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State Environment Impact Assessment Authority
West Bengal
Minutes of SEIAA Meeting
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Subject:- 29th meeting of SEIAA

Venue:- Conference Room of Environment Department, Prani Sampad Bhavan, 5th Floor, LB - Block, Sector - III, Salt Lake, Kolkata - 700106

From :- 03Aug 2021

To :- 03Aug 2021

I.

CONSIDERATION/RECONSIDERATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE

(1) Proposed Granite Stone Quarry Mining project by **M/s. Todi Minerals Pvt. Ltd.** at Plot No. 2974, J.L. No. - 163, Upardanga North Block under Mouza - Talsankra, PS - Raghunathpur, Dist. - Purulia, West Bengal.

Proposal No. :-SIA/WB/MIN/171781/2020, File No. : EN/T-II-1/022/2020
Type-EC

INTRODUCTION

The proponent made online application vide proposal no. **SIA/WB/MIN/171781/2020** dated **14 Oct 2020** 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 "**B2**" of EIA Notification 2006 and the proposal is appraised at State level.

DELIBERATION IN SEIAA

SEIAA considered the submission made by the project proponent vide their letter submitted on 22.06.2021 and accepted the same.

RECOMMENDATIONS OF SEIAA

The application for EC is approved.

Conclusion

Approved for EC.

(2) Proposed installation of 2 x 20 Tonnes Induction furnaces with Continuous Caster and 1, 48, 800 MT/Annum Rolling Mill by **M/s Shree Ramdoot Rollers Pvt. Ltd.** at Vill & Mouza - Nidhirampur, PS-Gangajalghati, JL No. 034, Khatian No. 1196, Dist-Bankura, PIN - 722133, West Bengal.

Proposal No. :-SIA/WB/IND/56059/2019, File No :- EN/T-II-1/020/2019
Type- EC

INTRODUCTION

The proponent made online application vide proposal no. **SIA/WB/IND/56059/2019** dated **04 Sep 2020** 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. **3(a) Metallurgical industries (ferrous & non ferrous)**, under Category "**B1**" of EIA Notification 2006 and the proposal is appraised at State level.

The project proponent obtained Consent to Establish from WBPCB and Consent to Operate from WBPCB on 29.07.2019 for its existing 2x8 MT Induction Furnace, which is valid upto 29.02.2024.

The proponent obtained ToR on 06.05.2019. The matter was discussed in SEIAA in its 12th meeting dated 24.12.2020 whereby the project proponent was asked to submit certain clarification and WBPCB was requested to cause a site inspection and submit a report. Accordingly an inspection was made by WBPCB on 22.02.2021 and reported that most of the civil construction for the proposed project (additional 2x20 MT Induction furnaces with Continuous Caster and 1,48,800 MT/Annum Rolling Mill) has already been completed. The project proponent submitted its reply to SEIAA vide their letter no. NIL dated NIL on 25.06.2021.

DELIBERATION IN SEIAA

SEIAA considered the submission made by the project proponent and the inspection report of WBPCB. The following observation were made :

- a) The Consent to Establish was issued by WBPCB on certain dag nos. The project proponent is requested to submit the document where the dag nos. are mentioned.
- b) The project proponent has submitted the Land Conversion Certificate as 'Industry' for certain dag nos. totalling 6.85 acres. These dag nos. correspond to 3 detached parcels of land. In the Deed of Conveyance dated 11.02.2019 several other dag nos. are also mentioned but the total land area remaining same. The project proponent needs to reconcile and provide clarification.
- c) In the Sale Deed vide item no. LXIV on pg. no. 22 it is found that a 'doba' measuring around 7 decimals is present within the project area. The project proponent mentioned that the 'doba' in the dag no. 3327 is outside the project boundary. However, the land details in the Deed of Conveyance

mentions the 'doba' within the total land area of 6.85 acres.

- d) It is to be noted that an EC is issued in a contiguous patch of land having a dedicated access. As per the conversion documents submitted by the project proponent it is found that the said project is not in a contiguous land. Thus the project proponent needs to reconcile and provide clarification.

