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PARIVESH	(Pro-Active and Responsive Facilitation by Interactive, and Virtuous Environmental Single-Window Hub)	 Subject: Grant of Environmenta under the provision of Sir/Madam, This is in reference to in respect of project subm SIA/KL/MIN/187054/2020 dated clearance granted to the project 1. EC Identification No. 2. File No. 3. Project Type 4. Category 5. Project/Activity including Schedule No. 6. Name of Project 7. Name of Company/Organi 8. Location of Project 9. TOR Date 	EC22B001KL168921 1855/EC4/2020/SEIAA New B2 1(a) Mining of minerals KANNUR BUILDING MATERIALS CO- OPERATIVE SOCIETY
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PROCEEDINGS OF THE STATE LEVEL ENVIRONMENT IMPACT ASSESSMENT AUTHORITY, KERALA

Present: Dr.H.Nagesh Prabhu IFS (Chairman) Dr.V.Venu IAS (Member Secretary) Shri.K.Krishna Panicker (Member)

Sub: - SEIAA – Environmental Clearance for the Proposed Laterite Building Stone Quarry Project of M/s Kannur Building Materials Co-Operative Society,Ltd No.C 1741, Pappininissery P.O, Kannur-670561– Granted - Orders issued.

STATE LEVEL ENVIRONMENT IMPACT ASSESSMENT AUTHORITY, KERALA

Proposal No. SIA/KL/MIN/187054/2020

File No. 1855/EC4/2020/SEIAA

- Ref: 1.O.M.No.L-11011/47/2011-1AII (M) dated 24.06.2013 of the Ministry of Environment & Forests, Government of India.
 - 2. Application received on 08.12.2020, from M/s Kannur Building Materials Co-Operative Society.
 - 3. Minutes of the 130th meeting of SEAC held on 04th -06th July 2022.
 - 4. Minutes of the 116th meeting of SEIAA held on 29th &30th July 2022.
 - 5. G.O (Rt.)No.29/2019/Envt dated 12.04.2019.

ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE NO. 98 /L/2022

M/s Kannur Building Materials Co-Operative Society, Ltd. No.C 1741, Pappinissery P.O, Kannur-670561 submitted an application for Environmental Clearance for the mining of Laterite Building Stone for an area of 0.9700 Ha in Block No.37, Re.Sy No.132/279 Perinthatta Village, Payyannur Taluk, Kannur District, Kerala.

The Project details are as follows:-

Sl.No.	Particulars	Details
1	Name of the project	Laterite Building Stone Quarry Project of M/s Kannur Building Materials Co-Operative Society.
2.	Name of the Sector & Schedule No.(in the EIA Notification, 2006)	Mining of Laterite Building Stone B2 Category & Schedule 1(a)
3	Name & Address of the Project Proponent	Sri. M.V.Kunjiraman, President, M/s Kannur Building Materials Co-Operative Society, Ltd.No.C1741, Pappinissery P.O, Kannur-670561.
	Project Location	
	a)Block No:	Block No.37,
4	b) Re. Survey Nos.:	Re.Sy.No.132/279
	c) Revenue Village	Perinthatta
	d) Panchayth	Vayakkara
	e) Taluk	Payyannur
	f) District	Kannur
5	Project Area	0.9700 Ha
6	Project Life	5 Years
7	Production Capacity of Mine / Quarry	67,900MT Per annum
8	Expected Cost of the Project	Rs.15 lakhs
9	Geo Co-ordinates	Latitude 12°09'15.6"N -12°09'15.4"N Longitude 75°17'39.6"E - 75°17'41.7"E

10	Validity of Environmental	5 years from the date of execution of permit/lease
	Clearance	from the Mining and Geology Department.

2. In the 130th meeting of SEAC held on 04th -06th July 2022, the Committee examined the proposal, verified the documents and appraised the project as per OM dated 24.6.2013, pertaining to brick earth or ordinary earth up to an area less than 5 Ha. Based on discussions, the Committee recommended EC for a period of five years with certain Specific Conditions in addition to General Conditions:

3. In the 116th meeting of SEIAA held on 29th & 30th July 2022,the Authority decided to issue Environmental Clearance for the project life of 5 (five) years for the quantity mentioned in the approved Mining Plan subject to the following Specific Conditions in addition to the General Conditions.

