

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE PUBLIC HEARING MEETING IN RESPECT OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT FOR PATPALI STONE QUARRY OF THE TAHASILDAR, MANESWAR OVER AN AREA OF 5.06 HA. BEARING KHATA NO.35, PLOT NO.83 IN VILLAGE PATPALI HELD ON 29.11.2022 AT: 11.00 A.M. AT: RMC MARKET YARD, DHAMA, MOUZA: DHAMA, R.I.-DHAMA, G.P.: DEOGAON UNDER MANESWAR TAHASIL IN SAMBALPUR DISTRICT.**

Sri Pravash Chandra Dandsana, OAS, Sub-Collector, Sadar, Sambalpur, presided over the meeting along with Er. Ramesh Kumar Ekka, Regional Officer, State Pollution Control Board, Sambalpur, Odisha.

At the outset, Regional Officer, State Pollution Control Board, Sambalpur welcomed all the public present in the meeting. He briefly described the objective of the public hearing conducted as per the provisions of EIA Notification No. S.O. 1533(E) of Dt.14<sup>th</sup> September 2006 of the Ministry of Environment and Forests & Climate Change (MOEF & CC), Government of India. He also informed that the date, time and venue for conducting the public hearing meeting for Patpali Stone Quarry of the Tahasildar, Maneswar over an area of 5.06 ha. bearing Khata No.35, Plot No.83 in village Patpali held on 29.11.2022 At: 11.00 A.M. At: RMC Market Yard, Dhama, Mouza: Dhama, R.I.-Dhama,G.P.: Deogaon under Maneswar Tahasil duly advertised in Odia daily "*The Sambad*" dtd.29.10.2022 and English daily "*The New Indian Express*" dtd.29.10.2022.(Paper clipping are enclosed as **Annexure-I**).

The Sub-Collector has also briefed about the proposed project and requested the public who were present during the public hearing meeting to express their opinions and views on the proposed project. He also requested the representative of the proposed project to highlight about their proposed project before the public.

On behalf of the Patpali Stone Quarry, Sri Raj Kishore Agarwal, project proponent has addressed the public during the public hearing meeting. He briefly explained about the proposed project and various air, water and pollution mitigation measures proposed in the project. He also stated that, during study various factors have been considered such as ambient air quality, noise level, water quality, soil quality and Ecology Biodiversity etc. He stated that the proposed mining activities loading and movement of other transport vehicles used in mining will generate dust. Proper water sprinkling shall be carried out at mine site. He stated that based on the EIA study it is observed that there will be an increase in the dust pollution, which will be controlled by sprinkling of water and plantation. There will be an insignificant impact on ambient environment and ecology due to the mining activities, moreover, the mining operation led to direct and indirect employment generation in the area. Green belt development around the area will be also taken up an effective pollution mitigation technique, as well as to control the pollutants released from the premises of the Mine. Monitoring program will be followed till mining operation continue. Finally, he has summarized that the development of the mine will have a positive impact on the socioeconomic environment of the area and lead to sustainable development of the region.

The Regional Officer invited the public to offer their views on environmental related issues of the proposed project.

About 40-50 participants have attended the public hearing meeting and out of them 20 participants have put their signature in the attendance sheet whose list is annexed as **Annexure-II**. 23 persons have registered their name to deliver their views during public hearing and list is annexed as **Annexure-III**.

