

PROCEEDINGS OF THE 44th MEETING OF STATE EIA AUTHORITY, ORISSA HELD ON 16th MARCH, 2011

The 44th meeting of the State EIA Authority, Orissa was held on 16.03.2011 in the office chamber of the Chairman of State EIA Authority, Orissa, Bhubaneswar at 04.00 PM. Dr. C.R Das, Chairman chaired the meeting. The following members were present.

Members Present

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

The following issues were discussed and decisions taken as under.

1. Minutes of the previous meeting was confirmed.

2. Agenda Item No-1

The proposal No.119 & 226 for Chrome ore beneficiation plant of M/s Ultra Minerals & Ferro Alloys Ltd. and M/s Bindu Minerals and Metals were placed in the meeting and decision taken as under.

Sl. No	Proposal No.	Name of Project	Name of the Proponent	Present Position	Decision taken by SEIAA
1	119	From chrome ore beneficiation plant at Nischinta in the district of Cuttack, Orissa.	Ultra Minerals & Ferro Alloys Pvt. Ltd. At-Nischinta, Dist-Cuttack, Orissa.	Originally the proposal was sent to MoEF Govt. of India and ToR has been prescribed by Govt. of India on 18.07.2008 and public hearing was conducted on 31.01.2010. On constitution of State EIA Authority at Bhubaneswar the proponent submitted the final EIA & EMP report on 12.04.2010. After that the Authority requested to MoEF Govt. of India to return the file with project document. On receipt of the same from Govt. of India the proposal was placed in the Authority	The Govt. of Orissa be moved for a policy decision on such projects as suggested by SEAC. The Govt. may also be asked for its views on action to be taken on such projects pending policy decisions.

				meeting on 04.10.2010. As per decision of the Authority meeting, the final EIA & EMP report was sent to SEAC on 08.10.2010. The SEAC placed the proposal in their meeting held on 6 th & 7 th December, 2010 and requested to the Authority to take up a policy decision with the appropriate authorities in the State Govt. A letter has been addressed to the Advisor MOEF Govt. of India on 25.01.2011 in this regard. Then it was placed in the meeting on 19.02.2011 and decided to be placed in the next meeting.	
2	226	For Chrome ore beneficiation plant at village Hentasura in the district of Balasore.	Mr. Bijay Kumar Das Proprietor M.s Bindu Minerals and Metals, At Plot No. 737/13 Jaydev Vihar Bhubaneswar	The proposal was placed in the meeting on 07.02.11 & 19.02.11 for taking a decision keeping in view of the observation of SEAC in case of the above proposal. (Proposal No. 119) and then it was decided to be placed in the next meeting.	As above

3. Agenda Item no-2

The following 8 (eight) nos. of proposals have been received by the SEIAA, Orissa were discussed and decision taken as under.

Sl. No	Proposal No.	Name of Project	Name of the Proponent	Whether details provided are ok for sending it to SEAC (See check list)	Decision taken by SEIAA
1	235	Dhauragoth irrigation project	Ramesh Chandra Panda, Office of the	The proposal was not placed in the meeting due to non submission of scrutiny fees.	Be sent to SEAC, Orissa for appraisal.

