

**Proceeding of the public hearing conducted on 24.09.2021
for Sanawaubarai Sand Quarry, Tahasil- Biridi in the district
of Jagatsinghpur, Odisha**

A public hearing was held on 24.09.2021 at 10.30 AM at R.I. Office, Purana of Jagatsinghpur district for the above proposed sand quarry (8.093 Ha). Smt. Chinmayee Biswal, Additional District Magistrate, Jagatsinghpur presided over the meeting along with Er. Dillip Kumar Dash, Regional Officer, State Pollution Control Board, Odisha, Paradeep. She welcomed the public, who were present at the venue for participating in the hearing. Attendance sheets of the officials present in the hearing and that of public present inside the venue are annexed as **Annexure-I and II** respectively. 81 persons were present in the meeting, out of which 69 persons have put their signatures in the attendance sheet. 12 persons intended to deliver their views and their list is annexed as Annexure-III. Out of these 12 persons, one person remained absent and 11 persons delivered their views. 34 no.s of written statements were received during the public hearing. Video recording of the entire proceeding of the public hearing was done and it will be forwarded to State Environment Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA), Government of Odisha as such along with this proceeding.

At the outset, Er. Dillip Kumar Dash, Regional Officer, State Pollution Control Board, Paradeep welcomed all the public present in the meeting. He briefly described the objective of the public hearing conducted as per the provisions of EIA Notification No. S.O. 1533(E) of Dt.14th September 2006 of the Ministry of Environment and Forests & Climate Change (MOEF & CC), Government of India and its amendment No. S.O. 141 (E) of Dt.15.01.2016 and the importance of the actual views of local public regarding the project. He also informed that the date, time and venue for conducting this public hearing was duly advertised in one Odia daily newspaper; Pragatibadi; dtd. 22.08.2021 and in one English daily newspaper, Sunday Times dtd. 22.08.2021 following due procedure for intimation of public. Further, the same information was also propagated through notices displayed at various places in the area. Executive summary of the proposed

project both in Odia & English were displayed at the meeting venue for ready reference of public. The executive summary was also made available in the website of State Pollution Control Board, Bhubaneswar (www.ospcb.org).

2. ADM Jagatsinghpur and Regional Officer, Paradeep explained to public to place their views about the environmental impacts of the proposed project and emphasized that their statements should be related to environmental pollution and its control aspects. Then the Regional Officer requested Smt. Sagarika Priyadarshini, Tahasildar, Biridi to describe before the public about the details of the project and its impact on surrounding environment.

3. Smt. Sagarika Priyadarshini, Tahasildar, Biridi presented and briefed about the importance of sand mining in construction sector and how the same contributes towards nation building. She highlighted about the details of the sand bed spreading over an area of 8.093 Hain Sanawaubairaj village of Jagatsinghpur district. Sand mining capacity will be 19426 m³/year as per the approved mining plan. The said quarry has been leased out for a period of 5 years and mining of sand will be carried out by manual open cast method while, loading and transportation will be done by manual/semi mechanized method by using loaders/trucks/dumpers. Sri Sunyakart Pradhan, Authorized representative of the highest bidder of the proposed sand mine described that no trees will be cut down for development of the project and during operation of the project. Additional plantation will be done in the river bank and in nearby area. Pollution abatement measures like covering sand loaded trucks/dumpers with tarpullin sheets and water sprinkling by mobile water tankers will be taken as per the environment management plan.

4. Regional Officer, SPCB, Odisha, Paradeep then invited public for their deliberations. Details of deliberations are annexed at **Annexure-IV**

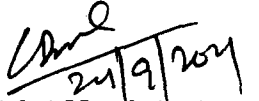
5. After the deliberations by the public was over, Regional Officer, SPCB, Paradeep summarized various issues raised by the public and invited the highest bidder of the proposed sand mine to offer his views on those issues. Sri Sunyakarta Pradhan placed his views on the issues raised by the public. ADM instructed the project proponent to redress the issues raised by people in priority.

