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# State Environment Impact Assessment Authority West Bengal Minutes of SEIAA Meeting

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Subject: 29th meeting of SEIAA (Reconstituted on 17.05.2023)

Venue:- Conference Room of Environment Department, Prani Sampad Bhavan, 5th Floor, LB -

Block, Sector - III, Salt Lake, Kolkata - 700106

From :- **19 January 2024**To :- **19 January 2024** 

#### CONSIDERATION/RECONSIDERATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE

(1) Proposed MIN\_BNK\_18\_B Sand Mine over an area of 18.29 ha (45.18 Acres) on the Damodar River at Mouza – Salkhara, Plot no: 2084, J.L. No.-64, PS & Block: Patrasayer, District: Bankura, West Bengal by **M/s. West Bengal Mineral Development and Trading Corporation Limited.** 

Proposal No.: SIA/WB/MIN/453973/2023, File No.: EN/T-II-1/386/2023, Type-EC

#### INTRODUCTION

The proponent made online application vide proposal no. **SIA/WB/MIN/453973/2023**dated **12 December 2023** along with copies of EIA/EMP seeking environment clearance under the provisions of the EIA Notification, 2006 for the above-mentioned project. The proposed project activity is listed at Sl. No. **1(a) Mining of minerals** under Category "**B1**" of EIA Notification 2006.

The project proponent (PP) obtained Terms of Reference (ToR) vide No. 1245/EN/T-II-1/386/2023 dated 05.07.2023 issued by SEIAA, WB against proposal no. SIA/WB/MIN/424435/2023.

SEAC, during its 23<sup>rd</sup> meeting held on 03.01.2024, recommended the proposed project for Environmental Clearance with additional conditions.

# PROJECT DETAILS

The project of M/s. West Bengal Mineral Development and Trading Corporation Limited located in as follows:

| S. No. | State       | District |
|--------|-------------|----------|
| (1.)   | West Bengal | Bankura  |

# DELIBERATION IN SEIAA

SEIAA considered the recommendation of SEAC and decided that the application for MIN\_BNK\_18\_B falling within the DSR potential zone code BNK\_DA\_PS\_28 is accepted with the condition that the validity of EC will be for 5 years. However, the PP may apply for extension of EC with revised mining plan before expiry of 5 years hence.

#### RECOMMENDATIONS OF SEIAA

The application for EC is approved.

# CONCLUSION

# Approved for EC.

2) Proposed WB\_BIR\_AJ\_A2\_C Sand Mine over an area of 36.47 ha on the Darakeswar River at Mouza: Brajadihi & Jabalpur, J.L.: 91 & 92, Plot no. 342/363, 431/855, P.S. & Block -Khairasole, Dist. - Birbhum, West Bengal by M/s. West Bengal Mineral Development and Trading Corporation Limited.

Proposal No.: SIA/WB/MIN/454299/2023, File No.: EN/T-II-1/329/2023, Type-EC

#### INTRODUCTION

The proponent made online application vide proposal no. **SIA/WB/MIN/454299/2023** dated **12 December 2023** along with copies of EIA/EMP seeking environment clearance under the provisions of the EIA Notification, 2006 for the above-mentioned project. The proposed project activity is listed at SL. No. **1(a) Mining of minerals** projects under Category "**B1**" of EIA Notification 2006.

The PP obtained Terms of Reference (ToR) vide No. 811/EN/T-II-1/329/2023 dated 26.04.2023 issued by SEIAA, WB against proposal no. SIA/WB/MIN/421733/2023.

SEAC, during its 23<sup>rd</sup> meeting held on 03.01.2024, recommended the proposed project for Environmental Clearance with additional conditions.

#### PROJECT DETAILS

The project of M/s. West Bengal Mineral Development and Trading Corporation Limited located in as follows:

| S. No. | State       | District |
|--------|-------------|----------|
| (1.)   | West Bengal | Birbhum  |

# **DELIBERATION** IN SEIAA

SEIAA considered the recommendation of SEAC and decided that the application for WB\_BIR\_AJ\_A2\_C falling within the DSR potential zone code BH\_KR\_AJ\_04 is accepted with the condition that the validity of EC will be for 5 years. However, the PP may apply for extension of EC with revised mining plan before expiry of 5 years hence.

# RECOMMENDATIONS OF SEIAA

The application for EC is approved.

# CONCLUSION

#### Approved for EC.

3) Proposed MIN\_BNK\_50\_I Sand Mine over an area of 27.59 ha (68.15 Acres) on the Darakeswar River at Mouza: Chandipur, J.L.: 89, Mouza: Paschim Srirampur, J.L.: 38, P.S. & Block -Patrasayer, Joypur, Block: Joypur, Indus, Dist. – Bankura, West Bengal by **M/s. West Bengal Mineral Development and Trading Corporation Limited.** 

### Proposal No.: SIA/WB/MIN/454663/2023, File No.: EN/T-II-1/384/2023, Type-EC

#### INTRODUCTION

The proponent made online application vide proposal no. **SIA/WB/MIN/454663/2023** dated **12 December 2023** along with copies of EIA/EMP seeking environment clearance under the provisions of the EIA Notification, 2006 for the above-mentioned project. The proposed project activity is listed at SL. No. **1(a) Mining of minerals** under Category "**B1**" of EIA Notification 2006.

