

To

The Divisional Forest Officer,
Joginder Nagar Forest Division.

Subject: - Diversion of 1.7674 ha. of forest land for mining lease for extraction of Sand, Stone and Bajri in Son Khad Part-III at Kalswai, Tehsil Dharampur, Distt. Mandi HP in favour of Sh. Vinod Kumar, S/o Sh. Swami Ram, Village Trambala, P.O. Longni, Tehsil Dharampur, Distt. Mandi HP, within the jurisdiction of Joginder Nagar Forest Division, Distt. Mandi. HP (Online Proposal No. FP/HP/MIN/119019/2021).

Sir,

This is with reference to the subject cited above, in this context this is to inform you that the EDS raised by your good office has been attended as below:-

Sr. No.	Observations	Reply
1	There is mismatch in KML of diversion area uploaded in Part-I and location (GPS coordinates) mentioned in Mining Plan. Therefore, same may be reviewed and correct location of the proposed DA may be uploaded on the PARIVESH portal.	Revised KML file has been uploaded on the PARIVESH Portal against Column No. C(ii)(a) in Part-I
2	In Part-I, M-vii (KML) is marked out of the proposed DA KML file and also intersects the KML of proposed DA of (FP/HP/MIN/129370/2021) proposal. Therefore, State Govt is required to reveal such information (proposed mining proposal in the vicinity) while sending proposals to Regional Office and the 50m strip on the both sides of the stream as per Para-7.5 of Handbook of FC Act and Rule (Guidelines and Clarifications) also needs to be highlighted in the modified KML and submit the correct KML in the designated column of Part-I of PARIVESH portal.	Revised KML file has been uploaded against Column C(ii)(a) in Part-I. It is further submitted that Another Proposal vide online proposal No. (FP/HP/MIN/129370/2021 has been submitted to Gol for diversion of 0.7984 Ha. for mining purpose in favor of M/s Vinod Kumar. The average width of the river at the mining point is 80 Meter hence it is not possible to leave the 50 Meter strip on the both side of stream. Most oftenly the water stream gets on changing its path, hence it is not possible to find the middle of the river bed. However, However, possibility has been explored to minimize the disturbance of river stream/riverine ecology and KML file has been revised and uploaded accordingly.
3	The approach access from the nearest existing road to the proposed mining area and details of the plan for the transportation of the minerals proposed to be prospected from the mining lease area is not mentioned in the proposal. Therefore, same may be	The proposed project is adjacent to the existing road and does not require approach access and NOC of HPPWD has been uploaded against additional information detail at Sr. No. 22.

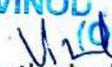
	clarified. If approach road is required the same may be included in the proposal as a separate component.	
4	Layout plan with all components (safety zone, approach access etc) marked with distinct colours needs to be submitted.	Layout Plan of the project has been uploaded on the PARIVESH Portal against additional information detail at Sr. No. 25.
5	Safety zone is not included in the proposal. Therefore, safety zone as per para-7.9 of Handbook of FCA Act and Rules (Guidelines and Clarifications) is required to be included in the proposal and accordingly revise the proposal.	It is submitted that the Son Khad has a wide angle at the mining site, due to this most often the water stream gets on changing its path, hence it is not possible to find the middle of the river bed. However, mid stream mining in accordance with the approved mining plan would lead to systematic channelization of river bed and minimize chances of boulders overflowing the banks. This would also protect the adjoining area from the fury of monsoon flood.
6	An Undertaking to the effect that User Agency shall deposit the amount for afforestation on degraded forest land to be selected elsewhere measuring one and half time the area for forest land under Safety Zone with the State Forest Department besides depositing funds with Forest Department for the protection and regeneration of the Safety Zone area is required to be submitted.	The undertaking has been uploaded at Sr. No. 29 against additional information detail of Part-I.
7	As per Para-7.5 of Handbook of FC Act and Rule (Guidelines and Clarifications), extraction of minor minerals shall be from the middle of the river bed after leaving one fourth of the river bed on each bank untouched. Therefore, one- fourth area on bank may be left and accordingly revised proposal including the revised KML file needs to be submitted.	It is submitted that the geology of the proposed area is as such that one fourth of the river bed on each bank of Son Khad cannot be leaved untouched. However, possibility has been explored to minimize the disturbance of river stream/riverine ecology. has a wide angle at the mining site, most often the water stream gets on changing its path, hence it is not possible to find the middle of the river bed. The mid stream mining in accordance with the approved mining plan would lead to systematic channelization of river bed and minimize chances of boulders overflowing the banks. This would also protect the adjoining area from the fury of monsoon flood.
8	State Govt may submit an undertaking that no mining activity will be carrying out during monsoon season.	Undertaking for the same has been uploaded against additional information detail at Sr. No.28 on the portal.

