

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE PUBLIC HEARING HELD ON 25.11.2022 AT BANA GACHHA THAKUR PADIA WITH RESPECT TO ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT FOR OLAGADA TARTOL MAHANADI SAND QUARRY OVER AN AREA OF 8.09 HA. BEARING KHATA NO. 377 & 336, PLOT NO. 1270 & 1123 IN VILLAGE OLAGADA AND TARTOL UNDER TIRTOLTAHASIL OF JAGATSINGHPUR DISTRICT FOR ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE.**

The public hearing in respect of the project proposed by Sri Sagar Kumar Ray for Mahanadi River Sand Quarry over an area of 5.26 Ha. Under Tirtol Tahasil of Jagatsinghpur district was held on scheduled date & time with reference to:

I. EIA Notification S.O 1533 (E) Dtd. 14.09.2006 and Amendments thereafter.

**The Panel consisted of the following members:**

1. Smt. Chinmayee Biswal, Addl. District Magistrate, Jagatsinghpur
2. Shri Puskar Chandra Behera, Regional Officer, State Pollution Control Board, Paradeep, Odisha

Smt. Chinmayee Biswal, Addl. District Magistrate, Jagatsinghpur, supervised & presided over the public hearing process which was assisted by Shri Puskar Chandra Behera, Regional Officer, State Pollution Control Board, Paradeep, the representative of State Pollution Control Board, Odisha, Bhubaneswar.

At the outset, welcoming the members participated in the meeting, the Regional Officer, State Pollution Control Board, Paradeep, gave a brief introduction about the guidelines to be followed for the public hearing in the light of EIA Notification, 2006 and interim operational guidelines till date, in respect of the project proposed by Sri Sagar Kumar Ray.

Shri Behera explained that the views, comments, objections and opinions of the public are necessary while considering the environmental clearance of the project. He asked the project proponent to make a brief presentation before the public, gathered in the meeting about the various aspects of the proposed project to be undertaken for better awareness of the public. On behalf of the Project Proponent, Shri Goutam Sahoo of M/s Green Circle, INC, Vadodra (Consultant) addressed the committee members and assembled public, and made a brief presentation about the salient features of the proposed project, environmental management, pollution control measures, waste management and various other CSR activities envisaged in the proposed project.

Then Shri Puskar Chandra Behera, Regional Officer, State Pollution Control Board, Paradeep requested the public to give their views, comments, objections and opinions on the proposed project.

**The views expressed by various speakers on the proposed project are as follows:**

1. **Sri Prasanna Kumar Pani, Olagada:**

While supporting the proposed sand quarry he showed his concern towards prevention of agricultural land from submerging in river due to sand mining activity. He also showed his concern towards prevention of road accident due to plying of transporting vehicles by regulating & restricting their speed and air pollution related diseases from air borne dust. At the end he told that it is the responsibility of administration to take care of citizens.

2. **Sri Surendra Kumar Jena, Tartol:**

Narrating importance and need of sand in construction sector and infrastructure development he said that if sand mining is not carried out the river gets silted resulting in flood during monsoon. Supporting the project he requested lessee to take care of transportation roads by preventing it from damage, carry out water sprinkling to prevent dust to be air borne and protect the nearby agricultural land.

3. **Sri Umesh Kumar Behera, Sarpanch Kolara G.P:**

Supporting the proposed sand quarry project he said that many Govt. projects in the locality are pending due to unavailability of sand. He requested lessee to ensure covering of sand loaded vehicles with tarpaulin, to prevent sand spillage on roads and road accident during transportation of sand. At the end he requested to carry out water sprinkling on transportation road to prevent air pollution in the locality.

4. **Shri Umakanta Mallick, Olagada:**

He just wanted to know at what price sand will be available for Govt. projects.

The Panel received two (02) nos. of written representations of the local people demanding different facilities in the locality during the hearing which are enclosed herewith in original.


**Observation:**


The overall opinion of the public about the proposed project was favorable. However, the local people have some aspirations as laid down in their deliberations.

Shri Puskar Chandra Behera, Regional Officer, State Pollution Control Board, Paradeep & representative of State Pollution Control Board, Odisha prepared the summary of the public hearing proceedings accurately reflecting the views and concerns expressed by the speakers with the inclusion of comments of the applicants, read over to the audience at the end of the proceedings explaining the contents in Odia language and the agreed minutes of public hearing meeting is prepared. The statement of issues and concerns of public with the comments of applicants, prepared in Odia and English language is annexed as per Annexure- I & II. List of participants is annexed as per Annexure- III.

The President of Public Hearing, Smt. Chinmayee Biswal, Addl. District Magistrate, Jagatsinghpur ratified the minutes of meetings with the views and demands of public. She extended her vote of thanks to the public for rendering their co-operation for smooth operation of the public hearing.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the chair and the participants.

  
(Smt. Chinmayee Biswal)  
Addl. District Magistrate  
Jagatsinghpur

  
(Sri Puskar Chandra Behera)  
Regional Officer  
State Pollution Control Board  
Paradeep

ଜଗତସିଂହପୁର ଜିଲ୍ଲାର ତିର୍ତ୍ତୋଲ ତହସିଲ୍ ଅନ୍ତର୍ଗତ ଓଳଗଦା ଏବଂ ତାର୍ତ୍ତୋଲ ଗ୍ରାମରେ ମହାନଦୀ ବାଲୁକା ଶଯ୍ୟାର ୮.୦୯ ହେକ୍ଟର ପରିମିତ ଅଞ୍ଚଳରେ ଖାତା ନଂ ୩୭୭ ଓ ୩୩୭ ଏବଂ ପ୍ଲଟ ନଂ ୧୨୭୦ ଓ ୧୧୨୩ ସ୍ଥିତ ଓଳଗଦା ତାର୍ତ୍ତୋଲ ମହାନଦୀ ବାଲିଘାଟ ନିମନ୍ତେ ରାଜ୍ୟ ପରିବେଶ ପ୍ରଭାବ ମୂଲ୍ୟାଙ୍କନ କର୍ତ୍ତୃପକ୍ଷ, ଓଡିଶା ଦ୍ୱାରା ପରିବେଶାୟ ମଞ୍ଜୁରୀ ନିମନ୍ତେ ତା.୨୫.୧୧.୨୦୧୭ରେ ବିବା ୧୦.୩୦ ଘଟିକା ସମୟରେ ଜଗତସିଂହପୁର ଜିଲ୍ଲାର ତିର୍ତ୍ତୋଲ ତହସିଲ୍ ଅନ୍ତର୍ଗତ ତାର୍ତ୍ତୋଲ ଗ୍ରାମସ୍ଥିତ ବନଗଛ ଠାକୁର ପତିଆରେ ଅନୁଷ୍ଠିତ ସର୍ବସାଧାରଣ ଶୁଣାଣିରେ ଜନସାଧାରଣଙ୍କ ଦ୍ୱାରା ଉନ୍ମାପିତ ପ୍ରସଙ୍ଗ ଓ ପ୍ରକଳ୍ପ କର୍ତ୍ତୃପକ୍ଷଙ୍କ ପ୍ରତିଶ୍ରୁତି ।

ଜନସାଧାରଣଙ୍କ ଦ୍ୱାରା ଉନ୍ମାପିତ ପ୍ରସଙ୍ଗ	ପ୍ରକଳ୍ପ କର୍ତ୍ତୃପକ୍ଷଙ୍କ ପ୍ରତିଶ୍ରୁତି
<p>ଜନଶୁଣାଣିରେ ଜନସାଧାରଣଙ୍କ ଦ୍ୱାରା ଉନ୍ମାପିତ ପ୍ରସଙ୍ଗ ମାନ ନିମ୍ନରେ ପ୍ରଦାନ କରାଗଲା</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ ବାୟୁ ପ୍ରଦୂଷଣ ନିୟନ୍ତ୍ରଣ ପାଇଁ ବାଲି ପରିବହନ ଯାନକୁ ଘୋଡାଯିବା</li> <li>➤ ବାଲି ଉଛୁଳି ପଡି ରାସ୍ତାରେ ପଡିବା କୁ ରୋକିବା</li> <li>➤ ସୁଲଭ ମୂଲ୍ୟରେ ବାଲି ପ୍ରାପ୍ତ ହେବା</li> </ul>	<p>ଜନଶୁଣାଣି ଶିବିରରେ ପ୍ରକଳ୍ପ କର୍ତ୍ତୃପକ୍ଷଙ୍କ ତରଫରୁ ଶ୍ରୀ ଗୌତମ ସାହୁ ଉପସ୍ଥିତ ରହି ବକ୍ତା ମାନଙ୍କ ଦ୍ୱାରା ଉଠାଯାଇଥିବା ପ୍ରସଙ୍ଗ ଉପରେ ନିମ୍ନ ଲିଖିତ ପ୍ରତିଶ୍ରୁତି ପ୍ରଦାନ କରିଥିଲେ ।</p> <p>ଶ୍ରୀ ଗୌତମ ସାହୁ ପ୍ରତିଶ୍ରୁତି ଦେଇ କହିଥିଲେ ଯେ ବାଲି ପରିବହନ କରାଯିବା ଯାନକୁ ସମ୍ପୂର୍ଣ୍ଣ ରୂପେ ତାରପୋଲିନ ଦ୍ୱାରା ଘୋଡାଯିବ ଓ ପରିବହନ ରାସ୍ତାରେ ଜଳ ସିଞ୍ଚନ କରାଯିବ</p> <p>ଶ୍ରୀ ଗୌତମ ସାହୁ ପ୍ରତିଶ୍ରୁତି ଦେଇ କହିଥିଲେ ଯେ ବାଲି ବୋଝାଇ ଯାନରୁ ବାଲି ଉଛୁଳି ରାସ୍ତାରେ ପଡିବା କୁ ବାରଣ କରାଯିବ । ବାଲି ବୋଝାଇ ଯାନର ଗତି ଘଣ୍ଟା ପ୍ରତି ୧୫-୨୦ କି.ମି ପର୍ଯ୍ୟନ୍ତ ସୀମିତ ରଖାଯିବ ।</p> <p>ଶ୍ରୀଯୁକ୍ତ ସାହୁ ପ୍ରତିଶ୍ରୁତି ଦେଇ କହିଥିଲେ ଯେ ସ୍ଥାନୀୟ ବାସିନ୍ଦାଙ୍କ ପାଇଁ ବାଲି ସୁଲଭ ମୂଲ୍ୟରେ ମିଳିବ ।</p>