- 1. The proponent shall carry out quarrying as per the approved Mining Plan and the proponent should strictly follow the Kerala Minor Mineral Concession Rules 2015 and amendments thereby.
- 2. The EC shall be valid from the date of execution of permit/lease from the Department of Mining and Geology. The copy of the permit/lease order should be provided to the SEIAA before commencing the mining activity.
- 3. The excavation activity associated should not involve blasting.
- 4. The excavation activity should be restricted to a maximum depth of 2m below general ground level at the site.
- 5. The excavation activity should be restricted to 2m above the ground water table at the site.
- 6. The excavation activity should not alter the natural drainage pattern of the area.
- 7. The excavated pit should be restored by the project proponent for useful purpose.
- 8. Appropriate fencing all around the excavated pit should be made to prevent any mishap.

- 9. Measures should be taken to prevent dust emission by covering of excavated earth during transportation.
- 10. Safeguards should be adopted against health risks on account of breeding of vectors in the water bodies created due to excavation of earth.
- 11. Workers/labourers should be provided with facilities for drinking water and sanitation.
- 12. A berm should be left from the boundary of adjoining field having a width equal to at least half the depth of proposed excavation.
- 13. A minimum distance of 15m from any civil structure should be kept from the periphery of the project area.
- 14. No water logging should be allowed in the mine pit. Appropriate drainage should be ensured from the project area prior to the commencement of mining.
- 15. The drain should be provided with silt traps and siltation pond and the overflow water should be clarified and drained to the nearest natural drain without any hindrance.
- 16. The drainage system should be cleaned and de-silted periodically to facilitate unhindered drainage.
- 17. CER should be implemented in total during the first two years and they should be operated and maintained during the subsequent years till the mine closure plan is implemented in total
- 18. Transportation of mined material should not be done during the peak hours in the forenoon (8.30am to 10.30am) and afternoon (3.30pm to 5 pm).
- 19. As per OM no F.No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated 30th September 2020, under Corporate Environmental Responsibility (CER) the Project Proponent shall prepare an Environment Management Plan (EMP) as directed by SEAC during appraisal, covering the issues to address the environmental problems in the project region, indicating both physical and financial targets year wise. The EMP shall be implemented in consultation with local self Govt. Institutions. The follow up action on implementation of CER shall be included in the Half Yearly Compliance Report which will be subjected to field inspection at regular intervals.

A copy of the approved EMP shall be made available to the concerned Panchayat for information and implementation support.

- 20. As per the directions contained in the OM F.No.22-34/2018-IA.III dated 16th January 2020 issued by MoEF&CC, in obedience to the directions of the Hon'ble Supreme Court the Project Proponent shall, undertake re-grassing the mining area and any other area which may have been disturbed due to his mining activities and restore the land to a condition which is fit for growth of fodder, flora, fauna etc. The compliance of this direction shall be included in the Half Yearly Compliance Report which will be monitored by SEAC at regular intervals.
- 21. The violation of EC condition may lead to cancellation of EC and action under The Environment (Protection) Act 1986.

4. In this circumstance, the Authority hereby accorded Environmental Clearance under Notification S.O. No.1533 (E) dated 14.09.2006 read with O.M. as per first paper above to M/s Kannur Building Materials Co-Operative Society, Ltd.No.C 1741,Pappinissery P.O,Kannur-670561 from an area of 0.9700 Ha in Block No.37, Re-Sy No. 132/279 in Perinthatta Village, Payyannur Taluk, Kannur District, Kerala for the period of **5 (five) years** from the date of execution of permit/lease from Mining and Geology Department for the quantity mentioned in the approved Mining Plan, as per S.O.1807(E) dated 12.04.2022 of MoEF & CC, subject to the Specific Conditions in Para 3rd above in addition to the following General Conditions.