9	The Land Reclamation Plan including post - mining land use plan needs to be uploaded on the PARIVESH portal.	The mined area being part of the river course cannot be reclaimed for any other purposes the land under active mining would always remain river bed during as well as post mining. The mid stream mining in accordance with the approved mining plan would lead to systematic channelization of river bed and minimize chances of boulders overflowing the banks. This would also protect the adjoining area from the fury of monsoon flood. However, the reclamation detail as per approved mining plan has been uploaded at Sr. No.21 against additional information detail of Part-I.
10	State Government may submit a brief profile of the lessee/company along with detail of its existing mining leases, capacity of production, present level of average annual production, location of mining lease area and the status of reclamation of forest land that area exhausted minerals in tabulated form with supporting documents as per para-7.8(i) of FCA Act and Rule (Guidelines and Clarifications).	It is submitted that the Project Proponent/Lessee i.e. Vinod Kumar has not any mining lease as yet. It is further submitted that there is no existing mining unit in Son Khad and its periphery. The requirement of minerals of local area are being fulfilled by procuring the sand, stone & Bajri from stone crusher. Which does not meet out the requirement of local people hence proposed mining will be beneficial for local people to meet out their requirement of sand, Stone & Bajri and this will decrease the chances of illegal/unscientific mining in the area.
11	"No" is mentioned in Para-H (Status of Environmental Clearance) of Part-I. Therefore, same needs to be reviewed and rectified, if applicable.	Necessary correction at Para-H of Part-I has been done. However, it is submitted that the EC is under process and will be submitted after getting forest clearance as SEIAA has imposed the condition that "The Environment Clearance shall be issued by the SEIAA after submission of FCA clearance, in case applicable in the present case being government land." Copy of EC conditions uploaded at Sr. No. 19 against additional information detail of Part-I.
12	The Letter of Intent is issued in the name of Sh. Vinod Kumar, however, proposal is submitted in the name of M/s Vinod Kumar (Mining). Therefore, clarification is required how the applicant is related with the M/s Vinod Kumar(Mining). A copy of Incorporation Certificate of Lessee/Company needs to be uploaded on the PARVESH	An undertaking along with certificate of lease/ Company for the same has been uploaded on the portal against additional information detail at Sr. No. 26 in Part-I

	portal.	
13	Under column M-5 and M-7 of Part-I, value of estimated reserve in forest land is required to be reviewed and properly filled as per the approved mining plan.	The necessary correction against appropriate columns has been done
14	The Letter of Intent (LOI) is renewed up to 03.06.2023, as on date the LOI has been expired. Therefore, fresh Letter of Intent is required to be uploaded on the PARIVESH portal.	Latest Letter of Intent has been uploaded on the portal against Column No. M-1(c) in Part-I
15	The detail of other similar mining leases in the area including capacity, average annual production and projected future requirements in tabulated form is required to be submitted along with justification of necessity of opening new mining leases in the area.	It is submitted that there is no existing mining unit in Son Khad and its periphery. The requirement of minerals of local area are being fulfilled by procuring the sand, stone & Bajri from stone crusher. Which does not meet out the requirement of local people hence proposed mining will be beneficial for local people to meet out their requirement of sand, Stone & Bajri and this will decrease the chances of illegal/unscientific mining in the area.

16	Proposed Mining in Son Khad may have impact on Riverine Ecology. Therefore, State Government may provide mitigation measures to be adopted to address the ill effects of mining post mining closure.	The following mitigation measures will be adopted during execution of the project:-1. The stream of the river will not be disturbed and all possible measures will be adopted for smooth flowing of the water stream so that riverine ecology could not be disturbed. In view of the effect on climate, mining contract area is very small and mining will be confined within the river bed. 2. Measures will be taken to prevent the cutting of river banks and exceeding 2 m depth limit from the river bed surface. 3. Since no blasting will be involved during the extraction of minor minerals like sand, stone & Bajri and very little dust will be generated during transportation, which would negligible disturbance to air quality of Air & Noise will test through different station for safety of the Environment. 4. There is already vegetation along the banks which falls outside the contracted area hence, there will be no effect on flora & Fona. 5. Necessary arrangement shall be made at the stop piles to prevent silt & sediments flowing in water. 6. No. effluent will be generated due to mining activity. Undertaking for the same has been uploaded against additional information detail at Sr. No. 27 in Part-I
17	Revenue papers (Tatima, Jamabandi etc.) of proposed project is required to be uploaded on PARIVESH portal.	Revenue Papers (Tatima, Jamabandi etc.) has been uploaded on the PARIVESH Portal against additional information detail at Sr. No. 30 in Part-I
18	As per the DSS analysis report, out of 3.53 ha proposed CA area, 1 ha area is under MDF category. Therefore, the proposed CA site required to be extended towards open forest area to meet the target plantation. Accordingly, revised KML with requisite map needs to be uploaded on the PARIVESH portal.	Pertains to DFO Office
19	The status of proposed CA land whether it is UPF/DPF/RF notified as forest under IFA, 1927, or a Waste Land declared as Protected Forest under HP Govt. notification, 1952	Pertains to DFO Office