		(New)	Chief Engineer and Basin Manager , Brahmani Right Basin, Mahisapat, Dist- Dhenkanal - 759001	Now the proponent has submitted the scrutiny fees on 07.03.2011. Yes	
2	247	Residential housing complex at Begunia Barahi, Jatni, Dist-Khurda. (New)	Sri Himat Lal Patel (Director), M/s Annapurna Realcon Pvt. Ltd. 22 Old Station Square, Cuttack, Puri Road, P.S - Laxmisagar, D.O- Budheswari, Bhubaneswar	The proposal was placed in the SEIAA meeting on 19.02.11 and decided to be placed in the next meeting. yes	Let the proponent be asked for a technical presentation on the project before SEIAA, Orissa early on a mutual agreed date.
3	248	Production upto 50,000 TPA of iron ore from Gonua iron and manganese ore mines with 30 TPH crushing facility in Sundargarh district. (New)	Sri K.C Pradhan, Plot No-1262, Unit-IX, Bhubaneswar-751022	The E.C. was granted vide SEIAA letter no 352 dated 04.09.10 which is expiring on 12.03.2011. The proponent has made an application to the Authority stating that the proposal had submitted to MOEF, Govt. of India on 31.12.2006 and ToR issued on 15.10.2007. Public hearing was conducted on 17.06.2008. After constitution of the State EIA Authority the proponent approached to the SEIAA to obtain the environmental clearance & E.C. was granted only for six months. Accordingly the proponent now representing to the Authority to extend the EC for a period of five years with effect from 12.03.11 before expiry of present E.C given by State EIA Authority. Orissa. In this connection rule 9 of EIA Notification, 2006 is referred to. The proposal was placed in the meeting on 19.02.11 and decided to be placed in the next meeting.	In view of the report from the Director of Mines, Orissa on the deemed extension of the lease for the proposal Environmental Clearance may also be extended for the deemed lease period on the same lines as done for other deemed lease cases in the past with conditions. The SEAC, Orissa may be intimated of the same with specific mention. This principle be also followed for all such future cases.

				In the meantime the Director of Mines in his letter no. 2964 dated 14.03.11 reported that the lease period shall be deemed to be extended under rule-24 A (6) of MCR, 1960 with effect from 15.03.2011 until disposal of the application by State Govt..	
4	249	For LPG Terminal at Paradip, Orissa (New)	Indian Oil Corporation Ltd. (Marketing Division) Indian Oil Bhawan, G-9, Aliyavar Jung Marg, Bandra (East) Mumbai-400051	The proposal was placed in the SEIAA meeting on 19.02.11 and decided to be placed in the next meeting. yes	Be sent to SEAC, Orissa for appraisal.
5	253	24,000 TPA Chrome ore beneficiation plant by BMT Chrome Ore Alloys Pvt. Ltd. at Kendudhip, Sukinda in the district of Jajpur. over an area 2.60 acres. (New)	Hrudananda Mishra, (MD) At-Kendudhip, Po-Sukinda, Dist- Jajpur, Orissa-755018	 yes	Same as for proposal no. 119 & 226 under Agenda Item No. 1.
6	254	Clinkerisation unit of M/s Navadurga Industries Ltd. at Mahulpati, Turekela in the district of Bolangir (New)	Suryakanta Acharya, 3rd floor, CADD Centre Building , Madhupatna Square, CTC - 753010	 yes	Be sent to SEAC, Orissa for appraisal.
7	255	Cement grinding unit of M/s Navadurga Industries Ltd. at Bani, Tangi in the district of Cuttack. (New)	Suryakanta Acharya, 3rd floor, CADD Centre Building , Madhupatna Square, CTC - 753010	 yes	Be sent to SEAC, Orissa for appraisal.

8	256	Integrated residential complex at mauza Ranasingpur, Bhubaneswar. (New)	Vipul Ltd. PGL City Mart, 2nd floor, Fire Station Square, Baramunda, Bhubaneswar-751003.	The proponent has not submitted NOC from all concern. yes	Same as in case of proposal no. 247 at Agenda Item No. 2 above.
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4. Agenda Item No-3

The following 6 (six) proposals have been received by SEIAA, Orissa for grant of final E.C. as recommended by SEAC, Orissa were discussed and decision taken as under.

Sl. No.	Proposal No.	Name of the project	Name of the Proponent	Present position (See checklist)	Decision taken by SEIAA
1	5	Hospital (Building construction project) having built of area of 37,458 Sqmt.	AMRI Bhubaneswar-A multy specialty, Hospital, B/13-14, Plot No. 1. (PT), under KhataNo-276, under Bhubaneswar Municipal Corporation, PS-Khandagiri-751030	As regards of violation of E.P Act by the proponent the matter is under consideration of Govt. F & E Deptt. Further the SEAC recommended to issue conditional EC.	Environmental Clearance be issued with conditions as recommended by SEAC, Orissa.
2	9	For production of 1 Lakh TPA of Manganese ore over an area 40.226 ha. at Bhutuda Manganese Ore Mines in Sundargarh district.	M/s AXL Exploration Pvt. Ltd. HIG BDA, Colony, Jaydev Vihar, Bhubaneswar	SEAC recommended for grant of E.C.	Environmental Clearance be issued with conditions as recommended by SEAC, Orissa.
3	85	Apartments Residential Complex , At-Kalarahanga, Nandankanan Road, Bhubaneswar	Mani Tirumala Apartments, K. Sahoo Secretary All Orissa State Bank Officers, Housing Co-operative Society Ltd.	SEAC recommended for grant of E.C.	Environmental Clearance be issued with conditions as recommended by SEAC, Orissa.
4	120	For construction of a residential complex at Aiginia and Ghatikia Bhubaneswar.	LIC HFL Care Homes Ltd 1st floor, East wing, Industrial assurance building opposite to Church gate station mumbai-400020	SEAC recommended for grant of E.C.	Environmental Clearance be issued with conditions as recommended by SEAC, Orissa.

5	154	Construction of residential housing project at Gothapatna in the district of Khurda	M/s. Acrux Realcon Pvt. Ltd., N-2/60, IRC Village, Bhubaneswar	SEAC recommended for grant of E.C.	Environmental Clearance be issued with conditions as recommended by SEAC, Orissa.
6	218	For enhancement production of iron ore 80,000 TPA with crushing and screening unit of 120 TPH capacity over an area 31.693 ha. in Chamakpur village of Keonjhar district.	K.C Pradhan (mines owner) Plot No-1262 Road-8, Unit-9, Bhubaneswar	SEAC recommended for grant of E.C	Environmental Clearance be issued with conditions as recommended by SEAC, Orissa.

5. Agenda Item No-4

The following one proposal, the proponent has furnished the final EIA / EMP report to this SEIAA, Orissa. The proposal was discussed and decision taken as under.

Sl. No.	Proposal No.	Name of the project	Name of the Proponent	Present position (See checklist)	Decision taken by SEIAA
1	35	For 60 (2x30) MW Thermal Power Plant at Bainchua, Tangi in the district of Cuttack	Maa Durga Thermal Power Company Ltd. Village- Bainchua, Tehsil- Tangi, Dist- Cuttack	ToR was prescribed by the SEAC in their letter no. 13 dated 07.07.2009. Public hearing has been conducted on 09.10.2010. The proponent has submitted the final EIA & EMP report for final appraisal.	Be sent to SEAC for final appraisal.

6. Agenda Item No-5

One proposal has been returned from the SEAC treating it category 'A' since it is stipulated Biomass based power plant \geq 20 MW falls under category 'A'. The proposal was discussed and decision taken as under.

Sl. No.	Proposal No.	Name of the project	Name of the Proponent	Present position (See checklist)	Decision taken by SEIAA
1	250	23 MW Biomass based power plant near village Panderimal, Dist- Sundargarh of Orissa.	Rake Power Ltd. 7 th floor, Minerva Complex, 94, SD Road, Secunderabad, A.P-500003	SEAC treated it as category 'A'.	The proponent be advised to move MoEF, Govt. of India as recommended by SEAC, Orissa.

7. Agenda Item No-6

A letter from one Sri N. R.Biswal, Plot No. N-1/75 IRC village, Bhubaneswar was received by the Authority regarding violation of Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 and Heritage Conservation Act, 1992 by a public body (OWSSB), (Orissa Water Supply and Sewerage Board) about a very big construction related to Sewerage Treatment Plant (STP) at Basuaghai Mauza in the restricted areas of Megheswar, Bhaskareswar, Brahmeswar and Sisupalagah, Bhubaneswar. The matter was referred to SEAC vide Authority letter No. 631 dated 31.12.10. The matter was placed in the SEAC meeting on 12th & 13th January, 2011 and furnished their observation vide their letter. no. 93 dated 23.02.2011 and observed that as per the provisions of EIA Notification, 2006, Schedule-7 (h) Common Effluent Treatment Plant (CETP) requires prior Environmental Clearance.

The matter was discussed and decided that the Orissa Water Supply and Sewage Board, (OWSSB) be intimated to apply for EC immediately with instructions to stop all works till EC is issued with a copy of H & UD Department among others concerned.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Member Secretary, SEIAA

Member, SEIAA

Chairman, SEIAA