

**MINUTES OF THE 132<sup>ND</sup> MEETING OF STATE LEVEL ENVIRONMENT IMPACT ASSESSMENT AUTHORITY, JHARKHAND HELD ON 22<sup>ND</sup>, 23<sup>RD</sup> AND 24<sup>TH</sup> JUNE, 2026.**

The Member Secretary, SEIAA has convened 132<sup>nd</sup> meeting of the State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA) held on 22<sup>nd</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> June, 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 132<sup>nd</sup> SEIAA meeting are as follows:-

1. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC in its 129<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 17<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> January, 2026 for grant of Environmental Clearance to the following Minor Mineral (Stone Mining) project:
  1. 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).

The above matter was deferred until further / final order from the Hon'ble Jharkhand High Court for the following reasons:

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.*"

The above order has been rectified by the Hon'ble Jharkhand High Court on 28.04.2026 which is as follows :

*"4. Accordingly, in Paragraph-2 of our order, the name of Mr Sunil Kumar should be substituted by Mr Bhanu Kumar and the word 'Jharkhand State Pollution Control Board (JSPCB)' must be substituted by "SEIAA". Similarly, in Paragraph-11, the name of 'Mr Sunil Kumar' should be substituted with "Mr Bhanu Kumar" and the expression 'JSPCB' must be substituted by "SEIAA". In Paragraph62(b) in line-2, the number '500' should be substituted with "400" and in line-4, the number '400' must be substituted with the number "500".*



In the light of above order dated 28.04.2026 of Hon'ble Jharkhand High Court the Project Authority has transferred the proposal mentioning that distance of mining lease area from forest boundary is 560 meters as per the certificate issued by DFO, Medininagar Forest Division, Medininagar vide permission letter no. LETTER 20240313, dated 13.03.2024.

The SEIAA considered the prayer made by Project Authority in light of the judgement dated 28.04.2026 of Hon'ble Jharkhand High Court in the matter of W.P. (PIL) No. 3950 of 2024, Anand Kumar vs The State of Jharkhand & others. And observed that 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 400 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. 4. Accordingly, in Paragraph-2 of our order, the name of Mr Sunil Kumar should be substituted by Mr Bhamu Kumar and the word 'Jharkhand State Pollution Control Board (JSPCB)' must be substituted by "SEIAA". Similarly, in Paragraph-11, the name of 'Mr Sunil Kumar' should be substituted with "Mr Bhamu Kumar" and the expression 'JSPCB' must be substituted by "SEIAA". In Paragraph62(b) in line-2, the number '500' should be substituted with "400" and in line-4, the number '400' must be substituted with the number "500".
- 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. This proposal was forwarded through PARIVESH Portal to Jharkhand State Pollution Control Board (JSPCB) for providing comments / Environmental Safeguards on 14.11.2025. The proposal was returned to SEAC via same portal without providing comments / Environmental Safeguards. Hence in compliance of OM File No. Q-15012/2/2022-CPW-Part(1)/e-240741, dated 14.01.2025 and File No. Q-15012/2/2022-CPW9Part-1)/e-231973, dated 08.10.2025, the PAs will mandatorily obtain the Environmental Safeguard to be implemented from Jharkhand State Pollution Control Board.
- 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.

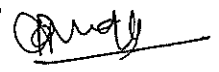
- vi. The Deputy Commissioner through District Mining Officer will ensure that the mines owner of the respective leases to complete the plantation and maintenance in a time bound manner.
- vii. Suitable plant species of not less than 2 M height to be planted equal to twice the area of saplings proposed 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.
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- 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.

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

1. 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 above matter was deferred until further / final order from the Hon'ble Jharkhand High Court for the following reasons:

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*



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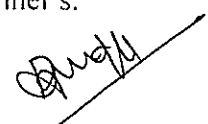
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In the light of above order dated 28.04.2026 of Hon'ble Jharkhand High Court the Project Authority has transferred the proposal mentioning that distance of mining lease area from forest boundary is more than 500 meters as per the certificate issued by DFO, Simdega Forest Division, Simdega vide letter no. 1318, dated 08.06.2026.

The SEIAA considered the prayer made by Project Authority in light of the judgement dated 28.04.2026 of Hon'ble Jharkhand High Court in the matter of W.P. (PIL) No. 3950 of 2024, Anand Kumar vs The State of Jharkhand & others. And observed that 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 400 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. 4. *Accordingly, in Paragraph-2 of our order, the name of Mr Sunil Kumar should be substituted by Mr Bhanu Kumar and the word 'Jharkhand State Pollution Control Board (JSPCB)' must be substituted by "SEIAA". Similarly, in Paragraph-11, the name of 'Mr Sunil Kumar' should be substituted with "Mr Bhanu Kumar" and the expression 'JSPCB' must be substituted by "SEIAA". In Paragraph62(b) in line-2, the number '500' should be substituted with "400" and in line-4, the number '400' must be substituted with the number "500".*
- 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 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. This proposal was forwarded through PARIVESH Portal to Jharkhand State Pollution Control Board (JSPCB) for providing comments / Environmental Safeguards on 14.11.2025. The proposal was returned to SEAC via same portal without providing comments / Environmental Safeguards. Hence in compliance of OM File No. Q-15012/2/2022-CPW-Part(1)/e-240741, dated 14.01.2025 and File No. Q-15012/2/2022-CPW9Part-1)/e-231973, dated 08.10.2025, the PAs will mandatorily obtain the Environmental Safeguard to be implemented from Jharkhand State Pollution Control Board.
- v. 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.
- vi. 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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- ix. 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.
- x. Keep vulnerable areas unmanned. Ensure rotation of duties. Records to be maintained and submitted with 6 monthly compliance report.
- xi. Failing of any of terms & conditions mentioned in EC can lead to revocation / cancellation of EC.



3. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC in its 132<sup>nd</sup> meeting held on 09<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> June, 2026 for grant of Environmental Clearance to the following Minor Mineral (Stone Mining) projects:

1. Jaipur Stone Deposit of M/s Kuldip Kumar & Company (Prop. : Shri Kuldip Kumar Agarwl), Village : Jaipur, Thana :Nirsa, Distt.: Dhanbad, Jharkhand (2.00 Ha). (Proposal no.: Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/577971 /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 400 meters as per the record available before SEIAA with the conditions recommended by SEAC and alongwith the following specific conditions:

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- 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



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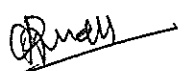
- II. **Binderi Bandarkola Stone Deposit of M/s Supreme Stone Works (Partners : Shri Jagbandhu Pandit & Smt. Punam Rashmi), Village : Binderi Bandarkola, Anchal : Borio, Distt. : Sahibganj, Jharkhand (2.83 Ha). (Proposal no.: Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 558225 /2025).**

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 400 meters as per the record available before SEIAA with the conditions recommended by SEAC and alongwith the following specific conditions:

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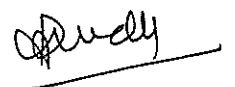


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- iii. Project Authority will ensure that personal protective equipments such as protective clothing, helmet, goggles or other garments or equipments designed to protect from injury or infection will be provided to working personnel's.
- iv. That the 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.
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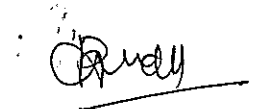


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III. **Chhotakhiri Stone Deposit of M/s V.G. Projects (Partners : Shri Varun Ahuja & Shri Gourav Singh), Village :Chhotakhiri, Thana :Govindpur, Circle : Rajnagar, Distt. :Saraikela-Kharsawan, Jharkhand (2.833 Ha) (Proposal no.: Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 575763 /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 400 meters as per the record available before SEIAA with the conditions recommended by SEAC and alongwith the following specific conditions:

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**IV. Bindri Bandarkola Stone Deposit of Shri Ranjeet Kumar Singh, Village : Bindri Bandarkola, Tehsil : Borio, Dist. : Sahibganj, Jharkhand (2.833 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 572815 /2026).**

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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. This proposal was forwarded through PARIVESH Portal to Jharkhand State Pollution Control Board (JSPCB) for providing comments / Environmental Safeguards on 14.11.2025. The proposal was returned to SEAC via same portal without providing comments / Environmental Safeguards. Hence in compliance of OM File No. Q-15012/2/2022-CPW-Part(1)/e-240741, dated 14.01.2025 and File No. Q-15012/2/2022-CPW9Part-1)/e-231973, dated 08.10.2025, the PAs will mandatorily obtain the Environmental Safeguard to be implemented from Jharkhand State Pollution Control Board.
- 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 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.

4. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC in its 132<sup>nd</sup> meeting held on 09<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> June, 2026 for grant of Environmental Clearance to the following Minor Mineral (Stone Mining) project: (Re-appraisal of DEIAA EC)

I. Murumdih Pot Stone Mine of M/s Sri Sai Minirals (Prop. : Smt. Smriti Anand), Village : Murumdih, Thana :Govindpur (Rajnagar), Dist. : Saraikela-Kharsawan, Jharkhand (0.79 Ha) (Proposal no.: Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 530679 /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 400 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 dated 28.04.2026 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. 4. *Accordingly, in Paragraph-2 of our order, the name of Mr Sunil Kumar should be substituted by Mr Bhanu Kumar and the word 'Jharkhand State Pollution Control Board (JSPCB)' must be substituted by "SEIAA". Similarly, in Paragraph-11, the name of 'Mr Sunil Kumar' should be substituted with "Mr Bhanu Kumar" and the expression 'JSPCB' must be substituted by "SEIAA". In Paragraph62(b) in line-2, the number '500' should be substituted with "400" and in line-4, the number '400' must be substituted with the number "500".*
- 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 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.
- 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.
- v. 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.

- vi. 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.
- vii. 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.
- viii. 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.
- ix. 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.
- x. Keep vulnerable areas unmanned. Ensure rotation of duties. Records to be maintained and submitted with 6 monthly compliance report.
- xi. Failing of any of terms & conditions mentioned in EC can lead to revocation / cancellation of EC.

5. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC in its 132<sup>nd</sup> meeting held on 09<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> June, 2026 for grant of Environmental Clearance to the following Building Projects:

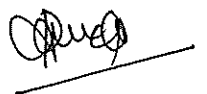
- I. Manipal Tata Medical College (MTMC) by Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), Mouza :Baridih, Thana no. : 1198, Tehsil : Jamshedpur, Distt. : East Singhbhum, Jharkhand) (Proposal No : Proposal no.: SIA/JH/INFRA2/ 578837 /2026).

SEAC has appraised the above project and made unanimous recommendations for grant of Environmental Clearance to above mentioned project proposal. The SEIAA, based on the recommendations of SEAC, unanimously decided to grant Environmental Clearance to the above mentioned project proposal with the conditions recommended by SEAC and alongwith the following specific conditions:

- i. 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.



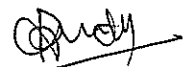
- ii. Ground water to be drawn for use in the project only after obtaining permission from the Competent Authority.
- iii. Environment management system including organization structure to be drawn to ensure compliance of EC conditions stipulated based on principles of Continual Improvement and periodical management review.
- iv. All raw material to be stored only under covered shed.
- v. PAs to offset (upto 20%) consumption of conventional energy sources by promoting use of solar energy, passive energy utilization, optimum fenestration, shading effect and heat islands.
- vi. Developers to promote solar energy generation not less than 05 % of connected load.
- vii. Trees should be planted & maintained not less than 15% of project area.
- viii. Organic Waste Converter (OWC) to be installed of sufficient capacity such that all organic waste (bio degradable) generated is composted at source only.
- ix. Developers/Company to install STP of sufficient capacity such that all the sewer produced is treated and reused.
- x. Developers/Company to install Rain water harvesting structures such that all the roof top water runoff is collected and harvested including reuse on 100% basis.
- xi. Developers/Company to conduct and submit carbon footprint and carbon sequestration study report including mitigation measures as a part of EC compliance.
- xii. Water runoff originating from open non constructed areas of project premises to be harvested /guided in such a way that it does not create water logging condition outside.
- xiii. Sufficient number of EV fast charging points to be installed.
- xiv. MSW Collection centre should be located in isolated and preferably unmanned area. Movement of the vehicle carrying waste should be under tarpaulin covered condition only. Route of vehicle should be such that it avoids residential areas as far as practical.
- xv. ISO 14k EMS system standard to be followed for implementation of EMPs with MRM in place for feedback to Sr management.
- xvi. Excess water from the ETP / STP will be discharged out side the premises after obtaining permission from the competent authority.



- II. Expansion for Commercial cum Residential Building Project “Essence Mall” (Previously Eminence Mall) of M/s Morias Infrastructure Private Limited, Village : Chadri, Tehsil : Ranchi, Distt.: Ranchi, Jharkhand. (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/INFRA2/576415/2026).
- III. Proposed Group Housing Project “President Tower” of M/s Galatrix Developers Pvt. Ltd., Village : Hurlung, Tehsil : Jamshedpur, Distt.: East Singhbhum, Jharkhand. (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/INFRA2/580741 /2026).

SEAC has appraised the above projects and made unanimous recommendations for grant of Environmental Clearance to above mentioned project proposals. The SEIAA, based on the recommendations of SEAC, unanimously decided to grant Environmental Clearance to the above mentioned project proposals with the conditions recommended by SEAC and alongwith the following specific conditions:

- i. 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. Ground water to be drawn for use in the project only after obtaining permission from the Competent Authority.
- iii. Environment management system including organization structure to be drawn to ensure compliance of EC conditions stipulated based on principles of Continual Improvement and periodical management review.
- iv. All raw material to be stored only under covered shed.
- v. PAs to offset (upto20%) consumption of conventional energy sources by promoting use of solar energy, passive energy utilization, optimum fenestration, shading effect and heat islands.
- vi. Developers to promote energy conservation measures such that it offsets not less than 02 % of connected load.
- vii. Trees should be planted & maintained not less than 15% of project area.
- viii. Organic Waste Converter (OWC) to be installed of sufficient capacity such that all organic waste (bio degradable) generated is composted at source only.
- ix. Developers/Company to install STP of sufficient capacity such that all the sewer produced is treated and reused.
- x. Developers/Company to install Rain water harvesting structures such that all the roof top water runoff is collected and harvested including reuse on 100% basis.



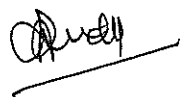
- xv. Developers/Company to conduct and submit carbon footprint and carbon sequestration study report including mitigation measures as a part of EC compliance.
- xii. Water runoff originating from open non constructed areas of project premises to be harvested /guided in such a way that it does not create water logging condition outside.
- xiii. Sufficient number of EV fast charging points to be installed.
- xiv. MSW Collection centre should be located in isolated and preferably unmanned area. Movement of the vehicle carrying waste should be under tarpaulin covered condition only. Route of vehicle should be such that it avoids residential areas as far as practical.
- xv. ISO 14k EMS system standard to be followed for implementation of EMPs with MRM in place for feedback to Sr management.

6. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC in its 132<sup>nd</sup> meeting held on 09<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> June, 2026 for grant of Environmental Clearance to the following Industrial Project:

- I. Expansion of Grain Based Distillery Plant Project of M/s Sheonarain Jaiswal Pvt. Ltd., Village : Balsiring, Tehsil : Namkum, Distt. : Ranchi, Jharkhand (Proposal No : SIA/JH/IND2/ 578882/2026).

SEAC has appraised the above project and made unanimous recommendations for grant of Environmental Clearance to above mentioned project proposal. The SEIAA, based on the recommendations of SEAC, unanimously decided to grant Environmental Clearance to the above mentioned project proposal with the conditions recommended by SEAC and alongwith the following specific conditions:

- i. 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. In compliance of S.O. No. 2339(E), dated 16.06.2021 issued by MoEF&CC, Govt. of India the Ethanol produced based on this EC will completely be used only for Ethanol blending petrol.
- iii. In compliance of OM File No. Q-15012/2/2022-CPW-Part(1)/e-240741, dated 14.01.2025 and File No. Q-15012/2/2022-CPW9Part-1)/e-231973, dated 08.10.2025, the PAs will mandatorily obtain the Environmental Safeguard to be implemented or Expansion CTE from Jharkhand State Pollution Control Board, if applicable.



- iv. PAs is directed to comply all the commitment made in Action Taken Report (ATR) and time bound manner and proof of the same shall be submitted with details and evidence in next Half Yearly Compliance Report of issued EC.

7. SEIAA considered the recommendations made by SEAC in its 132<sup>nd</sup> meeting held on 09<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> June, 2026 for grant of Amendment in Environmental Clearance to the following Industrial Project:

1. Amendment in configuration of Induction furnaces from 2x10T + 2x12T to 2x22T including change of layout with total production remaining same and plant area from 4.88 Acres to 5.88 Acres without change in other units as provided in EC dated 30.11.2023 by M/s Jai Prabhuji Iron & Steel Pvt. Ltd. at Village : Kanshitanr, Tehsil : Govindpur, Distt. : Dhanbad, Jharkhand (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/IND1/580873/2026).

SEAC has appraised the above project and made unanimous recommendations for grant of Amendment Environmental Clearance to above mentioned project proposal. The SEIAA, based on the recommendations of SEAC, unanimously decided to grant Amendment Environmental Clearance to the above mentioned project proposal. All other terms and conditions of the earlier EC letter no. EC/SEIAA/2024-25/3589/2024/482, Dated: 06.11.2025 shall remain the same along with following specific conditions:

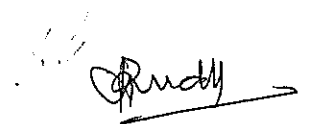
- i. In compliance of OM no.F.No. IA3-22/3/2024-IA.III (E-241594) dated 24.07.2024 of MoEF&CC, Govt. of India plantation of saplings shall be carried out in the earmarked green belt area as the part of tree plantation campaign “*Ek Ped Ma Ke Naam*” and the details of the same shall be uploaded in the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

8. SEIAA considered the Recommendations of SEAC in its 132<sup>nd</sup> meeting held on 09<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> June, 2026 for grant of Terms of Reference (ToR) to the following (Sand Mining) project:

1. Kochedega Sand Deposit (River Bed of Sankh River) of M/s Saniya Enterprises (Prop. : Md. Harish), Village : Kochedega, Tehsil : Simdega, Distt. : Simdega, Jharkhand (5.92 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 580328 /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 amendment of ToR to above mentioned proposal. The SEIAA, based on the recommendations of SEAC, unanimously decided to grant amendment of ToR to the above mentioned project proposal with the conditions recommended by SEAC and alongwith the following specific conditions:

- i. 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.

9. SEIAA considered the Recommendations of SEAC in its 132<sup>nd</sup> meeting held on 09<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> June, 2026 for grant of Terms of Reference (ToR) to the following Coal Mining Projects:

- I. **Saunda D Coal Mine (Rated and Peak capacity 6.21 MTPA) of M/s Central Coalfields Ltd.** Located at South Karanpura Coalfield (Barka Sayal Area, Central Coalfields Limited), Saunda D Coal Block, Village : Saunda, Post : Patratu, Distt. : Ramgarh, Jharkhand (447.94 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/CMIN/ 579786/2026).
- II. **Khas Karanpura Coal Mines (Rated 2.25 MTPA and Peak capacity 3.375 MTPA) of M/s Central Coalfields Ltd.** Located at South Karanpura Coalfield, Thana : Patratu, Distt. : Ramgarh, Jharkhand (232.13 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/CMIN/ 581347/2026).

SEAC has appraised the above projects and made unanimous recommendations for grant of ToR to above mentioned proposals. The SEIAA, based on the recommendation of SEAC, unanimously decided to grant ToR to the above mentioned project proposals with the conditions recommended by SEAC and alongwith the following specific conditions:

- i. 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. PAs shall obtain Stage-I Clearance under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 or certificate from DFO, Ramgarh Forest Division stating that Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 is not applicable on the forest land area within the project before submission of the application for final EC.
- III. **Burakhap Small Patch Coal Mine of M/s Shreesatya Mines Private Limited,** Village : Burakhap, Tehsil : Mandu, Distt. : Ramgarh, Jharkhand (57.05 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/CMIN/ 490746 /2026).

SEAC has appraised the above project and 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 with the conditions recommended by SEAC and alongwith the following specific conditions:

- i. 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. PAs shall obtain Stage-I Clearance under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 before submission of the application for final EC.

10. SEIAA considered the Recommendations of SEAC in its 132<sup>nd</sup> meeting held on 09<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> June, 2026 for grant of Terms of Reference (ToR) to the following Industrial Project:

- i. Proposed Integrated Municipal Solid Waste Management Facility of M/s Shree Shyam SWM Simdega Private Limited, Village : Tapudega Pandripani, Distt.: Simdega, Jharkhand (2.32 Ha). (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/INFRA2/471667 /2024).

SEAC has appraised the above project and 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 with the conditions recommended by SEAC and alongwith the following specific conditions:

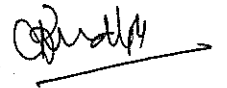
- i. In compliance of OM no. F.No. IA3-22/3/2024-IA.III (E-241594) dated 24.07.2024 of MoEF&CC, Govt. of India plantation of saplings shall be carried out in the earmarked green belt area as the part of tree plantation campaign “*Ek Ped Ma Ke Naam*” and the details of the same shall be uploaded in the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

11. Transfer of Environmental Clearance regarding:

- i. Borna Stone Mine of Shri Krishna Kumar Saha, Mauza : Borna, Thana : Ranga, Distt. : Sahibganj, Jharkhand (3.490 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 572255 /2026).

SEIAA considered the proposal for transfer of Environmental Clearance (EC) in respect of Borna Stone Mine over an area of 3.490 Ha situated at Village Borna, District Sahibganj, Jharkhand.

SEIAA examined the records placed before it, including the submissions of the Project Authority, recommendations of SEAC and the compliance status report furnished by the Regional Office, Ranchi, MoEF&CC, Govt. of India. During deliberations, it was observed that the Environmental Clearance was originally granted in favour of M/s A.R.K. Nirman Pvt. Ltd., whereas Consent to Operate (CTO) appears to have been issued / renewed in favour of Shri Krishna Kumar Saha during the intervening period.



In order to ascertain the factual position regarding issuance / renewal of CTO and the records considered by the Jharkhand State Pollution Control Board (JSPCB) while granting the same, SEIAA decided that a clarification be obtained from JSPCB on the matter.

Accordingly, Member Secretary, SEIAA shall write a letter to Member Secretary, JSPCB seeking the requisite factual clarification and requesting submission of its response within **Seven (07) days** from the date of receipt of the communication.

Upon receipt of the clarification from JSPCB, or on expiry of the aforesaid period, the matter shall be placed before SEIAA for further consideration and appropriate decision.

**The proposal is deferred pending receipt of such clarification in prescribed time limit given hereinabove.**

**12. Decision on matter related to:**

- I. **Sahijana Stone Deposit of Shri Pradeep Kumar Sahu, Village : Sahijana, Anchal : Sisari, Distt. : Gumla, Jharkhand (0.781 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 578433 /2026)**
- II. **Sahijana Stone Deposit of Shri Pradeep Kumar Sahu, Village : Sahijana, Anchal : Sisari, Distt. : Gumla, Jharkhand (1.283 Ha) (Proposal no.: SIA/JH/MIN/ 578350 /2026)**

**The recommendation of SEAC on above project proposals 12 (I) & (II) are as follows:**

*"The DSR of Gumla District was approved by SEIAA, Jharkhand in its 109<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 27<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> September, 2023 as per recommendation of SEAC based on the proposal of DSR submitted by DC, Gumla duly authenticated by Sub-Divisional Committee.*

*The above projects is not a part of the approved DSR as mentioned above.*

*The DC-cum-District Magistrate, Gumla vide letter no. 437/M, dated 02.04.2026 addressed to Member Secretary, SEIAA has confirmed that the above project was not included in the DSR which was submitted to SEIAA for approval.*

*He has further requested that the above projects may be considered as a part of the present DSR and also stated that these projects will be included in the DSR in future revision.*

*Hence, SEAC is of the view that SEIAA may request the DC, Gumla to submit his proposal for consideration of revised DSR including all the other left out potential mining areas for approval to SEIAA.*



*SEIAA may also write to Deputy Commissioners to grant Letter of Intent (LoI) on areas which are included as potential area in the approved DSR.*

*These projects could not be taken up for consideration for grant of EC as the project is not a part of the present approved DSR."*

The SEIAA examined the recommendation / comments of SEAC alongwith the Office Memorandum F. No. IA-L-11011/138/2025-II(NCM), dated 19.06.2026 issued by MoEF&CC, Govt. of India. The Office Memorandum dated 19.06.2026 clearly specified the procedure of incorporation of new resources / new potential zone.

Hence, SEIAA unanimously decided to write a letter to Deputy Commissioner, Gumla regarding to submit revise proposal of supplementary / addendum DSR after following the procedure prescribed in Office Memorandum dated 19.06.2026 of MoEF&CC, Govt. of India regarding incorporation of new resources / new potential zone.

- III. Letter no. 208A, dated 28.05.2026 from Steel Authority of India Ltd., Bokaro Steel Plant , Bokaro regarding non-applicability of prior Environmental Clearance (EC) for existing Bokaro Airport under EIA Notification, 2006 and subsequent amendments/Office Memorandums.

The recommendation of SEAC made in this regard is as follows :

*"This letter is addressed to Member Secretary, SEIAA, Jharkhand which has been forwarded to SEAC, Jharkhand for its comments and observations.*

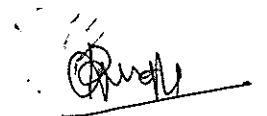
*This matter has been discussed earlier also in the 115<sup>th</sup> meeting of SEAC held on 23<sup>rd</sup> to 27<sup>th</sup> July, 2024 and 126<sup>th</sup> meeting of SEAC held on 09<sup>th</sup> to 13<sup>th</sup> September, 2025 in which very clear opinion of SEAC was provided.*

*In the present case this matter was listed for discussion on 09<sup>th</sup> June, 2026. The Project Authorities or their representative were requested to be present during the discussion vide SEAC letter no. 39, dated 05.06.2026. Further a mail was received on 09<sup>th</sup> June, 2026 from CGM (ECS), Bokaro Steel Plant, SAIL stating that due to some unavoidable circumstances they were unable to attend the SEAC meeting on 09<sup>th</sup> June, 2026 with a request to list this matter for discussion on 11<sup>th</sup> June, 2026 at 11.30 AM. Confirmation mail was sent by SEAC on 09<sup>th</sup> June, 2026 to CGM (ECS), Bokaro Steel Plant, SAIL fixing the time for discussion on 11<sup>th</sup> June, 2026 at 11.30 AM.*

*Shri Rajiv Srivastava, CGM (ECS), Bokaro Steel Plant, SAIL and Shri P.K. Swain, AGM, Aviation, Bokaro Steel Plant, SAIL were present for discussion with SEAC at 11.30 AM on 11<sup>th</sup> June, 2026.*

*The focus of discussion were mainly only following aspects:*

- i. Applicability of requirement of EC under EIA Notification, 2006 to the proposed conversion of private Airport of Bokaro Steel Plant to commercial airport for public use.*



- ii. *Applicability of OMs and Notification issued by MoEF&CC, Govt. of India vide S.O. No. 1886 (E), dated 20.04.2022, S.O. No. 3194 (E), dated 14.07.2022, OMF.No. 22-47/2018-IA.III [E 114368], dated 12.10.2022&OM F.No. IA3-10/9/2025-IA-III (INFRA-II(E. NO. 279043), dated 30.09.2025.*

*As per EIA notification, 2006 as amended for time to time, Airport projects are listed under serial 7(a) of the scheduled. The projects are classified as follows :*

- a. *All new projects including airstrips, which are for commercial use are categorized as Category 'A' projects and to be appraised at the Central Level.*
- b. *All expansion projects, including airstrips which are for commercial use are categorized as Category 'B' projects and to be appraised at the State Level.*

*Notes specified in the column no. (5) of General Condition reads as follows :*

- (i) *Air strips which do not involve bunkering / refueling facility and or Air Traffic Control, are exempted.*
- (ii) *Only expansion of terminal buildings and allied buildings within the existing Airport premises >20,000 shall require Environmental Clearance, and such expansion up to 1,50,000 sqm shall be appraised as per provisions of item 8(a) of the Schedule of this notification provided there is no increase in the existing area of the Airport”.*

*During discussion a consensus was arrived at that the Airport under discussion is coming as a Commercial Airport for the 1<sup>st</sup> time and has no previous Environmental Clearance (EC) for the Airport. Hence this can not be considered to be an existing airport in the perview of EIA Notification, 2006 as no earlier EC has been obtained.*

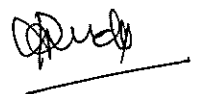
*The airport can not be considered as an existing airport having lawful environmental status merely on the basis of its physical existance.*

*Further, the Bokaro Steel Plant representative stated that Air Traffic Control Facilities shall be installed and hence it does not attract clause no. (i) of column (5).*

*Clause no. (ii) of column (5) is applicable only to airport having valid EC and proposing an expansion of Terminal Building 20,000 Sqm and above and up to 1,50,000 Sqm irrespective of whether the airport is private or commercial and to be considered under schedule 8(a) of the EIA Notification, 2006.*

*Hence, it is considered as a new Commercial Airport and requires EC as per scheduled 7(a) of the EIA Notification, 2006 and classified as a Category 'A' Project. Accordingly, EC is to be obtained for the Proposed Commercial Airport from MoEF&CC, Govt. of India.”*

**SEIAA considered the observation of SEAC in which SEAC has mentioned that Shri Rajiv Srivastava, CGM (ECS), Bokaro Steel Plant, SAIL and Shri P.K. Swain, AGM, Aviation, Bokaro Steel Plant, SAIL were present for discussion with SEAC on 11.06.2026. SEAC has further stated that during discussion with SAIL Authority they have arrived on the conclusion that the Airport is under**



Commercial Airport category for 1<sup>st</sup> time and no previous Environmental Clearance for the Airport has been obtained by SAIL.

The SAIL, Bokaro Steel Plant representative also stated that Air Traffic Control (ATC) shall be installed and hence it does not attract clause no. (i) of column (5) of EIA Notification, 2006.

In the light of the above observation of SEAC and recommendation of SEAC made in this regard, SEIAA is of the view that recommendation of SEAC should be communicated to SAIL, Bokaro Steel Plant for information and further necessary action at their end. Member Secretary, JSPCB should also be informed regarding the same.

- IV. Letter no. IA-Z-12011/45/2026-IA-I, dated 17.04.2026 from Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Govt. of India regarding PG no. MOEAF/E/2026/0001880, dated 07.04.2026 received in the Ministry from Shri Zameer Ahmad.

The recommendation / comments of SEAC made in this regard is as follows :

*"The complaint is regarding taking action against Dongodih Stone Deposit of Shri Sharwan Yadav at Village :Dongodih, Tehsil :Jamua, Distt. :Giridih, Jharkhand (0.931 Ha) (Proposal no. SIA/JH/MIN/233810/2021).*

*As per letter F. No. IA-Z-12011/22/2026-IA-I(E – Comp. No. 291970), dated 19.02.2026 addressed to the Director General of Forest (C), Regional Office, Ranchi, MoEF&CC, Govt. of India with copy to SEIAA, Jharkhand and further letter F. No. IA-Z-12011/45/2026-IA-I, dated 29.04.2026 addressed to Member Secretary, SEIAA, Jharkhand with copy to Director General of Forest (C), Regional Office, Ranchi, MoEF&CC, Govt. of India with a direction to Regional Office, Ranchi, MoEF&CC, Govt. of India, to provide the CCR w.r.t Dongodih Stone Deposit of Shri Sharwan Yadav at Village : Dongodih, Tehsil : Jamua, Distt. : Giridih, Jharkhand (0.931 Ha) to SEIAA, Jharkhand for further necessary action.*

*It is recommended that Member Secretary, SEIAA will seek status of CCR with respect to Dongodih Stone Deposit of Shri Sharwan Yadav at Village : Dongodih, Tehsil : Jamua, Distt. : Giridih, Jharkhand (0.931 Ha) from Regional Office, Ranchi, MoEF&CC, Govt. of India.*

*After receipt of the CCR, SEIAA may take necessary action in the light of Notification dated 28.02.2014 issued under EIA Notification, 2006 and the related OM dated 09.09.2019 as requested by MoEF&CC, Govt. of India."*

The SEIAA considered the recommendation / comments of SEAC made hereinabove and unanimously decided to inform the SEAC that Certified Compliance Report has been submitted by Regional Office, Ranchi, MoEF&CC, Govt. of India through e-mail dated 15.06.2026 and bearing F.No. 111-31/ROR-2026/314, dated 12.06.2026 which should be forwarded to SEAC for further examination and their recommendation / comments.



- V. Letter no. 293/M, dated 03.06.2026 of District Mining Officer, Godda regarding clarification on *“The Expert Appraisal Committee shall, while granting prior environmental clearance for the projects requiring extraction or sourcing or borrowing of ordinary earth, include the environmental safeguards prescribed in this Appendix as part of the prior environmental clearance granted to them”*.

The recommendation / comments of SEAC made in this regard is as follows :

*“Letter received from DMO, Godda vide Letter no. 293/M, dated 03.06.2026 addressed to Member Secretary, SEIAA, Jharkhand seeking clarification w.r.t. applicability of EC in the above matter.*

*It is to be stated that clause no. 3 of Appendix xiv of Notification no. 1223 (E), dated 17.03.2025 clearly states about the decision to be taken in this matter by the Committee as stated in this clause.”*

The SEIAA agrees with the above recommendation / comments of SEAC and is of the view that the same should be communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Godda and District Mining Officer, Godda for information.

13. Site visit Report to Rajhara North (Central & Eastern) Coal Mine Opencast Project of M/s Fairmine Carbons Pvt. Ltd., Mouza :Rajhara&Pandwa, Thana : Nawa Bazar &Pandwa, Thana no. : 132 & 198, Dist. : Palamu, Jharkhand (116.80 Ha):

The SEIAA examined the site inspection report of SEAC forwarded through letter no. 44, dated 18.06.2026 in respect of above project and observed certain clarity regarding the point of Bank of the River from which the distance have been measured and HFL of Sadabah River is not clearly visible on the map with Latitude and Longitude submitted with the inspection report.

Hence, the inspection report is being retuned in original with request to SEAC to address the above observations including any other aspects as deemed fit and submit the inspection report to SEIAA for further action.

SEIAA also came to know that Certified Compliance Report of the project has been submitted in SEIAA office by Regional Office, Ranchi, MoEF&CC, Govt. of India through e-mail dated 13.08.2025 bearing F.No. 111-18/ROR-2025/473, dated 13.08.2025. The Action Taken Report has been furnished by Project Authority to Regional Office, Ranchi, MoEF&CC, Govt. of India vide Ref. No. FRL/RNC/25-26/126, dated 04.12.2025, the copy of which has also been submitted to SEIAA, Jharkhand on 22.12.2025.

SEIAA is of the view that the Review Report may be obtained by SEAC from Regional Office, Ranchi, MoEF&CC, Govt. of India at earliest.