	may be provided along with documentary proof. Further, all fields of table of Para-13(i) of Part- II is required to be filled correctly.	
20	NoC of Jal Shakti Department has been provided which is issued for uplifting of water from Son Khad for the purpose of plantation and anti dust sprinkler. However, same is required to be submitted in reference to the extant project i.e.-mining lease.	Revised NoC from Jal Shakti Vibhag has been uploaded on the Portal against additional information detail at Sr. No. 23 in Part-I
21	NoC from Public Works, Fisheries Department etc. needs to be submitted/uploaded on PARIVESH portal.	NoCs from concerned departments has been uploaded on the Parivesh Portal against additional information detail at Sr. No. 22 & 20 respectively.
22	The State Government to confirm that the proposed mining conforms to the DSR [as per EMSMG 2020 (guidelines for Enforcement and Monitoring of Sand Mining in January2020) and SSMMG-2016 (Sustainable Sand Mining Management Guidelines (SSMMG) issued in 2016) issued by MoEF&CC] of the concerned district.	It is confirmed that the proposed mining conforms to the DSR of Distt. Mandi [as per EMSMG 2020 (guidelines for Enforcement and Monitoring of Sand Mining in January2020) and SSMMG-2016 (Sustainable Sand Mining Management Guidelines (SSMMG) issued in 2016) issued by MoEF&CC of the Mandi District. Further, a letter from Department of Industries has been uploaded against additional information detail at Sr. No. 24 in Part-I

M/S. VINOD KUMAR

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No.Udyog-Bhu(Khani-4)laghu-611/2018 9856
Government of Himachal Pradesh,
Directorate of Industries.
"Geological Wing"

To Dated Shimla-171002, the 25-11-23

✓ Sh. Vinod Kumar, S/o Sh. Swami Ram,
Village Trambla, P.O. Longni,
Tehsil Dharampur, District Mandi, H.P

Subject: **Regarding extension of validity period of "Letter of Intent" in favour of Sh. Vinod Kumar, S/o Sh, Swami Ram Village Trambla, P.O. Longni, Tehsil Dharampur, District Mandi, H.P.**

Sir,

Kindly refer to your letter dated 24.06.2023 on the subject cited above.

In this regard, it is informed that the Govt vide letter No. Ind-(F) 6-9/2017-11-Loose dated 25.11.2023 has conveyed the approval for the extension of validity period of Letter of Intent for the auctioned quarry of Son Khad Part-III over an area measuring 1-76-74 Hect bearing Kh. No. 1334/1 (Government land), falling in Mauza & Mohal Kalswai of Tehsil Dharampur District Mandi H.P. further term of one year w.e.f. 03.06.2023 onwards, in your favour to procure the Environment and other Clearances.

Accordingly, the validity period of Letter of Intent for Son Khad Part-III over an area measuring 1-76-74 Hect bearing Kh. No. 1334/1 (Government land) falling in Mauza & Mohal Kalswai, Tehsil Dharampur, District Mandi, H.P. is hereby extended for a further term of one year w.e.f. 03.06.2023 onwards, for the purpose of obtaining Environment Clearance/ Forest Clearance from competent authority and completing other codal formalities. The applicant shall not resort to any mining activities till getting the final grant order in this behalf.

Yours faithfully,

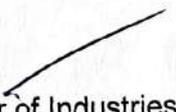

Director of Industries,
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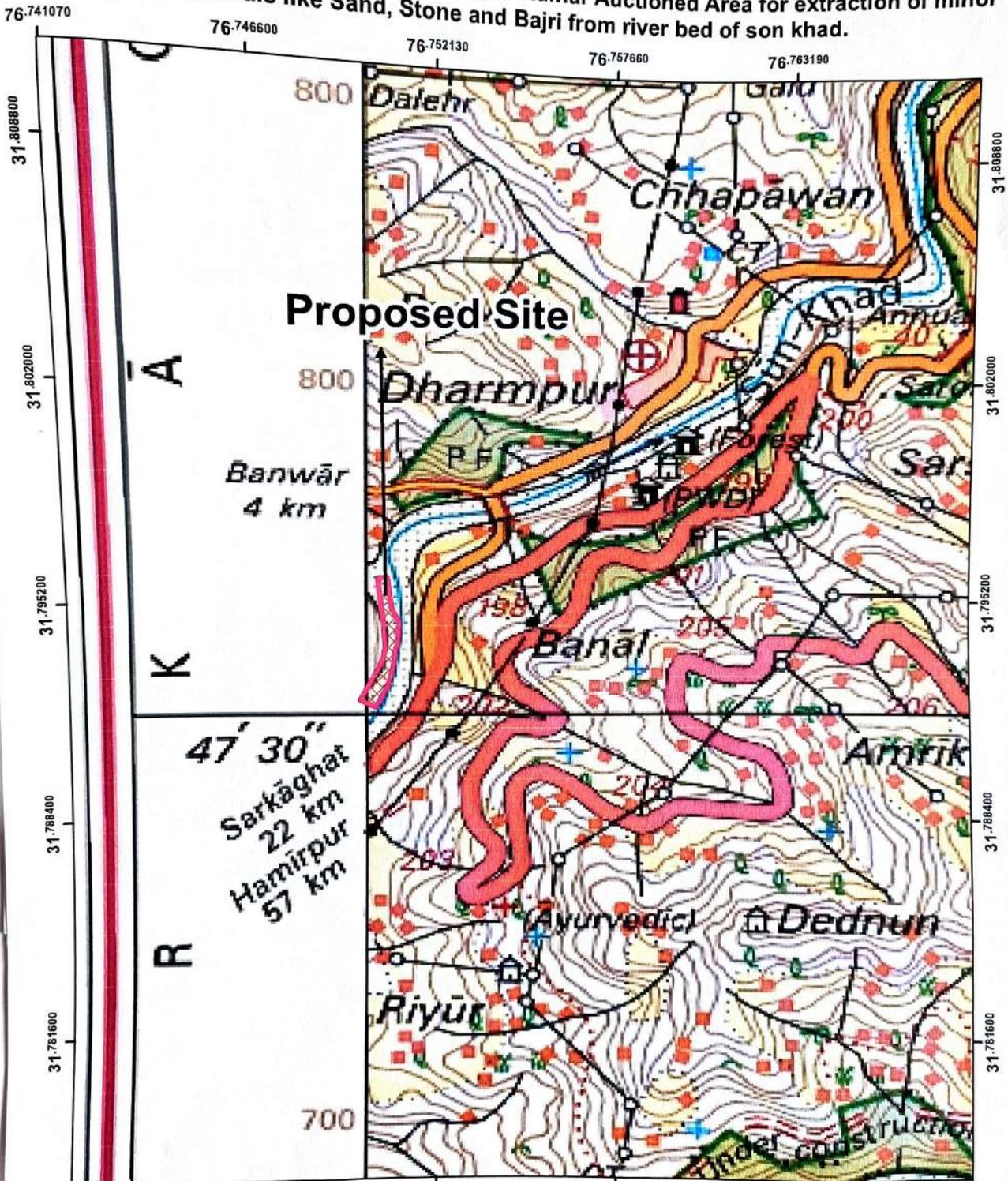
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1. The Principal Secretary (Inds) to the Govt. of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-171002 with reference to letter No vide letter No. Ind-(F) 6-9/2017-11-Loose dated 25.11.2023 for information please.
2. The Mining Officer, Mandi, District Mandi, Himachal Pradesh for information please.


