

MINUTES OF THE 130TH MEETING OF STATE LEVEL ENVIRONMENT IMPACT ASSESSMENT AUTHORITY, JHARKHAND HELD ON 29TH AND 30TH APRIL, 2026.

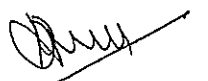
The Member Secretary, SEIAA has convened 130th meeting of the State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA) held on 29th & 30th April, 2026 in the office of SEIAA, Ranchi, Jharkhand. The attendance in the meeting is as follows:

1. **Shri Kamlesh Pandey, Chairman, SEIAA, Jharkhand, Ranchi.**
2. **Smt. Smitha Pankaj, Member Secretary, SEIAA, Jharkhand, Ranchi.**
3. **Dr. Kirti Avishek, Member, SEIAA, Jharkhand, Ranchi.**

The decisions taken in the 130th SEIAA meeting are as follows:-

1. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC in its 129th meeting held on 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th and 21st January, 2026 for grant of Environmental Clearance to the following Minor Mineral (Stone Mining) projects:
 - I. **Piplatanr Stone Mine of Shri Santosh Kumar Mandal, Village : Piplatanr, Thana : Pabiya, Distt.: Jamtara, Jharkhand (1.873 Ha). (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/564835/2026).**
 - II. **Betla Stone Mine of Shri Shatrudhan Prasad, Village : Betla, Thana : Manika, Thana no. : 135, Distt.: Latehar, Jharkhand (1.770 Ha). (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/556929/2025).**
 - III. **Chumba Stone Mine of M/s Maa Bhadrakali Minerals (Partners : (i) Mahmud Khan (ii) Shri Sashikant Kumar Sahay (iii) Rijwan Alam (iv) Shri Umesh Kumar (v) Md. Gulam Sarwar (vi) Shri Devnand Kumar), Village : Chumba, Thana : Bariyatu, Thana no. : 31, Distt.: Latehar, Jharkhand (1.21 Ha). (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/561154/2026).**
 - IV. **Mandar Stone Mine of M/s Srishthy Work Pvt. Ltd. (Director : Shri Abhishek Anand), Village : Mandar, Thana : Naudiha Bazar, Distt.: Palamu, Jharkhand (2.258 Ha). (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/559408/2026).**
 - V. **Salbonapahar Stone Mine of Shri Hanuman Singh, Village : Salbonapahar, Thana : Shikaripara, Distt. : Dumka, Jharkhand (1.49 Ha). (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 565286 /2026).**
 - VI. **Bantahajam Stone Mine of M/s R.S. Minerals (Partner : Shri Sanjay Kumar Yadav & Shri Rakesh Sharma), Village : Bantahajam, Thana : Silli, Thana no. : 108, Distt. : Ranchi, Jharkhand (2.94 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 558043 /2025).**
 - VII. **Pirhamo Stone Deposit of M/s Power Mech Projects Ltd., Village : Pirhamo, Anchal : Mohanpur, Distt. : Deoghar, Jharkhand (1.364 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 564608 /2026).**
 - VIII. **Porabasuria Stone Mine of Shri Sanjla Besra, Village : Porabasuria, Thana : Shikaripara, Distt. : Dumka, Jharkhand (2.577 Ha). (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 564811 /2025).**

- IX. **Barmasia Stone Mine of M/s Tudu Stone Works (Prop. : Shri Patras Tudu),** Village : Barmasia, Thana : Shikaripara, Distt. : Dumka, Jharkhand (2.246 Ha). (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 565271 /2026).
- X. **Fatehpur Urf Khatdih Stone Deposit of M/s Maa Durga Stone (Partners : Shri Prabha Ranjan & Shri Rajendra Mehta),** Village : Fatehpur Urf Khatdih, Anchal : Topchanchi, Distt. : Dhanbad, Jharkhand (2.02 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 559730 /2025).
- XI. **Dev Pahar Stone Mine of M/s Sai Multi Services (Prop. : Shri Suresh Singh),** Village : Dev Pahar, Thana : Banjhi, Thana no. : 08, Distt.: Sahibganj, Jharkhand (2.428 Ha). (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/563773/2026).
- XII. **Pagar Stone Mine of M/s Maa Tara Stone Works (Partners : Shri Kunal Kumar Gupta & Others),** Village : Pagar, Thana : Taljhari, Thana no. : 55, Distt.: Sahibganj, Jharkhand (2.326 Ha). (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/561383/2025).
- XIII. **Chuwa Stone Deposit - I of M/s Mahaveer Engicons Pvt. Ltd.,** Village : Chuwa, Thana : Jirwabadi, Distt. : Sahibganj, Jharkhand (2.833 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 564624 /2026).
- XIV. **Chuwa Stone Deposit - II of M/s Mahaveer Engicons Pvt. Ltd.,** Village : Chuwa, Thana : Jirwabari, Distt. : Sahibganj, Jharkhand (2.833 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 564424 /2026).
- XV. **Sonda Stone Deposit of M/s Shiv Enterprises Stone Works (Partner : Shri Rajendra Kumar),** Village : Sonda, Thana : Mandro, Distt. : Sahibganj, Jharkhand (2.832 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 564323 /2026).
- XVI. **Dhatapara Stone Mine of Partners : Shri Rajkumar Kispotta and Shri Rubal Singh Gill,** Village : Dhatapara, Anchal : Barharwa, Distt. : Sahibganj, Jharkhand (2.233 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 565341 /2026).
- XVII. **Chhota Gutibera Stone Deposit of M/s Khatu Shyam Ji Mines (Partner : Shri Nitin Kumar & Others),** Village : Chhota Gutibera, Tehsil : Mandro, Distt. : Sahibganj, Jharkhand (2.792 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 565195 /2026).
- XVIII. **Chamdi Stone Deposit of M/s Chamdi Stone Works (Partners : Meshar Ali & Aquib Anis),** Village : Chamdi, Thana : Taljhari, Distt. : Sahibganj, Jharkhand (2.81 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 563680 /2026).
- XIX. **Banjhi Stone Deposit of Shri Ashok Prasad,** Village : Banjhi, Anchal : Taljhari, Distt. : Sahibganj, Jharkhand (2.428 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 564491 /2026).
- XX. **Stone Mine of M/s Gitanjali Mining Private Limited (Director : Shri Sanjay Yadav),** Village : Dehad, Anchal : Borio, Distt. : Sahibganj, Jharkhand (2.95 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 561461 /2025).
- XXI. **Bindri Bandarkola Stone Deposit of M/s Trilok Mining and Constructions (Partner : Shri Ajay Kumar Singh & Others),** Village : Bindri Bandarkola, Tehsil : Borio, Distt. : Sahibganj, Jharkhand (2.83 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 565208 /2026).
- XXII. **Bindri Bandarkola Stone Deposit of M/s Terra Gem Mineral Resources Pvt. Ltd. (Director : Shri Navnit Kumar),** Village : Bindri Bandarkola, Tehsil : Borio, Distt. : Sahibganj, Jharkhand (2.938 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 565622 /2026).



The distance of the forest from the boundary of the mine lease area is less than 500 meters in above all matter as per the record available before SEIAA.

As per the direction imposed in the interim order of the Hon'ble Jharkhand High Court, Ranchi in W.P (PIL) no. 3950 of 2024, Anand Kumar vs The State of Jharkhand & Ors vide paragraph no. 62 (b) "*The restriction on the grant of consents as above will now apply to the zone of 500 metres from the boundaries of forests/forest land insofar as stone mining is concerned, and to the zone of 400 metres insofar as stone crushers are concerned, instead of 250 metres as provided in the notification dated 07.12.2015 or 18.10.2017; In short, the position prevailing before the issue of the impugned notifications is restored until the final disposal of this Petition. This is, of course, subject to any other statutory restrictions, if any, affecting such activities in such zones.*"

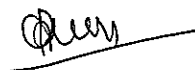
Hence in the light of direction of the Hon'ble High Court, Jharkhand mentioned hereinabove, SEIAA unanimously decided that the consideration for grant of EC of the above mentioned project proposals are deferred until further / final orders from the Hon'ble Jharkhand High Court in this regard.

2. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC in its 129th meeting held on 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th and 21st January, 2026 for grant of Environmental Clearance to the following Minor Mineral (Stone Mining) project: (Re-appraisal of DEIAA ECs).
 1. Stone Mine of M/s Shubham Engineering Stone Company (Partner : Shri Duryodhan Mahto), Village : Dumriatand, Tehsil : Dumri, Distt. : Giridih, Jharkhand (3.71 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 532062 /2026).

The distance of the forest from the boundary of the mine lease area is less than 500 meters in above matter as per the record available before SEIAA.

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3. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC in its 129th meeting held on 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th and 21st January, 2026 for grant of Terms of Reference (ToR) to the following Minor Mineral (Stone Mining) project.

- I. Lowapara Stone Deposit of M/s Lakshmi Stone Works, Village : Lowapara, Thana : Shikaripara, Distt. : Dumka, Jharkhand (1.963 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 565270 /2026).

The distance of the forest from the boundary of the mine lease area is less than 500 meters in above matter as per the record available before SEIAA.

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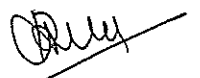
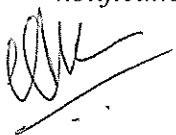
Hence in the light of direction of the Hon'ble High Court, Jharkhand mentioned hereinabove, SEIAA unanimously decided that the consideration for grant of ToR of the above mentioned project proposal is deferred until further / final orders from the Hon'ble Jharkhand High Court in this regard.

4. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC in its 129th meeting held on 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th and 21st January, 2026 for grant of Terms of Reference (ToR) to the following Minor Mineral (Stone Mining) project: (Re-appraisal of DEIAA)

- I. Damdami Stone Mine of M/s Maa Stone Works (Prop. : Shri Sushil Kumar Singh), Village : Damdami, Tehsil : Hussainabad, Distt. : Palamu, Jharkhand (4.86 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 563980 /2026).

The distance of the forest from the boundary of the mine lease area is less than 500 meters in above matter as per the record available before SEIAA.

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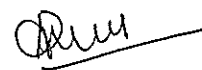


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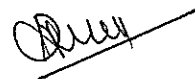
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5. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC in its 129th meeting held on 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th and 21st January, 2026 for grant of Environmental Clearance to the following Minor Mineral (Stone Mining) projects:
- I. **Jamdiha Stone Mine of M/s Mahesh Enterprises (Prop. : Shri Mahesh Kumar Mahato)**, Village : Jamdiha, Thana : Topchanchi, Distt.: Dhanbad, Jharkhand (0.405 Ha). (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/564245/2026).
 - II. **Manjhladih Stone Mine of Shri Sanjay Prasad Singh**, Village : Manjhladih, Thana : Shikaripara, Distt. : Dumka, Jharkhand (2.93 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 564531 /2026).
 - III. **Aamchuwan Stone Mine of Partners : Shri Mihir Kumar Mandal & Shri Bablu Mondal**, Village : Aamchuwan, Thana : Shikaripara, Distt. : Dumka, Jharkhand (2.869 Ha). (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 565139 /2026).
 - IV. **Siyalpahari Stone Mine of M/s Gaurinath Enterprises (Partners : Smt. Sandhya Rani & Smt. Punam Rashmi)**, Village : Siyalpahari, Thana : Shikaripara, Distt. : Dumka, Jharkhand (2.897 Ha). (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 565101 /2026).
 - V. **Chandipur Stone Mine of Shri Ajit Kumar Singh**, Village : Chandipur, Thana : Shikaripara, Distt. : Dumka, Jharkhand (2.10 Ha). (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 561662 /2025).
 - VI. **Jiyapani Stone Mine of Shri Avinash Kumar Bhakat**, Village : Jiyapani, Thana no. : 60, Thana : Maheshpur, Distt. : Pakur, Jharkhand (2.65 Ha). (Proposal No : SIA/JH/MIN/ 554410/2025).
 - VII. **Gorga Stone Deposit of Md. Afzal Ansari**, Village : Gorga, Anchal : Purbi Tundi, Distt. : Dhanbad, Jharkhand (1.464 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 564648 /2026).
 - VIII. **Shyampur Stone Deposit of M/s Mandhan Minerals Corporation**, Village : Shyampur, Thana : Malpahari (OP), Distt.: Pakur, Jharkhand (2.083 Ha). (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN /559119/2025).