The PP obtained Terms of Reference (ToR) vide No. 1254/EN/T-II-1/384/2023 dated 05.07.2023 issued by SEIAA, WB against proposal no. SIA/WB/MIN/425408/2023.

SEAC, during its 23<sup>rd</sup> meeting held on 03.01.2024, recommended the proposed project for Environmental Clearance with additional conditions.

# PROJECT DETAILS

The project of **M/s. West Bengal Mineral Development and Trading Corporation Limited** located in as follows:

| S. No. | State       | District |
|--------|-------------|----------|
| (1.)   | West Bengal | Bankura  |

#### DELIBERATION IN SEIAA

SEIAA considered the recommendation of SEAC and decided that the application for MIN\_BNK\_50\_I falling within the DSR potential zone code BNK\_DW\_IN\_25 and BNK\_DW\_JY\_25A, BNK\_DW\_IN\_26 is accepted with the condition that the validity of EC will be for 5 years. However, the PP may apply for extension of EC with revised mining plan before expiry of 5 years hence.

# RECOMMENDATIONS OF SEIAA

The application for EC is approved.

#### CONCLUSION

Approved for EC.

(4) Proposed MIN\_BNK\_44\_B over an area of 23.61 ha on the Damodar River at Mouza: Pakhanna, Plot No. - 897, J.L No. -58; Gopalpur, Plot No. - 133, J.L No. -59 and Radhakantapur, Plot No. -513, J.L no. -60; P.S. Barjora, Dist. – Bankura, West Bengal by **M/s. West Bengal Mineral Development and Trading Corporation Limited.** 

Proposal No.: SIA/WB/MIN/454786/2023, File No.: EN/T-II-1/400/2023, Type-EC

#### INTRODUCTION

The proponent made online application vide proposal no. **SIA/WB/MIN/454786/2023** dated **12 December 2023** along with copies of EIA/EMP seeking environment clearance under the provisions of the EIA Notification, 2006 for the above-mentioned project. The proposed project activity is listed at SL. No. **1(a) Mining of minerals** projects under Category "**B1**" of EIA Notification 2006.

The PP obtained Terms of Reference (ToR) vide No. 1422/EN/T-II-1/400/2023 dated 26.07.2023 issued

by SEIAA, WB against proposal no. SIA/WB/MIN/423983/2023.

SEAC, during its 23<sup>rd</sup> meeting held on 03.01.2024, recommended the proposed project for Environmental Clearance with additional conditions.

# PROJECT DETAILS

The project of **M/s. West Bengal Mineral Development and Trading Corporation Limited** located in as follows:

| S. No. | State       | District |
|--------|-------------|----------|
| (1.)   | West Bengal | Bankura  |

#### DELIBERATION IN SEIAA

SEIAA considered the recommendation of SEAC and decided that the application for MIN\_BNK\_44\_B falling within the DSR potential zone code BNK\_DA\_BJ\_20B is accepted with the condition that the validity of EC will be for 5 years. However, the PP may apply for extension of EC with revised mining plan before expiry of 5 years hence.

# RECOMMENDATIONS OF SEIAA

The application for EC is approved.

# CONCLUSION

# Approved for EC.

(5) Proposed MIN\_BNK\_9 (PART-1) Sand Mine over an area of 20.58 ha (50.84 acres) on the Damodar river at Mouza: Bamundihi, J.L. No.-54, Plot No: 1141, Block: Barjora, District: Bankura, West Bengal by **M/s. West Bengal Mineral Development and Trading Corporation Limited.** 

# Proposal No.: SIA/WB/MIN/455578/2023, File No.: EN/T-II-1/377/2023, Type-EC

#### INTRODUCTION

The proponent made online application vide proposal no. **SIA/WB/MIN/455578/2023** dated **22 December 2023** along with copies of EIA/EMP seeking environment clearance under the provisions of the EIA Notification, 2006 for the above-mentioned project. The proposed project activity is listed at SL. No. **1(a) Mining of minerals** projects under Category "**B1**" of EIA Notification 2006.

The PP obtained Terms of Reference (ToR) vide No. 1259/EN/T-II-1/377/2023 dated 05.07.2023 issued by SEIAA, WB against proposal no. SIA/WB/MIN/426812/2023.

SEAC, during its 23<sup>rd</sup> meeting held on 03.01.2024, recommended the proposed project for Environmental Clearance with additional conditions.

# PROJECT DETAILS

The project of M/s. West Bengal Mineral Development and Trading Corporation Limited located in as follows:

| S. No. | State       | District |
|--------|-------------|----------|
| (1.)   | West Bengal | Bankura  |

# DELIBERATION IN SEIAA

SEIAA considered the recommendation of SEAC and decided that the application for MIN\_BNK\_9 (PART-1) falling within the DSR potential zone code BNK\_DA\_BJ\_19 is accepted with the condition that the validity of EC will be for 5 years. However, the PP may apply for extension of EC with revised mining plan before expiry of 5 years hence.