Director of Industries,
Himachal Pradesh.

Proposed Site C/o Mining Lease of Sh. Vinod Kumar Auctioned Area for extraction of minor minerals like Sand, Stone and Bajri from river bed of son khad.

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Proposed Site

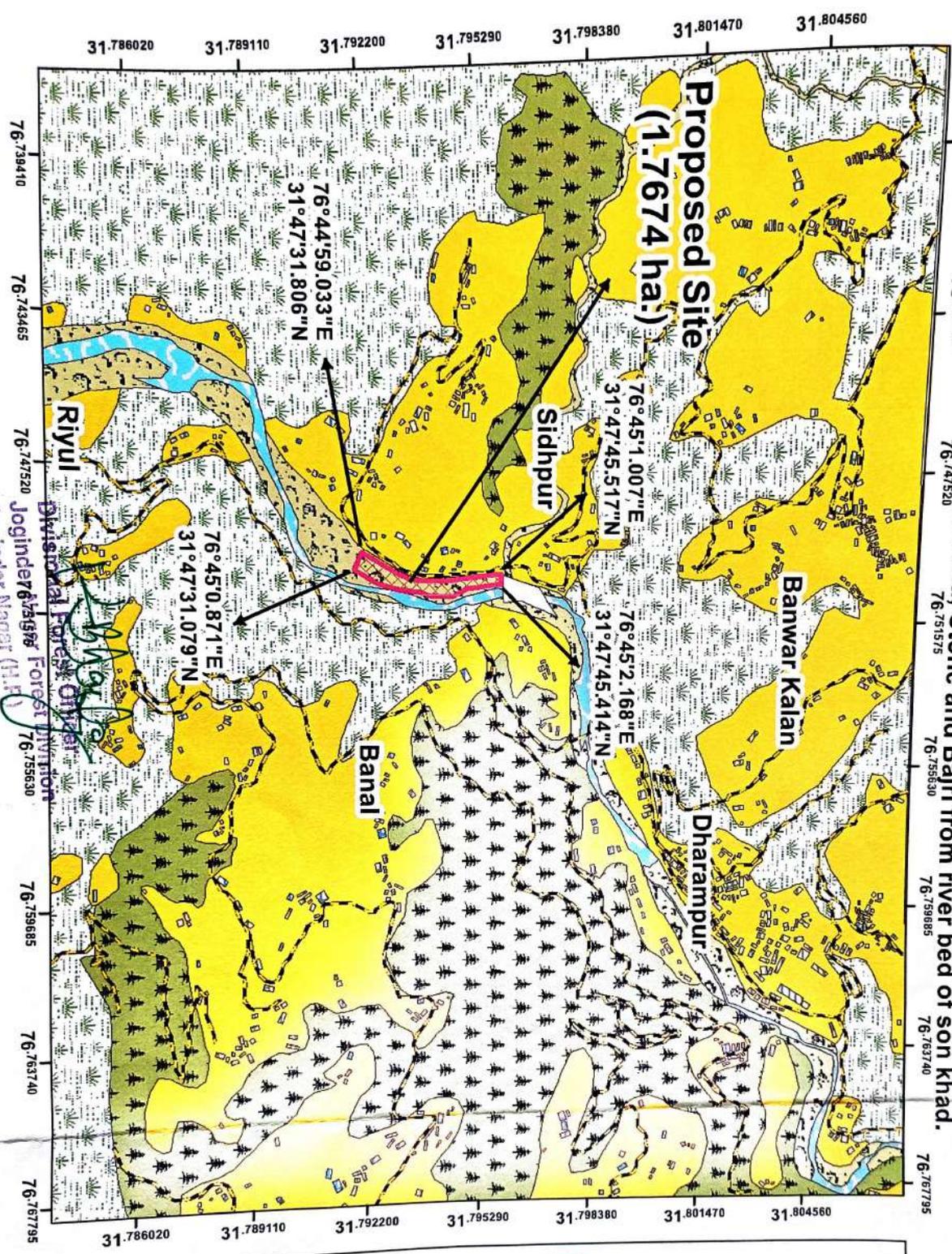
V. Bhandari
 Divisional Forest Officer
 Joginder Nagar (Forest Division)
 Joginder Nagar (U.P.)

