

PROCEEDINGS OF THE PUBLIC HEARING MEETING OF M/S. BANKEDA SAND QUARRY OVER AN AREA OF 5.220 Ha IN VILLAGE BANKEDA UNDER TARBHA TAHASIL OF SUBARNPUR DISTRICT HELD ON DT. 31.01.2023 AT 10.00 A.M AT-BANKEDA VILLAGE INSUBARNAPUR DISTRICT.

Sri Surya Narayan Dash, OAS (S), Additional District Magistrate (Revenue), Subarnapur presided over the meeting along with Er.(Mrs.) Babita Singh, Regional Officer, State Pollution Control Board, Odisha, Balangir.

At the outset, Er.(Mrs.) Babita Singh, Regional Officer, State Pollution Control Board, Balangir welcomed all the public present in the meeting. She briefly described the objective of the public hearing conducted as per the provisions of EIA Notification No. S.O. 1533(E) of Dt.14th September 2006 of the Ministry of Environment and Forests & Climate Change (MoEF& CC), Government of India. She also informed that the date, time and venue for conducting the public hearing meeting of the project proposed by M/s. Bankeda Sand Quarry, At-BankedaVillage of Subarnapur district on 31.01.2023At:10.00 A.M was duly advertised in Odia daily "***The Premeya***", ***dtd.28.12.2022***and English daily "***The Times of India***" ***dtd.29.12.2022*** (Paper clipping are enclosed as **Annexure-I**) following due procedure. The venue, date and timing of the Public hearing meeting of the said mine was extensively propagated in all affected and nearby villages. The executive summary of the project both in Oriya & English were displayed in public at the meeting venue and also distributed among the persons during the meeting. The executive summary also is available in the website of State pollution Control Board, Bhubaneswar (www.ospcboard.org).

The Addl. District Magistrate 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 M/s. Bankeda Sand Quarry Sri Narayan Chandra Nayak, Odisha Head Green Circle, INC, Vadodara briefly explained about the proposed project as described below:

1. It was informed that the total proposed project area is about 5.220 Ha of land comprising of Khata No. 184, Plot No. 1035, 1036 & 1037. It has been projected that the total production by these quarries will be around 5,000 cum of sand annually and further will be producing about 25,000cum

during 5 years of mining. The geological reserve in the project area is 43,659 M³ of sand. The cost of the proposed project is Rs.10.00 lakh.

2. The total no of operations of working days of the mine is 240 days in a year. Total man power required for operation of mine is 10 nos. in a day. The depth of the mine is maximum 1 meter. Approximately 5 KLD water will require for dust suppression measures in the mine. The Project Proponent proposed to spend Rs 1.45 lakhs for CSR activities in the nearby villages and also spend Rs.75,000 Per Annum towards environment protection in the affected areas The total expenses towards environment protection and CSR activities in the nearby area will borne by the Lease holder.
3. It was informed that the consultant has done prior samplings and analysis of air, water, soil and noise from 01.03.2022 to 31.05.2022 within 10 km radius of the proposed project area and all the values are well within the norms.
4. The mine authority has proposed for regular water sprinkling at least 2/3 times in a day on the main roads in the mining area to prevent air pollution and also proposed to widely plantation in the mining area to reduce the amount of airborne dust. The loaded trucks will covered by Tarpaulin to present air pollution in the mining area.
5. The mining process includes manual opencast mining.
6. The mine authority has proposed to distribute mask and ear plug to workers.
7. The mines authority proposed to monitor Air, Water and noise quality in the mining area at least twice in a year and submit the report to concern authorities

About 60 participants have attended the public hearing meeting and out of them 37 participants have put their signature in the attendance sheet whose list is annexed as **Annexure-II**. 6 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;

Sl. No.	Name of the Participants and their deliberation on the proposed project.
1.	<u>Sri Manmohan Sahu:</u> He welcomed the proposed Sand Quarry and stated that the Lessee to give a reasonable rate on purchase of sand to the local people.
2.	<u>Sri MuraliSahu:</u> He welcomed the proposed Sand Quarry and stated his concerned that there are some private land in the leasehold area and they should be given compensation as per Govt. Rules.
3.	<u>Sri JayadrathaBhoi:</u> He welcomed the proposed Sand Quarry and he also told to give compensation to the private land owner in the leasehold area.
4.	<u>Sri Nandhya Kumar Sa:</u> He welcomed the proposed Sand Quarry. He told to construct separate road to run the loaded vehicle so that pollution will be minimized.
5.	<u>Sri SashilaMahala:</u> He welcomed the proposed Sand Quarry and demands to construct a better road.
6.	<u>SridharaMahala:</u> He welcomed the proposed Sand Quarry and he also told to give compensation to the private land owner in the leasehold area.