The SEAC has appraised the above projects in the light of Hon'ble NGT order dated 13.09.2018, dated 11.12.2018 and MoEF & CC, OM dated 12.12.2018. SEAC has made unanimous recommendations for grant of Environmental Clearances of above mentioned project proposals. The SEIAA, based on the recommendations of SEAC, unanimously decided to grant Environmental Clearances to the above mentioned project proposals as the distance of the forest from the boundary of the mine lease area is more than 500 meters as per the record available before SEIAA with the conditions recommended by SEAC and alongwith the following specific conditions:



- i. This EC is subject to interim order of the Hon'ble Jharkhand High Court, Ranchi in W.P (PIL) no. 3950 of 2024, Anand Kumar vs The State of Jharkhand & Ors vide paragraph no. 62 (b) " *The restriction on the grant of consents as above will now apply to the zone of 500 metres from the boundaries of forests/forest land insofar as stone mining is concerned, and to the zone of 400 metres insofar as stone crushers are concerned, instead of 250 metres as provided in the notification dated 07.12.2015 or 18.10.2017; In short, the position prevailing before the issue of the impugned notifications is restored until the final disposal of this Petition. This is, of course, subject to any other statutory restrictions, if any, affecting such activities in such zones*".
- ii. Project Authority will ensure that personal protective equipments such as protective clothing, helmet, goggles or other garments or equipments designed to protect from injury or infection will be provided to working personnel's.
- iii. In compliance of Office Memorandum no. IA-J-11013/20/2025-IA-P, dated 25.11.2025 of MoEF & CC, Govt. of India, the PAs will mandatorily obtain the Environmental Safeguard to be implemented from Jharkhand State Pollution Control Board within 30 days of issuance of EC or 31.01.2026 whichever is earlier.
- iv. The mine will come in operation only after obtaining permission from DGMS for controlled and delayed blasting.
- v. In compliance of OM no. F.No. IA3-22/3/2024-IA.III (E-241594) dated 24.07.2024 of MoEF&CC, Govt. of India plantation of saplings shall be carried out in the earmarked green belt area as the part of tree plantation campaign "Ek Ped Ma Ke Naam" and the details of the same shall be uploaded in the MeriLiFE Portal (<https://merilife.nic.in>). 10% of the total green belt proposed shall be allocated under this clause.
- vi. The Deputy Commissioner through District Mining Officer will ensure that the mines owner of the respective leases to complete the plantation and maintenance in a time bound manner.
- vii. Suitable plant species of not less than 2 M height to be planted equal to twice the area of saplings proposed in Safety zone. This is to be planted in land available near mines and outside safety zone. This will be in addition to plantation in safety zone. Newly planted saplings to be maintained for minimum 3 years with Geo-Tagged photographs.
- viii. Dedicated water tanker to be provided for mine. The tanker to be used for spraying water on haul road and for irrigating newly planted saplings only. Sprinkling to be done such that the haul road is kept moistened all the time with Geo-Tagged photographs.
- ix. Pre employment Occupational health check up for employees to be done and thereafter at annual interval for PLFT, Audiometry and other required tests . Summary findings of same to submitted along with 6 monthly compliance.



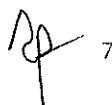
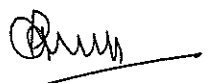
- x. Ensure use of Quality PPEs equivalent not less than 3M make. Records of same to be maintained and submitted with 6 monthly compliance report with Geo-Tagged photographs.
- xi. Keep vulnerable areas unmanned. Ensure rotation of duties. Records to be maintained and submitted with 6 monthly compliance report.
- xii. Failing of any of terms & conditions mentioned in EC can lead to revocation / cancellation of EC.

6. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC in its 129th meeting held on 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th and 21st January, 2026 for grant of Environmental Clearance to the following Minor Mineral (Stone Mining) project:

- I. Saharpur Stone Mine of Md. Kalim Ansari and Md. Wahid Alam, Village : Saharpur, Thana : Shikaripara (No. 12), Distt. : Dumka, Jharkhand (1.88 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 565348 /2026).
- II. Balutunda Stone Mine of Shri Harmeet Singh, Village : Balutunda, Anchal : Dumri, Distt. : Giridih, Jharkhand (1.997 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 564898 /2026).

The SEAC has appraised the above projects in the light of Hon'ble NGT order dated 13.09.2018, dated 11.12.2018 and MoEF & CC, OM dated 12.12.2018. SEAC has made unanimous recommendations for grant of Environmental Clearances of above mentioned project proposals. The SEIAA, based on the recommendations of SEAC, unanimously decided to grant Environmental Clearances to the above mentioned project proposals as the distance of the forest from the boundary of the mine lease area is more than 500 meters as per the record available before SEIAA with the conditions recommended by SEAC and alongwith the following specific conditions:

- i. This EC is subject to interim order of the Hon'ble Jharkhand High Court, Ranchi in W.P (PIL) no. 3950 of 2024, Anand Kumar vs The State of Jharkhand & Ors vide paragraph no. 62 (b) " *The restriction on the grant of consents as above will now apply to the zone of 500 metres from the boundaries of forests/forest land insofar as stone mining is concerned, and to the zone of 400 metres insofar as stone crushers are concerned, instead of 250 metres as provided in the notification dated 07.12.2015 or 18.10.2017; In short, the position prevailing before the issue of the impugned notifications is restored until the final disposal of this Petition. This is, of course, subject to any other statutory restrictions, if any, affecting such activities in such zones*".
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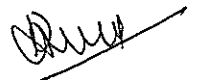




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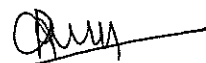
1. Bara Bana Para & Matiyani Stone Mine of M/s Rahul Metals (Prop. : Shri Gopi Sadhwani), Village : Bara Bana Para & Matiyani, Thana : Taljhari, Distt. : Sahibganj, Jharkhand (9.086 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 559051 /2025).

The SEAC has appraised the above project in the light of Hon'ble NGT order dated 13.09.2018, dated 11.12.2018 and MoEF & CC, OM dated 12.12.2018. SEAC has made unanimous recommendations for grant of Environmental Clearances of above mentioned project proposal. The SEIAA, based on the recommendations of SEAC, unanimously decided to grant Environmental Clearances to the above mentioned project proposal as the distance of the forest from the boundary of the mine lease area is more than 500 meters as per the



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- iii. The mine will come in operation only after obtaining permission from DGMS for controlled and delayed blasting.
- iv. That the Deputy Commissioner, Sahibganj will ensure compliance of the order passed by Hon'ble NGT in OA No. 23/2017/EZ, O.A. no. 776/2018 and O.A. no. 373/2019 in the matter of Syed Arshad Nasar Vs Union of India with Ramchandra Chaurasia Vs State of Jharkhand with Pradeep Kumar Singh Vs State of Jharkhand before grant of mining lease.
- v. In compliance of OM No. F. No. IA3-22/3/2024-IA.III (E-241594) dated 24.07.2024 of MoEF&CC, Govt. of India plantation of saplings shall be carried out in the earmarked green belt area as the part of tree plantation campaign " *Ek Ped Ma Ke Naam*" and the details of the same shall be uploaded in the MeriLiFE Portal (<https://merilife.nic.in>). 10% of the total green belt proposed shall be allocated under this clause.
- vi. The Deputy Commissioner through District Mining Officer will ensure that the mines owner of the respective leases to complete the plantation and maintenance in a time bound manner.
- vii. Suitable plant species of not less than 2 M height to be planted equal to twice the area of saplings proposed in Safety zone. This is to be planted in land available near mines and outside safety zone. This will be in addition to plantation in safety zone. Newly planted saplings to be maintained for minimum 3 years with Geo-Tagged photographs.
- viii. Dedicated water tanker to be provided for mine. The tanker to be used for spraying water on haul road and for irrigating newly planted saplings only. Sprinkling to be done such that the haul road is kept moistened all the time with Geo-Tagged photographs.
- ix. Pre employment Occupational health check up for employees to be done and thereafter at annual interval for PLFT, Audiometry and other required tests . Summary findings of same to be submitted along with 6 monthly compliance.



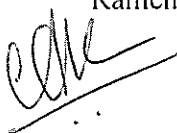
- x. Ensure use of Quality PPEs equivalent not less than 3M make. Records of the same to be maintained and submitted with 6 monthly compliance report with Geo-Tagged photographs.
- xi. Keep vulnerable areas unmanned. Ensure rotation of duties. Records to be maintained and submitted with 6 monthly compliance report.
- xii. Failing of any of terms & conditions mentioned in EC can lead to revocation / cancellation of EC.

8. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC in its 129th meeting held on 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th and 21st January, 2026 for grant of Environmental Clearance to the following Minor Mineral (Stone Mining) projects: (Re-appraisal of DEIAA EC)

- i. Fathepur & Dhatapara Stone Deposit of M/s Shree Guru Stone Works (Prop. : Shri Amarjit Singh), Village : Fathepur & Dhatapara, Tehsil : Barharwa, Distt. : Sahibganj, Jharkhand (4.28 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 565220 /2026).

The SEAC has appraised the above project in the light of Hon'ble NGT order dated 13.09.2018, dated 11.12.2018 and MoEF & CC, OM dated 12.12.2018. SEAC has made unanimous recommendations for grant of Environmental Clearances of above mentioned project proposal. The SEIAA, based on the recommendations of SEAC, unanimously decided to grant Environmental Clearances to the above mentioned project proposal as the distance of the forest from the boundary of the mine lease area is more than 500 meters as per the record available before SEIAA with the conditions recommended by SEAC and alongwith the following specific conditions:

- i. This EC is subject to interim order of the Hon'ble Jharkhand High Court, Ranchi in W.P (PIL) no. 3950 of 2024, Anand Kumar vs The State of Jharkhand & Ors vide paragraph no. 62 (b) " *The restriction on the grant of consents as above will now apply to the zone of 500 metres from the boundaries of forests/forest land insofar as stone mining is concerned, and to the zone of 400 metres insofar as stone crushers are concerned, instead of 250 metres as provided in the notification dated 07.12.2015 or 18.10.2017; In short, the position prevailing before the issue of the impugned notifications is restored until the final disposal of this Petition. This is, of course, subject to any other statutory restrictions, if any, affecting such activities in such zones*".
- ii. Project Authority will ensure that personal protective equipments such as protective clothing, helmet, goggles or other garments or equipments designed to protect from injury or infection will be provided to working personnel's.
- iv. The production shall be restricted as per approved mining scheme or the approved mine plan at the time of EC granted by then DEIAA, which ever is less.
- v. That the Deputy Commissioner, Sahibganj will ensure compliance of the order passed by Hon'ble NGT in OA No. 23/2017/EZ, O.A. no. 776/2018 and O.A. no. 373/2019 in the matter of Syed Arshad Nasar Vs Union of India with Ramchandra Chaurasia Vs State of Jharkhand with Pradeep Kumar Singh Vs