M/S. VINOD KUMAR
 (OWNER)
 Authorised Signatory

Scale- 1:50000
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DIGITAL LAND USE MAP

Proposed Site C/o Mining Lease of Sh. Vinod Kumar Auctioned Area for extraction of minor minerals like Sand, Stone and Bajri from river bed of son khad.



Legend

-  Proposed Site
-  Existing Road
-  Builtup
-  Private Land
-  River
-  River Bed
-  Shrub
-  Forest Land

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Undertaking to Justify the Name

This is submitted that Vinod Kumar and M/S Vinod Kumar is one and the same person and Letter of Intent is issued in the name of Sh. Vinod Kumar, however, proposal is submitted in the name of M/s Vinod Kumar (Mining).

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Mitigation Measures to be Adopted to Maintain the River in Ecology

The following mitigation measures will be adopted during execution of the project:-

1. Mining activities will be confined to 2 m depth in river bed All link roads from the mining area to the tar road will be properly sprayed with water for dust suppression.
2. Greenbelt and plantation on road side will help in dust suppression and will also reduce noise level.
3. Plantation will improve ecology and aesthetic beauty of the area.
4. Measures will be taken to prevent the workings from extending in safety zones, cutting the banks and exceeding 2 m depth limit from the river bed surface.
5. Air & Noise will test through different station for safety of the Environment.

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(OWNER)
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Mining Lease
like Sand, 76.75/51



Undertaking to Deposit Amount for Afforestation on Degraded Land

This is submitted that the amount for afforestation on degraded forest land to be selected elsewhere measuring one and half time the area for forest land under Safety Zone with the State Forest Department besides depositing funds with Forest Department for the protection and regeneration of the Safety Zone area shall be submitted before Stage-II Approval.

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Undertaking for No Mining Activities Will be Carried Out During Monsoon Season

This is submitted that no mining activities will be carried out during Monsoon Seasons in the selected mining area.

M/S. VINOD KUMAR
(OWNER)
Vinod
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PLATE NO 8

- GEOLOGICAL INDEX**
- TERRACE DEPOSIT
 - CHANNEL DEPOSIT

- TOPOGRAPHICAL INDEX**
- AUCTONED AREA
 - SURVEY STATION
 - CONTOUR LINES
 - APPROACH ROAD
 - HIGHEST FLOOD LEVEL
 - PROHIBITED ZONE
 - PLANTATION



OWNER: SH. VINOD KUMAR (PART III)
 SCALE: 1:2000
 CONTOUR INTERVAL: 1 MTR
 GEOLOGICAL PLAN SHOWING PIT POSITION AT THE END OF 1ST YEAR
 CERTIFIED THAT THE PLAN IS CORRECT



M/S. VINOD KUMAR
 (OWNER)
 Authorised Signatory

SUBHASH SHARMA
 No.HP/RPQ/01/L/2004

[Signature]
 Divisional Forest Officer
 Joginder Nagar Forest Division
 Joginder Nagar (H.P.)

PLATE NO. III



**State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority
Himachal Pradesh**

*Ministry of Environment Forest & Climate Change, Government of India,
at Department of Environment Science & Technology,
Paryavaran Bhawan, Near US Club, Shimla-1*

Ph: 0177-2656559, 2659608, Fax: 2659609

No. HPSEIAA/2008/22/Vol-IX/49th Meeting/

Dated: 26/9/2020

**PROCEEDINGS OF 49th MEETING OF SEIAA, HIMACHAL PRADESH, HELD UNDER THE
CHAIRPERSONSHIP OF SH. BAL RAM SHARMA, IAS (RETD.) ON 26th SEPT., 2020.**

ITEM NO. 1:

Confirmation of the minutes of the 48th meeting held on 19th June, 2020.

The Authority was apprised that all the decision taken in 48th meeting have been complied and there were no additional comments on minutes, hence, the minutes of HPSEIAA 48th meeting are confirmed.

ITEM NO. 2: Cases recommended for EC (Environment Clearance) & ToR (Terms of Reference) by the State Expert Appraisal Committee, Himachal Pradesh in its 74th meeting held on 31st Aug., & 1st Sept., 2020 .