The summary of the views and concerns of the public and the commitments made by the project proponent are annexed in Oriya language & English language as **Annexure-V & VI** respectively.

Finally the meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the chair and other participants.


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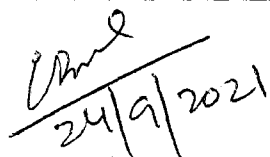
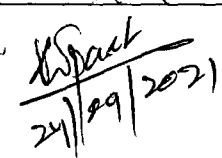
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ANNEXURE - I

Official members present in the public hearing conducted on 24.09.2021 for Sanawaubari Devi Sand Quarry, Tahasil- Biridi in the district of Jagatsinghpur

Sl. No.	Name of the Members	Signature
1.	Smt. Chinmayee Biswal, Addl. District Magistrate, (Revenue), Jagatsinghpur	 24/9/2021
2.	Er. Dillip Kumar Dash, Regional Officer, State Pollution Control Board, Odisha, Paradeep	 24/09/2021

Statements of the public participated in the deliberation during public hearing conducted on 24.09.2021 for Sanawaubarai Sand Quarry, Tahasil- Biridi in the district of Jagatsinghpur

1. Rabindra Sahoo, Manguli,

He welcomed the project and urged district administration to ensure fulfillment of the commitments made by project proponent for abatement of pollution like tarpaulin covering on sand loaded vehicles, sprinkling of water on roads, plantation at nearby areas. He also emphasized on repair and maintenance of roads.

2. Judhisthira Behera, Chasikhanda

He emphasized that project proponent should take precautionary measures so that river embankment will not have any damage. He also urged district administration to ensure fulfillment of the commitments made by project proponent.

3. Dillip Ku. Behera, Sanwaubarai

He welcomed the project without any objection if project proponent follows pollution control norms.

4. Pradipta Ku. Mohapatra, Chasikhanda

He welcomed the project and thanked to district administration and SPCB for conducting such hearing for operation of sand quarry.

5. Subash Nayak, Sankhari sahi

He supported the project and requested SPCB to ensure water sprinkling and other pollution control measures to be taken by project proponent.

6. Prabir Ku. Dash, Maindipur G.P.

He supported the project and requested project proponent to stick to their commitments.

7. Dipti Ranjan Sahoo, Sankhari sahi

He supported the project saying sand mining operation will create revenue. He requested officials of SPCB and district administration to ensure

compliance with the pollution control measures taken by project proponent like water sprinkling, covering of loaded vehicles and repairing of damaged village roads.

8. Bimbadhara Das, Mahipur

He requested district administration to take care of river embankment being flood prone area and operate the sand mine.

9. Umakanta Bhoi, Sanawaubarai

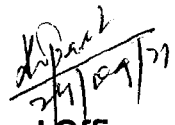
He supported the project and emphasized on road repairing and water sprinkling.

10. Gyana Ranjan Jena, Basandara G.P.

He welcomed the project and said that sand availability will be easier and cheaper if the sand mine is operated. However, he emphasized on road repairing and peripheral development.

11. Raj Kishore Padhy, Parbatipur

He welcomed the project and requested district administration to take care of well being of people.


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ଜନସାଧାରଣଙ୍କ ଦ୍ୱାରା ନିମ୍ନ ଲିଖିତ ପ୍ରସଙ୍ଗ ପ୍ରକଳ୍ପ ପ୍ରସ୍ତାବକଙ୍କ ନିକଟରେ ଉତ୍ତାପିତ ହୋଇଥିଲା।