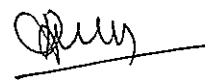
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- vi. In compliance of OM no. F.No. IA3-22/3/2024-IA.III (E-241594) dated 24.07.2024 of MoEF&CC, Govt. of India plantation of saplings shall be carried out in the earmarked green belt area as the part of tree plantation campaign “*Ek Ped Ma Ke Naam*” and the details of the same shall be uploaded in the MeriLiFE Portal (<https://merilife.nic.in>). 10% of the total green belt proposed shall be allocated under this clause.
- vii. During appraisal of the project, it is seen that the project authority have not fully complied the condition of green belt development as per the previous EC. Hence, the project authorities are required to plant twice the number of trees as was required in the previous EC. The Deputy Commissioner through District Mining Officer will ensure that the mines owner of the respective leases to complete the plantation and maintenance in a time bound manner.
- viii. Suitable plant species of not less than 2 M height to be planted equal to twice the area of saplings proposed in Safety zone. This is to be planted in land available near mines and outside safety zone. This will be in addition to plantation in safety zone. Newly planted saplings to be maintained for minimum 3 years with Geo-Tagged photographs.
- ix. Dedicated water tanker to be provided for mine. The tanker to be used for spraying water on haul road and for irrigating newly planted saplings only. Sprinkling to be done such that the haul road is kept moistened all the time with Geo-Tagged photographs.
- x. Pre employment Occupational health check up for employees to be done and thereafter at annual interval for PLFT, Audiometry and other required tests. Summary findings of same to submitted along with 6 monthly compliance.
- xi. Ensure use of Quality PPEs equivalent not less than 3M make. Records of same to be maintained and submitted with 6 monthly compliance report with Geo-Tagged photographs.
- xii. Keep vulnerable areas unmanned. Ensure rotation of duties. Records to be maintained and submitted with 6 monthly compliance report.
- xiii. Failing of any of terms & conditions mentioned in EC can lead to revocation / cancellation of EC.

9. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC in its 129th meeting held on 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th and 21st January, 2026 for grant of Environmental Clearance to the following Minor Mineral (Sand Mining) project:

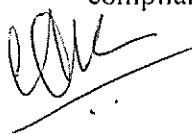
- I. Tokisud – II Sand Deposit in the river bed of Damodar of M/s Gurudev Jee Trading Company (Prop. : Shri Birendra Kumar), Village : Tokisud, Distt. : Ramgarh, Jharkhand (2.28 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 564995 /2026).

The SEAC has appraised the above project in the light of Hon’ble NGT order dated 13.09.2018, dated 11.12.2018 and MoEF & CC, OM dated 12.12.2018. SEAC has made unanimous recommendations for grant of Environmental Clearances of above mentioned project proposal. The SEIAA, based on the



recommendations of SEAC, unanimously decided to grant Environmental Clearances to the above mentioned project proposal with slight modification in the recommendation of SEAC w.r.t. the production capacity of one year subsequently followed by submission of Replenishment Study as per EMGSM 2020 alongwith following specific conditions:

- i. In compliance of Office Memorandum no. IA-J-11013/20/2025-IA-P, dated 25.11.2025 of MoEF&CC, Govt. of India, the PAs will mandatorily obtain the Environmental Safeguard to be implemented from Jharkhand State Pollution Control Board within 30 days of issuance of EC or 31.01.2026 which ever is earlier.
- ii. In compliance of OM no.F.No. IA3-22/3/2024-IA.III (E-241594) dated 24.07.2024 of MoEF&CC, Govt. of India plantation of saplings shall be carried out in the earmarked green belt area as the part of tree plantation campaign “*Ek Ped Ma Ke Naam*” and the details of the same shall be uploaded in the MeriLiFE Portal (<https://merilife.nic.in>). 10% of the total green belt proposed shall be allocated under this clause.
- iii. The Deputy Commissioner through District Mining Officer will ensure that the mines owner of the respective leases to complete the plantation and maintenance in a time bound manner.
- iv. Replenishment study shall be conducted during pre-monsoon and post monsoon every year and study report have to be submitted to SEIAA / SEAC, Jharkhand. The production shall be restricted to 60% of the replenished quantity or the proposed quantity in the mine plan, which ever is less.
- v. Suitable plant species of not less than 2 M height to be planted in area equal to twice the area of saplings proposed in Safety zone. This is to be planted in land available near mines and outside safety zone. This will be in addition to plantation in safety zone. Newly planted saplings to be maintained for minimum 3 years with Geo-Tagged photographs.
- vi. Dedicated water tanker to be provided for spraying water on haul road and for irrigating newly planted saplings only. Sprinkling to be done such that the haul road is kept moistened all the time with Geo-Tagged photographs.
- vii. Pre-employment Occupational health checkup for employees to be done and thereafter at annual interval for PLFT, Audiometry and other required tests. Summary findings of same to submitted along with 6 monthly compliance.
- viii. Ensure use of Quality PPEs equivalent not less than 3M make. Records of same to be maintained and submitted within 6 monthly compliance report with Geo-Tagged photographs.
- ix. Keep vulnerable areas unmanned. Ensure rotation of duties. Records to be maintained and submitted within 6 monthly compliance report.
- x. Failing of any of terms & conditions mentioned in EC can lead to revocation / cancellation of EC.
- xi. Project Authority will ensure that personal protective equipments such as protective clothing, helmet, goggles or other garments or equipments designed to protect from injury or infection will be provided to working personnel's.
- xii. River Sand Mining shall not be done in rainy Season (mid June to mid October of each calendar year).
- xiii. Dept. of Mines & Geology, Govt. of Jharkhand shall keep a strict vigil in the compliance of relevant provisions of applicable Jharkhand Minerals (Prevention



- of illegal mining, Transportation and Storage) Rule 2017 and its amendment especially scientific execution of mining plan (as approved by they themselves) and report violations if any is found as well as action taken for the same.
- xiv. Project Proponent shall submit (to the SEIAA, Jharkhand, Regional Office of MoEF&CC at Ranchi, Jharkhand State Pollution Control Board) six monthly compliance report with evidence of the conditions within a fortnight after the end of every six month till validity period of Environmental Clearance.
 - xv. The project proponent before starting any activity / preparation of ground, on the leased area shall demarcate his lease hold by RCC pillars erected at the cost of lease holder after certification of the mining officer. On each pillar Geo-Coordinate and fore bearing / back bearing shall be written with permanent paint mark as described in the mining plan. All the pillars should remain intact at same geo-coordinate. Establishment / labeling of Benchmark at each pillars or ground control points.
 - xvi. Extraction of sand beyond annual production capacity is not permitted.
 - xvii. The Project Proponent should undertake the sand mining limited to 03 meter (three meter) depth by exclusively manual method.
 - xviii. The stacking area of mined-out sand which shall be situated near the mining site within a fenced area from all sides to avoid being spread in the nearby areas by high winds and the height of stacking should not exceed 2 meter. Transportation shall be confined to day time only that is from sunrise to sunset, to avoid inconvenience to local population in any manner.
 - xix. Mining activity shall not be done for mine lease where mining can cause danger to site of flood protection works, places of cultural, religious, historical and archaeological importance.
 - xx. Project Proponent shall submit the annual replenishment report certified by an authorized agency.
 - xxi. No labour camp shall be allowed in riverbed.
 - xxii. Provision shall be made for housing labour with all necessary infrastructure and facilities (outside mining Block and river-bed) such as fuel for cooking, toilets / mobile toilets, safe drinking water, First-Aid facilities, crèche etc. The housing may be in the form of temporary structures to be removed after the completion of the project.
 - xxiii. Labour & Personnel working in dusty areas shall wear protective respiratory devices and they shall also be provided with adequate training and information on safety and health aspects. Occupational health surveillance program of the workers shall be undertaken periodically to observe any adverse health impact due to exposure to dust and take corrective measures, if needed.
 - xxiv. The Project Proponent shall make arrangements for safe drinking water, first aid facility along with anti-venom injection, in case of emergency for the workers.
 - xxv. Sand and gravel may be extracted across the entire active channel during the dry season.
 - xxvi. Abandoned stream channels on the terrace and inactive floodplains be preferred rather than active channels and their deltas and flood plains. The stream should not be diverted to form the inactive channel.
 - xxvii. Layers of sand and gravel which could be removed from the river bed shall depend on the width of the river and replenishment rate of the river.

- xxviii. Sand and gravel shall not be allowed to be extracted where erosion may occur, such as at the concave bank.
- xxix. Sand and gravel shall not be extracted up to a distance of 1 kilo meter (1 km.) from major bridges and highways on both sides, of five times (5x) of the span (x) of a bridge / public civil structure (including water intake points) on up-stream side and ten times (10x) the span of such bridge on down-stream side, subjected to a minimum of 250 meters on the upstream side and 500 meters on the downstream side.
- xxx. Sand and gravel could be extracted from the downstream of the sand bar at river bends.
- xxxii. Mining depth should be restricted to 3 meters and distance from the band should be 1/4th of river width and should not be less than 7.5 meters.
- xxxiii. A buffer distance / unmined block of 50 meters after every block of 1000 meters over which mining is undertaken or at such distance as may be the directed / prescribed by the regulatory authority shall be maintained.
- xxxiiii. River bed sand mining shall be restricted within the central 3/4th width of the river/rivulet of 7.5 meters (inward) from river banks but up to 10% of the width of the river, as the case may be. Regulating authority while regulating the zone of river bed mining shall ensure that the objective to minimize the effects of riverbank erosion and consequential channel migration are achieved to the extent possible. In general, the area for removal of minerals shall not exceed 60% of the mine lease area, and any deviation of relaxation in this regard shall be adequately supported by the scientific report.

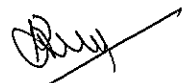
10. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC in its 129th meeting held on 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th and 21st January, 2026 for grant of Environmental Clearance to the following Minor Mineral (Brick Clay Mining) project:

- I. Murgidih Bricks Clay Deposit of M/s BPL Bricks (Prop. : Shri Basant Singh), Mouza : Murgidih, Thana : Barwadih, Distt. : Latehar, Jharkhand (1.35 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 561512 /2026).
- II. Barkaloro Brick Soil Mining of M/s Bhumi Bricks (Prop. : Smt. Sabita Devi), Village : Barkaloro, Thana : Gumla, Distt. : Gumla, Jharkhand (0.441 Ha). (Proposal No : SIA/JH/MIN/ 565683/2026).

The SEAC has appraised the above projects in the light of Hon'ble NGT order dated 13.09.2018, dated 11.12.2018 and MoEF & CC, OM dated 12.12.2018. SEAC has made unanimous recommendations for grant of Environmental Clearances of above mentioned project proposals. The SEIAA, based on the recommendations of SEAC, unanimously decided to grant Environmental Clearances to the above mentioned project proposals with following specific conditions:

- i. Project Authority will ensure that personal protective equipments such as protective clothing, helmet, goggles or other garments or equipments designed to protect from injury or infection will be provided to working personnel's.
- ii. In compliance of Office Memorandum no. IA-J-11013/20/2025-IA-P, dated 25.11.2025 of MoEF&CC, Govt. of India, the PAs will mandatorily obtain the Environmental Safeguard to be implemented from Jharkhand State Pollution



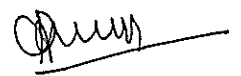


Control Board within 30 days of issuance of EC or 31.01.2026 which ever is earlier.