2.1 Sh. Abhishek Thakur, S/o Sh. Roop Singh Thakur, VPO & Sub-Tehsil-Sunder Nagar, District-Mandi, H.P.

Brief outline of the project:

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| a) Proposal No. | SIA/HP/MIN/41956/2019
HPSEIAA/2019-663 |
| b) Project type | Extraction of Sand, Stone & Bajri. |
| c) Project Location | Tukra number 1 falling in Mauza & Mohal-Bunga/Kotla, Tehsil-Largi, District-Mandi, H.P. |
| d) Jamabandi/Tatima | Tatima dated 11.10.2019 |
| e) Land Status | Govt. land (Government Forest land)
Forest Clearance issued on dated 26/6/2018 |
| f) Capacity | 25,000 MTA (Total 1,36,979 MT for five years) |
| g) Mining Area | 29-15 Bighas, 2.40 ha (Govt. land, hill slope) |
| h) Leases within 500 meter from the periphery of the area applied. | One mining leases exist within 500 meter periphery:-
I. Vijay Kumar, M/s Garacharya Stone Crusher, Sainj, Kullu 0.98 ha, Mining lease is operational. |
| i) Letter of Intent | Extension of LOI dated 14.05.2020, valid for one year (valid from 20.03.2020 up to 19.03.2021) |
| j) EMP Cost | Capital Cost: Rs. 4.50 lakhs; Recurring cost: Rs. 1.30 lakhs |
| k) CER cost | Capital Cost: Rs. 2.00 lakhs. |

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The project is proposed for extraction/collection of Sand Stone & Bajri. The mining will be carried out manually.

Online proposal for granting Environment Clearance was submitted on dated 30/08/2019 and accepted by the SEIAA secretariat on dated 18/10/2019. The hard copy was submitted by the project proponent on dated 07/02/2020 for appraisal of SEAC.

The case was deferred by the SEAC in its 72nd meeting. The case was again listed & the SEAC in its 73rd meeting decided to list the case in next meeting after compliance of certain observations. After compliance of the observations on dated 21.07.2020 & 25.08.2020 the case was again listed in 74th meeting.

The SEAC in its 74th meeting held on 31st August & 1st Sept., 2020, recommended the case application for consideration of grant of environmental clearance by the SEIAA, subject to fulfillment of conditions annexed at Annexure-I with following additional conditions:

Proceedings 49th Meeting of SEIAA (26th Sept., 2020): 1



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2. The project proponent shall maximize the use of solar power energy.
3. The project proponent shall ensure that the adequate number of toilets, bathrooms are provided on each floor separately for the attendants and these facilities are properly maintained.

The project proponent through power point presentation presented all technical details of the project before the HPSEIAA on 26th Sept., 2020. Thereafter, after deliberating on the recommendations of SEAC, the SEIAA approved the grant of Environment Clearance in favour of the Unit stipulating the recommended conditions and with following additional conditions:

1. The project proponent shall obtain all statutory clearances from concerned authorities as may be applicable.
2. The project proponent will construct adequate number of toilets in open space in the vicinity of building for use of visitors at a suitable place.
3. The sewer line of at least six inch (6") dia shall be used for patient toilets.
4. Local natural source of water shall be augmented within premises to supplement the water supply and requirement.

3.9 Sh. Vinod Kumar, S/o Sh. Swami Ram, Village-Trambla, P.O. Longai, Tehsil-Dharampur, District-Mandi, H.P. (01-76-74 ha)

Brief outline of the project:

a) Proposal No.	SIA/HP/MIN/159804/2020 (HP SEIAA/2020-758)
b) Project type	Extraction/collection of Sand, Stone & Bajri.
c) Project Location	Khasra number 1334/1 falling in Mauza & Mohal-Kalswai, Tehsil-Dharampur, District-Mandi, H.P.
d) Jamabandi	Jamabandi for the year 2017-2018
e) Land Status	Government land
f) Capacity	1,66,500 MT for the period of five years.
g) Mining Area	01-76-74 ha, Govt. land/river bed
h) Leases with in 500 meter from the periphery of the area applied.	Four other mining leases exist within 500 meter radius from the periphery of the area applied. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Sh. Om Chand (0-87-95 ha) 2. Sh. Vinod Kumar (0-79-84 ha) 3. Smt. Ruma Devi (1-96-49 ha) 4. Sh. Lakhvinder Singh (0-53-22 ha)
i) Letter of Intent	Extension of LOI dated 14.08.2020 (05.06.2020 to 04.06.2021)
j) EMP Cost	Capital Cost: Rs.4.90 lakhs; Recurring cost: Rs.1.05 lakhs.
k) CER cost	Capital Cost: Rs.1.0 lakhs; Recurring cost: Rs.0.50 lakhs.

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The proposed project is extraction/collection of Sand, Stone & Bajri. The lease area is situated in river bed (Soan khad).

Online proposal for granting Environment Clearance was submitted on dated 23/06/2020 and accepted by the SEIAA secretariat on dated 28/08/2020. The hard copy was submitted by the project proponent on dated 28/08/2020 for appraisal by SEAC.

The SEAC in its 75th meeting held on 21st - 22nd Sept., 2020, recommended the case application for consideration of grant of environmental clearance by the SEIAA, subject to fulfillment of conditions annexed at Annexure-I with following additional conditions:

- 1) The project proponent shall provide one plastic waste shredder and one plastic waste bailing machine under CER to the concerned ULBs/ PRIs as per the recommendations of Department of Environment, Science & Technology, GoHP.

