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580th MEETING

STATE LEVEL ENVIRONMENT IMPACT ASSESSMENT AUTHORITY-TAMIL NADU

Date: 21.12.2022



MINUTES OF THE 580th MEETING OF THE STATE LEVEL ENVIRONMENT IMPACT ASSESSMENT AUTHORITY HELD ON 21.12.2022.

Agenda No	Description	File No.	Minutes
a)	Confirmation of the minutes of the 579 th meeting of the Authority held on 19.12.2022 & 20.12.2022.		The minutes of the 579 th meeting of the Authority held on 19.12.2022 & 20.12.2022 was confirmed.
b)	The Action taken on the decisions of the 579 th meeting of the Authority held on 19.12.2022 & 20.12.2022.		The Member Secretary informed that 579 th Minutes uploaded in Parivesh wesbsite and action taken report will be putup ensuing meeting.
1.	Existing Black Granite quarry lease over an extent of 35.99.0 Ha at S.F.No: 412 (P) at Sinjalanatham Village, Pennagaram Taluk, Dharmapuri District, Tamil Nadu by M/s. Tamil Nadu Minerals Limited-For Environmental Clearance.	1107	The authority noted that this proposal was placed in the 335 th meeting of SEAC held on 06.12.2022 and the SEAC decided to defer the proposal since the project proponent requested time to furnish certain details sought by the Committee vide minutes of 291 st SEAC meeting held on 1.7.2022 & the vide minutes of 536 th Authority meeting held on 21.10.2020 & 22.10.2020. In view of the above, the authority decided to request the Member Secretary, SEIAA to communicate the SEAC minutes to the project proponent held on 06.12.2022
2.	Existing Information Technology Park at SF.No. 1148/2, 1148/3 & 1147/11 Mylapore Village, Mylapore Taluk, Chennai District Tamil Nadu by M/s A. R Foundation Pvt Ltd for	2716	Along with the remarks reived from the SEAC. After detailed discussion, The Authority requested the Member Secretary, SEIAA-TN to communicate the SEAC minutes to the PP.

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Environmental Clearance under violation	
3. Proposed Rough stoneQuarryoveran Extent of 1.00.0Ha located at S.F. No. 328/2 Block-33 of Kalpadi North Village, Perambalur Taluk, Perambalur District, Tamil Nadu by Thiru.P. Sivakumar - for Extension of validity for the Terms of References "Under Violation".	The Authority after detailed discussion accepts the recommendation of 335th meeting of SEAC held on 06.12.2022 and the Authority has decided to grant Extension of validity for Terms of Reference (ToR)under violation with public hearing issued vide SEIAA. Lr. No.SEIAA-TN/F.No.4241/ToR-437/2018, dated: 30.05.2018 (Deemed to be) valid up to 29.05.2023 subject to the additional specific ToRs as follows, 1. The Project proponent shall conduct and furnish Minutes of Public hearing as per ToR issued Dt: 30.05.2018 & 30.10.2021. Accordingly, the PP shall submit revised EIA/EMP. 2. Copy of valid mining lease approval obtained from the competent Authority. 3. Letter stating that the quarry lease deed has not been cancelled or terminated and is subsisting as on date. 4. Copy of request letter submitted to the competent authority (Dept. of Geology and Mining / IBM) for renewal of review of scheme of mining plan. 5. Copy of approved review of scheme of mining plan by the competent

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- authority (Dept. of Geology and Mining / IBM).
- 6. The project proponent shall submit excess mined out quantity during the violation period after 15.01.2016 along with details of existing pit within the proposed mining area and copy of total penalty levied by the AD/DD, Dept of Geology and Mining copy of remittance of total penalty by PP.
- 7. Details of habitations around the proposed mining area and latest VAO certificate regarding the location of habitations within 300m radius from the periphery of the site.
- 8. The DFO letter stating that the proximity distance of Reserve Forests, Protected Areas, Sanctuaries, Tiger reserve etc., up to a radius of 25 km from the proposed site.
- The project proponent shall submit details of case filed against the project proponent under Section 19 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.
- 10. The quarry involves raw material extraction, transportation and comminution. Therefore, large quantity of diesel and electricity are supposed to be consumed in the production. The diesel fuel and electricity to be consumed to be furnished.

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- 11. What are the green mining technologies to be adopted for reducing GHG/Co₂ emissions and lowering the carbon footprint in the limestone mining.
- 12. Strategies adopted for safety and healthy mining operations.
- 13. What are the transparency and accountability system in place during the operation and post-operation period of the project.
- 14. What are the In-House environmental performance and evalution tools to understand negative impacts of mining.
- 15. Detailed study to be made on material flow analysis and Life Cycle Assessment (LCA) in the process of production.
- 16. Through a chart Illustration, clarify the cradle to grave approach for extraction of limestone and anticipated emissions, environmental threats in every stage and mitigation strategy at every stage.
- 17. Project Proponent to study impacts on human health viz respiratory impacts, toxicity impacts and radiation impacts.
- 18. Study to be made on aquatic, terrestrial toxicity, aquatic eutrophication including detailed







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			19. What is the total water withdrawal
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			and climate change impacts.
			20. What are the chemical exposures in the
			limestone mining and risks anticipated
			to environmental and human health.
4.	Proposed Multi - colour Granite	4416	The Authority after detailed discussion
	Quarry over an Extent of 1.02.0		accepts the recommendation of 335th
	Ha located at S.F. No.54 (Part),		meeting of SEAC held on 06.12.2022 and
İ	Devannagoundanur Village,		the Authority has decided to grant Extension
	Sankari Taluk, Salem		of validity for Terms of Reference
	District, Tamil Nadu by M/s. Blue		(ToR)under violation with public hearing
	Horse Granites - for Extension of		issued vide SEIAA. Lr. No.SEIAA-
	validity for the Terms of		TN/F.No.4416/ToR-528/2018, dated:
	References "Under Violation".		30.07.2018 (Deemed to be) valid up to
			29.07.2023 subject to the additional specific
			ToRs as follows,
			The Project proponent shall conduct
•			and furnish Minutes of Public hearing
			as per ToR issued Dt: 30.07.2018.
			Accordingly, the PP shall submit
			revised EIA/EMP.
			2. Copy of valid mining lease approval
			obtained from the competent
			Authority.
			3. Letter stating that the quarry lease
			deed has not been cancelled or
			terminated and is subsisting as on
			date.
			4. Copy of request letter submitted to
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- the competent authority (Dept. of Geology and Mining / IBM) for renewal of review of scheme of mining plan.
- Copy of approved review of scheme of mining plan by the competent authority (Dept. of Geology and Mining / IBM).
- 6. The project proponent shall submit excess mined out quantity during the violation period after 15.01.2016 along with details of existing pit within the proposed mining area and copy of total penalty levied by the AD/DD, Dept of Geology and Mining copy of remittance of total penalty by PP.
- 7. Details of habitations around the proposed mining area and latest VAO certificate regarding the location of habitations within 300m radius from the periphery of the site.
- 8. The DFO letter stating that the proximity distance of Reserve Forests, Protected Areas, Sanctuaries, Tiger reserve etc., up to a radius of 25 km from the proposed site.
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- 17. Project Proponent to study impacts on human health viz respiratory

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5.	Proposed Rough Stone quarry lease area over an extent of 1.25.0 Ha at S.F No 629(west), Aniyappur Village, Marapparai Taluk, Trichirappalli District by Thiru.P. Xavier (legal heir of late ThiruA.Pitchamuthu)-For Environmental Clearance.		impacts, toxicity impacts and radiation impacts. 18. Study to be made on aquatic, terrestrial toxicity, aquatic eutrophication including detailed terrestrial toxicity and their impacts of wildlife and biodiversity. 19. What is the total water withdrawal consumption, likely temperature rises and climate change impacts. 20. What are the chemical exposures in the limestone mining and risks anticipated to environmental and human health. The authority noted that the subject was appraised in 335th SEAC meeting held on 06.12.2022. During the meeting, the proponent requested to give some additional time to submit the particulars. Hence, SEAC after discussions has decided to defer the proposal. In view of this, the Authority decided to request the Member Secretary, SEIAA to communicate the minutes of 335th SEAC meeting to the project proponent.
6.	Existing Black Granite Quarry over an extent of 1.51.0 Ha at S.F. Nos. 414/3(P), 441/6B(P), 441/8(P) Karandapalli Village, Denkanikottai Taluk, Krishnagiri District, by M/s. Suganya Granites for Extension of validity	5177	The authority noted that the subject was appraised in 335th SEAC meeting held on 06.12.2022. The Authority after detailed deliberation has decided to grant Extension of validity for Terms of Reference (ToR) issued vide SEIAA. Lr. No. SEIAA-TN/F.No. 5177/ToR-537/2018/ dated 30.07.2018 (Decmed to be)

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for the Terms of References "Under Violation".

valid upto 29.07.2023 subject to the additional specific ToRs as follows

- The project proponent shall submit valid mining lease and scheme of mining plan obtained from the competent authority.
- 2. The project proponent shall submit excess mined out quantity during the violation period after 15.01.2016 along with details of existing pit within the proposed mining area and the copy of remittance of fine levied for the same from the concerned AD/DD, Geology & Mining Dept.
- The project proponent shall submit details of case filed against the project proponent under Section 19 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.
- 4. The quarry activity involves raw material extraction, transportation and comminution. Therefore, large quantity of diesel and electricity are supposed to be consumed in the production. The diesel fuel and electricity to be consumed to be furnished.
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- 6. Strategies adopted for safety and healthy mining operations.