RECOMMENDATIONS OF SEIAA

As per the physical inspection report the project proponent has already started the construction work at the project site. Therefore, as per MoEF&CC O.M. vide F No. 22-21/2020-IA.III dated 07.07.2021 the project proponent has committed violation of EIA Notification, 2006.

Conclusion

Referred back to SEAC for reappraisal as per the observation made hereinabove and MoEF&CC O.M. vide F No. 22-21/2020-IA.III dated 07.07.2021.

(3) Proposed commercial complex 'Diamond Plaza' by M/s Super Diamond Enterprises at 1/72/A, Cal Jessore Road (formerly 68, Jessore Road), PO & PS - Dumdum, South Dumdum Municipality, Ward No. 27, Kolkata - 700 055, West Bengal.

[Proposal No. :-SIA/WB/MIS/167061/2020, File No :- EN/T-II-I/056/2018]
Type- EC

INTRODUCTION

The proponent made online application vide proposal no. SIA/WB/MIS/167061/2020 dated

24 Aug 2020 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. 8(b) Townships and Area Development projects under Category "B2" of EIA Notification 2006 and the proposal is appraised at State level.

The proponent obtained ToR on 20.08.2019 under violation category.

DELIBERATION IN SEIAA

From the PARIVESH Portal it is found that the project proponent M/s Super Diamond Enterprises has submitted 3 applications for the same project namely Super Diamond Enterprises vide online application nos. (1) SIA/WB/MIS/167061/2020 dated 24.08.2020 (2) SIA/WB/MIS/143235/2020 dated 15.07.2020 (3) SIA/WB/MIS/143144/2020 dated 07.08.2020. For Sl. 2 & 3 the project proponent has requested for withdrawal but it is found that these 2

applications are still not withdrawn. Processing of an application against the particular project cannot be done unless the withdrawal process is completed.

Further to mention that based on MoEF&CC O.M. vide F No. 22-21/2020-IA.III dated 07.07.2021 this particular project needs to be reappraised.

RECOMMENDATIONS OF SEIAA

The withdrawal process of applications SIA/WB/MIS/143235/2020 and SIA/WB/MIS/143144/2020 should be completed. The proposal no. SIA/WB/MIS/167061/2020 to be reappraised as per the MoEF&CC O.M. vide F No. 22-21/2020-IA.III dated 07.07.2021.

Conclusion

Referred back to SEAC for reappraisal as per the MoEF&CC O.M. vide F No. 22-21/2020-IA.III dated 07.07.2021.

(4) Proposed construction of Phase II of "Chaitanya Chandrodaya Mandir and Indian Educational and Cultural Centre" (a.k.a. Temple of Vedic Planetarium - TOVP) by ISKON at Mouza - Rudrapara, J.L. No. 05, Sri Mayapur, Bamanpukur Gram Panchayat -II, Dist. Nadia, West Bengal.

[Proposal No. :-SIA/WB/MIS/54814/2018, File No :-EN/T-II-1/045/2018]
Type- EC

INTRODUCTION

The proponent made online application vide proposal no. SIA/WB/MIS/54814/2018 dated

05 Aug 2020 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.

8(b) Townships and Area Development projects under Category "B1" of EIA Notification 2006 and the proposal is appraised at State level.

The proponent applied for ToR under violation category vide application No. SIA/WB/NCP/22935/2018 04.06.2018 and obtained ToR on 05.12.2018.

DELIBERATION IN SEIAA

From the PARIVESH Portal it is found that the project proponent ISKCON INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR KRISHNA CONSCIOUSNESS has submitted 2 applications for the same project namely Sri Chaitanya Chandrodaya Mandir and Indian Educational and Cultural Centre vide online application nos. (1) SIA/WB/MIS/150174/2020 dated 21.05.2021 (2) SIA/WB/MIS/54814/2018 dated 05.08.2020. Processing of multiple applications against a particular project cannot be done unless the redundant application is either withdrawn or delisted.