- iii. In compliance of OM no.F.No. IA3-22/3/2024-IA.III (E-241594) dated 24.07.2024 of MoEF&CC, Govt. of India plantation of saplings shall be carried out in the earmarked green belt area as the part of tree plantation campaign “*Ek Ped Ma Ke Naam*” and the details of the same shall be uploaded in the MeriLiFE Portal (<https://merilife.nic.in>). 10% of the total green belt proposed shall be allocated under this clause.
- iv. The Deputy Commissioner through District Mining Officer will ensure that the mines owner of the respective leases to complete the plantation and maintenance in a time bound manner.
- v. Suitable plant species of not less than 2 M height to be planted equal to twice the area of saplings proposed in Safety zone. This is to be planted in land available near mines and outside safety zone. This will be in addition to plantation in safety zone. Newly planted saplings to be maintained for minimum 3 years with Geo-Tagged photographs.
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- x. Failing of any of terms & conditions mentioned in EC can lead to revocation / cancellation of EC.

11. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC in its 130th meeting held on 17th, 18th, 19th and 20th February, 2026 for grant of Environmental Clearance to the following Minor Mineral (Stone Mining) projects:

- I. Stone Mine of M/s B.C. Stone Works (Prop. : Abdul Rajjak), Village : Balko, Anchal : Taljhari, Distt.: Sahibganj, Jharkhand (2.41 Ha). (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/541421/2025).
- II. Stone Mine of M/s P.K. Traders (Prop. : Shri Punit Kumar Khudania), Mouza : BINDERI BANDERKOLA, Circle : Borio, Distt.: Sahibganj, Jharkhand (2.83 Ha). (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN /567244/2026).
- III. Gutthi (Chhota Gutibera) Stone Deposit of M/s Mahto Stone Mines (Prop. : Shri Akhilesh Kumar), Village : Gutthi (Chhota Gutibera), Anchal : Mirzachowki, Distt.: Sahibganj, Jharkhand (2.873 Ha). (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN /567229/2026).



- IV. **Asna Stone Deposit of M/s Sarveshwari Stone Mines (Prop. : Shri Mihir Kumar Mandal),** Village : Asna, Anchal : Govindpur, Distt.: Dhanbad, Jharkhand (1.42 Ha). (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/567486/2026).
- V. **Guti Stone Deposit of M/s Swastik Mining Agency (Partner : Shri Uttam Kumar Singh & Others),** Village : Gutti, Tehsil : Taljhari, Distt. : Sahibganj, Jharkhand (2.023 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/566730/2026).
- VI. **Guti Stone Deposit of M/s Patnibona Stone Quarry (Partner : Shri Vikram Pratap & Others),** Village : Gutti, Tehsil : Taljhari, Distt. : Sahibganj, Jharkhand (2.833 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/566776/2026).
- VII. **Binderi Bandarkola Stone Deposit of M/s Jai Baba Basukinath Stone Mining Pvt. Ltd. (Director : Shri Rajeev Choudhary & Others),** Village : Binderi Bandarkola, Tehsil : Borio, Distt. : Sahibganj, Jharkhand (2.832 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/567394/2026).
- VIII. **Sijang Stone Deposit of Shri Rajkumar Sahu,** Village : Sijang, Thana : Kolebira, Thana no. : 108, Distt. : Simdega, Jharkhand (0.98 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/563337/2026).

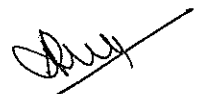
The distance of the forest from the boundary of the mine lease area is less than 500 meters in above all matter as per the record available before SEIAA.

As per the direction imposed in the interim order of the Hon'ble Jharkhand High Court, Ranchi in W.P (PIL) no. 3950 of 2024, Anand Kumar vs The State of Jharkhand & Ors vide paragraph no. 62 (b) " *The restriction on the grant of consents as above will now apply to the zone of 500 metres from the boundaries of forests/forest land insofar as stone mining is concerned, and to the zone of 400 metres insofar as stone crushers are concerned, instead of 250 metres as provided in the notification dated 07.12.2015 or 18.10.2017; In short, the position prevailing before the issue of the impugned notifications is restored until the final disposal of this Petition. This is, of course, subject to any other statutory restrictions, if any, affecting such activities in such zones.* "

Hence in the light of direction of the Hon'ble High Court, Jharkhand mentioned hereinabove, SEIAA unanimously decided that the consideration for grant of EC of the above mentioned project proposals are deferred until further / final orders from the Hon'ble Jharkhand High Court in this regard.

12. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC in its 130th meeting held on 17th, 18th, 19th and 20th February, 2026 for grant of Environmental Clearance to the following Minor Mineral (Stone Mining) projects: (Re-appraisal of DEIAA ECs)

- I. **Madhopur Stone Deposit of M/s Gausia Stone (Partners : Md. Shubhan Ansari & Harun Ansari),** Village : Madhopur, Thana : Dhanwar, Distt.: Giridih, Jharkhand (0.789 Ha). (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/567455/2026)
- II. **Chota Tangrani Stone Mine of M/s Mata Enterprises (Prop. : Shri Tarun Kumar Dey),** Village : Chota Tangrani, Thana : Saraikela, Distt. : Saraikela-Kharsawan, Jharkhand (1.82 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/526226/2025).



The distance of the forest from the boundary of the mine lease area is less than 500 meters in above all matter as per the record available before SEIAA.

As per the direction imposed in the interim order of the Hon'ble Jharkhand High Court, Ranchi in W.P (PIL) no. 3950 of 2024, Anand Kumar vs The State of Jharkhand & Ors vide paragraph no. 62 (b) " *The restriction on the grant of consents as above will now apply to the zone of 500 metres from the boundaries of forests/forest land insofar as stone mining is concerned, and to the zone of 400 metres insofar as stone crushers are concerned, instead of 250 metres as provided in the notification dated 07.12.2015 or 18.10.2017; In short, the position prevailing before the issue of the impugned notifications is restored until the final disposal of this Petition. This is, of course, subject to any other statutory restrictions, if any, affecting such activities in such zones.* "

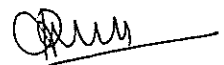
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13. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC in its 130th meeting held on 17th, 18th, 19th and 20th February, 2026 for grant of Environmental Clearance to the following Minor Mineral (Stone Mining) project:

- I. Bariyatu Stone Mine of Shri Manoj Kumar, Village : Bariyatu, Thana : Manika, Thana no. : 142, Distt. : Latehar, Jharkhand (2.445 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/565603 /2026).

The SEAC has appraised the above project in the light of Hon'ble NGT order dated 13.09.2018, dated 11.12.2018 and MoEF & CC, OM dated 12.12.2018. SEAC has made unanimous recommendations for grant of Environmental Clearances of above mentioned project proposal. The SEIAA, based on the recommendations of SEAC, unanimously decided to grant Environmental Clearances to the above mentioned project proposal as the distance of the forest from the boundary of the mine lease area is more than 500 meters as per the record available before SEIAA with the conditions recommended by SEAC and alongwith the following specific conditions:

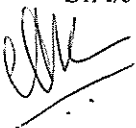
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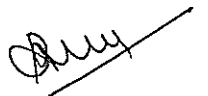


- ii. Project Authority will ensure that personal protective equipments such as protective clothing, helmet, goggles or other garments or equipments designed to protect from injury or infection will be provided to working personnel's.
- iii. The mine will come in operation only after obtaining permission from DGMS for controlled and delayed blasting.
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- x. Ensure use of Quality PPEs equivalent not less than 3M make. Records of same to be maintained and submitted with 6 monthly compliance report with Geo-Tagged photographs.
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- xii. Failing of any of terms & conditions mentioned in EC can lead to revocation / cancellation of EC.

14. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC in its 130th meeting held on 17th, 18th, 19th and 20th February, 2026 for grant of Environmental Clearance to the following Minor Mineral (Brick Clay Mining) project:

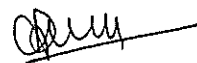
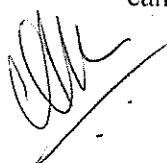
- I. Kasdega Brick Clay Deposit of M/s Aim Bricks (Prop. : Shri Ajit Kumar), Village : Kasdega, Thana : Thethaitangar, Distt.: Simdega, Jharkhand (1.80 Ha). (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/567248 /2026).





The SEAC has appraised the above project in the light of Hon'ble NGT order dated 13.09.2018, dated 11.12.2018 and MoEF & CC, OM dated 12.12.2018. SEAC has made unanimous recommendations for grant of Environmental Clearances of above mentioned project proposal. The SEIAA, based on the recommendations of SEAC, unanimously decided to grant Environmental Clearances to the above mentioned project proposal with following specific conditions:

- i. Project Authority will ensure that personal protective equipments such as protective clothing, helmet, goggles or other garments or equipments designed to protect from injury or infection will be provided to working personnel's.
- ii. In compliance of Office Memorandum no. IA-J-11013/20/2025-IA-P, dated 25.11.2025 of MoEF&CC, Govt. of India, the PAs will mandatorily obtain the Environmental Safeguard to be implemented from Jharkhand State Pollution Control Board within 30 days of issuance of EC or 31.01.2026 which ever is earlier.
- iii. In compliance of OM no.F.No. IA3-22/3/2024-IA.III (E-241594) dated 24.07.2024 of MoEF&CC, Govt. of India plantation of saplings shall be carried out in the earmarked green belt area as the part of tree plantation campaign "*Ek Ped Ma Ke Naam*" and the details of the same shall be uploaded in the MeriLiFE Portal (<https://merilife.nic.in>). 10% of the total green belt proposed shall be allocated under this clause.
- iv. The Deputy Commissioner through District Mining Officer will ensure that the mines owner of the respective leases to complete the plantation and maintenance in a time bound manner.
- v. Suitable plant species of not less than 2 M height to be planted equal to twice the area of saplings proposed in Safety zone. This is to be planted in land available near mines and outside safety zone. This will be in addition to plantation in safety zone. Newly planted saplings to be maintained for minimum 3 years with Geo-Tagged photographs.
- vi. Dedicated water tanker to be provided for mine. The tanker to be used for spraying water on haul road and for irrigating newly planted saplings only. Sprinkling to be done such that the haul road is kept moistened all the time with Geo-Tagged photographs.
- vii. Pre employment Occupational health check up for employees to be done and thereafter at annual interval for PLFT, Audiometry and other required tests .Summary findings of same to submitted along with 6 monthly compliance.
- viii. Ensure use of Quality PPEs equivalent not less than 3M make. Records of same to be maintained and submitted with 6 monthly compliance report with Geo-Tagged photographs.
- ix. Keep vulnerable areas unmanned. Ensure rotation of duties. Records to be maintained and submitted with 6 monthly compliance report.
- x. Failing of any of terms & conditions mentioned in EC can lead to revocation / cancellation of EC.

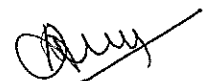
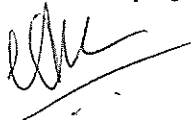


15. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC in its 130th meeting held on 17th, 18th, 19th and 20th February, 2026 for grant of Environmental Clearance to the following Minor Mineral (Stone Mining) projects: (Re-appraisal of DEIAA EC)

- I. Karondajor Stone Mine of Smt. Saroj Minz, Village : Karondajor, Thana : Bharno, Distt. : Gumla, Jharkhand (4.65 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 566440 /2026).
- II. Karondajor Stone Mine of Shri Bihari Ohdar, Village : Karondajor, Thana : Bharno, Distt. : Gumla, Jharkhand (4.65 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 566474 /2026).