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- 7. What are the transparency and accountability system in place during the operation and post-operation period of the project.
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- Detailed study to be made on material flow analysis and Life Cycle Assessment (LCA) in the process of production.
- 10. Through a chart Illustration, clarify the cradle to grave approach for extraction of mineral and anticipated emissions, environmental threats in every stage and mitigation strategy at every stage.
- Project Proponent to study impacts on human health viz respiratory impacts, toxicity impacts and radiation impacts.
- 12. Study to be made on aquatic, terrestrial toxicity, aquatic eutrophication including detailed terrestrial toxicity and their impacts of wildlife and biodiversity.
- 13. What is the total water withdrawal consumption, likely temperature rises and climate change impacts.
- 14. What are the chemical exposures in the mining and risks anticipated to environmental and human health.

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7. Existing Muti-Coloured Granite
Quarry over an extent of 1.01.5
Ha at S.F. Nos. 477/1 (P)
Agalakottai Village,
Denkanikottai Taluk, Krishnagiri
District, by Thiru. P.K. Pounraj
for Extension of validity for the
Terms of References "Under
Violation".

The authority noted that the subject was appraised in 335th SEAC meeting held on 06.12.2022.

The Authority after detailed deliberation has decided to grant Extension of validity for Terms of Reference (ToR) issued vide SEIAA. Lr. No. SEIAA-TN/F.No. 5184/TOR-345/2018 Dated: 14.05.2018 (Deemed to be) valid upto 13.05.2023 subject to the additional specific ToRs as follows

- The project proponent shall submit valid mining lease and scheme of mining plan obtained from the competent authority.
- 2. The project proponent shall submit excess mined out quantity during the violation period after 15.01.2016 along with details of existing pit within the proposed mining area and the copy of remittance of fine levied for the same from the concerned AD/DD, Geology & Mining Dept.
- The project proponent shall submit details of case filed against the project proponent under Section 19 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.
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- electricity to be consumed to be furnished.
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- 6. Strategies adopted for safety and healthy mining operations.
- What are the transparency and accountability system in place during the operation and post-operation period of the project.
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- 13. What is the total water withdrawal consumption, likely temperature rises and climate change impacts.
- 14. What are the chemical exposures in the mining and risks anticipated to environmental and human health
- 8. Proposed Multi Coloured Granite quarry over an extent of 2.55.5 Ha in S. F No. 408/2B and 408/3B at Vendurayapuram Village, Sivakasi Taluk, Virudhunagar District, Tamil Nadu by Tvl. Magna Stones Private Limited for Terms of Reference Under Violation.

After detailed discussions, the Authority accepts the recommendation of SEAC and decided to grant Terms of Reference (ToR) with Public Hearing under violation category for the period 3 years for undertaking EIA study followed by the EMP report along with assessment of ecological damage, remediation plan and natural and community resource augmentation plan and it shall be prepared as an independent chapter by the accredited consultants subject to the conditions as recommended by SEAC & normal/ Standard conditions in addition to the following conditions and conditions stated therein vide Annexure 'B'.

- The project proponent shall prepare mine closure plan considering mineable quantity of Topsoil, Weathered rock & mineral reject/waste. If any.
- Copy of valid mining lease approval obtained from the competent Authority.
- Letter stating that the quarry lease deed has not been cancelled or terminated and is subsisting as on

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			7. Details of habitations around the
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			certificate regarding the location of
			habitations within 300m radius from
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			8. The DFO letter stating that the
!			proximity distance of Reserve Forests,
			Protected Areas, Sanctuaries, Tiger
			reserve etc., up to a radius of 25 km
			from the proposed site.
9.	Existing Black granite Lease over	5271	SEAC has furnished its recommendations to
	an extent of 4.62.0 Ha at S.F.No.		the Authority for granting extension of
	98/1A,1B, 1C, 2A, 2B, 2C, 2D,		validity of the Terms of Reference issued to

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2E, 2F(p), 3A1, 3A2, 3B, 4A1, 4A2, 265/3, 4A, 4B, 4C, & 265/4D Panchapalli Village, Palcode Taluk, Dharmapuri District Tamil Nadu by ThiruC.Sathiush Kumar Extension of validity for the Terms of References "Under Violation".

the Project subject to the conditions stated therein. After detailed discussion, The Authority accepted the recommendation of 335th SEAC minutes held on 6.12.2022 with a validity of the ToR issued is valid up to 13.05.2023 as per the MoEF Notification dated 18.01.2021.

Therefore, the project proponent is requested to submit Public Hearing minutes, EIA/EMP report along with required details on the following,

- I. facets of violation,
- II. assessment of ecological damage, remediation plan and natural and community resource augmentation plan which shall be prepared as an independent chapter in the environment impact assessment report.
- III. The compliance report on the violation ToR issued earlier.

Along with this, additionally the Project Proponent will study in detail the following:

- The Granite quarry involves raw material extraction, transportation and comminution. Therefore, large quantity of diesel and electricity are supposed to be consumed in the production. The diesel fuel and electricity to be consumed to be furnished.
- 2. What are the green mining technologies to be adopted for

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- reducing GHG/Co2 emissions and lowering the carbon footprint in the limestone mining.
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10.	Existing Quartz & Feldspar quarry over an extent 3.01.5Ha at S.F.No.407/1-1, 455/2, 455/8, 455/9, 455/10, 455/12, 455/13 & 455/14 of Elurpatti Village, Thottiyam Taluk, Tiruchirappalli District, Tamil Nadu by Tmt. I. Mani for Extension of validity for the Terms of References "Under Violation".	5720	The Authority after detailed discussion accepts the recommendation of 335th meeting of SEAC held on 06.12.2022 and the Authority has decided to grant Extension of validity for Terms of Reference (ToR) with public hearing issued vide SEIAA. Lr. No.SEIAA-TN/F.No.5720/ToR-337/2018, dated: 11.05.2018 (Deemed to be) valid up to 10.05.2023 subject to the additional specific ToRs as follows 1. The Project proponent shall conduct and furnish Minutes of Public hearing as per ToR issued Dt: 18.05.2018 & 30.07.2018. Accordingly, the PP shall submit revised EIA/EMP. 2. Copy of valid mining lease approval obtained from the competent Authority. 3. Letter stating that the quarry lease deed has not been cancelled or terminated and is subsisting as on date. 4. Copy of request letter submitted to the competent authority (Dept. of Geology and Mining / IBM) for
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- 7. Details of habitations around the proposed mining area and latest VAO certificate regarding the location of habitations within 300m radius from the periphery of the site.
- 8. The DFO letter stating that the proximity distance of Reserve Forests, Protected Areas, Sanctuaries, Tiger reserve etc., up to a radius of 25 km from the proposed site.
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11.	Existing Multi- Coloured Granite	3/62	After detailed discussions, the Authority
	quarry over an Extent of 1.19.0Ha		accepts the recommendation of SEAC and
	at S.F.No. 454/3 (Part) at		decided to grant Terms of Reference (ToR)
	Pudukkottai Village of		with Public Hearing under violation
	Manapparai Taluk,		category for the period 3 years for
	Tiruchirappalli District,		undertaking EIA study followed by the EMP
	Tamilnaduby Mrs. Farhadeeba		report along with assessment of ecological
	for the Terms of References		damage, remediation plan and natural and
	"Under Violation".		community resource augmentation plan and it
			shall be prepared as an independent chapter by
			the accredited consultants subject to the
			conditions as recommended by SEAC &
			normal/ Standard conditions in addition to the
			following conditions and conditions stated
			therein vide Annexure 'B'.
			9. The project proponent shall prepare
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- 15. Details of habitations around the proposed mining area and latest VAO certificate regarding the location of habitations within 300m radius from the periphery of the site.
- 16. The DFO letter stating that the proximity distance of Reserve Forests, Protected Areas, Sanctuaries, Tiger