Statements of the public participated in the deliberation during public hearing meeting is as follow;

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Name of the Participants and their deliberation on the proposed project.</b>
1.	<b><u>Sri Tilak Dalmia, Dhama:</u></b> He supported the proposed project.
2.	<b><u>Sri Rohan Bhumej, Dhama:</u></b> He supported the proposed project.
3.	<b><u>Sri Surendra Lakra, Dhama:</u></b> He supported the proposed project.
4.	<b><u>Sri Charan Dehuri, Dhama:</u></b> He supported the proposed project.
5.	<b><u>Sri Pradip Oram, Ganpura:</u></b> He welcomed and supported the proposed project.
6.	<b><u>Sri Kartik Khura, Dhankauda:</u></b> He supported the proposed project.
7.	<b><u>Sri Pramod Bag, Daspur:</u></b> He welcomed and supported the proposed project. Also, he expressed his no objection for the project to be established.
8.	<b><u>Sri Gobind Ch. Pattanaik, Dhama:</u></b> He expressed his dissatisfaction for conducting public hearing meeting at the site without prior intimation to the local people. He said that a college and residential is near to the proposed stone quarry site. He further stated that many wild animals are depending their livelihood from the mountain, which may get disturbances once the stone quarry is operated. He strongly opposed the proposed project.
9.	<b><u>Sri Byasadev Panda, Dhama:</u></b> He informed that the proposed project area is a sensitive to flora and fauna and the proposed project site near to the College in which around 1100 students are studying. He opposed the proposed project.
10.	<b><u>Smt Rangadevi Dasi, Patpali:</u></b> She stated that a religious mutt is situated near to the proposed project area. She informed that there is a shortage in availability of drinking water in the village, hence they are collecting from far away from the

	village. She also concerned for blasting related issues in the proposed stone quarry project which may affect the nearby areas. She opposed the proposed project.
11.	<b><u>Sri Lokesh Ku. Seth, Dhama:</u></b> He stated that the proposed area for the project is a visiting place for many people. He also emphasized upon the location of college which will be affected due to blasting activities in the stone quarry. He opposed the proposed project.
12.	<b><u>Sri Bijay Ku. Nayak, Dhama:</u></b> He said that religious mutt situated near the proposed area will be affected by the blasting activity. He opposed the proposed project.
13.	<b><u>Sri Manoranjan Sethi, Dhama:</u></b> He said that the mountain is 5000-year-old. Earlier cattle used to graze nearby area but due to present blasting activity it has impact. He further stated that the proposed project will again cause blasting activities which will hamper the wildlife. He opposed the proposed project.
14.	<b><u>Sri Taranidhar Sen, Dhama:</u></b> He opposed the proposed project. He stated that water from the mountain is collected in a nearby pond where the fishing activity is carried out. It will be depressingly affected due to the project.
15.	<b><u>Sri Ashok Kolar, Patpali:</u></b> He expressed his dissatisfaction and stated that blasting activities in the quarry have damaged to the people and nearby areas in the past time, therefore he is not support to the proposed project.
16.	<b><u>Sri Rabi Sankar Hota, Patpali:</u></b> He introduced himself as a staff of nearby college where he worked for last 25 years and informed that wildlife animals are dependent upon the proposed area for their livelihood. He further stated that stones from earlier blasting were reached to the college premises and said if the crusher is given the permission for carrying out blasting activity, then college students will protest against the proposed project.
17.	<b><u>Sri Ashish Bag, Patpali:</u></b> He opposed the proposed project.
18.	<b><u>Sri Bikash Surajit, Patpali:</u></b> He strongly opposed the proposed project. He stated the livelihood of the local people will be greatly affected by the proposed project.
19.	<b><u>Sri Sushil Ku. Bag, Dhama:</u></b> He opposed the proposed project.
20.	<b><u>Smt. Santosini Suna, Dhama:</u></b> She introduced herself as a widow and having her two children. She said that her livelihood will be greatly affected by this project. No water will be available in the nearby area if the blasting activity will be carried out.

21.	<b><u>Sri Laxmi Narayan Bisi, Patpali:</u></b> He opposed the proposed project.
22.	<b><u>Smt. Sabita Bibha, Patpali:</u></b> He opposed the proposed project.
23.	<b><u>Master Sunil Suna, Dhama:</u></b> He informed about hard-hitting situation of family after his father's death and stated their livelihood will be affected by the proposed project.