The SEAC has appraised the above projects in the light of Hon'ble NGT order dated 13.09.2018, dated 11.12.2018 and MoEF & CC, OM dated 12.12.2018. SEAC has made unanimous recommendations for grant of Environmental Clearances of above mentioned project proposals. The SEIAA, based on the recommendations of SEAC, unanimously decided to grant Environmental Clearances to the above mentioned project proposals as the distance of the forest from the boundary of the mine lease area is more than 500 meters as per the record available before SEIAA with the conditions recommended by SEAC and alongwith the following specific conditions:

- i. This EC is subject to interim order of the Hon'ble Jharkhand High Court, Ranchi in W.P (PIL) no. 3950 of 2024, Anand Kumar vs The State of Jharkhand & Ors vide paragraph no. 62 (b) "*The restriction on the grant of consents as above will now apply to the zone of 500 metres from the boundaries of forests/forest land insofar as stone mining is concerned, and to the zone of 400 metres insofar as stone crushers are concerned, instead of 250 metres as provided in the notification dated 07.12.2015 or 18.10.2017; In short, the position prevailing before the issue of the impugned notifications is restored until the final disposal of this Petition. This is, of course, subject to any other statutory restrictions, if any, affecting such activities in such zones*".
- ii. Project Authority will ensure that personal protective equipments such as protective clothing, helmet, goggles or other garments or equipments designed to protect from injury or infection will be provided to working personnel's.
- iii. The mine will come in operation only after obtaining permission from DGMS for controlled and delayed blasting.
- iv. The production shall be restricted as per approved mining scheme or the approved mine plan at the time of EC granted by then DEIAA, which ever is less.
- v. In compliance of OM No. F.No. IA3-22/3/2024-IA.III (E-241594) dated 24.07.2024 of MoEF&CC, Govt. of India plantation of saplings shall be carried out in the earmarked green belt area as the part of tree plantation campaign "*Ek Ped Ma Ke Naam*" and the details of the same shall be uploaded in the MeriLiFE Portal (<https://merilife.nic.in>). 10% of the total green belt proposed shall be allocated under this clause.
- vi. During appraisal of the project it is seen that the project authority have not fully complied the condition of green belt development as per the previous EC. Hence, the project authorities are required to plant twice the number of trees as was



required in the previous EC. The Deputy Commissioner through District Mining Officer will ensure that the mines owner of the respective leases to complete the plantation and maintenance in a time bound manner.

- vii. Suitable plant species of not less than 2 M height to be planted equal to twice the area of saplings proposed in Safety zone. This is to be planted in land available near mines and outside safety zone. This will be in addition to plantation in safety zone. Newly planted saplings to be maintained for minimum 3 years with Geo-Tagged photographs.
- viii. Dedicated water tanker to be provided for mine. The tanker to be used for spraying water on haul road and for irrigating newly planted saplings only. Sprinkling to be done such that the haul road is kept moistened all the time with Geo-Tagged photographs.
- ix. Pre employment Occupational health check up for employees to be done and thereafter at annual interval for PLFT, Audiometry and other required tests . Summary findings of same to be submitted along with 6 monthly compliance.
- x. Ensure use of Quality PPEs equivalent not less than 3M make. Records of the same to be maintained and submitted with 6 monthly compliance report with Geo-Tagged photographs.
- xi. Keep vulnerable areas unmanned. Ensure rotation of duties. Records to be maintained and submitted with 6 monthly compliance report.
- xii. Failing of any of terms & conditions mentioned in EC can lead to revocation / cancellation of EC.

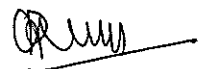
16. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC in its 130th meeting held on 17th, 18th, 19th and 20th February, 2026 for grant of Amendment in Environmental Clearance to the following Coal Mine Project.

1. **Tubed Coal Mine Project of M/s Damodar Valley Corporation, Village : Tubed, Mangra, Dihi, Ambajharan, Dhobiajharan, Nawari, Tehsil : Latehar, Distt. : Latehar, Jharkhand (460.00 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/CMIN/ 563453 /2026).**

SEAC has appraised the above project and made unanimous recommendations for grant of Amendment Environmental Clearance to above mentioned project proposal with following specific conditions:

- i. **The specific condition no. xv i.e. “No transporation of coal shall be carried by road after commission of proposed railway siding near the coal mine w.e.f. 27.04.2023” is being extended by further six month i.e. upto 26.10.2026.**
- ii. **The project authority shall ensure that the final Detailed Project Report (DPR) is completed and approved by the railway authorities and the implementation of the construction of the railway siding has commenced within 26.10.2026. Further extension will be considered only after compliance of this condition.**

The SEIAA examined the recommendation of SEAC made as above and observed that Environmental Clearance to the said project has been granted by MoEF &CC,



Govt. of India vide EC letter no. J-11015/54/2017-IA.II (M), dated: 28.04.2020 with standard terms and conditions with following specific conditions:

- i. Specific condition no. xv : “No transportation of coal shall be carried out by road after commission of proposed railway siding near the coal mine i.e. after 36 months of from the date of issues of EC.
- ii. Specific condition no. xxiii : “Install in-pit conveyor from the pit bottom upto the silo loading point/rapid loading system within 3 yrs and further no transportation shall be carried over by trucks to railway siding.

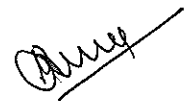
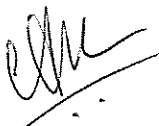
Further before the expiry of 3 years, the project authority has obtained amendment EC from MoEF&CC, Govt. of India vide letter no. IA-J-11015/54/2017-IA-II(M) Dated: 30.08.2023 after providing following justifications / commitment:

- i. RITES has been appointment as a consultant, a detailed project report has been prepared and submitted to the railway authority on 27th September, 2018 and approval received on 26th June, 2019.
- ii. As per the DPR the route length is 17.04 km from DEMU block halt station of East Cental Railway, Barkakana-Daltaonganj section. The estimated project cost is Rs. 490.47 Crores (excluding land cost).
- iii. An amount of Rs. 7.66 Crores has been deposited with Railway and;
- iv. DVC, MDO and M/s RITES has been schedule on 5th July, 2023 to speed up the process.

In the light of above commitment by Project Authorities, the MoEF & CC, Govt. of India has amended the Enviromental Clearance by substituting the above mentioned specific conditions no. xv and xxiii as follows:

- i. Specific condition no. (xv) “No transportation of coal shall be carried out by road after commission of proposed railway siding near the coal mine i.e. after 36 months w.e.f. 27th April, 2023.
- ii. Specific condition no. (xxiii) “Install in-pit conveyor from the pit bottom upto the silo loading point/rapid loading system within 3 yrs and subsequently, no transportation shall be carried over by trucks to railway siding.

After a long period of 6 years, the Project Authorities has again approached for amendment of specific condition no. xv and xxiii. The SEIAA based on the recommendations of SEAC and the facts involved in the present project unanimously decided to grant Amendment Environmental Clearance to the above mentioned project proposal with following specific conditions. Rest all other terms and conditions of the earlier EC letter no. J-11015/54/2017-IA.II (M), dated: 28.04.2020 & amendment EC letter no. IA-J-11015/54/2017-IA-II(M) dated: 30.08.2023 issued by MoEF&CC, Govt. of India shall remain the same:



- i. The specific condition no. xv “No transportation of coal shall be carried by road after commission of proposed railway siding near the coal mine w.e.f. 27.04.2026” is being extended by further six month i.e. up to 26.10.2026.
- ii. The specific condition no. xxiii “Install in-pit conveyor from the pit bottom upto the silo loading point/rapid loading system shall be commenced prior to 26.10.2026 and subsequently the progress report for its completion shall be submitted while applying for futher amendments of EC. Further extension will be considered only after compliance of this condition.
- iii. The Project Authority shall ensure that the final Detailed Project Report (DPR) is completed and approved by the railway authorities and the implementation of the construction of the railway siding has commenced within 26.10.2026. Further extension will be considered only after compliance of this condition.
- iv. The Project Authority shall mandatorily submit a Detailed Project Report (DPR) approved by Railway Authorities for implementation of the construction of the railway siding within 2 months of issuance of this amended EC.
- v. In compliance of OM no. F.No. IA3-22/3/2024-IA.III (E-241594) dated 24.07.2024 of MoEF&CC, Govt. of India plantation of saplings shall be carried out in the earmarked green belt area as the part of tree plantation campaign “*Ek Ped Ma Ke Naam*” and the details of the same shall be uploaded in the MeriLiFE Portal (<https://merilife.nic.in>). 10% of the total green belt proposed shall be allocated under this clause.

17. SEIAA considered the Recommendations of SEAC in its 130th meeting held on 17th, 18th, 19th and 20th February, 2026 for grant of Terms of Reference (ToRs) to the following Minor Mineral (Stone Mining) projects.

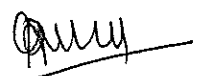
1. Chitragaria Stone Deposit of Md. Ansar, Village : Chitragaria, Tehsil : Shikaripara, Distt. : Dumka, Jharkhand (0.91 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 567341 /2026).

SEAC has appraised the above project in the light of Hon’ble NGT order dated 13.09.2018 dated 11.12.2018 and MoEF & CC, OM dated 12.12.2018. SEAC has made unanimous recommendations for grant of ToR to above mentioned proposal. The SEIAA, based on the recommendation of SEAC, unanimously decided to grant ToR to the above mentioned project proposal as the distance of the forest from the boundary of the mine lease area is more than 500 meters as per the record available before SEIAA with the conditions recommended by SEAC and alongwith the following specific conditions:

- i. This ToR is subject to interim order of the Hon’ble Jharkhand High Court, Ranchi in W.P (PIL) no. 3950 of 2024, Anand Kumar vs The State of Jharkhand & Ors vide paragraph no. 62 (b) “ *The restriction on the grant of consents as above will now apply to the zone of 500 metres from the boundaries of forests/forest land insofar as stone mining is concerned, and to the zone of 400 metres insofar as stone crushers are concerned, instead of 250 metres as provided in the notification dated 07.12.2015 or 18.10.2017; In short, the*



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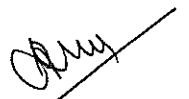
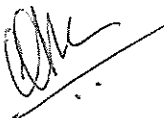


position prevailing before the issue of the impugned notifications is restored until the final disposal of this Petition. This is, of course, subject to any other statutory restrictions, if any, affecting such activities in such zones”.