- ୧) ବାଲି ପରିବହନ କରୁଥିବା ଟ୍ରକ୍/ଟ୍ରାକ୍ଟର୍/ଡ଼ମ୍ପରରେ ଆବଶ୍ୟକ ଠାରୁ ଅଧିକ ବାଲି ବୋହେଇ କରି ରାସ୍ତାଘାଟକୁ ଖରାପ କରା ନଯାଉ ଏବଂ ଖରାପ ହେଇଥିବା ରାସ୍ତାକୁ ମରାମତି କରାଯାଉ।
- ୨) ନଦୀ କୂଳରେ ଏବଂ ଆଖପାଖ ଅଞ୍ଚଳର ପ୍ରଦୂଷଣକୁ ରୋକିବାକୁ ବ୍ୟାପକ ବୃକ୍ଷରୋପଣ କରାଯାଉ।
- ୩) ଟ୍ରକ୍/ ଡ଼ମ୍ପର/ ଟ୍ରାକ୍ଟର ଗୁଡ଼ିକୁ ସମ୍ପୂର୍ଣ୍ଣ ରୂପେ ଘୋଡ଼ାଇ ବାଲି ପରିବହନ କରାଯାଉ ଏବଂ ରାସ୍ତାରେ ବ୍ୟାପକ ଜଳ ସିଞ୍ଚନର ବ୍ୟବସ୍ଥା କରାଯାଉ।
- ୪) ଖଣି କାର୍ଯ୍ୟକାରୀତା ସମୟରେ ନଦୀବନ୍ଧର ସୁରକ୍ଷା ନିମନ୍ତେ ଦୃଷ୍ଟି ଦିଆଯାଉ।
- ୫) ଖଣିରେ ସମସ୍ତ ଖନନ ଓ ପରିବହନ କାର୍ଯ୍ୟରେ ସ୍ଥାନୀୟ ଗ୍ରାମବାସୀଙ୍କୁ ନିଯୁକ୍ତି ଦିଆଯାଉ।

ଉପରୋକ୍ତ ବାଲି ଖାଦାନର ନିଲାମରେ ଭାଗ ନେଇଥିବା ସର୍ବୋଚ୍ଚ ନିଲାମ ତକାଲିକ ତରଫରୁ ଶ୍ରୀ ସୂର୍ଯ୍ୟକାନ୍ତ ପ୍ରଧାନ ଜନସାଧାରଣଙ୍କ ଅବଗତି ନିମନ୍ତେ ନିମ୍ନଲିଖିତ ପ୍ରତିଶ୍ରୁତି ପ୍ରଦାନ କଲେ।

- ୧) ଯଦି ବାଲି ପରିବହନ ଯୋଗୁଁ ରାସ୍ତା ଖରାପ ହୁଏ, ତୁରନ୍ତ ତାହାର ମରାମତି କରାଯିବ।
- ୨) ଗ୍ରାମବାସୀଙ୍କ ସହିତ ଆଲୋଚନା କରି ନଦୀ କୂଳ ଏବଂ ଆଖପାଖ ଅଞ୍ଚଳରେ ବୃକ୍ଷରୋପଣ କରାଯିବ।
- ୩) ବାଲି ପରିବହନ କରୁଥିବା ଗାଡ଼ି ଗୁଡ଼ିକୁ ପାଲ ଦ୍ୱାରା ଘୋଡ଼ାଇ ପରିବହନ କରାଯିବ ଏବଂ ରାସ୍ତାରେ ଧୂଳି ନଉଡ଼ିବା ପାଇଁ ଜଳ ସିଞ୍ଚନ କରାଯିବ।
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- ୫) ବନ୍ୟା ଓ ବାତ୍ୟା ସମୟରେ ଜନସାଧାରଣଙ୍କ ନିମନ୍ତେ ଉପଯୁକ୍ତ ସାହାଯ୍ୟ ଓ ସହାୟତା ପ୍ରଦାନ କରାଯିବ।
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Points raised by the public during public hearing conducted on 24.09.2021 for Sanawaubarai Sand Quarry, Tahasil- Biridi in the district of Jagatsinghpur

The public raised the following issues and apprehensions for redressal by the project proponent.