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**ANNEXURE-II**

**STATEMENT OF ISSUES AND DEMANDS RAISED BY THE PUBLIC AND COMMITMENT OF THE PROJECT PROPONENT, DURING THE PUBLIC HEARING HELD ON 25.11.2022 AT BANA GACHHA THAKUR PADIA AT TARTOL VILLAGE WITH RESPECT TO ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT FOR OLAGADA TARTOL MAHANADI SAND QUARRY OVER AN AREA OF 8.09 HA. BEARING KHATA NO. 377 & 336 PLOT NO. 1270 & 1123 IN VILLAGE OLAGADA AND TARTOL UNDER TIRTOLTEHSIL OF JAGATSINGHPUR DISTRICT FOR ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE.**

<b>Issues raised by Public</b>	<b>Commitment of the Project Proponent</b>
<p>The issues raised at the public hearing meeting are the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>➤ Covering of sand loaded vehicle for control of air pollution</li><li>➤ Prevention of spillage of sand</li><li>➤ Availability of sand at concessional price</li></ul>	<p>On behalf of Project proponent, Sri Goutam Sahoo of Green Circle, INC, Vadodra (Consultant) in his reply to the issues raised during the public hearing stated as below:</p> <p>Sri Sahoo said that the sand transporting vehicles will be fully covered with tarpaulin and regular water sprinkling will be done on transportation roads.</p> <p>Sri Sahoo committed that care shall be taken to prevent spillage of sand in transportation road. Speed of the transporting vehicles will be restricted to 15-20 KMPH</p> <p>Sri Sahoo said that sand will be available to local people at concessional price.</p>

  
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# STATE POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD, ODISHA

(Department of Forest, Environment & Climate Change, Govt. of Odisha)  
Paribesh Bhawan, A/118, Nilakanthanagar, Unit-VIII, Bhubaneswar-751012



No. 19095/IND-II-PH-1106

Date: 15.10.2022

## NOTICE

It is brought to the notice of all concerned that the Sri Sagar Kumar Ray has proposed to have Environmental Assessment for Olagada Tartol Mahanadi Sand Quarry over an area of 8.09 ha. bearing Khata No. 377 & 336, Plot No. 1270 & 1123 in village Olagada and Tartol under Tirtol (tehsil of Jagatsinghpur district) to obtain Environmental Clearance from State Environment Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA), Odisha. The proponent has applied to the State Pollution Control Board, Odisha, Bhubaneswar for a Public Hearing.

By virtue of Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Government of India Notification No. SO-1533 (E) Dtd. 14.09.2006, the Board has been authorized to conduct environmental public hearing and as such invites suggestions, views, comments and objections on matters relating to environmental aspects of the proposed project from all the persons including bonafide residents, environmental groups and others located at the proposed site / sites of displacement / sites likely to be affected.

For the above purpose, a person will only mean:

- A. Any person who is likely to be affected by the grant of Environmental Clearance;
- B. Any person who owns his control over the project with respect to which an application has been submitted for environmental clearance;
- C. Any association of persons whether incorporated or likely to be affected by the project and / or functioning in the field of environment;
- D. Any local authority within any part of whose limit is within the neighborhood, wherein the project is proposed to be located;

Persons as above who desire to submit their views, comments, objections, etc. relevant to the project may do so in writing within 30 days from the date of publication of this notice addressing the same to the Member Secretary, State Pollution Control Board, Odisha through Registered Post. Besides this, persons interested to submit their views relevant to the proposed mining project in writing or orally may also do so during the public hearing to be conducted on 25.11.2022 at 10.30 A.M at Bana Gachha Thakur Padia, at Tartol village under Tirtol tehsil of Jagatsinghpur District.

Persons desirous of participating in the public hearing may go through the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) / Environmental Management Plan (EMP) of the said project which will be available at the following offices. Copy of the Executive Summary both in English & Odia also available in the following offices & the same can also be downloaded from the website [www.ospcboard.org](http://www.ospcboard.org) free of cost.

1. District Collector's Office, Jagatsinghpur.
2. District Industries Center, Jagatsinghpur.
3. In the office of the Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Parishad, Jagatsinghpur.
4. In the Head office of the State Pollution Control Board, Odisha, Paribesh Bhawan, A/118, Nilakanthanagar, Unit-VIII, Bhubaneswar -12.
5. Regional Office, State Pollution Control Board, Odisha, Paradeep.
6. Department of Forest & Environment, Govt. of Odisha, Bhubaneswar.

For any further clarification in the matter, the Regional Officer, State Pollution Control Board, Paradeep or the Member Secretary, State Pollution Control Board, Odisha at Bhubaneswar may be contacted.

Sd/-  
MEMBER SECRETARY

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