- ii. In compliance of Office Memorandum no. IA-J-11013/20/2025-IA-P, dated 25.11.2025 of MoEF&CC, Govt. of India, the PAs will mandatorily obtain the Environmental Safeguard to be implemented from Jharkhand State Pollution Control Board within 30 days of issuance of EC or 31.01.2026 which ever is earlier.
 - iii. In compliance of OM No. F.No. IA3-22/3/2024-IA.III (E-241594) dated 24.07.2024 of MoEF&CC, Govt. of India plantation of saplings shall be carried out in the earmarked green belt area as the part of tree plantation campaign “*Ek Ped Ma Ke Naam*” and the details of the same shall be uploaded in the MeriLiFE Portal (<https://merilife.nic.in>). 10% of the total green belt proposed shall be allocated under this clause.
- II. **Pokharia Stone Mine of M/s Mewar Enterprises (Prop. : Shri Om Prakash Sharma), Village : Pokharia, Tehsil : Shikaripara, Distt. : Dumka, Jharkhand (1.26 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 559249 /2025).**

SEAC has appraised the above project in the light of Hon’ble NGT order dated 13.09.2018 dated 11.12.2018 and MoEF & CC, OM dated 12.12.2018. SEAC has made unanimous recommendations for grant of ToR to above mentioned proposal. The SEIAA, based on the recommendation of SEAC, unanimously decided to grant ToR to the above mentioned project proposal as the distance of the forest from the boundary of the mine lease area is more than 500 meters as per the record available before SEIAA with the conditions recommended by SEAC and alongwith the following specific conditions:

- i. This ToR is subject to interim order of the Hon’ble Jharkhand High Court, Ranchi in W.P (PIL) no. 3950 of 2024, Anand Kumar vs The State of Jharkhand & Ors vide paragraph no. 62 (b) “ *The restriction on the grant of consents as above will now apply to the zone of 500 metres from the boundaries of forests/forest land insofar as stone mining is concerned, and to the zone of 400 metres insofar as stone crushers are concerned, instead of 250 metres as provided in the notification dated 07.12.2015 or 18.10.2017; In short, the position prevailing before the issue of the impugned notifications is restored until the final disposal of this Petition. This is, of course, subject to any other statutory restrictions, if any, affecting such activities in such zones”.*
- ii. The mine will come in operation only after obtaining permission from DGMS for controlled and delayed blasting.
- iii. In compliance of Office Memorandum no. IA-J-11013/20/2025-IA-P, dated 25.11.2025 of MoEF&CC, Govt. of India, the PAs will mandatorily obtain the Environmental Safeguard to be implemented from Jharkhand State Pollution Control Board within 30 days of issuance of EC or 31.01.2026 which ever is earlier.



iv. In compliance of OM No. F.No. IA3-22/3/2024-IA.III (E-241594) dated 24.07.2024 of MoEF&CC, Govt. of India plantation of saplings shall be carried out in the earmarked green belt area as the part of tree plantation campaign "Ek Ped Ma Ke Naam" and the details of the same shall be uploaded in the MeriLiFE Portal (<https://merilife.nic.in>). 10% of the total green belt proposed shall be allocated under this clause.

18. SEIAA considered the Recommendations of SEAC in its 130th meeting held on 17th, 18th, 19th and 20th February, 2026 for grant of Corrigendum Environmental Clearance to the following Minor Mineral (Stone Mining) project.

i. Chaprakocha Stone Deposit of Shri Shashi Shankar Kumar at Village : Chaprakocha, Tehsil & Thana : Ormanjhi, Distt. : Ranchi, Jharkhand (0.85 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/569139/2026).

The SEAC has examined the above project proposal and unanimously made following recommendation:

"The PA's vide online application no. SIA/JH/MIN/569139/2026 has requested for necessary correction in EC issued vide letter no. EC/SEIAA/2024-25/3414 /2024/456, dated 04.01.2025. The EC issued had inadvertently mentioned the khata number as Khata no. 94, Plot no. 95, Khata no. 95, Plot no. 91 (P) & 92 (P) in place of Khata no. 94, Plot no. 95, Khata no. 57, Plot no. 91 (P) & 92 (P) .

The SEAC considered the same and found that the khata numbers and plot numbers of the project were correctly mentioned in the Form-I. However, the error occurred at the level of the executive summary provided by the PAs during the appraisal process".

Hence, SEIAA considered the Recommendations of SEAC as mentioned above and unanimously decided to accept the recommendations of SEAC and accordingly will issue the corrigendum in EC. The terms and conditions, mentioned in the letter no.: EC/SEIAA/2024-25/3414 /2024/456, dated : 04.01.2025 shall remain the same.

19. Transfer of Environmental Clearance regarding:

i. Biree Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited (Partners : Shri Bishnu Kumar Agarwala, Shri Samarth Agarwal & Shri Dheeraj Agarwal), Village : Biree, Thana : Dumri, Distt. : Gumla, Jharkhand (4.00 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 575574 /2026).

The above mentioned project proposal was considered in the light of section 11 of Environment Impact Assessment Notification, 2006 for transferability of Environmental Clearance. The Environmental Clearance was granted by SEIAA, Jharkhand vide letter no. : EC/SEIAA/2018-19/2110/2018/254, dated : 05.06.2019 in the favor of " Biree Sand Mining Project in Sankh River of M/s Jharkhand State Mineral Development Corporation Limited (JSMDC Ltd.) at Plot No. : 760 (P) at

Village : Biree, District : Gumla, Jharkhand (4.00 Ha)” (Proposal No. : SIA/JH/MIN/34695/2019)”.

The applicant vide online application no. SIA/JH/MIN/ 575574 /2026 has submitted that *Biree Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited* has been selected successful bidders of “*Biree Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited (Partners : Shri Bishnu Kumar Agarwala, Shri Samarth Agarwal & Shri Dheeraj Agarwal) at Plot No. : 760 (P) at Village : Biree, District : Gumla, Jharkhand (4.00 Ha)*” under The Jharkhand Sand Mining Rules, 2025 and requested to transfer (transfer of ownership) of Environmental Clearance in favour of “*Biree Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited*” for which he has submitted “No Objection Certificate” of M/s Jharkhand State Mineral Development Corporation Limited affirming that the Environmental Clearance will be transferred in favour of “*Biree Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited*” and they do not have any objections regarding the transfer of Environmental Clearance and all the terms and conditions of Environmental Clearance dated 05.06.2019 shall be complied by “*Biree Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited*” also undertaken that all the stipulated terms and conditions of EC letter no. : EC/SEIAA/2018-19/2110/2018/254, dated : 05.06.2019 shall be complied by him.

Jharkhand State Mineral Development Corporation Limited (JSMDC), Ranchi has also issued No Objection Certificate (NOC) vide Letter Number : 49, dated : 16.01.2026 in the favour of “*Biree Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited*” and further informed that the said Sand Ghat has been transferred to “*Biree Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited*” and LOI has been issued by District Mining Officer, Gumla vide Letter No. : 1046/M, Dated : 27.09.2025 in favour of “*Biree Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited*”.

The District Mining Officer, Gumla issued a production certificate vide Letter No. : 61/M, Dated : 20.01.2026 stating that production of 313100.00 cft sand has been done in year 2025-26 which is under permissible limit of Environmental Clearance.

The District Survey Report of sand or River Bed Mining of Gumla District has been prepared by Sub-Divisional Committee and submitted by Deputy Commissioner, Gumla and same has been Appraised and Approved by SEIAA and SEAC, Jharkhand in the light of Environment & Monitoring Guidelines for Sand Mining 2020 / Hon’ble Apex Court order in Civil Appeal No. 3661-3662/2020, Pawan Kumar Vs State of Bihar & Hon’ble NGT Order in OA No. 54/2022/EZ, Bhumi Adhigrahan Visthapan Avam Punarvas Kisan Samiti Vs State of Jharkhand & Ors. This project is also a part of Approved District Survey Report.

The PAs has also undertaken through affidavit that Sand Mining will be commenced as per para 5.0 of Enforcement & Monitoring Guidelines for Sand Mining, 2020 regarding Replenishment study. The PA has submitted



Replenishment Study for the year 2025-26 and production shall only be allowed for 60% of the Replenished quantity available on the sand ghat and subsequently the mining will only be commenced after Replenishment Study of the year 2026-27 or each year of the lease period and same has to be submitted to Competent Authorities.

After the full deliberations, it was unanimously decided that Environmental Clearance issued vide letter no. : **EC/SEIAA/2018-19/2110/2018/254**, dated : **05.06.2019** is being transferred to **"Biree Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited"** with the same terms and conditions under which prior Environmental Clearance was granted by SEIAA, Jharkhand for the same validity period subject to satisfactory compliance to all stipulated terms and conditions.

"Biree Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited" is directed to obtain **Consent to Operate** from the State Pollution Control Board in the name of **"Biree Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited"** In case any change is **proposed** in the **Scope** of the project, the Project Authority (PAs) shall obtain fresh **Environmental Clearance**. The other specific condition of this transfer of Environment Clearance is as follows:-

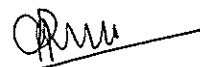
- i. Deputy Commissioner, Gumla through District Mining Officer, Gumla will ensure that **"Replenishment study shall be conducted during pre-monsoon and post monsoon every year and study report have to be submitted to SEIAA / SEAC, Jharkhand. The production shall be restricted to 60% of the replenished quantity or the proposed quantity in the mine plan, which ever is less"** as per para 5.0 of Enforcement & Monitoring Guidelines for Sand Mining, 2020.
- ii. Deputy Commissioner, Gumla shall ensure that lease will be executed only after obtaining all approvals applicable at the time of operation including compliance with the **Jharkhand Panchayats (Extension to Scheduled Areas) Rules, 2025** and **Gram Sabha Consent**, wherever applicable.

- II. **Larango Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited (Partners : Shri Bishnu Kumar Agarwala, Shri Samarth Agarwal & Shri Dheeraj Agarwal), Village : Larango, Thana : Sisai, Distt. : Gumla, Jharkhand (4.80 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 575592 /2026).**

The above mentioned project proposal was considered in the light of section 11 of Environment Impact Assessment Notification, 2006 for transferability of Environmental Clearance. The Environmental Clearance was granted by SEIAA, **Jharkhand** vide letter no. : **EC/SEIAA/2018-19/2118/2018/252**, dated : **05.06.2019** in the favor of **"Larango Sand Mining Project in South Koel River of M/s Jharkhand State Mineral Development Corporation Limited (JSMDC Ltd.) at Plot No. : 01 (P) at Village : Larango, Anchal : Sisai, District : Gumla, Jharkhand (4.80 Ha)"** (Proposal No. : SIA/JH/MIN/34685/2019)".



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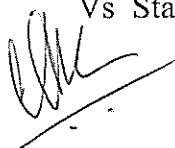
The applicant vide online application no. SIA/JH/MIN/ 575592 /2026 has submitted that *Larango Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited* has been selected successful bidders of “Larango Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited (Partners : Shri Bishnu Kumar Agarwala, Shri Samarth Agarwal & Shri Dheeraj Agarwal) at Plot No. : 01 (P) at Village : Larango, Anchal : Sisai, District : Gumla, Jharkhand (4.80 Ha)” under The Jharkhand Sand Mining Rules, 2025 and requested to transfer (transfer of ownership) of Environmental Clearance in favour of “*Larango Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited*” for which he has submitted “No Objection Certificate” of M/s Jharkhand State Mineral Development Corporation Limited affirming that the Environmental Clearance will be transferred in favour of “*Larango Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited*” and they do not have any objections regarding the transfer of Environmental Clearance and all the terms and conditions of Environmental Clearance dated 05.06.2019 shall be complied by “*Larango Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited*” also undertaken that all the stipulated terms and conditions of EC letter no. : EC/SEIAA/2018-19/2118/2018/252, dated : 05.06.2019 shall be complied by him.

Jharkhand State Mineral Development Corporation Limited (JSMD), Ranchi has also issued No Objection Certificate (NOC) vide Letter Number : 49, dated : 16.01.2026 in the favour of “*Larango Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited*” and further informed that the said Sand Ghat has been transferred to “*Larango Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited*” and LOI has been issued by District Mining Officer, Gumla vide Letter No. : 1046/M, Dated : 27.09.2025 in favour of “*Larango Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited*”.

The District Mining Officer, Gumla issued a production certificate vide Letter No. : 61/M, Dated : 20.01.2026 stating that production of sand has been done which is under permissible limit of Environmental Clearance. The production is as follows:

Year	Production in Cft.
2025 - 26	234200.00
2024 - 25	235200.00
2021 - 22	86000.00
2020 - 21	201200.00
2019 - 20	101500.00

The District Survey Report of sand or River Bed Mining of Gumla District has been prepared by Sub-Divisional Committee and submitted by Deputy Commissioner, Gumla and same has been Appraised and Approved by SEIAA and SEAC, Jharkhand in the light of Environment & Monitoring Guidelines for Sand Mining 2020 / Hon’ble Apex Court order in Civil Appeal No. 3661-3662/2020, Pawan Kumar Vs State of Bihar & Hon’ble NGT Order in OA No. 54/2022/EZ, Bhumi





Adhigrahan Visthapan Avam Punarvas Kisan Samiti Vs State of Jharkhand & Ors. This project is also a part of Approved District Survey Report.