After deliberating on the recommendations of SEAC, the SEIAA approved the grant of Environment Clearance in favour of the Unit stipulating the recommended conditions with the following additional conditions and subject to prior compliance to condition at Sr. No. 2:

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1. The project proponent shall include to plant variety of wild fruit plants as may be suitable to the area viz. wild peach, pear, guava, *shehtoot* under the plantation plan proposed in the EMP. The SEIAA secretariat shall monitor the plantation on yearly basis. The photo monitoring verification will be carried out by the SEIAA & SEAC by developing a suitable system.
2. The Environment Clearance shall be issued by the SEIAA after submission of FCA clearance, in case applicable in the present case being government land.
3. The project proponent shall, after ceasing mining operations, undertake re-grassing the mining area and any other area, which may have been disturbed due to their mining activities and restore the land to a condition which is fit for growth of fodder, flora, fauna etc.
4. The project proponent shall undertake mining activities as per approved mining plan only.
5. The project proponent shall provide one plastic waste shredder and one plastic waste bailing machine under CER to the concerned ULBs/ PRIs as per the recommendations of Department of Environment, Science & Technology, GoHP.

3.10 Sh. Vinod Kumar, S/o Sh. Swami Ram, Village-Trambala, P.O. Longal, Tehsil-Dharampur, District-Mandi, H.P. (00-79-84 ha)

Brief outline of the project:

a) Proposal No.	SIA/HP/MIN/159856/2020 (HP SEIAA/2020-757)
b) Project type	Extraction/collection of Sand, Stone & Bajri.
c) Project Location	Khasra number 1333 falling in Mauza & Mohal-Kalswai, Tehsil-Dharampur, District-Mandi, H.P.
d) Jamabandi	Jamabandi for the year 2017-2018
e) Land Status	Government land
f) Capacity	59,060 MT for the period of five years.
g) Mining Area	00-79-84 ha, Govt. land/river bed
h) Leases within 500 meter from the periphery of the area applied.	Four other mining leases exist within 500 meter radius from the periphery of the area applied. 1. Sh. Orn Chand (0-87-95 ha.) 2. Sh. Vinod Kumar (1-76-74 ha.) 3. Smt. Ruma Devi (1-96-49 ha.) 4. Sh. Lakhvinder Singh (0-53-22 ha.)
i) Letter of Intent	Extension of LOI dated 14.08.2020, (i.e. from 26.06.2020 to 25.06.2021)
j) EMP Cost	Capital Cost: Rs.4.20 lakhs; Recurring cost: Rs.1.05 lakhs.
k) CER cost	Capital Cost: Rs.1.0 lakhs; Recurring cost: Rs.0.50 lakhs.

The proposed project is extraction/collection of Sand, Stone & Bajri. As informed the lease area is situated in river bed (Soan khad).

Online proposal for granting Environment Clearance was submitted on dated 23/06/2020 and accepted by the SEIAA secretariat on dated 28/08/2020. The hard copy was submitted by the project proponent on dated 28/08/2020 for appraisal by SEAC.

The SEAC in its 75th meeting held on 21st - 22nd Sept., 2020, recommended the case application for consideration of grant of environmental clearance by the SEIAA, subject to fulfillment of conditions annexed at Annexure-1 with following additional conditions:

- 1) The project proponent shall provide one plastic waste shredder and one plastic waste bailing machine under CER to the concerned ULBs/ PRIs as per the recommendations of Department of Environment, Science & Technology, GoHP.

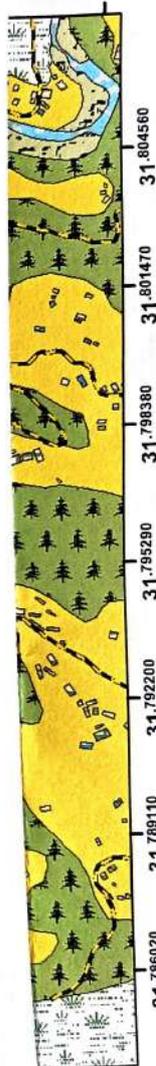
After deliberating on the recommendations of SEAC, the SEIAA approved the grant of Environment Clearance in favour of the Unit stipulating the recommended conditions with the following additional conditions and subject to prior compliance to condition at Sr. No. 2:

1. The project proponent shall include to plant variety of wild fruit plants as may be suitable to the area viz. wild peach, pear, guava, *shehtoot* under the plantation plan proposed in

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the EMP. The SEIAA secretariat shall monitor the plantation on yearly basis. The photo monitoring verification will be carried out by the SEIAA & SEAC by developing a suitable system.

2. The Environment Clearance shall be issued by the SEIAA after submission of FCA clearance, in case applicable in the present case being government land.
3. The project proponent shall, after ceasing mining operations, undertake re-grassing the mining area and any other area, which may have been disturbed due to their mining activities and restore the land to a condition which is fit for growth of fodder, flora, fauna etc.
4. The project proponent shall undertake mining activities as per approved mining plan only.
5. The project proponent shall provide one plastic waste shredder and one plastic waste bailing machine under CER to the concerned ULBs/ PRIs as per the recommendations of Department of Environment, Science & Technology, GoHP.