#### RECOMMENDATIONS OF SEIAA

The application for EC is approved.

#### CONCLUSION

Approved for EC.

(6) Proposed WB\_BIR\_AJ\_B1\_B Sand Mine over an area of 15.07 ha on the Ajay river at Mouza: Shimsa, J.L. No.-86, P.S. Khairasole, District: Birbhum, West Bengal by **M/s. West Bengal Mineral Development and Trading Corporation Limited.** 

Proposal No. :- SIA/WB/MIN/455610/2023, File No. : EN/T-II-1/324/2023, Type-EC

#### INTRODUCTION

The proponent made online application vide proposal no. **SIA/WB/MIN/455610/2023** dated **26 December 2023** along with copies of EIA/EMP seeking environment clearance under the provisions of the EIA Notification, 2006 for the above-mentioned project. The proposed project activity is listed at SL. No. **1(a) Mining of minerals** projects under Category "**B1**" of EIA Notification 2006.

The PP obtained Terms of Reference (ToR) vide No. 813/EN/T-II-1/324/2023 dated 26.04.2023 issued by SEIAA, WB against proposal no. SIA/WB/MIN/421673/2023.

SEAC, during its 23<sup>rd</sup> meeting held on 03.01.2024, recommended the proposed project for Environmental Clearance with additional conditions.

# PROJECT DETAILS

The project of M/s. West Bengal Mineral Development and Trading Corporation Limited located in as follows:

| S. No. | State       | District |
|--------|-------------|----------|
| (1.)   | West Bengal | Birbhum  |

#### DELIBERATION IN SEIAA

SEIAA considered the recommendation of SEAC and decided that the application for WB\_BIR\_AJ\_B1\_B falling within the DSR potential zone code BH\_KR\_AJ\_01 is accepted with the condition that the validity of EC will be for 5 years. However, the PP may apply for extension of EC with revised mining plan before expiry of 5 years hence.

#### RECOMMENDATIONS OF SEIAA

The application for EC is approved.

# CONCLUSION

Approved for EC.

(7) Proposed Onda Riverbed Sand Mine (MIN\_BNK\_46) over an area of 14.50 Ha (35.83 acres) on the Dwarakeswar River at Mouza – Sahapur, Bathantore & Elyati, Plot No. – 429, 431 & 847, JL No. – 111, 113 & 114, P.S. – Onda, Dist – Bankura, West Bengal by **M/s. West Bengal Mineral Development and Trading Corporation Limited.** 

Proposal No. :- SIA/WB/MIN/453350/2023, File No. : EN/T-II-1/327/2023, Type-EC

#### INTRODUCTION

The proponent made online application vide proposal no. **SIA/WB/MIN/453350/2023** dated **29 November 2023** along with copies of EIA/EMP seeking environment clearance under the provisions of the EIA Notification, 2006 for the above-mentioned project. The proposed project activity is listed at SL. No. **1(a) Mining of minerals** projects under Category "**B1**" of EIA Notification 2006.

The PP obtained Terms of Reference (ToR) vide No. 810/EN/T-II-1/327/2023 dated 26.04.2023 issued by SEIAA, WB against proposal no. SIA/WB/MIN/422583/2023.

SEAC, during its 23<sup>rd</sup> meeting held on 03.01.2024, recommended the proposed project for Environmental Clearance with additional conditions.

#### PROJECT DETAILS

The project of M/s. West Bengal Mineral Development and Trading Corporation Limited located in as follows:

| S. No. | State       | District |
|--------|-------------|----------|
| (1.)   | West Bengal | Bankura  |

#### DELIBERATION IN SEIAA

SEIAA considered the recommendation of SEAC and decided that the application for Onda Riverbed Sand Mine (MIN\_BNK\_46) falling within the DSR potential zone code BNK\_DW\_ON\_10 is accepted with the condition that the validity of EC will be for 5 years. However, the PP may apply for extension of EC with revised mining plan before expiry of 5 years hence.

#### RECOMMENDATIONS OF SEIAA

The application for EC is approved.

#### CONCLUSION

# Approved for EC.

(8) Proposed Onda Riverbed Sand Mine (MIN\_BNK\_47) over an area of 5.87 ha (14.50 acres) on the Dwarakeswar River at Mouza – Elyati & Belatukri, Plot No. – 847 & 1603, JL No. – 114 & 117, P.S. – Onda, Dist – Bankura, West Bengal by **M/s. West Bengal Mineral Development and Trading Corporation Limited.** 

Proposal No.: SIA/WB/MIN/453800/2023, File No.: EN/T-II-1/326/2023, Type-EC

# INTRODUCTION

The proponent made online application vide proposal no. **SIA/WB/MIN/453800/2023** dated **30 November 2023** along with copies of EIA/EMP seeking environment clearance under the provisions of the EIA Notification, 2006 for the above-mentioned project. The proposed project activity is listed at SL. No. **1(a) Mining of minerals** projects under Category "**B1**" of EIA Notification 2006.