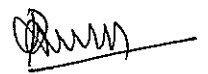
The PAs has also undertaken through affidavit that Sand Mining will be commenced as per para 5.0 of Enforcement & Monitoring Guidelines for Sand Mining, 2020 regarding Replenishment study. The PA has submitted Replenishment Study for the year 2025-26 and production shall only be allowed for 60% of the Replenished quantity available on the sand ghat and subsequently the mining will only be commenced after Replenishment Study of the year 2026-27 or each year of the lease period and same has to be submitted to Competent Authorities.

After the full deliberations, it was unanimously decided that Environmental Clearance issued vide letter no. : EC/SEIAA/2018-19/2118/2018/252, dated : 05.06.2019 is being transferred to "*Larango Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited*" with the same terms and conditions under which prior Environmental Clearance was granted by SEIAA, Jharkhand for the same validity period subject to satisfactory compliance to all stipulated terms and conditions.

"*Larango Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited*" is directed to obtain Consent to Operate from the State Pollution Control Board in the name of "*Larango Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited*" In case any change is proposed in the Scope of the project, the Project Authority (PAs) shall obtain fresh Environmental Clearance. The other specific condition of this transfer of Environment Clearance is as follows:-

- i. Deputy Commissioner, Gumla through District Mining Officer, Gumla will ensure that "*Replenishment study shall be conducted during pre-monsoon and post monsoon every year and study report have to be submitted to SEIAA / SEAC, Jharkhand. The production shall be restricted to 60% of the replenished quantity or the proposed quantity in the mine plan, which ever is less*" as per para 5.0 of Enforcement & Monitoring Guidelines for Sand Mining, 2020.
 - ii. Deputy Commissioner, Gumla shall ensure that lease will be executed only after obtaining all approvals applicable at the time of operation including compliance with the Jharkhand Panchayats (Extension to Scheduled Areas) Rules, 2025 and Gram Sabha Consent, wherever applicable.
- III. **Keradih Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited (Partners : Shri Bishnu Kumar Agarwala, Shri Samarth Agarwal & Shri Dheeraj Agarwal), Village : Keradih, Anchal : Raidih, Distt. : Gumla, Jharkhand (4.10 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 575605 /2026).**

The above mentioned project proposal was considered in the light of section 11 of Environment Impact Assessment Notification, 2006 for transferability of Environmental Clearance. The Environmental Clearance was granted by SEIAA,

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Jharkhand vide letter no. : EC/SEIAA/2018-19/2111/2018/260, dated : 05.06.2019 in the favor of "Keradih Sand Mining Project in Sankh River of M/s Jharkhand State Mineral Development Corporation Limited (JSMDC Ltd.) at Plot No. : 1896 (P) at Village : Keradih, District : Gumla, Jharkhand (4.10 Ha)" (Proposal No. : SIA/JH/MIN/34693/2019)".

The applicant vide online application no. SIA/JH/MIN/ 575605 /2026 has submitted that "*Keradih Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited*" has been selected successful bidders of "*Keradih Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited (Partners : Shri Bishnu Kumar Agarwala, Shri Samarth Agarwal & Shri Dheeraj Agarwal) at Plot No. : 1896 (P) at Village : Keradih, District : Gumla, Jharkhand (4.10 Ha)*" under The Jharkhand Sand Mining Rules, 2025 and requested to transfer (transfer of ownership) of Environmental Clearance in favour of "*Keradih Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited*" for which he has submitted "No Objection Certificate" of M/s Jharkhand State Mineral Development Corporation Limited affirming that the Environmental Clearance will be transferred in favour of "*Keradih Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited*" and they do not have any objections regarding the transfer of Environmental Clearance and all the terms and conditions of Environmental Clearance dated 05.06.2019 shall be complied by "*Keradih Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited*" also undertaken that all the stipulated terms and conditions of EC letter no. : EC/SEIAA/2018-19/2111/2018/260, dated : 05.06.2019 shall be complied by him.

Jharkhand State Mineral Development Corporation Limited (JSMDC), Ranchi has also issued No Objection Certificate (NOC) vide Letter Number : 49, dated : 16.01.2026 in the favour of "*Keradih Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited*" and further informed that the said Sand Ghat has been transferred to "*Keradih Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited*" and LOI has been issued by District Mining Officer, Gumla vide Letter No. : 1046/M, Dated : 27.09.2025 in favour of "*Keradih Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited*".

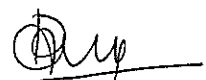
The District Mining Officer, Gumla issued a production certificate vide Letter No. : 61/M, Dated : 20.01.2026 stating that production of sand has been done which is under permissible limit of Environmental Clearance. The production is as follows:

Year	Production in Cft.
2025 - 26	248500.00
2024 - 25	441050.00
2023 - 24	266900.00
2022 - 23	156900.00

The District Survey Report of sand or River Bed Mining of Gumla District has been prepared by Sub-Divisional Committee and submitted by Deputy Commissioner,



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Gumla and same has been Appraised and Approved by SEIAA and SEAC, Jharkhand in the light of Environment & Monitoring Guidelines for Sand Mining 2020 / Hon'ble Apex Court order in Civil Appeal No. 3661-3662/2020, Pawan Kumar Vs State of Bihar & Hon'ble NGT Order in OA No. 54/2022/EZ, Bhumi Adhigrahan Visthapan Avam Punarvas Kisan Samiti Vs State of Jharkhand & Ors. This project is also a part of Approved District Survey Report.

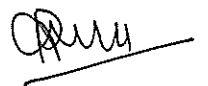
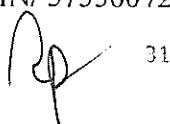
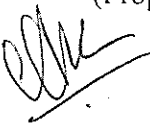
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After the full deliberations, it was unanimously decided that Environmental Clearance issued vide letter no. : EC/SEIAA/2018-19/2111/2018/260, dated : 05.06.2019 is being transferred to "*Keradih Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited*" with the same terms and conditions under which prior Environmental Clearance was granted by SEIAA, Jharkhand for the same validity period subject to satisfactory compliance to all stipulated terms and conditions.

"*Keradih Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited*" is directed to obtain **Consent to Operate** from the State Pollution Control Board in the name of "*Keradih Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth Fablon Private Limited*" In case any change is **proposed** in the **Scope** of the project, the Project Authority (PAs) shall **obtain** fresh **Environmental Clearance**. The other specific condition of this transfer of Environment Clearance is as follows:-

- i. Deputy Commissioner, **Gumla** through District Mining Officer, **Gumla** will ensure that "*Replenishment study shall be conducted during pre-monsoon and post monsoon every year and study report have to be submitted to SEIAA / SEAC, Jharkhand. The production shall be restricted to 60% of the replenished quantity or the proposed quantity in the mine plan, which ever is less*" as per para 5.0 of Enforcement & Monitoring Guidelines for Sand Mining, 2020.
- ii. Deputy Commissioner, **Gumla** shall ensure that lease will be executed only after obtaining all approvals applicable at the time of operation including compliance with the **Jharkhand Panchayats (Extension to Scheduled Areas) Rules, 2025** and **Gram Sabha Consent**, wherever applicable.

IV. **Basatpur & Maljhar Sand Ghat of M/s Ankoor Tradevista Private Limited (Directors : Shri Mahendra Sharma, Shri Aditya Sharma & Shri Vishal Sharma), Village : Basatpur & Maljhar, P.S. : Deoghar, Distt. : Deoghar, Jharkhand (4.57 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 575560 /2026).**



The above mentioned project proposal was considered in the light of section 11 of Environment Impact Assessment Notification, 2006 for transferability of Environmental Clearance. The Environmental Clearance was granted by SEIAA, Jharkhand vide letter no. : EC/SEIAA/2018-19/2121/2018/255, dated : 05.06.2019 in the favor of "Basatpur & Maljhar Sand Mining on Ajay River of M/s Jharkhand State Mineral Development Corporation Limited (JSMDC Ltd.) at Mouza No. : 146 & 147, Plot No. : 383 (P), 145 (P) at Mouza : Basatpur & Maljhar, P.S. : Deoghar, District : Deoghar, Jharkhand (4.57 Ha)" (Proposal No. : SIA/JH/MIN/34822/2019)".

The applicant vide online application no. SIA/JH/MIN/ 575560 /2026 has submitted that "*Basatpur & Maljhar Sand Ghat of M/s Ankoor Tradevista Private Limited*" has been selected successful bidders of "*Basatpur & Maljhar Sand Ghat of M/s Ankoor Tradevista Private Limited (Directors : Shri Mahendra Sharma, Shri Aditya Sharma & Shri Vishal Sharma)* at Mouza No. : 146 & 147, Plot No. : 383 (P), 145 (P) at Village : Basatpur & Maljhar, P.S. : Deoghar, Distt. : Deoghar, Jharkhand (4.57 Ha)" under The Jharkhand Sand Mining Rules, 2025 and requested to transfer (transfer of ownership) of Environmental Clearance in favour of "*Basatpur & Maljhar Sand Ghat of M/s Ankoor Tradevista Private Limited*" for which he has submitted "No Objection Certificate" of M/s Jharkhand State Mineral Development Corporation Limited affirming that the Environmental Clearance will be transferred in favour of "*Basatpur & Maljhar Sand Ghat of M/s Ankoor Tradevista Private Limited*" and they do not have any objections regarding the transfer of Environmental Clearance and all the terms and conditions of Environmental Clearance dated 05.06.2019 shall be complied by "*Basatpur & Maljhar Sand Ghat of M/s Ankoor Tradevista Private Limited*" also undertaken that all the stipulated terms and conditions of EC letter no. : EC/SEIAA/2018-19/2121/2018/255, dated : 05.06.2019 shall be complied by him.

Jharkhand State Mineral Development Corporation Limited (JSMDC), Ranchi has also issued No Objection Certificate (NOC) vide Letter Number : 57, dated : 16.01.2026 in the favour of "*Basatpur & Maljhar Sand Ghat of M/s Ankoor Tradevista Private Limited*" and further informed that the said Sand Ghat has been transferred to "*Basatpur & Maljhar Sand Ghat of M/s Ankoor Tradevista Private Limited*" and LOI has been issued by District Mining Officer, Deoghar vide Letter No. : 1042/M, Dated : 17.10.2025 in favour of "*Basatpur & Maljhar Sand Ghat of M/s Ankoor Tradevista Private Limited*".

The District Mining Officer, Deoghar issued a production certificate vide Memo No. : 58/M, Dated : 21.01.2026 stating that production of sand has been done which is under permissible limit of Environmental Clearance. The production is as follows:

Year	Production in Cft.
2019 - 20	44700
2020 - 21	526200
2021 - 22	587500
2022 - 23	1966055





2023 - 24	2314900
2024 - 25	1100100
2025 - 26	487100

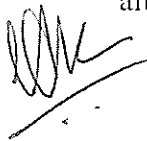
The District Survey Report of sand or River Bed Mining of **Deoghar** District has been prepared by Sub-Divisional Committee and submitted by Deputy Commissioner, **Deoghar** and same has been Appraised and Approved by SEIAA and SEAC, Jharkhand in the light of Environment & Monitoring Guidelines for Sand Mining 2020 / Hon'ble Apex Court order in Civil Appeal No. 3661-3662/2020, Pawan Kumar Vs State of Bihar & Hon'ble NGT Order in OA No. 54/2022/EZ, Bhumi Adhigrahan Visthapan Avam Punarvas Kisan Samiti Vs State of Jharkhand & Ors. This project is also a part of Approved District Survey Report.

