of both human and animal population. Consequent sleeping disorders and stress may affect the health in the villages located close to mining operations. Habitations have a right for darkness and minimal noise levels at night. PPs must ensure that the biological clock of the villages is not disturbed; by orienting the floodlights/ masks away from the villagers and keeping the noise levels well within the prescribed limits for day light/night hours
1.2	The proponent shall comply with Plastic Waste Management Rules, 2016 & also comply with MoEF & CC Notification No: G.S.R. 571 (E), dated: 12.08.2021 which mandated banning of usage of identified Single Use Plastic items with effect from 01.07.2022.
1.3	As per G.O.Ms. No.8, dt: 08.02.2018, the SEIAA of Telangana shall monitor compliance of the stipulated conditions through the Telangana Pollution Control Board
1.4	This order is valid for a period of 30 years OR Life of mine, whichever is earlier. It was reported that the life of the mine is 36 years @ 47,995.2 m³/annum of Laterite)

Additional EC Conditions

1. The proponent shall implement occupational health & safety to the employees and provide insurance.
2. The proponent shall transfer money through online/cheque only for CSR activities.
3. The proponent shall implement waste management plan.
4. The proponent shall carry out Ambient air quality monitoring by NABL approved laboratory and submit the reports every quarterly.
5. The proponent shall develop greenbelt along the boundary and approach road.
6. The proponent shall maintain the photographic evidence of CSR activities.