The PP obtained Terms of Reference (ToR) vide No. 812/EN/T-II-1/326/2023 dated 26.04.2023 issued by SEIAA, WB against proposal no. SIA/WB/MIN/422663/2023.

SEAC, during its 23<sup>rd</sup> meeting held on 03.01.2024, recommended the proposed project for Environmental Clearance with additional conditions.

#### PROJECT DETAILS

The project of M/s. West Bengal Mineral Development and Trading Corporation Limited located in as follows:

| S. No. | State       | District |
|--------|-------------|----------|
| (1.)   | West Bengal | Bankura  |

#### DELIBERATION IN SEIAA

SEIAA considered the recommendation of SEAC and decided that the application for Onda Riverbed Sand Mine (MIN\_BNK\_47) falling within the DSR potential zone code BNK\_DW\_ON\_10 is accepted with the condition that the validity of EC will be for 5 years. However, the PP may apply for extension of EC with revised mining plan before expiry of 5 years hence.

# RECOMMENDATIONS OF SEIAA

The application for EC is approved.

#### CONCLUSION

#### Approved for EC.

(9) Proposed Synthetic Resin Production Plant (UF Resin & MF Resin) at Rahimpur More, Ethelbari, District: Alipurduar, PIN-735204, West Bengal by **M/s. Bansal Udyog.** 

Proposal No.: SIA/WB/IND3/439885/2023, File No.: EN/T-II-1/150/2021, Type-EC

# INTRODUCTION

The proponent made online application vide proposal no. **SIA/WB/IND3/439885/2023** dated **30 October 2023** along with copies of EIA/EMP seeking environment clearance under the provisions of the EIA Notification, 2006 for the above-mentioned project. The proposed project activity is listed at SL. No. **5(f) Synthetic organic chemicals industry** projects under Category "**B1**" of EIA Notification 2006.

The PP obtained Terms of Reference (ToR) vide No. 209/EN/T-II-1/150/2021 dated 11.02.2022 issued by SEIAA, WB against proposal no. SIA/WB/IND3/68514/2021.

SEAC, during its 23<sup>rd</sup> meeting held on 03.01.2024, recommended the proposed project for Environmental Clearance with the additional condition that the fire license for the project should be obtained before starting of the operations.

# PROJECT DETAILS

The project of M/s. Bansal Udyog located in as follows:

| S. No. | State       | District   |
|--------|-------------|------------|
| (1.)   | West Bengal | Alipurduar |

#### DELIBERATION IN SEIAA

SEIAA considered the recommendation of SEAC and decided that the project proponent should submit the registered lease document with the land owner and company registration certificate of M/s. Bansal Udyog.

#### RECOMMENDATIONS OF SEIAA

Therefore, the application for EC is deferred for additional information.

# CONCLUSION

# Deferred (Additional Information).

(10) Proposed expansion of Polymer Grade Product at Plot No. F2/1, Vidyasagar Industrial Park, Kharagpur, West Medinipur, West Bengal. by **M/s. Sika India Pvt. Ltd.** 

Proposal No.: SIA/WB/IND3/69003/2021, File No.: EN/T-II-1/167/2021, Type-EC

# INTRODUCTION

The proponent made online application vide proposal no. SIA/WB/IND3/69003/2021 dated 23 July 2022 seeking environment clearance under the provisions of the EIA Notification, 2006 for the abovementioned project. The proposed project activity is listed at SL. No. 5(f) Synthetic organic chemicals industry (dyes & dye intermediates; bulk drugs and intermediates excluding drug formulations; synthetic rubbers; basic organic chemicals, other synthetic organic chemicals and chemical intermediates) projects under Category "B1" of EIA Notification 2006.

The PP obtained Auto ToR for the project vide File No. EN/T-II-1/167/2021 dated 22.12.2021 from SEIAA, WB.

SEAC, during its 16<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 04.10.2023, recommended Environmental Clearance for the proposed project.

The proposal was placed before SEIAA in its  $22^{nd}$  meeting held on 17.11.2023 and it was observed that some documents required to be uploaded in the PARIVESH Portal. The project proponent uploaded documents on 15.01.2024.

#### PROJECT DETAILS

The project of **M/s. Sika India Pvt. Ltd.** located in as follows:

| S. No. | State       | District       |
|--------|-------------|----------------|
| (1.)   | West Bengal | West Medinipur |

# DELIBERATION IN SEIAA

SEIAA considered the submission uploaded by the project proponent on 15.01.2024 as well as recommendation of SEAC and decided that the project proponent should submit the following:-

- 1. DFO approved plantation plan for all the plots adding upto 6722 sq. m (33% of the total plant area).
- 2. Clear demarcation of the plots and segregation from the mother plot of MBSIL should be clearly visible and earmarked for compensatory plantation with public display in prominent locations of the said plot.
- 3. Photographs of the existing industry within the mother plot where the additional plantation of 500 sqm. is intended has to be submitted with GPS co-ordinates.

#### RECOMMENDATIONS OF SEIAA

Therefore, the application for EC is deferred for additional information.

#### CONCLUSION

Deferred (Additional Information).

# CONSIDERATION/RECONSIDERATION OF TOR

(1) Proposed manufacturing of Hot Rolled structural items (216000 TPA) and TMT Re-bars (75,000 TPA) at Mouza - Argori, J.L. No -27, LR Plot No. 191, 192, 180, 182, 194, 288, 289, 285, 283, 284, 291, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 342, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 236, 339, 340, LR Khatian No. 1399, P. O.- Andul, P.S. Sankrail, under Andul Gram Panchayat, Dist - Howrah, PIN: 711302, West Bengal by **M/s. BMW Industries Limited.** 

Proposal no.- SIA/WB/IND1/455062/2023, File no.- EN/T-II-1/555/2023, Type-ToR

# INTRODUCTION

The proponent made online application vide proposal no. **SIA/WB/IND1/455062/2023** dated **18 December 2023** seeking Terms of reference (TOR) under the provisions of the EIA Notification, 2006 for the above-mentioned project. The proposed project activity is listed at SL. No. **3(a) Metallurgical Industries (ferrous and non ferrous)** projects under Category "**B1**" of EIA Notification 2006. The project proponent has applied for EC for regularization of the existing rolling mill as per the order of Hon'ble NGT.

SEAC, during its 23<sup>rd</sup> meeting held on 03.01.2024, recommended issuance of Terms of Reference for EIA study of the proposed project with additional terms/conditions.

#### PROJECT DETAILS

The project of **M/s. BMW Industries Limited** located in as follows:

| S. No. | State       | District |
|--------|-------------|----------|
| (1.)   | West Bengal | Howrah   |

The salient features of the project submitted by the project proponent is available at Report under online proposal no. **SIA/WB/IND1/455062/2023.** 

# DELIBERATION IN SEIAA

SEIAA considered the recommendation of SEAC and accepted the same.

RECOMMENDATIONS OF SEIAA

SEIAA approved the proposal for ToR.

CONCLUSION

#### Approved for ToR.

(2) Cast Iron Casting Unit at Mouza-Barunda, Madhya Para, P.O. – Barunda, P.S. – Bagnan, District: Howrah, Pin-711303 by **M/s. Crescent Foundry Company Pvt. Ltd**.

Proposal no.- SIA/WB/IND1/437451/2023, File no.- EN/T-II-1/482/2023, Type-ToR

# INTRODUCTION

The proponent made online application vide proposal no. **SIA/WB/IND1/437451/2023** dated **31 July 2023** seeking Terms of reference (TOR) under the provisions of the EIA Notification, 2006 for the above mentioned proposed project. The proposed project activity is listed at S. No. **3(a) Metallurgical Industries (ferrous and non ferrous)** projects under Category **B1** of EIA Notification, 2006.

SEAC, during its 11<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 09.08.2023, recommended issuance of Standard Terms of Reference for EIA preparation for the project with additional terms / conditions.

The proposal was placed before SEIAA in its 18<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 29.09.2023 and it was observed that some documents required to be uploaded in the PARIVESH Portal. The project proponent uploaded documents on 09.01.2024.

The project of M/s. Crescent Foundry Company Pvt. Ltd. located in as follows:

| S. No. | State       | District |
|--------|-------------|----------|
| (1.)   | West Bengal | Howrah   |

The salient features of the project submitted by the project proponent is available at Report under online proposal no. **SIA/WB/IND1/437451/2023.** 

# DELIBERATION IN SEIAA

SEIAA considered the submission uploaded by the project proponent on 09.01.2024 as well as recommendation of SEAC and accepted the same.

RECOMMENDATIONS OF SEIAA

SEIAA approved the proposal for ToR.

CONCLUSION

# Approved for ToR.

(3) Proposed Binpur - I Riverbed Sand Mine (MIN\_JH\_09) over an area of 32.60 ha (80.56 Acres) on the Kangsabati River at Mouza - Boropolashi, JL No. 903, Plot No. 727(P), Mouza - Chhotorokhidanga, JL No. 905, Plot No. 1(P), Mouza - Bandbodhoni, JL No. 906, Plot Nos. 1704(P), 1397(P), 1705(P), PS - Lalgarh, Dist - Jhargram, West Bengal by **M/s. West Bengal Mineral Development and Trading Corporation Limited.** 

Proposal no.- SIA/WB/MIN/454495/2023, File no.- EN/T-II-1/552/2023, Type-ToR

# INTRODUCTION

The proponent made online application vide proposal no. **SIA/WB/MIN/454495/2023** dated **06 December 2023** seeking Terms of reference (TOR) under the provisions of the EIA Notification, 2006 for the above-mentioned project. The proposed project activity is listed at SL. No. **1(a) Mining of minerals** projects under Category "**B1**" of EIA Notification 2006.

SEAC, during its 23<sup>rd</sup> meeting held on 03.01.2024, recommended issuance of standard Terms of Reference for EIA preparation for the project with additional conditions.

#### PROJECT DETAILS

The project of M/s. West Bengal Mineral Development and Trading Corporation Limited located in as follows:

| S. No. | State       | District |
|--------|-------------|----------|
| (1.)   | West Bengal | Jhargram |

The salient features of the project submitted by the project proponent is available at Report under online proposal no. **SIA/WB/MIN/454495/2023.** 

#### DELIBERATION IN SEIAA

SEIAA considered the recommendation of SEAC and accepted the same.