The PAs has also undertaken through affidavit that Sand Mining will be commenced as per para 5.0 of Enforcement & Monitoring Guidelines for Sand Mining, 2020 regarding Replenishment study. The PA has submitted Replenishment Study for the year 2025-26 and production shall only be allowed for 60% of the Replenished quantity available on the sand ghat and subsequently the mining will only be commenced after Replenishment Study of the year 2026-27 or each year of the lease period and same has to be submitted to Competent Authorities.

After the full deliberations, it was unanimously decided that Environmental Clearance issued vide letter no. : **EC/SEIAA/2018-19/2121/2018/255**, dated : **05.06.2019** is being transferred to "**Basatpur & Maljhar Sand Ghat of M/s Ankoor Tradevista Private Limited**" with the same terms and conditions under which prior Environmental Clearance was granted by SEIAA, Jharkhand for the same validity period subject to satisfactory compliance to all stipulated terms and conditions.

"Basatpur & Maljhar Sand Ghat of M/s Ankoor Tradevista Private Limited" is directed to obtain **Consent to Operate** from the State Pollution Control Board in the name of "**Basatpur & Maljhar Sand Ghat of M/s Ankoor Tradevista Private Limited**" In case any change is proposed in the **Scope** of the project, the Project Authority (PAs) shall **obtain fresh Environmental Clearance**. The other specific condition of this transfer of Environment Clearance is as follows:-

- i. Deputy Commissioner, **Deoghar** through District Mining Officer, **Deoghar** will ensure that "**Replenishment study shall be conducted during pre-monsoon and post monsoon every year and study report have to be submitted to SEIAA / SEAC, Jharkhand. The production shall be restricted to 60% of the replenished quantity or the proposed quantity in the mine plan, which ever is less**" as per para 5.0 of Enforcement & Monitoring Guidelines for Sand Mining, 2020.
- ii. Deputy Commissioner, **Deoghar** shall ensure that lease will be executed only after obtaining all approvals applicable at the time of operation including





compliance with the Jharkhand Panchayats (Extension to Scheduled Areas) Rules, 2025 and Gram Sabha Consent, wherever applicable.

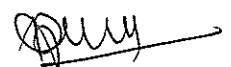
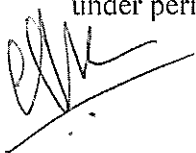
- V. **Pandaniya Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth AD Protex Private Limited (Director : Shri Dheeraj Agarwal), Village : Pandaniya, Block : Margomunda, Distt. : Deoghar, Jharkhand (3.89 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 567268 /2026).**

The above mentioned project proposal was considered in the light of section 11 of Environment Impact Assessment Notification, 2006 for transferability of Environmental Clearance. The Environmental Clearance was granted by SEIAA, Jharkhand vide letter no. : EC/SEIAA/2018-19/2127/2018/256, dated : 05.06.2019 in the favor of "Pandaniya Sand Mining on Jayanti River of M/s Jharkhand State Mineral Development Corporation Limited (JSMDC Ltd.) at Mouza No. : 485, Plot No. : 2995 (P), 1639 (P) at Mouza : Pandaniya, P.S. : Margomunda, District : Deoghar, Jharkhand (3.89 Ha)" (Proposal No. : SIA/JH/MIN/34774/2019)".

The applicant vide online application no. SIA/JH/MIN/ 567268 /2026 has submitted that "*Pandaniya Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth AD Protex Private Limited*" has been selected successful bidders of "*Pandaniya Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth AD Protex Private Limited (Director : Shri Dheeraj Agarwal), at Mouza No. : 485, Plot No. : 2995 (P), 1639 (P) at Village : Pandaniya, Block : Margomunda, Distt. : Deoghar, Jharkhand (3.89 Ha)*" under The Jharkhand Sand Mining Rules, 2025 and requested to transfer (transfer of ownership) of Environmental Clearance in favour of "*Pandaniya Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth AD Protex Private Limited*" for which he has submitted "No Objection Certificate" of M/s Jharkhand State Mineral Development Corporation Limited affirming that the Environmental Clearance will be transferred in favour of "*Pandaniya Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth AD Protex Private Limited*" and they do not have any objections regarding the transfer of Environmental Clearance and all the terms and conditions of Environmental Clearance dated 05.06.2019 shall be complied by "*Pandaniya Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth AD Protex Private Limited*" also undertaken that all the stipulated terms and conditions of EC letter no. : EC/SEIAA/2018-19/2127/2018/256, dated : 05.06.2019 shall be complied by him.

Jharkhand State Mineral Development Corporation Limited (JSMDC), Ranchi has also issued No Objection Certificate (NOC) vide Letter Number : 52, dated : 16.01.2026 in the favour of "*Pandaniya Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth AD Protex Private Limited*" and further informed that the said Sand Ghat has been transferred to "*Pandaniya Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth AD Protex Private Limited*" and LOI has been issued by District Mining Officer, Deoghar vide Letter No. : 1043/M, Dated : 17.10.2025 in favour of "*Pandaniya Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth AD Protex Private Limited*".

The District Mining Officer, Deoghar issued a production certificate vide Memo No. : 57/M, Dated : 21.01.2026 stating that production of sand has been done which is under permissible limit of Environmental Clearance. The production is as follows:



Year	Production in Cft.
2019 - 20	49400
2020 - 21	125300
2021 - 22	1800
2022 - 23	53900
2023 - 24	116600
2024 - 25	128700

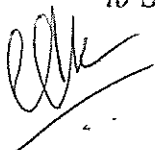
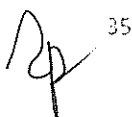
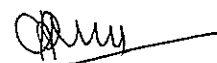
The District Survey Report of sand or River Bed Mining of **Deoghar** District has been prepared by Sub-Divisional Committee and submitted by Deputy Commissioner, **Deoghar** and same has been Appraised and Approved by SEIAA and SEAC, Jharkhand in the light of Environment & Monitoring Guidelines for Sand Mining 2020 / Hon'ble Apex Court order in Civil Appeal No. 3661-3662/2020, Pawan Kumar Vs State of Bihar & Hon'ble NGT Order in OA No. 54/2022/EZ, Bhumi Adhigrahan Visthapan Avam Punarvas Kisan Samiti Vs State of Jharkhand & Ors. This project is also a part of Approved District Survey Report.

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After the full deliberations, it was unanimously decided that Environmental Clearance issued vide letter no. : **EC/SEIAA/2018-19/2127/2018/256**, dated : **05.06.2019** is being transferred to **"Pandaniya Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth AD Protex Private Limited"** with the same terms and conditions under which prior Environmental Clearance was granted by SEIAA, Jharkhand for the same validity period subject to satisfactory compliance to all stipulated terms and conditions.

"Pandaniya Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth AD Protex Private Limited" is directed to obtain **Consent to Operate** from the State Pollution Control Board in the name of **"Pandaniya Sand Mining Project of M/s Samarth AD Protex Private Limited"** In case any change is proposed in the Scope of the project, the Project Authority (PAs) shall obtain fresh **Environmental Clearance**. The other specific condition of this transfer of Environment Clearance is as follows:-

- i. Deputy Commissioner, **Deoghar** through District Mining Officer, **Deoghar** will ensure that **"Replenishment study shall be conducted during pre-monsoon and post monsoon every year and study report have to be submitted to SEIAA / SEAC, Jharkhand. The production shall be restricted to 60% of**

the replenished quantity or the proposed quantity in the mine plan, which ever is less” as per para 5.0 of Enforcement & Monitoring Guidelines for Sand Mining, 2020.

- ii. Deputy Commissioner, Deoghar shall ensure that lease will be executed only after obtaining all approvals applicable at the time of operation including compliance with the Jharkhand Panchayats (Extension to Scheduled Areas) Rules, 2025 and Gram Sabha Consent, wherever applicable.

20. Comment provided by SEAC with respect to Complain received in SEIAA, Jharkhand.

- I. **A Complain received from Shri Lakhan Kumar, Nawadih, Makluskiganj, Ranchi vide email dated 10.02.2026.**

The above matter was referred by SEIAA to SEAC for examination and providing comment. The SEAC examined the same and forwarded with the following comments:

“The matter of the complaint letter is not in the purview of SEIAA. The letter is being returned to SEIAA with recommendation to close the matter”

The SEIAA unanimously decided to close the instant complain based on the recommendation of SEAC.

- II. **A Complain received from Environmentalist vide letter dated 11.05.2024.**

The above matter was referred by SEIAA to SEAC for examination and providing comments. The SEAC examined the same and forwarded with the following comments:

“The letter is anonymous and unsigned. Further it is to be stated that the EC is granted on the basis of the LoI issued by Deputy Commissioner / District Mining Officer of the concerned District.

The matter of the complaint letter is not in the purview of SEIAA. The letter is being returned to SEIAA with recommendation to close the matter”.

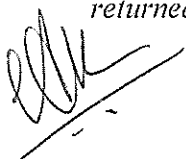
The SEIAA unanimously decided to close the instant complain based on the recommendation of SEAC.

- III. **A Complain received from letter dated 01.11.2024.**

The above matter was referred by SEIAA to SEAC for examination and providing comment. The SEAC examined the same and forwarded with the following comments:

“The letter is anonymous. Further it is to be stated that the EC is granted on the basis of the LoI issued by Deputy Commissioner / District Mining Officer of the concerned District and the approved mine plan.

The matter of the complaint letter is not in the purview of SEIAA. The letter is being returned to SEIAA with recommendation to close the matter”.



The SEIAA unanimously decided to close the instant complain based on the recommendation of SEAC.

- IV. A Complain received from Shri Kamla Prasad Singh, Jhumritilaiya, Koderma vide letter dated 30.10.2024.

The above matter was referred by SEIAA to SEAC for examination and providing comment. The SEAC examined the same and forwarded with the following comments:

“The allegation in the letter has no basis and hence no action is mandated by SEIAA / SEAC. The letter is being returned to SEIAA with recommendation to close the matter”.

The SEIAA unanimously decided to close the instant complain based on the recommendation of SEAC.

21. The following conditions shall be mandatorily imposed while granting Environmental Clearance to any projects:-

“The directions proscribed and prescribed in the Office Memorandum No. FC-11/119/2020-FC, Dated : 17th May, 2022 of MoEF&CC shall be strictly adhered to”.

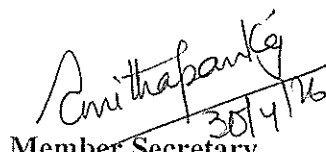
22. A Complain received from Shri Govind Pathak, Latehar vide Email dated 04.04.2026.

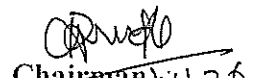
The instant complain is addressed to Chairman, SEIAA highlighting that occupancy certificate has been issued by Municipal Corporations Ranchi and Ranchi Regional Development Authority (RRDA) without seeking mandatory Environmental Clearance for the built-up area more than 20000 sq. mtr.

On the basis of above complain, the SEIAA is unanimously to call for a report from Municipal Corporations Ranchi and Ranchi Regional Development Authority (RRDA) of the building and construction projects who have obtained occupancy certificate for the built-up area 20000 sq. mtr. and above.

The meeting concluded with vote of thanks to all present.


Member
SEIAA
30/4/26


Member Secretary
SEIAA
30/4/26


Chairman
SEIAA
30/4/26

