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To,

Shri Ujjwal Chauhan S/o Dashrath Singh Chouhan, Santoshi Mata ward, Pandhurna, Dist. – Chhindwara, MP

Sub:- Case No. 3354/15 Prior Environmental Clearance for Lachoura River Sand Quarry (Opencast Manual Method) in an area of 10.00 ha. (90,000 cum/year) at khasra no. 1/1 at Village - Lachoura, Tehsil - Timarni, District - Harda (MP) by Shri Ujjwal Chauhan S/o Dashrath Singh Chouhan, Santoshi Mata ward, Pandhurna, Dist. – Chhindwara, MP.

The case was discussed in 599th SEIAA meeting dtd 22.02.20 and it has been recorded that

"The Prior EC letter was issued by SEIAA to Shri Raj Kumar Nema, OIC, Sub Off., M.P. State Mining Corporation Ltd., H.No. 12, Ward No. 17, Sainath Colony, Meenakshi, Hoshangabad (MP) M.P. vide L.No. 5072/SEIAA/17 dated 23.01.17 for an area of 10.00 ha. (90,000 cum/year) at khasra no. 1/1 at Village - Lachoura, Tehsil - Timarni, District - Harda (MP)".

Shri Ujjwal Chauhan S/o Dashrath Singh Chouhan, Santoshi Mata ward, Pandhurna, Dist. – Chhindwara, MP has submitted the following documents in support of his request:

- a) No objection letter of previous Project Proponent (to whom prior EC was granted) for transfer of prior EC in the name of Shri Ujjwal Chauhan S/o Dashrath Singh Chouhan, Santoshi Mata ward, Pandhurna, Dist. Chhindwara, MP.
- b) Notarised affidavit of Shri Sanjeev Gadkari, OIC, M.P. State Mining Corporation Ltd., Indrapuri Sethi Nagar, Ujjain (MP) mentioning that no legal action/ credible action has been initiated against the mine till date and commitment to comply all the standard and specific conditions stipulated in the prior EC issued.
- c) Copy of Prior EC issued by SEIAA vide letter No. 5072/SEIAA/17 dtd. 23.01.2017.
- d) Copy of Environmental Management Plan of Shri Ujjwal Chauhan S/o Dashrath Singh Chouhan, Santoshi Mata ward, Pandhurna, Dist. Chhindwara, MP.
- e) Copy of Approved Mining Plan with Replenishment Plan of Shri Ujjwal Chauhan S/o Dashrath Singh Chouhan, Santoshi Mata ward, Pandhurna, Dist. Chhindwara, MP.
- f) Lease transfer order issued by Mineral Resource Department to Shri Ujjwal Chauhan S/o Dashrath Singh Chouhan, Santoshi Mata ward, Pandhurna, Dist. Chhindwara, MP vide letter No. 660/132/2020/12/1/ dated 07.02.2020.

As per the notification issued by MoEF&CC on 14.09.2006, the policy on transferability of EC is as follows:-

Case no. 3354/2015

Para 11. Transferability of Environmental Clearance (EC):

A prior environmental clearance granted for a specific project or activity to an applicant may be transferred during its validity to another legal person entitled to undertake the project or activity on application by the transferor, or by the transferee with a written "no objection" by the transferor, to, and by the regulatory authority concerned, on the same terms and conditions under which the prior environmental clearance was initially granted, and for the same validity period. No reference to the Expert Appraisal Committee or State Level Expert Appraisal Committee concerned is necessary in such cases.

After detailed discussions on the MoEF&CC Notification regarding transferability and perusal of the above information, it has been decided to transfer the Prior EC issued on 23.01.2017 in favour of Shri Ujjwal Chauhan S/o Dashrath Singh Chouhan, Santoshi Mata ward, Pandhurna, Dist. -Chhindwara (MP) in the place of Shri Raj Kumar Nema, OIC, Sub Off., M.P. State Mining Corporation Ltd., H.No. 12, Ward No. 17, Sainath Colony, Meenakshi, Hoshangabad (MP) for Sand Quarry in an area of 10.0 ha. for production capacity of 90,000 cum/year at khasra no. 1/1 at Village - Lachoura, Tehsil - Timarni, District - Harda (MP) on the same terms & conditions, production capacity and validity period under which the prior Environmental Clearance was initially granted. Copy to PP and all concerned".

Hence, Prior Environmental Clearance for Sand Quarry (Opencast Manual Method) in an area of 10.0 ha. for production capacity of 90,000 cum/year at khasra no. 1/1 at Village - Lachoura, Tehsil - Timarni, District -Harda (MP) issued to Shri Raj Kumar Nema, OIC, Sub Off., M.P. State Mining Corporation Ltd., H.No. 12, Ward No. 17, Sainath Colony, Meenakshi, Hoshangabad (MP) is hereby transferred to Shri Ujjwal Chauhan S/o Dashrath Singh Chouhan, Santoshi Mata ward, Pandhurna, Dist. - Chhindwara (MP) on the same terms & conditions, production capacity and valid period under which the Prior Environmental Clearance was initially granted.

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Dated: 26, 2, 20 20 1. Principal Secretary, Department of Environment, Government of Madhya Pradesh, Mantralaya, Bhopal.

- 2. Member Secretary, SEAC, Research and Development Wing, Madhya Pradesh Pollution Control Board, Paryavaran Parisar, E-5, Arera Colony, Bhopal - 462016.
- 3. Member Secretary, Madhya Pradesh Pollution Control Board, Paryavaran Parisar, E-5, Arera Colony, Bhopal - 462016
- 4. Collector, District Harda, M.P.
- Divisional Forest Officer, District Harda, M.P.
- 6. I.A. Division, Monitoring Cell, MoEF& CC, Gol, Indira Paryavaran Bhawan, Jor Bagh Road, New Delhi -110 003.
- 7. Director (S), Regional Office MoEF, Western Region, Kendriya Paryavaran Bhawan, Link Road No. 3, Ravi Shankar Nagar, Bhopal - 462016.
- 8. Director, Geology & Mining, Madhya Pradesh, 29-A, Khanij Bhawan, Arera Hills, Bhopal 462002.
- 9. District Mining Officer, District Harda, M.P.
- 10. M.P. State Mining Corporation Ltd., Paryawas Bhavan, Block no. 1, second floor (A), Jail Road, Arera Hills, Bhopal.
- 11. DEO, SEIAA for upload website.

12. Guard file

(Dr. Sanjeev Sachdev) Officer-in-Charge

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