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12. Proposed Multi-coloured Granite quarry over an extent of 1.20.0 Ha at S.F.No. 353/2Bof Adaichani Village, Ambasamudram Taluk, Tirunelveli District, Tamil Nadu by Tvl. Chanthraa Granites—For Environmental Clearance. Environmental Clearance. Earlier the proposal was placed in 253 rd SEAC meeting held on 11.03.2022 held on 11.3.2021. Based on the presentation made by the proponent and the documents furnished, SEAC noted that Kalakkad Mundanthurai Tiger Reserve is located within 10 Km from the project site and its final notification of Eco sensitive zone yet to be notified. The proponent therefore should submit NBWL clearance, after which the proposal will be taken up for appraisal." Now, this proposal again been placed in 335 th SEAC meeting held on 06.12.2022. Based on the presentation made by the proponent, SEAC decided to call for additional details 1. The Kalakand Mundanthurai Tiger reserve is located within 10 Km from the project site and its final notification of Eco sensitive zone yet to be notified. The proponent therefore should submit NBWL clearance, after which the proposal will be taken up for appraisal. Hence, NBWL clearance shall be obtained. 2. The Scheme of Mining as a part of the Approved Mining Plan approved by				reserve etc., up to a radius of 25 km from the proposed site.
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the competent authority shall be submitted. 3. EIA report shall be uploaded in the Parivesh Portal. On receipt of the aforesaid details, the proposal will be considered for further deliberations. In the view of the above, SEIAA decided to request Member Secretary to communicate the minutes to the project proponent. 13. Existing Quartz & Feldspar 6042 After detailed discussions, the Authority quarry over an extent of 1.71.5Ha accepts the recommendation of SEAC and at S.F.Nos: 356/2A, 356/2B (Part) decided to grant Terms of Reference (ToR) of Pachapalayam Village, with Public Hearing under violation Kangeyam Taluk and Tiruppur category for the period 3 years for District, Tamil Nadu by M/s. undertaking EIA study followed by the EMP M.F.Traders for the Terms of report along with assessment of ecological References "Under Violation". damage, remediation plan and natural and community resource augmentation plan and it shall be prepared as an independent chapter by the accredited consultants subject to the conditions as recommended by SEAC & normal/Standard conditions in addition to the following conditions and conditions stated therein vide Annexure 'B'. 1. The project proponent shall prepare mine closure plan considering mineable of quantity Topsoil, Weathered & rock mineral reject/waste. If any. 2. Copy of valid mining lease approval obtained from the competent

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14.	Existing Black Granite Quarry over an extent of 2.59.0 Ha at S.F.Nos of 49 & 50/3B, Kodiyalam village, Denkanikottai Taluk, Krishnagiri District, Tamil Nadu by Thiru. E. C. Senniappan for Extension of validity for the Terms of References "Under Violation".	6112	The Authority after detailed discussion accepts the recommendation of 335th meeting of SEAC held on 06.12.2022 and the Authority has decided to grant Extension of validity for Terms of Reference (ToR) with public hearing issued vide SEIAA. Lr No.SEIAA-TN/F.No.6112/TOR-474/2018, Dated: 07.06.2018 (Deemed to be) valid up to 06.06.2023 subject to the additional specific ToRs as follows 1. The Project proponent shall conduct and furnish Minutes of Public hearing as per ToR issued Dt: 18.05.2018 & 30.07.2018. Accordingly, the PP shall submit revised EIA/EMP. 2. Copy of valid mining lease approval obtained from the competent Authority. 3. Letter stating that the quarry lease deed has not been cancelled or terminated and is subsisting as on date. 4. Copy of request letter submitted to the competent authority (Dept. of Geology and Mining / IBM) for renewal of review of scheme of mining plan. 5. Copy of approved review of scheme of mining plan by the competent authority (Dept. of Geology and

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- 6. The project proponent shall submit excess mined out quantity during the violation period after 15.01.2016 along with details of existing pit within the proposed mining area and copy of total penalty levied by the AD/DD, Dept of Geology and Mining, Krishnagiri District and copy of remittance of total penalty by PP.
- 7. Details of habitations around the proposed mining area and latest VAO certificate regarding the location of habitations within 300m radius from the periphery of the site.
- 8. The DFO letter stating that the proximity distance of Reserve Forests, Protected Areas, Sanctuaries, Tiger reserve etc., up to a radius of 25 km from the proposed site.
- The project proponent shall submit details of case filed against the project proponent under Section 19 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.
- 10. The limestone quarry involves raw material extraction, transportation and comminution. Therefore, large quantity of diesel and electricity are supposed to be consumed in the production. The diesel fuel and electricity to be consumed to be furnished.

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- 11. What are the green mining technologies to be adopted for reducing GHG/Co₂ emissions and lowering the carbon footprint in the limestone mining.
- 12. Strategies adopted for safety and healthy mining operations.
- 13. What are the transparency and accountability system in place during the operation and post-operation period of the project.
- 14. What are the In-House environmental performance and evalution tools to understand negative impacts of mining.
- 15. Detailed study to be made on material flow analysis and Life Cycle Assessment (LCA) in the process of production.
- 16. Through a chart Illustration, clarify the cradle to grave approach for extraction of limestone and anticipated emissions, environmental threats in every stage and mitigation strategy at every stage.
- 17. Project Proponent to study impacts on human health viz respiratory impacts, toxicity impacts and radiation impacts.
- 18. Study to be made on aquatic, terrestrial toxicity, aquatic eutrophication including detailed

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			terrestrial toxicity and their impacts of
			wildlife and biodiversity.
			19. What is the total water withdrawal
			consumption, likely temperature rises
			and climate change impacts.
			20. What are the chemical exposures in the
			limestone mining and risks anticipated
			to environmental and human health.
15.	Existing Grey Granite quarry	6120	After detailed discussions, the Authority
	lease over an extent of 1.21.5 Ha		accepts the recommendation of SEAC and
	in S.F.No: 387/3, Agalakottai		decided to grant Terms of Reference (ToR)
	Village, Denkanikottai Taluk,		under violation category for the period 3
	Krishnagiri District, Tamil Nadu		years for undertaking EIA study followed by
	by M/s. Sakthi Granites - For		the EMP report along with assessment of
	Terms of Reference under		ecological damage, remediation plan and
	Violation.		natural and community resource augmentation
			plan and it shall be prepared as an independent
			chapter by the accredited consultants subject
			to the conditions as recommended by SEAC &
			normal/ Standard conditions in addition to the
			following conditions and conditions stated
			therein vide Annexure 'B'.
			1. The project proponent shall prepare
			mine closure plan considering
			mineable quantity of Topsoil,
			Weathered rock & mineral
			reject/waste. If any.
			2. Copy of valid mining lease approval
			obtained from the competent
			Authority.
			3. Letter stating that the quarry lease
			deed has not been cancelled or

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terminated and is subsisting as on date.

- Copy of request letter submitted to the competent authority (Dept. of Geology and Mining / IBM) for renewal of review of scheme of mining plan.
- Copy of approved review of scheme of mining plan by the competent authority (Dept. of Geology and Mining / IBM).
- 6. The project proponent shall submit excess mined out quantity during the violation period after 15.01.2016 along with details of existing pit within the proposed mining area and copy of total penalty levied by the AD/DD, Dept of Geology and Mining, Tiruchirappalli District and copy of remittance of total penalty by PP.
- Details of habitations around the proposed mining area and latest VAO certificate regarding the location of habitations within 300m radius from the periphery of the site.
- 8. The DFO letter stating that the proximity distance of Reserve Forests, Protected Areas, Sanctuaries, Tiger reserve etc., up to a radius of 25 km from the proposed site.

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over an extent of 1.05.5 Ha at S.F.
No. 196/1C1B, 1C2, 1D, 1E, 1F,
111A, 111B, 5A1 & 196/5A2 in
Kaduvanur Village,
Sankarapuram Taluk, Villupuram
District, by Tmt. J. Hajeera Banu
for Extension of validity of the
Terms of Reference issued under
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The Authority noted that the subject was placed in the 335th Meeting of SEAC held on 06.12.2022. The SEAC has confirmed that the ToR issued is valid up to 06.08.2023 as per the aforesaid MoEF Notification dated, 18.01.2021. The project proponent is requested to submit EC application, Public Hearing minutes, EIA/EMP report along with required details during the EIA appraisal on the following:

- The PP shall furnish the DFO letter stating the proximity distance of nearest RFWLS & Tiger reserve etc.,
- The PP shall upload the KML file in PARIVESH.

The Authority, after detailed deliberations accepted the aforesaid recommendations of the SEAC and decided to grant extension of ToR under violation category for the period up to 06.08.2023. subject to the ToR as recommended by the SEAC in addition to the following ToR:

- 15. The proponent shall furnish the DFO letter stating the proximity distance of nearest RF, WLS & Tiger reserve etc.
- 16. The project proponent shall submit valid mining lease and scheme of mining plan obtained from the competent authority.
- 17. The project proponent shall submit excess mined out quantity during the violation period after 15.01.2016 along with details of existing pit within

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- the proposed mining area and the copy of remittance of fine levied for the same from the concerned AD/DD, Geology & Mining Dept.
- 18. The project proponent shall submit details of case filed against the project proponent under Section 19 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.
- 19. The limestone quarry involves raw material extraction, transportation and comminution. Therefore, large quantity of diesel and electricity are supposed to be consumed in the production. The diesel fuel and electricity to be consumed to be furnished.
- 20. What are the green mining technologies to be adopted for reducing GHG/CO₂ emissions and lowering the carbon footprint in the limestone mining.
- 21. Strategies adopted for safety and healthy mining operations.
- 22. What are the transparency and accountability system in place during the operation and post-operation period of the project.
- 23. What are the In-House environmental performance and evaluation tools to understand negative impacts of mining.
- 24. Detailed study to be made on material flow analysis and Life Cycle

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			No.SEIAA-TN/F.No.6135/TOR- 564/2018 Dated: 07.08.2018 remains unaltered.
17.	Existing Multi Colour granite	6202	SEAC has furnished its recommendations to
17.	Lease over an extent of 4.57.0 Ha	0202	the Authority for granting extension of
	at S.F.No. 194/1B, 194/1C,		validity of the Terms of Reference issued to
	194/3A, 194/3B(P), 195/1A2 and		the Project subject to the conditions stated
	195/1B, Chendrapalli Village,		therein. After detailed discussion, The
	Krishnagiri Taluk, Krishnagiri		Authority accepted the recommendation of
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District, Tamil Nadu by Tmt. P. Kalyani for Extension of validity for the Terms of References "Under Violation".