3.11 Sh. Om Prakash, S/o Sh. Jyoti Prakash, Village & Post Office-Huria, Tehsil-Bhunter, District-Kullu, H.P.

Brief outline of the project:

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| a) Proposal No. | SIA/HP/MIN/168842/2020
HP SEIAA/2020-755 |
| b) Project type | Extraction/collection of Stone. |
| c) Project Location | Tukra number 1 (13-14-10 Bighas) for mining and Tukra number 2 (1-06-09 Bighas) & Tukra number 3 (1-02-03 Bighas) for approach road, falling in Mauza & Mohal-Kotkandi, Phati Dyar Kothi and Chuti Bihal, Tehsil & District-Kullu, H.P. Jamabandi for the year 2012-2013 |
| d) Jamabandi | Govt. land (Forest Land) |
| e) Land Status | FCA application dated 20/11/2017 attached. |
| f) Capacity | 62,400 MT for the period of five year (13,500 MTA) |
| g) Mining Area | 1-30-62 ha, 13-14-00 Bighas, Govt. land, hill slope |
| h) Leases with in 500 meter from the periphery of the area applied. | One mining lease of Sh. Ravinder Kumar Gupta applied vide proposal No. SIA/HP/MIN/40844/2019 comprising of mining area of 1.5376 hectares (19-00 Bigha) exists in 500 mtrs. periphery of the proposed project. |
| i) Letter of Intent | Extension of LOI dated 14.08.2020 (up to 12.08.2021) |
| j) EMP Cost | Capital Cost: Rs.4.50 lakhs; Recurring cost: Rs.1.15 lakhs. |
| k) CER cost | Capital Cost: Rs.1.50 lakhs; Recurring cost: Rs.0.50 lakhs. |

The proposed project is extraction/collection of Stone from hill slope. The method of mining will be manual and semi mechanized.

Online proposal for granting Environment Clearance was submitted on dated 20/08/2020 and accepted by the SEIAA secretariat on dated 28/08/2020. The hard copy was submitted by the project proponent on dated 28/08/2020 for appraisal by SEAC.

The SEAC in its 75th meeting held on 21st - 22nd Sept., 2020, recommended the case application for consideration of grant of environmental clearance by the SEIAA, subject to fulfillment of conditions annexed at Annexure-I with following additional conditions:

- 1) The project proponent shall provide one plastic waste shredder and one plastic waste bailing machine under CER to the concerned ULBs/ PRIs as per the recommendations of Department of Environment, Science & Technology, GoHP.

After deliberating on the recommendations of SEAC, the SEIAA approved the grant of Environment Clearance in favour of the Unit stipulating the recommended conditions with the following additional conditions:

1. The project proponent shall include to plant variety of wild fruit plants as may be suitable to the area viz. wild peach, pear, guava, shektoot under the plantation plan proposed in the EMP. The SEIAA secretariat shall monitor the plantation on yearly basis. The photo

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PART III

1 PROGRESSIVE MINE CLOSURE PLAN/RECLAMATION PLAN

1.1 Reclamation

- The mined area being part of the river course cannot be reclaimed for any other purpose
- The land under active mining would always remain riverbed, during as well as post mining.
- However, mid-stream mining in accordance with approved mining plan would lead to systematic channelization of riverbed and minimize chance of boulders overflowing the banks. This would protect the adjoining area from fury of monsoon floods.

1.2 MINE WASTE DISPOSAL:

- a) Year wise generation of mine waste and soil cover.

As explained earlier the following category of the waste is generated during riverbed mining

- Silt/ Clay Mixture

The silt and clay are generally being inseparable from sand and sold along with it.

As such no waste will be generated during the mining of stone, sand and bajri.

1.3 The arrangements made for topsoil utilization, if any

As the mining area is part of riverbed, having no topsoil cover, therefore, no topsoil is required to be removed, disturbed or disposed of.

1.4. Preventive Check dams

Considering the condition of riverbanks, no check walls are required to be constructed.

1.5 Plantation work

No suitable space for tree plantation is available within the auctioned block.

2 STRATEGY FOR PROTECTION OF POINT OF PUBLIC UTILITY etc.

There is no point of utility within radius of 200 metres of the mining contract periphery, which may need any kind of protection.





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Undertaking to Justify the Name

Sh. No 2844
28/07/2023

This is submitted that Vinod Kumar and M/S Vinod Kumar is one and the same person and Letter of intent issued in the name of Sh. Vinod Kumar, however, proposal is submitted in the name of M/s Vinod Kumar (Mining).

Deponent



I, the above named deponent further declare on oath that the content of my above affidavit are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. Verified at Dharampur on dated 28-07-2023.

Deponent

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Attested!
[Signature]

Subordinate Magistrate
Dharampur, Teh. Dharampur
Distt. Mandi (H.P.)

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Himachal Pradesh
Jal Shakti Vibhag

No.EE/JSD/Bharari/WA/NOC//2023-24- 11185-86 Dated:-13-12-2023

To

Sh. Vinod Kumar S/O Sh. