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To, M/s R.K.Transport and Constructions Ltd, Director, Shri Chandra Prakash Singh, 65-A, Transport Nagar, Dist. Korba, Chhattisgarh

Sub: Case No 8471/2021 Prior Environment Clearance for Sand Quarry in an area of 4.0 ha. (72000 cum per annum) (Khasra No. 137/1), Village - Babri-1, Tehsil -Seoni Malwa, Dist. Hoshangabad (MP) by M/s R.K.Transport and Constructions Ltd, Director, Shri Chandra Prakash Singh, 65-A, Transport Nagar, Dist. Korba, Chhattisgarh.

The case was discussed in 674th SEIAA meeting dtd 07.04.2021 and it was recorded in the minutes that

"This case was recommended in 497th SEAC meeting dated 05.04.2021 and it was recorded that.........

PP has submitted a copy of approved Mining Plan, DSR report, information in the lease's within 500 meters radius around the site and other requisite information in the prescribed format duly verified in the Collector Office (Ekal Praman-Patr) letter no. 2376 dated: 26/03/2021 has reported that there are 01 more mines operating or proposed within 500 meters around the said mine with total area of 22.0 ha., including this mine.

The case was presented by the PP and their consultant. PP stated that this is a case of river sand mining on Narmada River. PP submitted that only manually method shall be carried out regarding another mine which is mentioned in the letter within 500 meters around this mine, area :18 ha is belongs to same PP, and this mine shall be not operated by them as mentioned by Collector Office (Ekal Praman-Patr) and issued by letter vide no. 2376 dated: 26/03/2021 . Hence, this case now shall be appraised a B-2.

PP has submitted the response of above quaries same date vide letter dated 05.04.2021, which was placed before the committee and the same found satisfactory. The mining shall be done as per the approved mine plan by concerned DGMs. The EMP and other submissions made by the PP were found to be satisfactory and acceptable, hence committee decided to recommend the case for grant of prior EC subject to the following special conditions in addition to the standard conditions at annexure 'B':

It is observed as per Google image and the documents submitted by PP regarding other mines located within 500 m. radius of the proposed mines, it is found that the total area of the cluster seems more than 5 ha. After detailed discussion, it is decided that PP may be called for clarification with supporting documents pertaining to current status of the other sanctioned/operative mines located within 500 m. radius of proposed mine with written commitment of OIC of the State Mining Corporation."

In view of above you are requested to called for clarification with supporting documents pertaining to current status of the other sanctioned/operative mines located within 500 m. radius of proposed mine with written commitment of OIC of the State Mining Corporation, so that further decision can be taken.