# RECOMMENDATIONS OF SEIAA

SEIAA approved the proposal for ToR.

#### CONCLUSION

#### Approved for ToR.

(4) Proposed Jamuria Sand Mine (MIN\_WBUR\_8) over an area of 16.39 ha (40.50 Acres) on the Ajay River at Mouza – Baguli, JL No. 002, Plot No. 001, PO – Churilia, PS & Block – Jamuria, Dist – Paschim Bardhaman, West Bengal by **M/s. West Bengal Mineral Development and Trading Corporation Limited.** 

Proposal no.- SIA/WB/MIN/455650/2023, File no.- EN/T-II-1/553/2023, Type-ToR

#### INTRODUCTION

The proponent made online application vide proposal no. **SIA/WB/MIN/455650/2023** dated **15 December 2023** seeking Terms of reference (TOR) under the provisions of the EIA Notification, 2006 for the above-mentioned project. The proposed project activity is listed at SL. No. **1(a) Mining of minerals** projects under Category "**B1**" of EIA Notification 2006.

SEAC, during its 23<sup>rd</sup> meeting held on 03.01.2024, observed that the plot area for the proposed project as per the geo-coordinates mentioned in the approved Mining Plan with Progressive Mine Closure Plan does not fall within the potential mining zone recorded in the approved District Survey Report (DSR) of Paschim Bardhaman district. Moreover, the PP has not submitted the cluster certificate in proper format. The annexure to the Grant Order is also not uploaded. In view of the above, the SEAC decided that the ToR for EIA study cannot be issued for the proposed project and rejected the proposal.

# PROJECT DETAILS

The project of M/s. West Bengal Mineral Development and Trading Corporation Limited located in as follows:

| S. No. | State       | District          |
|--------|-------------|-------------------|
| (1.)   | West Bengal | Paschim Bardhaman |

The salient features of the project submitted by the project proponent is available at Report under online proposal no. **SIA/WB/MIN/455650/2023.** 

# DELIBERATION IN SEIAA

SEIAA considered the recommendation of SEAC and accepted the same.

# RECOMMENDATIONS OF SEIAA

The application for ToR is rejected.

#### CONCLUSION

#### Rejected.

(5) Proposed Environmental Clearance for their existing Ambrettolide manufacturing unit 24 TPA capacity at Dag. No. 259, 263, Mouza - Bamunari, J. L No. : 25, NH-2, Delhi Road, Vill. & P.O. - Bamunari, P.S. Dankuni, Dist. Hooghly, PIN - 711250, West Bengal by **M/s. Saraogi Shellac and Aromatics.** 

Proposal no. - SIA/WB/IND3/449388/2023, File no.- EN/T-II-1/554/2023, Type-ToR

# INTRODUCTION

The proponent made online application vide proposal no. **SIA/WB/IND3/449388/2023** dated **19 October 2023** seeking Terms of reference (TOR) under the provisions of the EIA Notification, 2006 for the above-mentioned project. The proposed project activity is listed at SL. No. **5(f) Synthetic organic chemicals industry** projects under Category "**B1**" of EIA Notification 2006.

SEAC, during its 23<sup>rd</sup> meeting held on 03.01.2024, observed that this is an application for ToR for an industry which is already in operation without obtaining Environmental Clearance. Hence, the SEAC decided that the present application for ToR may be rejected since it is a violation case and the PP should apply for ToR afresh under violation category in the PARIVESH portal.

#### PROJECT DETAILS

The project of M/s. Saraogi Shellac and Aromatics located in as follows:

| S. No. | State       | District |
|--------|-------------|----------|
| (1.)   | West Bengal | Hooghly  |

The salient features of the project submitted by the project proponent is available at Report under online proposal no. **SIA/WB/IND3/449388/2023.** 

# DELIBERATION IN SEIAA

SEIAA considered the recommendation of SEAC and decided that the project proponent is required to appear for a hearing before the SEIAA, WB before a final decision on ToR application is taken.

#### RECOMMENDATIONS OF SEIAA

The project proponent is required to appear for a hearing before the SEIAA, WB before a final

decision on ToR application is taken.

CONCLUSION

Deferred for further consideration.

#### **MISCELLANEOUS**

1. Discussion on OM dated 08.01.2024 vide F.No. IA3-3/4/2024-IA.III[E230791] of MoEF&CC, GoI, New Delhi.

SEIAA discussed the Stay Order of the Hon'ble Supreme Court dated 02.01.2024 in Writ Petition(s) (Civil) No.(s) 1394/2023 communicated by MoEF&CC vide F.No. IA3-3/4/2024-IA.III[E230791] dated 08.01.2024 and decided that all violation cases will be kept pending till further communication from MoEF&CC.