General Condition

- 1. Proponent should obtain all necessary statutory clearances for mining.
- 2. Appropriate fencing all around the burrowed/excavated pit shall be made to prevent any mishap.
- 3. Proper retaining wall shall be provided for safeguarding the immediately adjacent property, other buildings and civil structures.
- 4. A berm shall be left from the boundary of adjoining field having a width equal to at least half the depth of proposed excavation or as specified in mining plan.
- 5. Mining shall be done as per Mining Plan and suggestions by SEAC.
- 6. The mining activity should not involve blasting.
- 7. The excavation shall not alter the natural drainage pattern of the area.
- 8. Appropriate measures shall be taken to prevent dust pollution caused during laterite cutting.

- 9. Safeguards shall be adopted against health risks on account of breeding of vectors in the water bodies created due to burrowing/excavation of laterite building stone.
- 10. Provide 2m x 2m benches for mining depth greater than 3m to prevent slope failures. For soil and soft formation the benches of height 1.5m to 2m are to provided to prevent collapse of wall.
- 11. Maximum depth of removal of laterite building stone should be limited to 1 m above the clay layer (Lithomargic Clay layer). The level should be prominently marked before initiating the work.
- 12. Removal of laterite building stone should be restricted to 2m above the ground water table at the site. The decision taken by the expert team of SEAC in this regard, in relation to details provided in the Mining Plan, after the field inspection shall be final.
- 13. The topsoil and overburden shall be stacked in separate demarcated area and shall be used for reclaiming the excavated pit. Proper measures shall be provided to prevent the erosion of the stacked material.
- 14. The burrowed/excavated pit shall be restored by the Project Proponent for useful purpose(s) as specified in the Mining Plan.
- 15. Measures shall be taken to prevent dust pollution by covering of burrowed/excavated laterite building stone during transportation.
- 16. Applicable labour laws for mining shall be followed. Proper masks and onsite facilities shall be provided to the workers. All safety measures shall be followed while cutting laterite using machines.
- 17. Mine has to be closed as per progressive mine closure plan and final mine closure plan.
- 18. If EC period is more than 6 months, Half Yearly Compliance Report shall be submitted to SEIAA. Half Yearly Compliance Report is to be uploaded in the Parivesh Portal as per the existing norms.
- 19. The Environmental Clearance shall be liable to be cancelled in case of violation of any of the above conditions.
- 20. The minimum distance norm from the boundary/periphery of other properties buildings/civil structures as prescribed in KMMC Rules and other statutory rules and orders shall be followed.
- 21. Suitable indigenous plants should be planted around the mining area and sides of the haul road as green belt.
- 5. Violation of any of the Specific & General Conditions as applicable to this particular case will entail cancellation of the Environmental Clearance, in addition to legal action under the provisions of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986. Non-compliance, if any shall be reported to the District Collector, Kannur by the State Environment Impact Assessment Authority.

- 6. Compliance of the conditions here in will be monitored by the SEIAA or its agencies and also by the Regional Office, MoEF & CC. Necessary assistance for entry and inspection by the concerned officials and staff should be provided by the Project Proponents.
- 7. The given address for correspondence with the authorised signatory of the project is Sri.M.V.Kunjiraman, President, M/s Kannur Building Materials Co-Operative Society, Ltd.No.C 1741, Pappinissery P.O, Kannur-670561.

Sd/-Administrator, SEIAA For, Member Secretary, SEIAA

To,

Sri.M.V.Kunjiraman President M/s Kannur Building Matrials Co-Operative Society Ltd.No.C 1741, Pappinissery P.O, Kannur-670561

Copy to:

- 1. The District Collector, Kannur
- 2. The Director, Directorate of Environment & Climate Change, Trivandrum
- 3. The Tahsildhar, Payyannur Taluk, Kannur
- 4. The Director, Mining & Geology, Trivandrum
- 5. The District Geologist, Kannur
- 6. The Village Officer, Perinthatta Village, Payyannur Taluk, Kannur District.
- 7. The Secretary, Vayakkara Grama Panchayath, Payyannur Taluk, Kannur District.
- 8. The Chairman, SEIAA
- 9. Stock File
- 10. Website
- 11. O/C