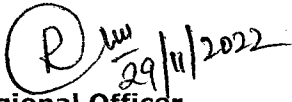
Summary of the points raised by the participants in the public hearing are being read out by Dr. Satya Narayan Nanda, Deputy Environmental Scientist, Regional Office, State Pollution Control Board, Sambalpur and same in English and Odiya (vernacular language) is enclosed as **Annexure-IV (A & B)**.

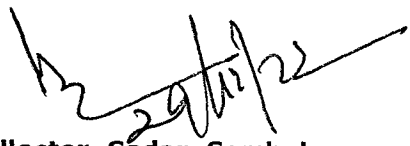
After the completion of the deliberation process the Regional Officer invited the representative of the project proponent to reply the point raised by the participants in the public hearing meeting.

On behalf of the project proponent, Sri Raj Kishore Agarwal, project proponent gave a brief note on the issues related to the demand and grievances raised by the participants which are given in English and Odia (vernacular language) in **Annexure-V (A & B)**. The video recording of the entire proceeding of the public hearing is enclosed as **Compact Disc (CD)**. During the public hearing meeting 01 no. of written statement was received and is enclosed in **Annexure-VI**.

After the above-mentioned deliberation, the Sub-Collector has announced the completion of public hearing meeting and Regional Officer has proposed the vote of thanks to the Chair as well as to the Participants present in the meeting.

The meeting ended with vote of thanks to the Chair.

  
**Regional Officer**  
**State Pollution Control Board, Odisha,**  
**Sambalpur**  
**(Assisted as representative of SPCB,**  
**Odisha)**  
 Regional Officer  
 State Pollution Control Board  
 Regional Office, Sambalpur

  
**Sub-Collector, Sadar, Sambalpur**  
**(Presided and supervised over the Public**  
**Hearing meeting)**  
**Sub-Collector**  
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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. 19883 / IND-U-PH-1093

Date 28.10.2022

## NOTICE

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It is brought to the notice of all concerned that the Tahsildar, Maneswar has proposed to have Environmental Assessment for Patpali Stone Quarry over an area of 5.06 ha. bearing Khata No.35, Plot No.83 in village Patpali under Maneswar tehsil of Sambalpur 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. S.O. 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 local limits 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 29-11-2022 at 11.00 A.M at RMC Market Yard Dhama, Mouza- Dhama, R.I Dhama, G.P Deogaon in Sambalpur 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 is 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, Sambalpur.
- 2. District Industries Center, Sambalpur
- 3. In the office of the Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Parishad, Sambalpur.
- 4. In the Head office of the State Pollution Control Board, Odisha, Parivesh Bhawan, A/118, Nilakanthanagar, Unit - VIII, Bhubaneswar -12.
- 5. Regional Office, State Pollution Control Board, Odisha, Sambalpur.
- 6. Department of Forest & Environment (Environment), Govt of Odisha, Bhubaneswar

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

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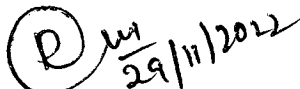
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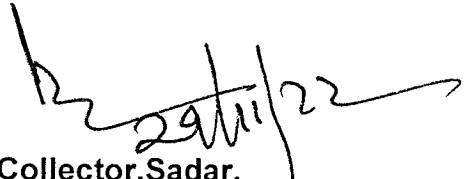


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The public raised the following issues and apprehensions for readdressed by the project proponent.

1. There will be ground water depletion due to operation of the proposed stone quarry.
2. The village road condition will get damage due to quarry operation.
3. The blasting activities in the proposed stone quarry may affect the nearby local habitation and wild animal.
4. The local environment will damage due to operation of the quarry.
5. The nearby wild animal of the area will be affected due to proposed stone quarry.
6. The nearby village and student studying in the college will be affected due to operation of proposed stone quarry.

  
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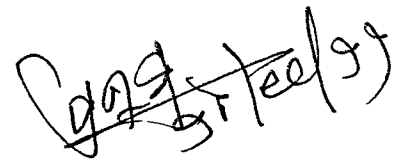
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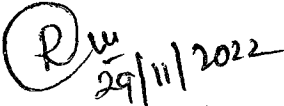
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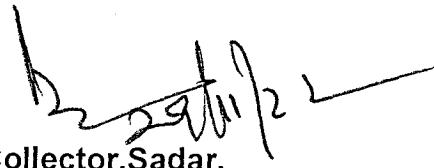
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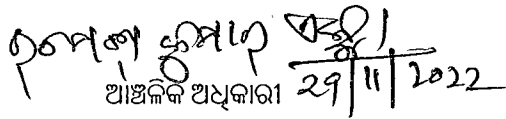
1. The project proponent has informed that depletion of ground water in the village is not related to the proposed stone quarry mines.
2. The prospect proponent has agreed to repair and maintain the village road condition.
3. The project proponent has committed to adopt control blasting in the stone quarry mine.
4. The project proponent has committed to adhere the Rules and Regulation framed by the Central & State Government.

  
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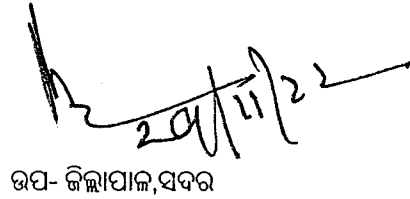
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1. ଗ୍ରାମର ଭୂତଳ ଜଳର ଉପଲବଧତା , ପ୍ରସାବିତ ପଥର ଖଣି ସମ୍ବନ୍ଧିତ ସହିତ ଜଡ଼ିତ ନୁହେଁ ବୋଲି ଖଣି କର୍ତ୍ତୃପକ୍ଷ ମତବ୍ୟକ୍ତ କରିଛନ୍ତି ।
2. ଖଣି କର୍ତ୍ତୃପକ୍ଷ ଗାଁ ରାସ୍ତା ମରାମତି ଏବଂ ରକ୍ଷଣା ବେକ୍ଷଣା ପାଇଁ ପ୍ରତିଶ୍ରୁତି ଦେଇଛନ୍ତି ।
3. ଖଣି କର୍ତ୍ତୃପକ୍ଷ ପଥର ଖଣିରେ ନିୟନ୍ତ୍ରଣ କ୍ଲାଷ୍ଟିଙ୍ଗ ଗ୍ରହଣ କରିବାକୁ ପ୍ରତିଶ୍ରୁତି ଦେଇଛନ୍ତି ।
4. ରାଜ୍ୟ ସରକାର ଏବଂ କେନ୍ଦ୍ର ସରକାରଙ୍କ ନୀତିନିୟମ ମାନି ଖଣି ଖନନ କରିବା ପାଇଁ ଖଣି କର୍ତ୍ତୃପକ୍ଷ ସମ୍ମତି ପ୍ରକାଶ କରିଅଛନ୍ତି ।

  
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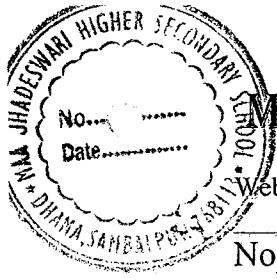
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ସମ୍ବଲପୁର  
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Dt 29/11/2022

To

**The Secretary  
State Pollution Control Board.**

Sub: Filling of objection.

Sir,

We come to know that, a stone crusher unit and stone quarry is being permitted by the district administration in Plot no.83 Khata No. 35 of Mouza Patpali which is in close proximity to the college campus.

As many as 1300 students are pursuing study and 200 nos of students are staying in the boys/ girls hostel in the campus of the institution. There is a chance that, the safety of the building as well as the students may be adversely affected by the project

Hence it is requested that, the administration may take into account the above issues while giving permission to the unit.

Yours faithfully

*[Signature]*  
PRINCIPAL  
Principal

Maa Jhadeswari

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