It was further noted that the following cases falling under violation category are with SEIAA after being recommended by SEAC:

| Sl. No. | Project proposal for EC  |  |  |  |
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| 1.      | SANKALPA SITE II by WEST BENGAL INFRASTRUCTURE                   |  |  |  |
|         | DEVELOPMENT FINANCE CORPORATION LIMITED                          |  |  |  |
|         | (SIA/WB/MIS/264277/2022)   |  |  |  |
| 2.      | SANKALPA SITE III by WEST BENGAL INFRASTRUCTURE                  |  |  |  |
|         | DEVELOPMENT FINANCE CORPORATION LIMITED                          |  |  |  |
|         | (SIA/WB/MIS/293146/2022)   |  |  |  |
| 3.      | Extension of Neotia Getwel Multi Specialty Hospital at Uttarayan |  |  |  |
|         | Township, Matigara, Siliguri, West Bengal by AMBUJA NEOTIA       |  |  |  |
|         | HEALTHCARE VENTURE LIMITED                                       |  |  |  |
|         | (SIA/WB/INFRA2/451548/2023)                                      |  |  |  |
| 4.      | Housing Complex by Fort Builders                                 |  |  |  |
|         | (SIA/WB/INFRA2/449289/2023)                                      |  |  |  |

- 2. Orders of the Hon'ble NGT, Eastern Zone Bench, Kolkata dated 15.01.2024 in
  - a) O.A. No. 17/2024/EZ and b) O.A. No. 190/2023/EZ.

SEIAA studied the Orders of the Hon'ble NGT, Eastern Zone Bench, Kolkata dated 15.01.2024 and decided to seek clarification from the Department of IC&E for dealing applications received from the project proponents for mining of minor minerals after sixty (60) days of uploading of DSR of respective districts. It also decided to direct all the District Magistrates to follow the directions issued by MoEF&CC vide No. IA-22/01/2021-IA-III-Part(1) dated 15.01.2024 so that order of the Hon'ble NGT, as stated above, may be complied with.

# List of the projects which were placed before the SEIAA, WB in the twenty-ninth meeting held on 19.01.2024 and the Summary Decisions thereof:

| Sl. No. | Proposal   | Summary Decision |  |
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| CONSID  | CONSIDERATION/RECONSIDERATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE   |                  |  |
| 1.      | Proposed MIN_BNK_18_B Sand Mine over an area of 18.29 ha (45.18 Acres) on the Damodar River at Mouza – Salkhara, Plot no: 2084, J.L. No64, PS & Block: Patrasayer, District: Bankura, West Bengal by M/s. West Bengal Mineral Development and Trading Corporation Limited  (Proposal No. SIA/WB/MIN/453973/2023)   | Approved for EC  |  |
| 2.      | Proposed WB_BIR_AJ_A2_C Sand Mine over an area of 36.47 ha on the Darakeswar River at Mouza: Brajadihi & Jabalpur, J.L.: 91 & 92, Plot no. 342/363, 431/855, P.S. & Block -Khairasole, Dist. – Birbhum, West Bengal by M/s. West Bengal Mineral Development and Trading Corporation Limited.  (Proposal No. SIA/WB/MIN/454299/2023)                                    | Approved for EC  |  |
| 3.      | Proposed MIN_BNK_50_I Sand Mine over an area of 27.59 ha (68.15 Acres) on the Darakeswar River at Mouza: Chandipur, J.L.: 89, Mouza: Paschim Srirampur, J.L.: 38, P.S. & Block -Patrasayer, Joypur, Block: Joypur, Indus, Dist. – Bankura, West Bengal by M/s. West Bengal Mineral Development and Trading Corporation Limited.  (Proposal No. SIA/WB/MIN/454663/2023) | Approved for EC  |  |
| 4.      | Proposed MIN_BNK_44_B over an area of 23.61 ha on the Damodar River at Mouza: Pakhanna, Plot No897, J.L No58; Gopalpur, Plot No133, J.L No59 and Radhakantapur, Plot No513, J.L no60; P.S. Barjora, Dist Bankura, West Bengal by M/s. West Bengal Mineral Development and Trading Corporation Limited.  (Proposal No. SIA/WB/MIN/454786/2023)                          | Approved for EC  |  |
| 5.      | Proposed MIN_BNK_9 (PART-1) Sand Mine over an area of 20.58 ha (50.84 acres) on the Damodar river at Mouza: Bamundihi, J.L. No54, Plot No: 1141, Block: Barjora, District: Bankura, West Bengal by <b>M/s. West</b>  | Approved for EC  |  |