Summary of the points raised by the participants in the public hearing are being read out by the Regional Officer and same in English and Odiya (vernacular language) is enclosed as **Annexure-IV (A & B).**

After the completion of the deliberation process the Addl. District Magistrate, invited the representatives of M/s. Bankeda Sand Quarry also give a brief note on the issues related to the demand and grievances of the participants raised in the public hearing meeting.

On behalf of the project proponent, Sri Umesh Mahakur has responded on the issues raised by the participants during public hearing. Same in English and Odiya (vernacular language) are also given in **Annexure- V (A& B).** The video recording of the entire proceeding of the public hearing is enclosed as Pen Drive.

After the above-mentioned deliberation, the Addl. District Magistrate has announced the completion of public hearing over the proposed project and the

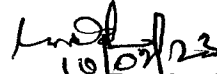
Regional Officer has proposed the vote of thanks to the Chair as well as to the Participants present during the public hearing.

The meeting ended with vote of thanks to the Chair.



Er.(Mrs.) Babita Singh
Regional Officer,
State Pollution Control Board, Odisha,
Balangir
(Assisted as representative of SPCB,
Odisha)

Regional Officer
State Pollution Control Board
Regional Office, Balangir



Sri.Surya Narayan Dash, OAS (S)
Addl. District Magistrate, Subarnapur
(Presided and supervised over the
Public Hearing meeting)
Addl. District Magistrate
SUBARNAPUR

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STATE POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD, ODISHA	
(Department of Forest, Environment & Climate Change, Govt. of Odisha) Parivesh Bhawan, A/118, Nilakanthapur, Unit-VIII, Bhubaneswar-751012	
No. 23947/ND-II-PP-1120	Date: 27.12.2022
NOTICE	
<p>It is brought to the notice of all concerned that The Tarbha Sand Quarry has proposed to have Environmental Assessment for Bankada Sand Quarry over an area of 6.220 Ha. at Bankada village under Tarbha panchal of Subarnapur 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.</p> <p>By virtue of Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Government of India Notification No. S.O. 1533 (E) Dtd. 14.09.2020, the Board has been authorized to conduct environmental public hearing and or other meetings/subsessions. Views, comments and objections on matters relating to environmental aspects of the proposed project from all the persons including boards residents, environmental groups and others located at the proposed site/sites of displacement/sites likely to be affected.</p> <p>For the above purpose, a person will only mean:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Any person who is likely to be affected by the grant of Environmental Clearance. Any person who owns his control over the project with respect to which an application has been submitted for environmental clearance. Any association of persons whether incorporated or likely to be affected by the project and/or functioning in the field of environment. Any local authority, within any part of whose local limits is within the neighborhood, wherein the project is proposed to be located. <p>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 31.01.2023 at 10.00 AM in village Bankada in Subarnapur district.</p> <p>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 at the following offices & the same can also be downloaded from the website www.spcbboard.org free of cost.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> District Collector's Office, Subarnapur. District Industries Center, Subarnapur. In the office of the Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Parishad, Subarnapur. In the Head office of the State Pollution Control Board, Odisha, Parivesh Bhawan, A/118, Nilakanthapur, Unit -VIII, Bhubaneswar -12. Regional Office, State Pollution Control Board, Odisha, Bolangir. Department of Forest & Environment (Environment), Govt. of Odisha, Bhubaneswar. <p>For any further clarification in the matter, the Regional Officer, State Pollution Control Board, Bolangir or the Member Secretary, State Pollution Control Board, Odisha at Bhubaneswar may be contacted.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Sd/- MEMBER SECRETARY OMPR - 08012/1/030222-23</p>	

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