14. Site visit Report to Residential Apartment Project “ SG Exotica” of M/s Subhash Kumar Modi & Gautham Modi at Village :Lalpur, Thana no. : 02, Tehsil : Ranchi Sahar, Distt. : Ranchi, Jharkhand:

The above project has been granted Environmental Clearance under violation category vide letter no. EC/SEIAA/2022-23/2552/2022/312, dated 13.12.2022. The project Authority has been submitted Bank Guarantee No. 087GT02223220001 dated :18.11.2022 of Sum Rupees – 1,60,50,000 (Rupees One Crore Sixty Lakh Fifty Thousand only) to The Jharkhand State Pollution Control Board in the light of Hon’ble Supreme Court Order dated 09.12.2021, Office Memorandum No. F.No.22-21/2020-IA.III[E 138949], dated 28.01.2022 of MoEF & CC, Govt. of India and Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) F.No.22-21/2020-IA.III, dated 07.07.2021. Further project Authority has requested to release the Bank Guarantee after successful implementation of Remediation Plan and Community Resource Augmentation Plan. The said request of Project Authority has been examined by SEAC and conducted site visit on 27.04.2026 and 11.06.2026 respectively by Member of SEAC alongwith representative of Regional Office (Dr. Pasupala Ravi, Scientist ‘D’) of MoEF & CC, Govt. of India in the light of S.O. No. 804(E), Dated : 14.03.2017 of MoEF & CC, Govt. of India and unanimously forwarded the following recommendation:

*“The Project Authorities, in the 130<sup>th</sup> meeting of SEAC, had submitted documented evidence of implementation of Remediation Plan and Natural &Community Resource Augmentation Plan as per EC letter no. EC/SEIAA/2022-23/2552/2022/312, dated 13.12.2022.*

*It was decided to have a joint site visit with the representative from IRO, MoEF&CC, Govt. of India, Ranchi and SEAC, Jharkhand as per direction of S.O. no. 804 (E), dated 14.03.2017, to evidence the implementation of the Remediation Plan and Natural &Community Resource Augmentation Plan as reported.*

*As per Environmental Clearance letter no. EC/SEIAA/2022-23/2552/2022/312, dated 13.12.2022, the Remediation Plan and Natural &Community Resource Augmentation Plan was as follows :-*

<i>Sr. No.</i>	<i>Major Environment</i>	<i>Details</i>	<i>Cost Rs in Lacs</i>
<i>1</i>	<i>Air Environment</i>	<i>Provided air monitoring equipment</i>	<i>10.00</i>
<i>2</i>	<i>Water Environment</i>	<i>Repair of culverts and embankments etc or any suggestion form the local authority.</i>	<i>40.00</i>
<i>3</i>	<i>Soil Environment</i>	<i>Development of green belt along streams, ponds etc.</i>	<i>10.00</i>

4.	<i>Socio-Economic Environment</i>	<i>Provide equipment to charitable school Hospital and other allied services.</i>	90.00
5.	<i>Energy conversation</i>	<i>Provision of solar panel lighting in common areas etc.</i>	10.50
<b>Total Cost Rs. In Lacs</b>			<b>160.50</b>

*The utilization of the funds is done as per the above mentioned Remediation Plan and Natural & Community Resource Augmentation Plan.*

*The details of the utilization as evidence during the site visit is as follows :*

<i>Sr. No.</i>	<i>Major Environment</i>	<i>Details</i>	<i>Budget Received</i>	<i>Proposed Work</i>	<i>Expenditure Done</i>
1	<i>Air Environment</i>	<i>Provided air Monitoring Equipment</i>	10,00,000/- -	<i>Air monitoring Equipment's</i>	11,97,700/-
2	<i>Water Environment</i>	<i>Repair of culverts and embankment s or any suggestion form the local authority</i>	40,00,000/-	<i>Construction of PCC Road, etc in Tiril Basti.</i>	46,92,273/-
3	<i>Soil Environment</i>	<i>Development of green belt along streams, ponds etc.</i>	10,00,000/- -	<i>Green Belt developed at St. Xavier's School, Doranda and St. Albert College</i>	10,18,310/-
4.	<i>Socio-Economic Environment</i>	<i>Provide Equipment to charitable school hospital and other allied services.</i>	90,00,000/- -	<i>Provided Cardio vascular Ultrasound System to Nagarmal Modi Seva Hospital, At seva Sadan, Ranchi</i>	5lac+10.70 lac+11Lac + 25 Lac (51.70 lac)

				Construction of Limb Centre, Tetratoli, Bariyatu, Ranchi, etc.	23,60,000/-
				Handicapped Rickshaw from Prem Cycle.	3,80,000/-
				Paid to Shree Bhagwan Mahaveer Viklang Sahayata Samit for purchase of Limbs and Appliances	Rs 5,00,000/-
				Total	84,10,0000/-
5.	Energy conversation	Provision of solar panel lighting in common areas etc.	10,50,000/-	Solar Panel installed at Limb Centre Bariyatu.	10,89,000/-
TOTAL COST RS. IN LACS			1,60,50,000/-		1,64,06,583

*Hence, it is recommended and requested for further action to felicitate the release of the Bank Guarantee of Rupees 1,60,50,000 (Rupees One Crore Sixty Lakh Fifty Thousand only) submitted to Jharkhand State Pollution Control Board, Ranchi, vide Bank Guarantee No. : 087GT02223220001 dated :18.11.2022.”*

The SEIAA examined the recommendation of SEAC Members and representative of Regional Office (Dr. Pasupala Ravi, Scientist ‘D’) of MoEF & CC, Govt. of India for release of Bank Guarantee 087GT02223220001 dated : 18.11.2022 of Sum Rupees 1,60,50,000 (Rupees One Crore Sixty Lakh Fifty Thousand only)) submitted to Jharkhand State Pollution Control Board, Ranchi under the provision of section of 13(7) of S.O. No. 804(E), Dated : 14.03.2017 of MoEF & CC, Govt. of India which is as follows:

*“The project proponent will be required to submit a Bank Guarantee equivalent to the amount of remediation Plan and Natural and Community Resource Augmentation Plan with the State Pollution control Board and the quantification will be recommended by Expert Appraisal Committee and finalized by Regulatory Authority and the Bank Guarantee shall be deposited prior to the grant of Environmental Clearance and will be released after successful implementation of the Remediation Plan and Natural and Community Resource*

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*Augmentation Plan, and after the recommendation by Regional Office of the Ministry, Expert Appraisal Committee and approval of the Regulatory Authority”.*

The above direction of MoEF & CC, Govt. of India has been complied by Project Authority and request has been made for release of Bank Guarantee which has been deposited to Jharkhand State Pollution Control Board, Ranchi. Further the SEAC Members and representative of Regional Office (Dr. Pasupala Ravi, Scientist ‘D’) of MoEF & CC, Govt. of India witnessed the activities carried out and forwarded the recommendation bearing letter no. 46, dated 18.06.2026.

