| ENVIRONMENTAL<br>CLEARANCE |          |   | For To,   To, The Managing director   SUSHIL AARON The Baliapatam tile works limited pappinisseri-670561  |  |  |
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| PARIVESH                   | (D)      | and Virtuous Environmental Single-Window Hub) | Subject: Grant of Environmental Clearance (EC) to the proposed Projeunder the provision of EIA Notification 2006-regarding   Sir/Madam, This is in reference to your application for Environmental Clearance of project submitted to the SEIAA vide propositive of project of project are as below.   1. EC Identification No. EC23B001KL190245   2. File No. 1850/EC4/2020/SEIAA   3. Project Type New   4. Category B2   5. Project/Activity including Schedule No. Menachoor ordinary clay mi   6. Name of Project Menachoor ordinary clay mi   7. Name of Company/Organization SUSHIL AARON   8. Location of Project Kerala   9. TOR Date N/A   The project details along with terms and conditions are appended here no 2 onwards.   (e-signed) Dr. Venu V IA: Member Secreta SEIAA - (Keral | ect Activity<br>Clearance (EC)<br>osal number<br>environmental<br>ning project<br>with from page |  |
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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 Mining Ordinary Clay Project of Sri. Sushil Aaron, Managing Director, M/s Baliapatam Tile Works Ltd, Pappinisseri P.O, Kannur– Granted - Orders issued.

#### STATE LEVEL ENVIRONMENT IMPACT ASSESSMENT AUTHORITY, KERALA

Proposal No. SIA/KL/MIN/178887/2020

File No. 1850/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 from Sri.Sushil Aaron received on 14.10.2020.

3. Minutes of the 133<sup>rd</sup> meeting of SEAC held on 11<sup>th</sup> -13<sup>th</sup> October 2022.

4. Minutes of the 120<sup>th</sup> meeting of SEIAA held on 25<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> November 2022.

5. Minutes of the 123<sup>rd</sup> meeting of SEIAA held on 27<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> January 2023.

6. G.O (Rt.)No.29/2019/Envt dated 12.04.2019.

### **ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE NO.52/2023**

Sri.Sushil Aaron, Managing Director, M/s Baliapatam Tile Works Ltd, Pappinisseri P.O, Kannur-670561 submitted an application for Environmental Clearance for mining of the Ordinary Clay for an area of 0.1665 Ha at Re.Sy. Block No.79, Re.Sy.Nos.7/6, 7/7, 7/8 and 7/9 Pariyaram Village, Taliparamba Taluk, Kannur, Kerala.

# The Project details are as follows:-

| SI.No. | Particulars  | Details   |
|--------|--|---|
| 1      | Name of the project  | Ordinary Clay Project of Sri.Sushil Aaron.  |
| 2.     | Name of the Sector &<br>Schedule No.(in the EIA<br>Notification, 2006) | Mining of Ordinary Clay<br>B2 Category & Schedule 1(a)  |
| 3      | Name & Address of the Project<br>Proponent                             | Sri. Sushil Aaron, Managing Director, M/s<br>Baliapatam Tile Works Ltd, Pappinisseri P.O,<br>Kannur-670561. |
|        | Project Location   |   |
|        | a) Re. Survey Block No.:   | 79  |
| 4      | b) Re.Sy.Nos.  | 7/6, 7/7, 7/8 & 7/9   |
|        | c) Revenue Village &<br>Panchayth                                      | Pariyaram   |
|        | d) Geo Co-ordinates  | Latitude 12°5'16.52"N -12°5'17.89"N<br>Longitude 75°19'59.28"E - 75°19'59.84"E                              |
|        | e) Taluk   | Thaliparamba  |
|        | f) District  | Kannur  |
| 5      | Project Area   | 0.1665 Ha   |
| 6      | Mineable Resource  | As per approved Mining Plan.  |
| 7      | Cost of the Project  | Rs.39 lakh  |