The project proponent was intimated by SEIAA for withdrawal of SIA/WB/MIS/150174/2020. In absence of any response from the project proponent the said application is required to be either withdrawn by the project proponent or delisted based on the O.M. vide F No. J-11013/5/2009-IA.II(Part) dated 30.10.2012.

Further to mention that based on MoEF&CC O.M. vide F No. 22-21/2020-IA.III dated 07.07.2021 this particular project needs to be reappraised.

RECOMMENDATIONS OF SEIAA

The withdrawal/delisting process of application SIA/WB/MIS/150174/2020 should be completed before placing this project in SEIAA. The proposal no. SIA/WB/MIS/54814/2018 to be reappraised as per the MoEF&CC O.M. vide F No. 22-21/2020-IA.III dated 07.07.2021.

Conclusion

Referred back to SEAC for reappraisal as per the MoEF&CC O.M. vide F No. 22-21/2020-IA.III dated 07.07.2021.

II.	CONSIDERATION OF TOR PROPOSALS
	<p>(1) Proposed Synthetic Resin manufacturing Unit of 18000 TPA by M/s. Pacific Plywoods Pvt. Ltd. (Sister Concern of Century Plyboards (I) Ltd.) at Dag no. 322, 323, 324, 325, 339, 340; Diamond Harbour Road, Vill- Kanchowki, Tehsil/P.S. - Bishnupur, Dist- 24 Parganas (South), Kolkata-743503, West Bengal.</p> <p>[Proposal No. :-SIA/WB/IND2/54818/2020, File No :- EN/T-II-1/016/2020] Type- ToR</p> <h4><u>INTRODUCTION</u></h4> <p>The proponent made online application vide proposal no. SIA/WB/IND2/54818/2020 dated 17 Jul 2020 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. 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) under Category B of EIA Notification, 2006 and the proposal is appraised at state level.</p> <p>The salient features of the project submitted by the project proponent is available at Report under online proposal no. SIA/WB/IND2/54818/2020.</p>

DELIBERATION IN SEIAA

SEIAA in its 21st meeting held on 22.03.2021 asked for certain clarifications from the project proponent. The project proponent submitted their reply vide their letter no. NIL dated 14.04.2021 and 23.07.2021. It is observed that the land conversion is still pending. With regard to the dedicated access to the said project, the reply given by the project proponent is not tenable. The project proponent is required to submit either an agreement between the two industrial units for establishing easement rights or a document from the local body for declaring the said access as a public road.

The project proponent needs to submit a map showing all dag nos. within the project boundary alongwith the boundary of Century Plyboards (I) Ltd. with the common access.

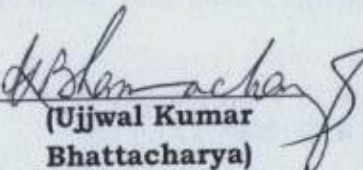
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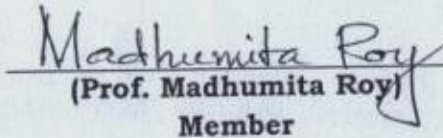
The project proponent is required to submit clarification in this regard.

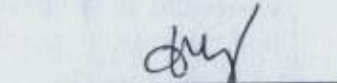
CONCLUSION

Therefore, the application for ToR is deferred (Additional Information).

III	DISCUSSION ON THE FOLLOWING ITEMS :-
	<p>(1) A complaint received from one Ankur Sharma about filling of water bodies and flouting of environmental norms at "Nirvana" PS - Sonarpur, District - South 24 Parganas, PIN-700151.</p> <p>SEIAA noted the complaint made by Ankur Sharma. WBPCB is requested to cause an inquiry in to the complaint and report.</p>
	<p>(2) Proposal from CREDAI for use of CER fund for COVID related activities.</p> <p>Allocation of fund against each item which were already decided for use of CER against the approved projects cannot be diverted for any other purpose.</p>


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