



**File No: 51/2024**  
**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change**  
**(Issued by the State Environment Impact Assessment Authority(SEIAA),**  
**KERALA)**

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Dated 15/03/2025



To,

Sri. Kuniyil Mohamed

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M/s Blue Stone Crusher, Neduvakkad P O, Oorakam, Melmuri, Oorakam, Malappuram, Kerala - 676519  
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**Sub:** Rejection of EC to the proposed Project under the EIA Notification 2006-and as amended thereof -regarding.

**Sir,**

This is in reference to your application submitted to the SEIAA, Kerala vide proposal number SIA/KL/MIN/453464/2023 dated 15/03/2025 for the reappraisal of Environmental Clearance issued from DEIAA, Malappuram for the Granite Building Stone Quarry Project under the provision of the EIA Notification 2006-and as amended thereof.

The particulars of the proposal are as below :

(i) EC Identification No.	EC23C0108KL5424076N
(ii) File No.	51/2024
(iii) Clearance Type	Fresh EC
(iv) Category	B2
(v) Project/Activity Included Schedule No.	1(a) Mining of minerals
(vi) Name of Project	Granite Building Stone Quarry Project M/s Blue Stone Crusher
(vii) Name of Company/Organization	M/s Blue Stone Crusher
(viii) Location of Project (District, State)	Malappuram, Kerala
(ix) Issuing Authority	SEIAA, Kerala
(xi) Applicability of General Conditions	yes

3. In view of the particulars given in the Para above, the project proposal interalia including Form-1, Part A, Part B, EMP, PFR, etc. were submitted to the Ministry for an appraisal by the State Environmental Impact Assessment Authority, Kerala under the provision of EIA notification 2006 and its subsequent amendments.

4. The above-mentioned proposal has been considered by the State Expert Appraisal Committee (SEAC) in its 180<sup>th</sup> meeting held during 25<sup>th</sup> February 2025, and the State Environment Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA) in its 156<sup>th</sup>

meeting held on 01<sup>st</sup> March 2025. The minutes of the meeting and all the application and documents submitted [(viz. Form-1, Part A, Part B, Approved Mining Plan, EMP, PFR, etc.)] are available on PARIVESH portal which can be accessed by scanning the QR Code above.

5. The SEAC in its 180<sup>th</sup> meeting, examined the reappraisal application and discussed the evaluation report as per the decision of 171<sup>st</sup> SEAC meeting. After discussing the evaluation report by considering the EIA report prepared as part of the Proposal No. SIA/KL/460888/2024 the Committee observed that that EIA report has not addressed the impacts and activities of the proposed Project. The EIA report of the adjacent quarry does not address any of these concerns. In addition to this, the designated person of the M/s Blue Stone Crusher has not signed the MoU for blasting patterns and timing within the cluster. The Environment Management Cell proposed as per the EIA report for monitoring doesn't oversee any of the cumulative impacts and does not have a representative from M/s Blue Stone Crusher. Besides, the Environment Management Plan included in the EIA report does not address any of the activities of M/s Blue Stone Crusher. As per the field inspection report conducted on 24.08.2022, the quarry area falls in the medium hazard zone and higher turbulences in water flow is anticipated, especially during monsoon seasons, due to the steepness and terrain characteristics of the site. Further, Project Proponent has not submitted all the documents as per OM dated 28.04.2023 required for reappraisal DEIAA issued ECs. Hence, the Committee observed that it is necessary to conduct EIA study and public consultation as per the EIA Notification 2006 for which the project proponent has to apply for ToR. Therefore, the SEAC recommended rejection of the proposal.

6. The Authority in its 156<sup>th</sup> meeting, accepted SEAC's recommendation, and decided to reject the present application. The project proponent is free to apply for ToR for conducting EIA study.

7. In the above circumstances, the application for re-appraisal of Environmental Clearance issued by DEIAA, Malappuram for the Granite Building Stone Quarry Project, of Sri. K. Mohammed., Managing Partner, M/s Blue Stone Crusher, Neduvakkad P.O, Ooragam, Memuri, Malappuram, for an area of 4.9649 Ha, at Sy Nos. 300/1 (pt), 300/2 (pt), 300/3 (pt) in Ooragam Village, Thirurangadi Taluk, Malappuram District is hereby **REJECTED**, for the reasons mentioned above.

8. This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

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The Member Secretary, Kerala State Pollution Control Board, Thiruvananthapuram

The Director, Mining & Geology, Thiruvananthapuram

The District Collector, Malappuram

The District Geologist, Malappuram

The Environmental Engineer, KSPCB, Malappuram

The Tahsildhar, Thirurangadi Taluk, Malappuram

The Secretary, Ooragam Grama Panchayath, Malappuram

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#### **Additional EC Conditions**

N/A

**Annexure 1**

#### **Send Approval Copy To (In case of multiple use comma as separator)**

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