Hence, SEIAA unanimously decided that Member Secretary, SEIAA should write a letter to Member Secretary, JSPCB for release of the Bank Guarantee of Rupees 1,60,50,000 (Rupees One Crore Sixty Lakh Fifty Thousand only) submitted to Jharkhand State Pollution Control Board, Ranchi, vide Bank Guarantee No. : 087GT02223220001 dated :18.11.2022 alongwith Member Secretary, SEAC letter no. 46, dated 18.06.2026.

15. Updated District Survey Report (DSR) for Minor Minerals other than Sand Mining or River Bed Mining (Stone) is recommended by SEAC for approval of Koderma District.

I. District Survey Report (Stone) of Koderma District

After Technical presentation before SEAC and appraisal of updated DSR, the unanimous recommendation was sent to SEIAA for approval of updated District Survey Report for Minor Minerals other than Sand Mining or River Bed Mining (Stone) of **Koderma** district which are as follows:

*“The updated DSR was submitted by Deputy Commissioner, Koderma. He was represented by Shri Manoj Toppo, District Mining Officer, Koderma at the SEAC meeting on 12.06.2026.*

*During the meeting the DMO, Koderma presented the DSR before the Committee. The DSR was appraised in light of S.O. no. 3611 (E), dated 25.07.2018 of MoEF&CC, Govt. of India.*

*The updated DSR had been placed in the public domain for 21 days from the 15.10.2024. As per the Sub Divisional Committee no comments / observations were received.*

*The DSR has been prepared as per the format provided in the above notification. The DSR submitted has been approved by the Sub-Divisional Committee. All the aspects of the notification dated 25.07.2018 are incorporated in the DSR and found to be satisfactory.*

*Hence, the updated DSR for Minor Minerals other than Sand Mining or River Bed Mining (Stone) of District Koderma is recommended to SEIAA for approval”.*



In the light of the recommendations of SEAC for approval of updated District Survey Report for Minor Minerals other than Sand Mining or River Bed Mining (Stone) of Koderma District, the same was considered in the 132<sup>nd</sup> meeting of SEIAA, Jharkhand on 22, 23 and 24.06.2026.

The SEIAA, unanimously, decided to approve the updated District Survey Report (DSR) for Minor Minerals other than Sand Mining or River Bed Mining (Stone) of Koderma district on the basis recommendations of SEAC. It was also decided that a copy of approved updated District Survey Report of Stone should be sent to the concerned Deputy Commissioner for onward necessary actions.

16. Any other matter.

A. Comments provided by SEAC with respect to Complain received in SEIAA, Jharkhand:

- I. A Complain received from [bhaaratnida703@gmail.com](mailto:bhaaratnida703@gmail.com) vide e-mail dated 17.04.2026).

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 complain is regarding illegal mining activites being carried out by Lufal Haque Stone at Village : Pratappur, Thana no. 104, Hiranpur, Distt. :Pakur, Jharkhand.*

*SEAC recommends that SEIAA may write a letter to Deputy Commissioner, Pakur to inquire in to the matter and take necessary action"*

The SEIAA considered the recommendation / comments of SEAC and unanimously agrees with the recommendation / comments of SEAC and the same may be communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Pakur to inquire in to the matter and take necessary action as deemed fit and copy of the action taken to be communicated to SEIAA, Jharkhand.

- II. A Complain received from Sayma Khatun, Bindudham Path, Barharwa, Distt. : Sahibganj vide letter dated 22.05.2026.

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 complain is regarding dispute in the land ownership and not related to SEIAA, Jharkhand.*

*SEAC recommends that SEIAA may write a letter to Deputy Commissioner, Sahibganj to inquire in to the matter and take necessary action"*



The SEIAA considered the recommendation / comments of SEAC and unanimously agrees with the recommendation / comments of SEAC and the same may be communicated to Deputy Commissioner, Sahibganj to inquire in to the matter and take necessary action as deemed fit and copy of the action taken to be communicated to SEIAA, Jharkhand.

- III. Regarding public notice to be advertised in daily news paper for public awareness.

The SEIAA is of the view that for the purpose of public awareness it is essential to advertize the provisions of prior Environment Clearance (EC) under EIA Notification, 2006 in daily news paper of Jharkhand on the six monthly basis.

- IV. MoEF&CC, Govt. of India Office Memorandum F. No. IA-L-11011/138/2025-II(NCM), dated 19.06.2026.

The MoEF&CC, Govt. of India has issued a necessary clarification regarding preparation and updation of District Survey Report (DSR) for Minor Mineral under Appendix - X of EIA Notification, 2006, by which following direction has been given while preparing of District Survey Report :

**Quote**

*“3 (a) The State Department of Mines and Geology shall be the nodal organization/authority for preparation of District Survey Report (DSR) for sand mining or river bed mining and minerals other than sand mining or river bed mining through the sub-divisional committee consisting of various officers as given under:*

- i. Sub-Divisional Magistrate;*
- ii. Officer from Irrigation Department;*
- iii. Officer from State Pollution Control Board/Committee;*
- iv. Officer from Forest Department; and*
- v. District Geologist/Mining Officer.*

*(b)The State Department of Mines and Geology shall submit the Draft DSR prepared through the above sub-divisional committee to SEAC/SEIAA for approval.*

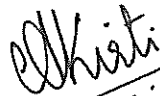
*(c) The DSR for sand mining or river bed mining and minerals other than sand mining or river bed mining can be updated once in five years. However, if new resource comes to the knowledge of Geology and Mining Department of State, then addition in the DSR can be affected as supplementary/addendum DSR after following the above stated process.”*


The SEIAA is of the view that the District Survey Report (DSR) should be prepared and updated as per the provisions mentioned above and any new resources will be included in the DSR only after following the procedure mentioned above.

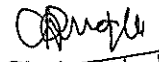


SEIAA also decided that the communication regarding the provisions given in Office Memorandum dated 19.06.2026 shall be communicated to All Deputy Commissioners and District Mining Officers of Jharkhand for information and necessary compliances. The letter regarding same shall be communicated to the Secretary, Deptt. of Mines & Geology, Govt. of Jharkhand.

The meeting concluded with vote of thanks to all present.

  
Member 24/6/26  
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Member Secretary  
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Chairman 24/6/26  
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