

Proceedings of the 31st meeting of State EIA Authority, Orissa held on 30th July 2010

The 31st meeting of the State EIA Authority, Orissa was held on 30.07.2010 in the office chamber of the Chairman of SEIAA, Bhubaneswar at 4.00 PM. Dr. C.R Das, Chairman, SEIAA, chaired the meeting.

1) Minutes of the previous meeting was confirmed.

2) Agenda Item No-1

The following seven proposals have been received by SEIAA. The proposals were discussed and the decision taken by SEIAA against each is indicated below.

Sl. No.	Sl. No. of the proposal	Name of the Project	Name of the Proponent	Whether details provided are ok for sending it to SEAC (see check list)	Decision taken by SEIAA
1.	124	Proposal for EC for expansion of clinker grinding unit from (2.0 MTPA to 4.0 MTPA) with coal based captive thermal power plant (20 MW) & 2X6 MW DG set at Jharsuguda cement works in the district of Jharsuguda.	Ultratech cement Ltd., Jharsuguda cement works near Dhutra Rail way Station, Po-Arda-768202, Dist-Jharsuguda.	Yes	Needs further discussion in the next meeting
2.	125	Proposal for EC for facilities augmentation project at Paradeep Terminal of H.P corporation Ltd.	H.P corporation Ltd. 5 th floor Alok Bharati complex Saheed Nagar, Bhubaneswar.	Yes	Needs further discussion in the next meeting
3.	128	Proposal for EC for construction of Aherajore Barrage project at Debdhara in the district of Jharsuguda.	Er. Harish Chandra Behera EIC (P&D) water resources Deptt. Odisha, Bhubaneswar.	Yes	Needs further discussion in the next meeting
4.	129	Proposal for EC for construction of Karapani irrigation project at Barghat in the district of Sundargarh	Er. Harish Chandra Behera, EIC (P&D) water resources Deptt. Odisha, Bhubaneswar	Yes	Needs further discussion in the next meeting
5.	127	Proposal for EC for construction of Lamdora irrigation project at village Kadogarh in the district of Sambalpur.	Er. Harish Behera EIC (P&D) water resources Deptt. Odisha, Bhubaneswar	Yes	Needs further discussion in the next meeting
6.	126	Proposal for EC for proposed (165+20) 185 MW CFBC thermal power plant at Meramandali in the district Dhenkanal.	M/s Bhushan Energy Ltd, 41, HIG-BDA, Jaydev Vihar, Bhubaneswar-751013.	No/ Proponent has not submitted the scrutiny fees	Reminder may be issued to the proponent
7.	130	Proposal for EC for augmentation of facilities at POL Terminal at Jatni, Odisha of M/s Indian Oil Corporation Limited.	Indian Oil Corporation Ltd. India Oil Bhawan, G-9, Ali Yavar Jung Marg, Bandra (E) Mumbai-400051	No/ Scrutiny fees not deposited and Form-1 in new format not submitted.	Reminder may be issued to the proponent

3) Agenda Item No-2

The following 5 proposals have been received by SEIAA. The proposals were discussed and the decisions taken as below.

Sl. No.	Sl. No. of the proposal	Name of the Project	Name of the Proponent	Whether details provided are ok for sending it to SEAC (see check list)	Decision taken by SEIAA
1	105	Proposal for EC for construction of barrage across river Sono in Budhabalang basin near village Jaida in Mayurbhanj district.	Er. Harish Behera, EIC (P&D) water resources Deptt. Odisha, Bhubaneswar	Yes	May be sent to SEAC for appraisal
2	120	Proposal for EC for construction of a residential complex at Aiginia and Ghatikia, Bhubaneswar.	M/s LIC HFL care homes Deputy Chief Engineer, LIC of India, Jeevan Jyoti Complex Link Road, Cuttack.	Yes	May be sent to SEAC for appraisal
3	104	Proposal for EC for concentrated chrome 9000 MTPA at Analjhari in the district Dhenkanal of M/s Kalinga Ferro Alloys.	Bibhuti Bhushan Sahoo, Kalinga Ferro Alloys, At/Po-Analjhari, P.S-Bhuban, Dhenkanal	No/ Scrutiny fees not deposited	Reminder may be issued to the proponent
4	115	Proposal for EC for EIC (P&D) water resources, Odisha for Ranjore irrigation project.	EIC (P&D) water resources, Odisha, Bhubaneswar	No/ Scrutiny fees not deposited	Reminder may be issued to the proponent
5	122	Proposal for EC for construction of Ghatakeswar multipurpose project at village Koilikote in the district of Ganjam.	The Chief Engineer & Basin Manager RVN Basin Berhampur.	No/ The Chief Engineer is to be Signed in Form-1	Reminder may be issued to the proponent

4) Agenda Item No-3

The following 8 proposals have been received from SEAC with recommendations as indicated against each. The proposals were discussed and following decisions taken.

Sl. No.	Sl. No. of the proposal	Name of the Project	Name of the Proponent	Recommendation of SEAC	Decision taken by SEIAA
1.	19	For production of iron ore with 250 TPH crusher over an area 35.774 ha. at Khandabandh in the district of Keonjhar of Shree Metaliks Ltd.	Shree Metaliks Ltd, N-4/46, IRC village, Nayapalli, Bhubaneswar - 751015	Recommended for grant of EC	Needs further discussion about validity of mining lease
2.	22	For production of 0.7 MTPA and 250 TPH crusher over an area 38.687 ha. at Khandabandh in the district Keonjhar of Khandabandh iron ore mines of M/s Deepak Steel & power Ltd.	Deepak Steel & Power Ltd. Ispat Bhawan, Po- Barbil, Dist-Keonjhar, Odisha-758035	Recommended for grant of EC	Needs further discussion about validity of mining lease
3.	56	Karlakona quartz mines of M.L area 15.37 ha. at village Karlakona in the district of Rayagada of M/s Utkal Manufacturing Service Ltd.	Utkal Manufacturing & Services Ltd. Kalinga Bazar Choudwar- 754071, Cuttack	Recommended for grant of EC	Needs further discussion about validity of mining lease

4.	73	For Sanapatholi manganese ore mines of M/s Orissa manganese minerals Ltd. for production of 1388 TPA of manganese ore at village Sanapatholi in the district of Sundargarh.	Orissa manganese & minerals Ltd. 130, 1 st floor, Saheed Nagar, Bhubaneswar-751007	Recommended for grant of EC	Needs further discussion about validity of mining lease
5.	59	For Kusumdihi manganese ore mines of Orissa manganese & minerals Ltd. for production of manganese ore from 2000 TPA to 17.376 TPA at Kusumdihi in the district Sundargarh.	Orissa manganese & minerals Ltd. 130, 1 st floor, Saheed Nagar, Bhubaneswar-751007	Recommended for grant of EC	Needs further discussion about validity of mining lease
6.	74	For Bhanjikusum manganese ore mine of Orissa manganese & minerals Ltd. for production of manganese ore from 1800 TPA to 5000 TPA at Koira in the district of Sundargarh.	Orissa manganese & minerals Ltd. 130, 1 st floor, Saheed Nagar, Bhubaneswar-751007.	Recommended for grant of EC	Needs further discussion about validity of mining lease
7.	21	Proposal for construction of a group housing project 'the cosmopolis' at Dumduma, Bhubaneswar, Odisha of M/s ASSOTECH BEBL infrastructure Pvt. Ltd.	Shri Harendra Singh vice president M/s ASSOTECH BEBL infrastructure Pvt. Ltd. A-354, Sector-19,, Noida-201301	Recommended for grant of EC	The proponent has started construction work in violating the Environmental Protection Act,1986. A notice has been issued to the proponent to explain the circumstances under which construction work to the project is continuing without taking prior EC from the State EIA Authority and stop the work forthwith till a final decision for grant of EC is taken.
8.	82	Proposal of Utkal Builders Ltd. for EC for construction of residential market complex at Goutam Nagar, Bhubaneswar.	Sri Subash Chandra Bhura, M/s Utkal Builders Ltd. At- Virayatan, 777, Saheed Nagar, Bhubaneswar.	Recommended for rejection	In the first instance the proponent may be requested to intimate the circumstances under which construction work to the project is continuing without taking prior EC from the State EIA Authority and stop the work forthwith.

5) Agenda Item No-4

About consideration of proposals of E.C for chrome ore beneficiation plant through put 44,000 TPA to produce chrome concentrate 24000 TPA at- Jaminibindha, Bhandaripokhari Dist-Bhadrak of M/s Min & Met, SEAC recommended to select other areas. Therefore it was decided to inform to the project proponent accordingly stating the observation made by SEAC in this regard.

6) Agenda Item No-5

M/s Apeejay Logistic Park Pvt. Ltd applied for withdrawal of proposal because the construction area is less than 20,000 sqm. Since the application was made to SEIAA it was sent for appraisal to SEAC and at present it is under scrutiny by SEAC. But now Apeejay Logistic Park Pvt. Ltd. desires to withdraw the application.

The matter was discussed and it was decided that since the proponent wants to withdraw the application form from their side, the proposal is treated as withdrawn. The proponent may be intimated accordingly.

7) Agenda Item No-6

One proposal for E.C for 20 MW Biomass based power plant at Nimidha village Dist. Dhenkanal of M/s Shalibahana green energy Ltd was submitted to MOEF, Govt. of India by the proponent during the year 2008. TOR has been prescribed by MOEF, Govt. of India in favour of the proponent and public hearing has been conducted. The MOEF, Govt. of India returned a part file (comprising two pages of notes sheets) without project documents of the proposal treating it as 'B' category of this project to the State EIA Authority, Orissa. The Authority wrote a letter to MOEF, Govt. of India to return the project document of the proponent and reply from Govt. of India has not yet been received. In the mean time the proponent applied afresh in Form-1 application with scrutiny fees of Rs. 3,00,000/- along with other documents as required for to the Authority to considered E.C. Accordingly the proposal was placed on meeting of SEIAA held on 10.06.10 and decided to be sent to SEAC for appraisal. Now the SEAC returned the proposal to the Authority treating it as 'A' category of the project and observed that the same may be appraised before EAC, MOEF, Govt. of India.

Accordingly it was decided the proposal of M/s Shalibahana Green Energy would be sent to MOEF, Govt. of India for appraisal at their level.

- 8) During discussion, it was opined that it is necessary to discuss with MOEF, Govt. of India on various aspects of scrutiny of the proposals for grant of EC. It was decided that the Chairman and the Member Sri P.C Rath SEIAA will go to New Delhi to meet the Advisor Mrs. Nalini Bhat MOEF, Govt. of India and discuss with her team on the smooth functioning of the State EIA Authority.
- 9) Sri P.C Rath Member SEIAA pointed out that for scrutiny of the proposal at the level of SEIAA before it is sent to SEAC and after it returns from SEAC, it is absolutely necessary to engage the services of one Environmental Scientist and one Environmental Engineer in the office of SEIAA. It was decided that the State Govt. F & E Department be moved again to render this logistic support to the SEIAA and to impress the State Govt. to expedite this.

The meeting concluded with a vote of thanks to the chair.

Member Secretary

Member

Chairman

Members Present

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| 1. Dr. C.R. Das | - Chairman |
| 2. Er. P.C. Rath | - Member |
| 3. Shri Bhagirathi Behera, IFS
Director, Env. - cum-Spl. Secy. | - Member Secretary |