335th SEAC minutes held on 6.12.2022 with a validity of the ToR issued is valid up to 07.06.2023 as per the MoEF Notification dated 18.01.2021.

Therefore, the project proponent is requested to submit Public Hearing minutes, EIA/EMP report along with required details on the following,

- I. facets of violation,
- II. assessment of ecological damage, remediation plan and natural and community resource augmentation plan which shall be prepared as an independent chapter in the environment impact assessment report.
- III. The compliance report on the violation ToR issued earlier.

Along with this, additionally the Project Proponent will study in detail the following:

- The Granite quarry involves raw material extraction, transportation and comminution. Therefore, large quantity of diesel and electricity are supposed to be consumed in the production. The diesel fuel and electricity to be consumed to be furnished.
- What are the green mining technologies to be adopted for reducing GHG/Co2 emissions and

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- lowering the carbon footprint in the limestone mining.
- Strategies adopted for safety and healthy mining operations.
- What are the transparency and accountability system in place during the operation and post-operation period of the project.
- What are the In-House environmental performance and evaluation tools to understand negative impacts of mining.
- Detailed study to be made on material flow analysis and Life Cycle Assessment (LCA) in the process of production.
- 7. Through a chart Illustration, clarify the cradle to grave approach for extraction of limestone and anticipated emissions, environmental threats in every stage and mitigation strategy at every stage.
- Project Proponent to study impacts on human health viz respiratory impacts, toxicity impacts and radiation impacts.
- Study to be made on aquatic, terrestrial toxicity, aquatic eutrophication including detailed terrestrial toxicity and their impacts of wildlife and biodiversity.

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18.	Existing Black Granite Quarry over an extent of 1.20.0 Ha at S.F. Nos. 1/6, 2/1, 2/2A, 2/3B1 & 2/3B2 at Semangalam Village, Vanur Taluk, Villupuram District, Tamil Nadu by M/s. Karthik Raja Exports, for Environmental Clearance "Under Violation".	6217	The authority noted that this proposal was placed in the 335th meeting of SEAC held on 06.12.2022 and the SEAC decided to make site inspection by the sub-committee to be constituted by the SEAC to assess the present status of the project and environmental settings as the proposal falls under violation category. Further the subcommittee will assess the ecological damage and to check the Remedial Plan & Community Augmentation Plan submitted by the PP during the inspection. The Project proponent shall furnish the following documents during the site inspection by the sub-committee. 1. Copy of penalty claimed and copy of remittance of the total penalty levied by the AD/DD, Dept of Geology and Mining, Villupuram District. 2. Copy of approved review of scheme of mining plan by the competent authority of the Dept of Geology and Mining. 3. Letter stating that the quarry lease deed has not been cancelled or terminated and is subsisting as on
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			habitations within 300m radius from
			the periphery of the site.
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			5. The PP shall produce details of public
			hearing conducted with reference to date of ToR issued.
			6. The DFO letter stating that the
			proximity distance of Reserve Forests,
			Protected Areas, Sanctuaries, Tiger
			reserve etc., up to a radius of 25 km
			from the proposed site.
			On the receipt of the sub-committee report,
			further deliberation will be carried out in the
			forthcoming Committee Meeting. SEAC also
			decided to ask SEIAA to move the
			Government to initiate credible action under
			Sec. 19 of the Environment Act.
			In view of the above, the authority decided
			that after obtaining and based on the site
			inspection report from the sub-committee
			constituted by SEAC, Member Secretary,
			SEIAA shall write a letter to the Government
			to initiate credible action against the
			proponent under Sec. 19 of the Environment
			Act.
19.	Existing Black Granite Quarry	6218	The authority noted that this proposal was
	over an extent of 1.44.5 Ha at S.F.		placed for appraisal in this 335th meeting of
	Nos. 1/10, 1/11, 1/13A, 1/13B,		SEAC held on 06.12.2022 and SEAC
	1/14, 1/16, 2/1 & 2/2A at		decided to make site inspection by the sub-
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Semangalam Village, Vanur Taluk, Villupuram District, Tamil Nadu by M/s. Karthik Raja Exports- for Environmental Clearance "Under Violation".

committee to be constituted by the SEAC to assess the present status of the project and environmental settings as the proposal falls under violation category. Further the subcommittee will assess the ecological damage and to check the Remedial Plan & Community Augmentation Plan submitted by the PP during the inspection.

The PP shall furnish the following documents during the site inspection by the subcommittee

- Copy of penalty claimed and copy of remittance of the total penalty levied by the AD/DD, Dept of Geology and Mining, Villupuram District.
- Copy of approved review of scheme of mining plan by the competent authority of the Dept of Geology and Mining.
- Letter stating that the quarry lease deed has not been cancelled or terminated and is subsisting as on date.
- 4. Details of habitations around the proposed mining area and latest VAO certificate regarding the location of habitations within 300m radius from the periphery of the site.
- The PP shall produce details of public hearing conducted with reference to date of ToR issued.
- The DFO letter stating that the proximity distance of Reserve Forests, Protected Areas, Sanctuaries, Tiger

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reserve etc., up to a radius of 25 km from the proposed site. On the receipt of the sub-committee report, further deliberation will be carried out in the Forthcoming Committee Meeting, SEAC also decided to ask SEIAA to move the Government to initiate credible action under Sec. 19 of the Environment Act. In view of this, the Authority decided that after obtaining and based on the site inspection report from the sub-committee constituted by SEAC, Member Secretary, SEIAA shall write a letter to the government to initiate credible action against the proponent under Sec. 19 of the Environment Act. 20. Existing Limestone Mine lease 6221 The authority noted that the subject was appraised in 335th SEAC meeting held on over an extent of 4.15.8 Ha Limestone Mine in S.F.No. 06.12.2022. Based on the presentation and 824/1B(P), 824/2(P), 824/3(P), document furnished by the project proponent, 825/1B(P), 825/2B & 825/3B SEAC decided to obtain the following inVaravanai Village, Kadavur additional particulars from the proponent: Taluk, Karur District, Tamil Nadu i) The PP shall furnish a letter from by Shri.N.Krishnamoorthy - For DFO on the proximity details of Environmental Clearance under nearest RF and also the distance of Violation Kadavur Slender Loris Sanctuary with respect to the proposed project site. Meanwhile, the SEAC decided to constitute a sub-committee to make on-site inspection to assess the present status of the

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proposed project, environmental settings and to assess ecological damage assessment,

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			augmentation. SEAC also decided to ask
			SEIAA to move the Government to initiate
			credible action under Sec. 19 of the
			Environment Act.
			In view of this, the Authority decided that after
			obtaining and based on the site inspection
			report from the sub-committee constituted by
			SEAC, Member Secretary, SEIAA shall write
			a letter to the government to initiate credible
			action against the proponent under Sec. 19 of
			the Environment Act.
21.	Existing lime stone quarry over an	6240	The Authority noted that, the proposal was
	extent of 5.05.0Ha in S.F.No.		placed in the 335th meeting of SEAC held on
	249/5, 249/6 & 253/1B at		06.12.2022, SEAC decided obtain the
	Uthappanaickkanur Village,		following additional particulars from the
	Usilampatti Taluk, Madurai		proponent:
	District by		1. PP shall ensure the online application
	Thiru.K.R.Karuppasamy— For		is in complete shape and shall upload
	Environment Clearance under		all the mandatory documents, EIA
	Violation		report, Public Hearing minutes, ToR
			compliance at once.
			2. PP shall submit valid revised
			approved mine plan.
			3. Exact area and survey numbers of the
			proposed project site & details of
			land given by the PP for the purpose
			of laying the road by the Govt., shall
			be furnished.
			4. The PP shall obtain letter from DFO
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of Reserve Forests, Protected Areas. Sanctuaries, Tiger reserve etc., up to a radius of 25 km from the proposed site. SEAC also decided to constitute a subcommittee to make on-site inspection to assess the present status of the proposed project. environmental settings and to assess ecological damage assessment, remediation plan, natural resource augmentation and community resource augmentation. After the receipt of the additional details from the proponent and the evaluation report by the Sub-committee, the SEAC will deliberate on the issue of Environmental Clearance under violation category. The Authority, decided to request the Member Secretary, **SEIAA** to communicate the SEAC minutes to the Proponent. 22. Existing Limestone mine Lease 6251 SEAC has furnished its recommendations to over an extent of 1.70.0 Ha at the Authority for granting extension of S.F.No.693/1,2,3,4 & 7, Sirugudi validity of the Terms of Reference issued to Village, Natham Taluk, Dindigul the Project subject to the conditions stated District, Tamil Nadu by M/s therein. After detailed discussion, The Sivam Mines for Extension of Authority accepted the recommendation of 335th SEAC minutes held on 6.12.2022 with a validity for the Terms of References "Under Violation". validity of the ToR issued is valid up to 21.05.2023 as per the MoEF Notification dated 18.01.2021. Therefore, the project proponent is requested to submit Public Hearing minutes, EIA/EMP

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report along with required details on the following,

- I. facets of violation,
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- III. The compliance report on the violation ToR issued earlier.