1. To prevent damage of roads by movement of overloaded of trucks/tractors/dumpers and to repair damaged roads.
2. To plant trees in the river bank and other area to prevent pollution.
3. To transport sand by fully covered the trucks/ dumpers/ tractors and to do adequate water sprinkling on the roads.
4. To take measures to protect river embankment during sand mining process.
5. To engage local people in mining and transportation.

Views of Project Proponent on the issues raised by the public during the Public hearing.

Sri Suryakanta Pradhan , Authorised representative of highest bidder addressed the issue raised by public and intimated that

1. In case of damage, the roads will be repaired immediately.
2. Plantation will be done at river bank and other areas after discussing with villagers.
3. The transportation vehicles will be fully covered with tarpaulin and water sprinkling will be carried out on roads.
4. Mining will be carried out following due procedure and rules made by Government and care will be taken to prevent damage to river embankment.
5. Adequate help and assistance will be provided during flood and cyclone conditions.
6. Only local people will be engaged in all mining activities.


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Date : 19.09.2021

NOTICE

It is brought to the notice of all concerned that The Tahsildar, Biridi has proposed to have Environmental Assessment for Sanawaubari Devi Sand quarry over ML area of 8,093 ha. at Plot No. 306, 307 & 311 in Sanawaubari village under Biridi Tehsil of Jagatsinghpur district to obtain Environmental Clearance from State Environment Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA), Odisha. The proponent has applied to the State Pollution Control Board, Odisha, Bhubaneswar for a Public Hearing.

By virtue of Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Government of India Notification No. S.O. 1533 (E) Dtd. 14.09.2006, the Board has been authorized to conduct environmental public hearing and as such invites suggestions, views, comments and objections on matters relating to environmental aspects of the proposed project from all the persons including bonafide residents, environmental groups and others located at the proposed site/sites of displacement/sites likely to be affected.

For the above purpose, a person will only mean:

- Any person who is likely to be affected by the grant of Environmental Clearance.
- Any person who owns his control over the project with respect to which an application has been submitted for environmental clearance.
- Any association of persons whether incorporated or likely to be affected by the project and/or functioning in the field of environment.
- Any local authority within any part of whose local limits is within the neighborhood, wherein the project is proposed to be located.

Persons as above who desire to submit their views, comments, objections etc. relevant to the project, may do so in writing within 30 days from the date of publication of this notice addressing the same to the Member Secretary, State Pollution Control Board, Odisha through Registered Post. Besides this, persons interested to submit their views relevant to the proposed mining project in writing or orally may also do so during the public hearing to be conducted on 24.09.2021 at 10.30A.M. at RI Office, Purana of Jagatsinghpur district. Public hearing shall be conducted strictly observing guidelines contained in COVID-19 pandemic restrictions issued by the MoEF&CC, Govt. of India vide OM No. 25-IA/III, dated 09.06.2021 as well as Govt. of Odisha.

Persons desirous of participating in the public hearing may go through the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA)/Environmental Management Plan (EMP) of the said project which will be available at the following offices. Copy of the Executive Summary both in English & Odia is also available in the following offices & the same can also be downloaded from the website www.ospcb.org free of cost.

- District Collector's Office, Jagatsinghpur.
- District Industries Center, Jagatsinghpur.
- In the office of the Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Parishad, Jagatsinghpur.
- In the Head office of the State Pollution Control Board, Odisha, Paribesh Bhawan, A/118, Nilakanthanagar, Unit-VIII, Bhubaneswar-12.
- Regional Office, State Pollution Control Board, Odisha, Paradeep.
- Department of Forest & Environment (Environment), Govt. of Odisha, Bhubaneswar.

For any further clarification in the matter, the Regional Officer, State Pollution Control Board, Paradeep or the Member Secretary, State Pollution Control Board, Odisha at Bhubaneswar may be contacted.

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