- 2. In the 133rd meeting of SEAC, the Committee examined the proposal, presentation and based on discussions, the Committee decided to appraise the proposal as per OM dated 24.6.2013, pertaining to extraction of brick earth or ordinary earth up to an area less than 5 Ha. Accordingly, the Committee decided to recommend EC for a project period of 1 year from the date of permit from the Mining and Geology Department subject to the certain Specific Conditions.
- 3. In the 123<sup>rd</sup> meeting of SEIAA, considering the NOC from Village Officer Pariyaram dated 30.12.2022, the Authority decided to issue Environmental Clearance for the project life of 1 (one) year, for the quantity mentioned in the approved Mining Plan, subject to the following Specific Conditions in addition to the General Conditions.
  - 1. The Project Proponent shall carry out quarrying as per the approved Mining Plan and the Project 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 activity associated with borrowing/excavation should not involve blasting.
  - 4. The borrowing/excavation activity should be restricted to a maximum depth of 2m below general ground level at the site.
  - 5. The borrowing/excavation activity should be restricted to 2m above the ground water table at the site.
  - 6. The borrowing/excavation activity should not alter the natural drainage pattern of the area.
  - 7. The borrowed/excavated pit should be restored by the project proponent for useful purposes.
  - 8. Appropriate fencing all around the borrowed/excavated pit should be made to prevent any mishap.
  - 9. Measures should be taken to prevent dust emission by covering of borrowed/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 borrowing/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 excavation area.
- 14. Numbered Boundary Pillars marked with geo-coordinates should be fixed to define the exact boundary.
- 15. 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.
- 16. 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.
- 17. The drainage system should be cleaned and desilted periodically to facilitate unhindered drainage.
- 18. Measures incorporated in the CER should be implemented as per norms.
- 19. Transportation of mined material should not be done during the peak hours in the forenoon (8.00am to 10.00am) and afternoon (3.30pm to 5 pm).
- 20. As per the directions contained in the OM F.No.22-34/2018-IA.III dated 16<sup>th</sup> 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, Environmental Clearance is accorded under Notification S.O. No.1533 (E) dated 14.09.2006 read with O.M. as per 1<sup>st</sup> paper above of the Ministry of Environment & Forest, Government of India, to Sri.Sushil Aaron, Managing Director, M/s Baliapatam Tile Works Ltd, Pappinisseri P.O, Kannur-670561 from an area of 0.1665Ha in Re-Sy Block No.79, Re.Sy.Nos.7/6, 7/7, 7/8 & 7/9 in Pariyaram Village, Thaliparamba Taluk, Kannur, Kerala for the period of 1 (One) year for the quantity mentioned in the approved Mining Plan, from the date of execution of permit/lease from Mining and Geology Department, as per S.O.1807(E) dated 12.04.2022 of MoEF & CC, subject to the Specific Conditions in Para 3<sup>rd</sup> 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 provide 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 with 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.
- The Half Yearly Compliance Report (HYCRs) with its contents covering letter, compliance report and environmental monitoring data have to be uploaded in the PARIVESH portal as per the OM F No.IA3-22/1/2022-IA-III)E) – 17264 dated 14.06.2022.Hardcopy of HYCR shall not be acceptable.
- The given address for correspondence with the authorised signatory of the project is Sri.Sushil Aaron, Managing Director, M/s Baliapatam Tile Works Ltd, Pappinisseri P.O, Kannur-670561.

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

Sri. Sushil Aaron Managing Director M/s Baliapatam Tile Works Ltd Pappinisseri P.O, Kannur-670561.

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- 3. The Tahsildhar, Taliparamba Taluk, Kannur
- 4. The Director, Mining & Geology, Trivandrum
- 5. The District Geologist, Kannur
- 6. The Village Officer, Pariyaram Village, Talipramba Taluk, Kannur District.
- 7. The Secretary, Pariyaram Grama Panchayath, TaliparambaTaluk, Kannur District.
- 8. The Chairman, SEIAA
- 9. Stock File
- 10. Website
- 11. O/C