| S1. No. | Proposal   | Summary Decision                         |
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|         | Bengal Mineral Development and Trading Corporation Limited.  |  |
|         | (Proposal No. <b>SIA/WB/MIN/455578/2023</b> )  |  |
| 6.      | Proposed WB_BIR_AJ_B1_B Sand Mine over an area of 15.07 ha on the Ajay river at Mouza: Shimsa, J.L. No86, P.S. Khairasole, District: Birbhum, West Bengal by M/s. West Bengal Mineral Development and Trading Corporation Limited.   | Approved for EC                          |
|         | (Proposal No. <b>SIA/WB/MIN/455610/2023</b> )  |  |
| 7.      | Proposed Onda Riverbed Sand Mine (MIN_BNK_46) over an area of 14.50 Ha (35.83 acres) on the Dwarakeswar River at Mouza – Sahapur, Bathantore & Elyati, Plot No. – 429, 431 & 847, JL No. – 111, 113 & 114, P.S. – Onda, Dist – Bankura, West Bengal by M/s. West Bengal Mineral Development and Trading Corporation Limited. | Approved for EC                          |
|         | (Proposal No. <b>SIA/WB/MIN/453350/2023</b> )  |  |
| 8.      | Proposed Onda Riverbed Sand Mine (MIN_BNK_47) over an area of 5.87 ha (14.50 acres) on the Dwarakeswar River at Mouza – Elyati & Belatukri, Plot No. – 847 & 1603, JL No. – 114 & 117, P.S. – Onda, Dist – Bankura, West Bengal by M/s. West Bengal Mineral Development and Trading Corporation Limited.                     | Approved for EC                          |
|         | (Proposal No. <b>SIA/WB/MIN/453800/2023</b> )  |  |
| 9.      | Proposed Synthetic Resin Production Plant (UF Resin & MF Resin) at Rahimpur More, Ethelbari, District: Alipurduar, PIN-735204, West Bengal by <b>M/s. Bansal Udyog</b> .   | Deferred (for Additional<br>Information) |
|         | (Proposal No. <b>SIA/WB/IND3/439885/2023</b> )   |  |
| 10.     | Proposed expansion of Polymer Grade Product at Plot No. F2/1, Vidyasagar Industrial Park, Kharagpur, West Medinipur, West Bengal. by M/s. Sika India Pvt. Limited  | Deferred (for Additional<br>Information) |
|         | (Proposal No. <b>SIA/WB/IND3/69003/2021</b> )  |  |

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| CONSID  | ERATION OF TOR PROPOSALS   |   |
| 1.      | Proposed manufacturing of Hot Rolled structural items (216000 TPA) and TMT Re-bars (75,000 TPA) at Mouza - Argori, J.L. No -27, LR Plot No. 191, 192, 180, 182, 194, 288, 289, 285, 283, 284, 291, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 342, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 236, 339, 340, LR Khatian No. 1399, P. O Andul, P.S. Sankrail, under Andul Gram Panchayat, Dist - Howrah, PIN: 711302, West Bengal by M/s. BMW Industries Limited.  (Proposal No. SIA/WB/IND1/455062/2023) | Approved for ToR  |
| 2.      | Proposed Cast Iron Casting Unit at Mouza-Barunda, Madhya Para, P.O. – Barunda, P.S. – Bagnan, District: Howrah, Pin-711303 by <b>Crescent Foundary Company Pvt. Ltd</b> .  (Proposal No. <b>SIA/WB/IND1/437451/2023</b> )  | Approved for ToR  |
| 3.      | Proposed Binpur - I Riverbed Sand Mine (MIN_JH_09) over an area of 32.60 ha (80.56 Acres) on the Kangsabati River at Mouza - Boropolashi, JL No. 903, Plot No. 727(P), Mouza - Chhotorokhidanga, JL No. 905, Plot No. 1(P), Mouza - Bandbodhoni, JL No. 906, Plot Nos. 1704(P), 1397(P), 1705(P), PS - Lalgarh, Dist - Jhargram, West Bengal by M/s. West Bengal Mineral Development and Trading Corporation Limited.  (Proposal No. SIA/WB/MIN/454495/2023)                   | Approved for ToR.   |
| 4.      | Proposed Jamuria Sand Mine (MIN_WBUR_8) over an area of 16.39 ha (40.50 Acres) on the Ajay River at Mouza – Baguli, JL No. 002, Plot No. 001, PO – Churilia, PS & Block – Jamuria, Dist – Paschim Bardhaman, West Bengal by M/s. West Bengal Mineral Development and Trading Corporation Limited.  (Proposal No. SIA/WB/MIN/455650/2023)   | Rejected  |
| 5.      | Proposed Environmental Clearance for their existing Ambrettolide manufacturing unit 24 TPA capacity at Dag. No. 259, 263, Mouza - Bamunari, J. L No. : 25, NH-2, Delhi Road, Vill. & P.O Bamunari, P.S.  | The project proponent is required to appear for a hearing |

| Sl. No. | Proposal   | Summary Decision   |
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|         | Dankuni, Dist. Hooghly, PIN - 711250, West Bengal by M/s. Saraogi Shellac and Aromatics.                                       |  |
|         | (Proposal No. <b>SIA/WB/IND3/449388/2023</b> )   |  |
| MISCEL  | LANEOUS  |  |
| 1.      | Discussion on OM dated 08.01.2024 vide F.No. IA3-3/4/2024-IA.III[E230791] of MoEF&CC, GoI, New Delhi.                          | All violation projects shall have to be kept in abeyance as per order of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.                                   |
| 2.      | Orders of the Hon'ble NGT, Eastern Zone Bench, Kolkata dated 15.01.2024 in a) O.A. No. 17/2024/EZ and b) O.A. No. 190/2023/EZ. | Dept. of IC&E has to<br>clarify for further<br>processing and DMs to<br>take appropriate actions<br>for compliance of order of<br>Hon'ble NGT. |