Along with this, additionally the Project Proponent will study in detail the following:

- The limestone quarry involves raw material extraction, transportation and comminution. Therefore, large quantity of diesel and electricity are supposed to be consumed in the production. The diesel fuel and electricity to be consumed to be furnished.
- What are the green mining technologies to be adopted for reducing GHG/Co2 emissions and lowering the carbon footprint in the limestone mining.
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- 4. What are the transparency and accountability system in place during

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- the operation and post-operation period of the project.
- What are the In-House environmental performance and evaluation tools to understand negative impacts of mining.
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- Through a chart Illustration, clarify the cradle to grave approach for extraction of limestone and anticipated emissions, environmental threats in every stage and mitigation strategy at every stage.
- Project Proponent to study impacts on human health viz respiratory impacts, toxicity impacts and radiation impacts.
- Study to be made on aquatic, terrestrial toxicity, aquatic eutrophication including detailed terrestrial toxicity and their impacts of wildlife and biodiversity.
- 10. What is the total water withdrawal consumption, likely temperature rises and climate change impacts.
- 11. What are the chemical exposures in the limestone mining and risks anticipated to environmental and human health

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23. Existing Black Granite (Dolerite) quarry over an extent of 1.13.0 Ha at S.F. Nos. 1321/1A3, 1321/1B, 1321/2, 1321/3 & 1322/1B1, Mallankuzhi Village, Thalavadi Taluk (Fomerly Sathyamangalam), Erode District, Tamil Nadu by H.J.S.Granite Pvt Ltd (Thiru. J. Nishar Pasha), for Extension of the validity for Terms of References "Under Violation".

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The Authority after detailed discussion accepts the recommendation of 335th meeting of SEAC held on 06.12.2022 and the Authority has decided to grant Extension of validity for Terms of Reference (ToR) with public hearing issued vide SEIAA. Lr No.SEIAA-TN/F.No.6273/TOR- 512/2018 Dated: 01.07.2018 (Deemed to be) valid up to 30.06.2023 subject to the additional specific

ToRs as follows

- The Project proponent shall conduct and furnish Minutes of Public hearing as per ToR issued Dt: 18.05.2018 & 30.07.2018. Accordingly, the PP shall submit revised EIA/EMP.
- Copy of valid mining lease approval obtained from the competent Authority.
- Letter stating that the quarry lease deed has not been cancelled or terminated and is subsisting as on date.
- Copy of request letter submitted to the competent authority (Dept. of Geology and Mining / IBM) for renewal of review of scheme of mining plan.
- Copy of approved review of scheme of mining plan by the competent authority (Dept. of Geology and Mining / IBM).
- 6. The project proponent shall submit excess mined out quantity during the

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- violation period after 15.01.2016 along with details of existing pit within the proposed mining area and copy of total penalty levied by the AD/DD, Dept of Geology and Mining, Erode District and copy of remittance of total penalty by PP.
- 7. Details of habitations around the proposed mining area and latest VAO certificate regarding the location of habitations within 300m radius from the periphery of the site.
- 8. The DFO letter stating that the proximity distance of Reserve Forests, Protected Areas, Sanctuaries, Tiger reserve etc., up to a radius of 25 km from the proposed site.
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- 10. The limestone quarry involves raw material extraction, transportation and comminution. Therefore, large quantity of diesel and electricity are supposed to be consumed in the production. The diesel fuel and electricity to be consumed to be furnished.
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			19. What is the total water withdrawal consumption, likely temperature rises and climate change impacts.20. What are the chemical exposures in the limestone mining and risks anticipated to environmental and human health.
24.	Existing Limestone mine Lease over an extent of 2.18.5 Ha at S.F.No.202/6A(P), 202/6B, 203/3, 4, 5J, 5K, 5L, 5M, 5N & 5Oof Reddimangudi Village, LalgudiTaluk, Tiruchirappalli District, Tamil Nadu by Thiru.S.Saravanan for Extension of validity for the Terms of References "Under Violation".		The Authority after detailed discussion accepts the recommendation of 335th SEAC meeting Dt: 06.12.2022 and the Authority has decided to grant Extension of validity for Terms of Reference (ToR) issued vide SEIAA. ToR under violation issued vide SEIAA Lr. No.SEIAA-TN/F.No.6277/ToR-533/2018, dated: 30.07.2018 (Deemed to be) valid up to 29.07.2023 subject to the additional specific ToRs as follows: 1. The project proponent shall submit valid mining lease and scheme of mining plan obtained from the competent authority. 2. The project proponent shall submit excess mined out quantity during the violation period after 15.01.2016 along with details of existing pit within the proposed mining area and the copy of remittance of fine levied for the same from the concerned AD/DD, Geology & Mining Dept. 3. The project proponent shall submit
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details of case filed against the project proponent under Section 19 of the

Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.

- 4. The limestone quarry involves raw material extraction, transportation and comminution. Therefore, large quantity of diesel and electricity are supposed to be consumed in the production. The diesel fuel and electricity to be consumed to be furnished.
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			14. What are the chemical exposures in the
			limestone mining and risks anticipated
			to environmental and human health.
25.	Existing Limestone mine Lease	6286	SEAC has furnished its recommendations to
	over an extent of 2.32.0 Ha at		the Authority for granting extension of
	S.F.No.321/2A & 321/2B,		validity of the Terms of Reference issued to
	Kaliyapatti Village, Kadvoor		the Project subject to the conditions stated
	Taluk, Karur District, Tamil Nadu		therein. After detailed discussion, The
	by Thiru. P. Nagarajan for		Authority accepted the recommendation of
	Extension of validity for the		335th SEAC minutes held on 6.12.2022 with a
	Terms of References "Under		validity of the ToR issued is valid up to
	Violation".		10.05.2023 as per the MoEF Notification
			dated 18.01.2021.
			Therefore, the project proponent is requested
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augmentation plan which shall be prepared as an independent chapter in the environment impact assessment report.

III. The compliance report on the violation ToR issued earlier.

Along with this, additionally the Project Proponent will study in detail the following:

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		Assessment (LCA) in the process of production. 7. Through a chart Illustration, clarify the cradle to grave approach for extraction of limestone and anticipated emissions, environmental threats in every stage and mitigation strategy at every stage. 8. Project Proponent to study impacts on human health viz respiratory impacts, toxicity impacts and radiation impacts. 9. Study to be made on aquatic, terrestrial toxicity, aquatic eutrophication including detailed terrestrial toxicity and their impacts of wildlife and biodiversity. 10. What is the total water withdrawal consumption, likely temperature rises and climate change impacts. 11. What are the chemical exposures in the limestone mining and risks anticipated to environmental and human health
Existing Limestone Quarry over an Extent of 3.69.0Ha located at S.F.No.1351 (P) & 1353 (P), Karikali Village, Vedasandur Taluk, Dindigul District, Tamil Nadu by Thiru. J. Abbas for	6329	The Authority after detailed discussion accepts the recommendation of 335 th meeting of SEAC held on 06.12.2022 and the Authority has decided to grant Extension of validity for Terms of Reference (ToR) with public hearing issued vide SEIAA. Lr. No.
	an Extent of 3.69.0Ha located at S.F.No.1351 (P) & 1353 (P), Karikali Village, Vedasandur Taluk, Dindigul District, Tamil	S.F.No.1351 (P) & 1353 (P), Karikali Village, Vedasandur Taluk, Dindigul District, Tamil

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ToRs as follows

- The Project proponent shall conduct and furnish Minutes of Public hearing as per ToR issued Dt: 18.05.2018 & 30.07.2018. Accordingly, the PP shall submit revised EIA/EMP.
- Copy of valid mining lease approval obtained from the competent Authority.
- Letter stating that the quarry lease deed has not been cancelled or terminated and is subsisting as on date.
- Copy of request letter submitted to the competent authority (Dept. of Geology and Mining / IBM) for renewal of review of scheme of mining plan.
- Copy of approved review of scheme of mining plan by the competent authority (Dept. of Geology and Mining / IBM).
- 6. The project proponent shall submit excess mined out quantity during the violation period after 15.01.2016 along with details of existing pit within the proposed mining area and copy of total penalty levied by the AD/DD, Dept of Geology and Mining, Dindigul District and copy of remittance of total penalty by PP.
- Details of habitations around the proposed mining area and latest VAO

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- certificate regarding the location of habitations within 300m radius from the periphery of the site.
- 8. The DFO letter stating that the proximity distance of Reserve Forests, Protected Areas, Sanctuaries, Tiger reserve etc., up to a radius of 25 km from the proposed site.
- The project proponent shall submit details of case filed against the project proponent under Section 19 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.
- 10. The limestone quarry involves raw material extraction, transportation and comminution. Therefore, large quantity of diesel and electricity are supposed to be consumed in the production. The diesel fuel and electricity to be consumed to be furnished.
- 11. What are the green mining technologies to be adopted for reducing GHG/Co₂ emissions and lowering the carbon footprint in the limestone mining.
- 12. Strategies adopted for safety and healthy mining operations.
- 13. What are the transparency and accountability system in place during the operation and post-operation period of the project.
- 14. What are the In-House environmental performance and evalution tools to

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			understand negative impacts of
	·		mining.
			15. Detailed study to be made on material
			flow analysis and Life Cycle
			Assessment (LCA) in the process of
			production.
			16. Through a chart Illustration, clarify the
			cradle to grave approach for extraction
			of limestone and anticipated
			emissions, environmental threats in
			every stage and mitigation strategy at
			every stage.
			17. Project Proponent to study impacts
			on human health viz respiratory
			impacts, toxicity impacts and radiation
			impacts.
			18. Study to be made on aquatic,
			terrestrial toxicity, aquatic
			eutrophication including detailed
			terrestrial toxicity and their impacts of
			wildlife and biodiversity.
			19. What is the total water withdrawal
			consumption, likely temperature rises
			and climate change impacts.
			20. What are the chemical exposures in the
			limestone mining and risks anticipated
			to environmental and human health.
27.	Existing Lime Stone Mine Lease	6331	The Authority noted that the subject was
	over an extent of 3.36.0Ha at S.F.		placed in the 335th Meeting of SEAC held on
	No.837/2A2 & 838/2A2 of		06.12.2022. the SEAC after detailed
	Gudalur Village, Kulithalai		discussions confirmed that the ToR issued is
	Taluk, Karur District, by M/s. Sri		valid up to 29.10.2023 as per the aforesaid
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Mahamuni Mining Company for Extension of validity of the Terms of Reference issued under "Violation Category".

MoEF Notification dated 18.01.2021. Therefore, the project proponent is requested to submit EC application, Public Hearing minutes, EIA/EMP report along with required details during the EIA appraisal on the following:

- The PP shall furnish a letter from DFO on the proximity details of nearest RF and also the distance of Kadavur Slender Loris Sanctuary with respect to the proposed project site.
- 2. The project proponent is requested to submit Public Hearing minutes, EIA/EMP report along with required details on the following (i) facets of violation, (ii) assessment of ecological damage, remediation plan and natural and community resource augmentation plan which shall be prepared as an independent chapter in the environment impact assessment.

The Authority, after detailed deliberations accepted the aforesaid recommendations of the SEAC and decided to grant extension of ToR under violation category for the period up to 29.10.2023. subject to the ToR as recommended by the SEAC in addition to the following ToR:

 The proponent shall furnish the DFO letter stating the proximity distance of nearest RF, WLS & Tiger reserve etc.

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- The project proponent shall submit valid mining lease and scheme of mining plan obtained from the competent authority.
- 3. The project proponent shall submit excess mined out quantity during the violation period after 15.01.2016 along with details of existing pit within the proposed mining area and the copy of remittance of fine levied for the same from the concerned AD/DD, Geology & Mining Dept.
- The project proponent shall submit details of case filed against the project proponent under Section 19 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.
- 5. The limestone quarry involves raw material extraction, transportation and comminution. Therefore, large quantity of diesel and electricity are supposed to be consumed in the production. The diesel fuel and electricity to be consumed to be furnished.
- 6. What are the green mining technologies to be adopted for reducing GHG/CO₂ emissions and lowering the carbon footprint in the limestone mining.
- 7. Strategies adopted for safety and healthy mining operations.
- 8. What are the transparency and accountability system in place during

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- the operation and post-operation period of the project.
- What are the In-House environmental performance and evaluation tools to understand negative impacts of mining.
- 10. Detailed study to be made on material flow analysis and Life Cycle Assessment (LCA) in the process of production.
- 11. Through a chart Illustration, clarify the cradle to grave approach for extraction of limestone and anticipated emissions, environmental threats in every stage and mitigation strategy at every stage.
- Project Proponent to study impacts on human health viz respiratory impacts, toxicity impacts and radiation impacts.
- 13. Study to be made on aquatic, terrestrial toxicity, aquatic eutrophication including detailed terrestrial toxicity and their impacts of wildlife and biodiversity.
- 14. What is the total water withdrawal consumption, likely temperature rises and climate change impacts.
- 15. What are the chemical exposures in the limestone mining and risks anticipated to environmental and human health.

All other conditions imposed in ToR Letter Lr.No. SEIAA-TN/F.No. 6331/TOR-

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		328/2018, dated: 11.05.2018 remains unaltered.
28.	Proposed Gravel and Red Soil Quarry lease over an Extent of 1.54.5Ha Ha of Patta lands in S.F.Nos. 265/1(P), 265/2, 265/3 at C.N.Palayam Village of Cuddalore Taluk, Cuddalore District, Tamil Nadu by Thiru.V.Manikandan – For Environmental Clearance.	The Authority noted that, 1. The proposal was appraised in the 313 th meeting of SEAC held on 22.09.2022 and the SEAC has furnished its recommendations for the grant of Environmental Clearance to the Project subject to the conditions stated therein. 2. Subsequently the subject was placed in the 558 th meeting of SEIAA held on 10.10.2022. The Authority after detailed discussion, decided to defer the proposal for want of additional details mentioned therein. 3. Proponent furnished the details as called for in the 558 th meeting of SEIAA vide letter dated 23.11.2022. Hence, the subject was placed in the 580 th meeting of the SEIAA and accepts the recommendations by 313 th meeting of SEAC held on 22.09.2022 subject to the conditions stated therein. After detailed discussion, the Authority with reference to specific condition (1) of SEAC, SEIAA decided to grant Environmental Clearance as per the mine plan period for 2 year as approved by the Department of Geology & Mining subject to the standard conditions & other normal conditions stipulated by MOEF&CC in

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addition to the following conditions & Conditions stated vide Annexure 'A': As per the MoEF& CC office memorandum F.No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated: 30.09.2020 and 20.10.2020 accepted by the Project proponent, the revised CER cost is Rs.2.0 Lakh and the amount shall be spent for the activities committed during appraisal in SEAC before obtaining CTO from TNPCB. Proposed Environmental clearnce | 8536 29. The Authority noted as follows: for the Multi colour Granite 1. The subject was placed in the 261st quarry lease area over an extent of meeting of SEAC held on 07.04.2022. 2.58.0Ha at S.F.Nos:551/2(P), **SEAC** has furnished its 551/3(P) & 551/4 of Sithalavai recommendations to the Authority for granting Environmental Clearance to Village, Krishnarayapuram Taluk, Karur District, Tamil Nadu the Project subject to the conditions. 2. The proposal was placed in the 506th by Thiru.A.Irulappan meeting of SEIAA held on 10.05.2022. The Authority after details discussion, decided to defer the proposal for want of additional details. 3. Proponent furnished the details as called for in the 506th meeting of SEIAA vide letter dated 23.11.2022. Hence, the proposal was placed in the 580th meeting of the SEIAA and accepts the recommendations by 261st meeting of SEAC held on 07.04.2022 subject to the conditions stated therein. After detailed

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			discussion, the Authority with reference
			to specific condition (1) of SEAC,
			SEIAA decided to grant Environmental
			Clearance as per the mine plan period for
			5 year as approved by the Department of
			Geology & Mining subject to the
			standard conditions & other normal
i			conditions stipulated by MOEF&CC in
			addition to the following conditions &
			Conditions stated vide Annexure 'A':
			As per the MoEF& CC office
			memorandum F.No.22-65/2017-IA.III
			dated: 30.09.2020 and 20.10.2020
			accepted by the Project proponent, the
			revised CER cost is Rs.10 Lakh and
			the amount shall be spent for the
			activities committed during appraisal
			in SEAC before obtaining CTO from
			TNPCB.
30.	Decreased Forth grown mariest	9613	The Authority noted that this proposal area
30.	Proposed Earth quarry project	0012	The Authority noted that this proposal was
	over an extent of 2.54.12Ha in		placed for appraisal in the 270 th meeting of
	S.F.Nos. 417(Part) of No.82 at		SEAC held on 06.05.2022 and SEAC has
	Pammnapakkam Village,		furnished its recommendations to the
	Uthukottai West Taluk,		Authority for the grant of Environmental
	Thiruvallur District, Tamil Nadu		Clearance subject to the standard
	by Thiru.M.Rajasekar- For		conditions as per the Annexure of this
	Environmental Clearance.		minutes &normal conditions stipulated by
			MOEF&CC, in addition to the specific
			conditions stated therein. Subsequently, this
			proposal was placed in the 515st Authority
			meeting held on 01.06.2022. The authority
			proposal was placed in the 515st Authority

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after detailed discussion decided to call for the following details from the project proponent.

- I) Details of tank last mined.
- Permission from wetland authority for the proposed activity.
- III) Details of impact on biodiversity of the said tank.

With reference to the above, the PP had submitted a reply for the additional particulars as sought by the Authority vide letter dated: 01.12.2022. After detailed discussion, SEIAA decided to grant Environmental Clearance for the quantity as per the mine plan for a period of 45 days approved by the Department of Geology & Mining subject to the conditions as recommended by SEAC in addition to the following conditions & conditions stated vide Annexure A.

- 1. Restricting the ultimate depth of mining up to 0.9m BGL and quantity of 15,266 cu.m of Ordinary Earth (No excavation is permitted in the section XY-AB) are permitted for mining over a period of 45 days considering the environmental impacts due to the mining, safety precautionary measures of the working personnel and following the principle of the sustainable mining.
- As per the MoEF& CC office memorandum F.No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated: 30.09.2020 and 20.10.2020 as accepted by the Project

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proponent the revised CER cost is Rs. 50,000 and the amount shall be spent for the following activities for Government primary School, Panapakkam Village before obtaining CTO from TNPCB.

31. Proposed multi colour granite quarry lease area over an extent of 2.00.5 Ha at S.F. 90/1,90/2, Devannagoundanur Village, Sankari Taluk, Salem District, Tamil Nadu by Thiru.P.Jayaraj - For Terms of Reference.

The Authority noted that this proposal was placed for appraisal in the 286th meeting of SEAC held on 17.06.2022 and SEAC has furnished its recommendations to Authority for granting Terms of Reference along with Public Hearing for the project in addition to specific standard ToR notified by MoEF & CC. Subsequently, this proposal was placed in the 531st Authority meeting held on 12.07.2022. The Authority noted that the proponent, Thiru. P. Jayaraj has earlier submitted application seeking EC under B2 Category (Online No.197639 on Parivesh portal) for the same project. During scrutiny it was found that the cluster area is above 5 Ha and thus the project falls under B1 category. Hence the proponent was requested to withdraw the afore said EC application and to apply a fresh for ToR. However, the Authority noted that the proponent is yet to withdraw the said EC application. Hence after detailed discussions, the Authority decided to request the Member Secretary, SEIAA TN to place the subject again before the Authority for consideration on receipt of the said withdraw letter from the proponent.

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With reference to the above, the PP has submitted a letter to withdraw the application submitted for direct EC under B2 Category No. application vide Online SIA/TN/MIN/197639/2021 dated: 10.02.2021 in Parivesh portal and the same was accepted by the SEIAA. Hence, the Authority accepts the recommendation of SEAC and decided to grant Terms of Reference (ToR) along with Public Hearing under cluster for undertaking Impact combined Environment Assessment Study and preparation of separate Environment Management Plan subject to the conditions as recommended by SEAC & normal conditions in addition to the conditions in 'Annexure B' of this minute.

of 9428 Proposed expansion Construction of Residential group development, High Rise & Non-High-Rise Group Development at S.No. 404/1, 404/2, 405, 406/1A, 407/2A2, 406/1B,406/ 2. 408/1A. 408/1B2, 407/2B2, 408/2A. 408/2B2, 410/1A1. 410/1A2B, 410/ 2, 410/3, 410/4, 414/1, 414/ 2, 425/2B, 425/2C1, 425/2D2A, 425/2D1A, 425/2D2B, Padappai Village, Kundrathur Taluk, Kanchipuram District, Tamil Nadu by M/s. Casa Grande Civil Engineering Private

Earlier, it was placed in 576th SEIAA meeting held on 7.12.2022. SEAC has furnished its recommendations to the Authority for granting Environmental Clearance to the Project subject to the conditions stated therein. After detailed discussion, SEIAA decided to obtain the following additional details from the PP.

- The NOC from the Airport authority of India, since it is a proposed high-Rise building.
- 2. The earmarked area for the Children's play area within the project site.
- Details of Impact and mitigation measure to the Paddapai lake located in the vicinity of the project site.

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Clearance.	impact on the existing traffic by this project
	On the receipt of the reply received from the
	PP it was again been placed in 580th SEIAA
	meeting held on 21.12.2022. After detailed
	discussion, SEIAA decided to refer back this
	proposal for getting specific remarks on the PP
	reply along with recommendation.

Annexure-'A'

- The AD/DD, Dept. of Geology & Mining shall ensure operation of the proposed quarry after the submission slope stability study conducted through the reputed research & Academic Institutions such as NIRM, IITs, NITS Anna University, and any CSIR Laboratories etc.
- 2. The AD/DD, Dept. of Geology & Mining & Director General of Mine safety shall ensure strict compliance and implementation of bench wise recommendations/action plans as recommended in the scientific slope stability study of the reputed research & Academic Institutions as a safety precautionary measure to avoid untoward accidents during mining operation.
- 3. No trees in the area should be removed and all the trees numbered and protected. In case trees fall within the proposed quarry site the trees may be transplanted in the Greenbelt zone. The proponent shall ensure that the activities in no way result in disturbance to forest and trees in vicinity. The proponent shall ensure that the activity does not disturb the movement of grazing animals and free ranging wildlife. The proponent shall ensure that the activity does not disturb the biodiversity, the flora & fauna in the ecosystem. The proponent shall ensure that the activity does not result in invasion by invasive alien species. The proponent shall ensure that the activities do not disturb the resident and migratory birds. The proponent shall ensure that the activities do not disturb the vegetation and wildlife in the adjoing reserve forests and areas around.
- 4. The proponent shall ensure that the operations do not result in loss of soil biological properties and nutrients.
- 5. The activity should not result in CO₂ release and temperature rise and add to micro climate alternations.

6. The proponent shall ensure that the activity does not disturb the water bodies and natural flow of surface and ground water, nor cause any pollution, to water sources in the area.

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- 7. The proponent shall ensure that the activities undertaken do not result in carbon emission, and temperature rise, in the area.
- 8. The proponent shall ensure that Monitoring is carried out with reference to the quantum of particulate matter during excavation; blasting; material transport and also from cutting waste dumps and haul roads.
- The proponent shall ensure that the activities do not disturb the agro biodiversity and agro farms.
 Actions to be taken to promote agro forestry, mixed plants to support biodiversity conservation in the mine restoration effort.
- 10. The proponent shall ensure that activity does not deplete the indigenous soil seed bank and disturb the mycorrizal fungi, soil organism, soil community nor result in eutrophication of soil and water.
- 11. The activities should not disturb the soil properties and seed and plant growth. Soil amendments as required to be carried out, to improve soil heath
- 12. Bio remediation using microorganisms should be carried out to restore the soil environment to enable carbon sequestration.
- 13. The proponent shall ensure that all mitigation measures listed in the EIA/EMP are taken to protect the biodiversity and natural resources in the area.
- 14. The proponent shall ensure that the activities do not impact the water bodies/wells in the neighboring open wells and bore wells. The proponent shall ensure that the activities do not in any way affect the water quantity and quality in the open wells and bore wells in the vicinity or impact the water table and levels. The proponent shall ensure that the activities do not disturb the river flow, nor affect the Odai, Water bodies, Dams in the vicinity.
- 15. The proponent shall ensure that in the green belt development more indigenous trees species (Appendix as per the SEAC Minutes) to be planted.
- 16. The proponent shall ensure the area is restored and rehabilitated with native trees as recommended in SEAC Minutes (in Appendix).
- 17. The proponent shall ensure that the mine restoration is done using mycorrizal VAM, vermin-composting, Biofertilizers to ensure soil health and biodiversity conservation.
- 18. The proponent shall ensure that the topsoil is protected and used in planting activities in the area.
- 19. The proponent should ensure that there is no disturbance to the agriculture plantations, social forestry plantations, waste lands, forests, sanctuary or national parks. There should be no impact on the land, water, soil and biological environment and other natural resources due to the mining activities.

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- 20. The proponent shall ensure that topsoil to be utilized for site restoration and Green belt alone within the proposed area.
- 21. The proponent shall ensure that the activities do not impact green lands/grazing fields of all types surrounding the mine lease area which are food source for the grazing cattle.
- 22. The project proponent shall store/dump the granite waste generated within the earmarked area of the project site for mine closure as per the approved mining plan.

Directions for Reclamation of mine sites

- 1. The mining closure plan should strictly adhere to appropriate soil rehabilitation measures to ensure ecological stability of the area. Reclamation/Restoration of the mine site should ensure that the Geotechnical, physical, chemical properties are sustainable that the soil structure composition is buildup, during the process of restoration.
- 2. The proponent shall ensure that the mine closure plan is followed as per the mining plan and the mine restoration should be done with native species, and site restored to near original status. The proponent shall ensure that the area is ecologically restored to conserve the ecosystems and ensure flow of goods and services.
- 3. A crucial factor for success of reclamation site is to select sustainable species to enable develop a self-sustaining eco system. Species selected should easily establish, grow rapidly, and possess good crown and preferably be native species. Species to be planted in the boundary of project site should be un palatable for cattle's/ goats and should have proven capacity to add leaf-litter to soil and decompose. The species planted should be adaptable to the site conditions. Should be preferably pioneer species, deciduous in nature to allow maximum leaf-litter, have deep root system, fix atmospheric nitrogen and improve soil productivity. Species selected should have the ability to tolerate altered pit and toxicity of and site. They should be capable of meeting requirement of local people in regard to fuel fodder and should be able to attract bird, bees and butterflies. The species should be planted in mixed association.
- 4. For mining area reclamation plot culture experiments to be done to identify/ determine suitable species for the site.
- Top soil with a mix of beneficial microbes (Bacteria/Fungi) to be used for reclamation of mine spoils. AM Fungi (Arbuscular mycorrhizal fungi), plant growth promoting Rhizo Bacteria and nitrogen fixing bacteria to be utilized.
- Soil and moisture conservation and water harvesting structures to be used where ever possible for early amelioration and restoration of site.

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- 7. Top soil is most important for successful rehabilitation of mined sites. Topsoil contains majority of seeds and plant propagation, soil microorganism, Organic matter and plant nutrients. Wherever possible the topsoil should be immediately used in the area of the for land form reconstruction, to pre mining conditions.
- 8. Over burdens may be analyzed and tested for soil characteristics and used in the site for revegetation. Wherever possible seeds, rhizome, bulbs, etc of pioneering spices should be collected, preserved and used in restoring the site.
- Native grasses seeds may be used as colonizers and soil binders, to prevent erosion and allow
 diverse self- sustaining plant communities to establish. Grasses may offer superior tolerance
 to drought, and climatic stresses.
- 10. Reclamation involves planned topographical reconstruction of site. Care to be taken to minimize erosion and runoff. Topsoils should have necessary physical, chemicals, ecological, properties and therefore should be stored with precautions and utilized for reclamation process. Stocked topsoil should be stabilized using grasses to protect from wind. Seeds of various indigenous and local species may be broad casted after topsoil and treated overburden are spread.
- 11. Alkaline soils, acidic soils, Saline soils should be suitably treated/amended using green manure, mulches, farmyard manure to increase organic carbon. The efforts should be taken to landscape and use the land post mining. The EMP and mine closure plan should provide adequate budget for reestablishing the site to pre-mining conditions. Effective steps should be taken for utilization of over burden. Mine waste to be used for backfilling, reclamation, restoration, and rehabilitation of the terrain without affecting the drainage and water regimes. The rate of rehabilitation should be similar to rate of mining. The land disturbed should be reshaped for long term use. Mining should be as far as possible be ecofriendly. Integration of rehabilitation strategies with mining plan will enable speedy restoration.
- 12. Efforts should to taken to aesthetically improve the mine site. Generally there are two approaches to restoration i.e Ecological approach which allows tolerant species to establish following succession process allowing pioneer species to establish. The other approach i.e plantation approach is with selected native species are planted. A blend of both methods may be resorted to restore the site by adding soil humas and mycorrhiza.
- 13. Action taken for restoration of the site should be specifically mentioned in the EC compliances.

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Annexure 'B'

- 1. In regard to Cluster Management, the PP Shall adhere to the following
 - a) Cluster Management Committee, which must include all the proponents in the cluster as members including the existing as well as proposed quarry.
 - b) The members must coordinate among themselves for the effective implementation of EMP as committed including Green Belt Development, Water sprinkling, tree plantation, blasting etc.,
 - c) The List of members of the committee formed shall be submitted to AD/Mines before the execution of mining lease and the same shall be updated every year to the AD/Mines.
 - d) Detailed Operational Plan must be submitted which must include the blasting frequency with respect to the nearby quarry situated in the cluster, the usage of haul roads by the individual quarry in the form of route map and network.
 - e) The committee shall deliberate on risk management plan pertaining to the cluster in a holistic manner especially during natural calamities like intense rain and the mitigation measures considering the inundation of the cluster and evacuation plan.
 - f) The Cluster Management Committee shall form Environmental Policy to practice sustainable mining in a scientific and systematic manner in accordance with the law. The role played by the committee in implementing the environmental policy devised shall be given in detail.
 - g) The committee shall furnish action plan regarding the restoration strategy with respect to the individual quarry falling under the cluster in a holistic manner.
 - h) The committee shall furnish the Emergency Management plan within the cluster.
 - i) The committee shall deliberate on the health of the workers/staff involved in the mining as well as the health of the public.
- Detailed study shall be carried out through reputed research institutions on the following in regard to impact of mining around the proposed mine lease area covering the entire mine lease period.
 - a) Soil health & bio-diversity.
 - b) Climate change leading to Droughts, Floods etc.
 - c) Pollution leading to release of Greenhouse gases (GHG), rise in Temperature, & Livelihood of the local people.
 - d) Possibilities of water contamination and impact on aquatic ecosystem health.

e) Agriculture, Forestry & Traditional practices.

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- f) Hydrothermal/Geothermal effect due to destruction in the Environment.
- g) Bio-geochemical processes and its foot prints including environmental stress.
- h) Sediment geochemistry in the surface streams.
- The committee shall furnish an action plan to achieve sustainable development goals with reference to water, sanitation & safety.
- 4. The committee shall furnish the fire safety and evacuation plan in the case of fire accidents.
- 5. The measures taken to control Noise, Air, Water, Dust Control and steps adopted to efficiently utilise the Energy shall be furnished.
- 6. Details of type of vegetations including no. of trees & shrubs within the proposed mining area and. If so, transplantation of such vegetations all along the boundary of the proposed mining area shall committed mentioned in EMP.
- 7. Impact on surrounding agricultural fields around the proposed mining Area.
- 8. Erosion Control measures.
- 9. Impact on soil flora & vegetation around the project site.
- 10. Detailed study shall be carried out in regard to impact of mining around the proposed mine lease area on the nearby Villages, Water-bodies/ Rivers, & any ecological fragile areas.
- 11. The project proponent shall furnish VAO certificate with reference to 300m radius regard to approved habitations, schools, Archaeological sites, Structures, railway lines, roads, water bodies such as streams, odai, vaari, canal, channel, river, lake pond, tank etc.
- 12. As per the MoEF& CC office memorandum F.No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated: 30.09.2020 and 20.10.2020 the proponent shall address the concerns raised during the public consultation and all the activities proposed shall be part of the Environment Management Plan.
- 13. The Environmental Impact Assessment shall study in detail the carbon emission and also suggest the measures to mitigate carbon emission including development of carbon sinks and temperature reduction including control of other emission and climate mitigation activities.
- 14. The Environmental Impact Assessment should study the biodiversity, the natural ecosystem, the soil micro flora, fauna and soil seed banks and suggest measures to maintain the natural Ecosystem.
- 15. Action should specifically suggest for sustainable management of the area and restoration of ecosystem for flow of goods and services.
- 16. The project proponent shall study impact on fish habitats and the food WEB/ food chain in the water body and Reservoir.

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- 17. The Terms of Reference should specifically study impact on soil health, soil erosion, the soil physical, chemical components and microbial components.
- 18. The Environmental Impact Assessment should study impact on forest, vegetation, endemic, vulnerable and endangered indigenous flora and fauna.
- 19. The Environmental Impact Assessment should study impact on standing trees and the existing trees should be numbered and action suggested for protection.
- 20. The Environmental Impact Assessment should study on wetlands, water bodies, rivers streams, lakes and farmer sites.
- 21. The Environmental Impact Assessment should hold detailed study on EMP with budget for Green belt development and mine closure plan including disaster management plan.
- 22. The Environmental Impact Assessment should study impact on climate change, temperature rise, pollution and above soil & below soil carbon stock.
- 23. The Environmental Impact Assessment should study impact on protected areas, Reserve Forests, National Parks, Corridors and Wildlife pathways, near project site.
- 24. The project proponent shall study and furnish the impact of project on plantations in adjoing patta lands, Horticulture, Agriculture and livestock.
- 25. The project proponent shall study and furnish the details on potential fragmentation impact of natural environment, by the activities.
- 26. The project proponent shall study and furnish the impact on aquatic plants and animals in water bodies and possible scars on the landscape, damages to nearby caves, heritage site, and archaeological sites possible land form changes visual and aesthetic impacts.
- 27. The project proponent shall study and furnish the possible pollution due to plastic and microplastic on the environment. The ecological risks and impacts of plastic & microplastics on aquatic environment and fresh water systems due to activities, contemplated during mining may be investigated and reported.
- 28. The project proponent shall detailed study on impact of mining on Reserve forests free ranging wildlife.
- 29. Hydro-geological study considering the contour map of the water table detailing the number of ground water pumping & open wells, and surface water bodies such as rivers, tanks, canals, ponds etc. within 1 km (radius) so as to assess the impacts on the nearby waterbodies due to mining activity. Based on actual monitored data, it may clearly be shown whether working will intersect groundwater. Necessary data and documentation in this regard may be provided, covering the entire mine lease period.

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- 30. To furnish disaster management plan and disaster mitigation measures in regard to all aspects to avoid/reduce vulnerability to hazards & to cope with disaster/untoward accidents in & around the proposed mine lease area due to the proposed method of mining activity & its related activities covering the entire mine lease period as per precise area communication order issued.
- 31. To furnish risk assessment and management plan including anticipated vulnerabilities during operational and post operational phases of Mining.
- 32. Detailed Mine Closure Plan covering the entire mine lease period as per precise area communication order issued.
- 33. Detailed Environment Management Plan along with adaptation, mitigation & remedial strategies covering the entire mine lease period as per precise area communication order issued.

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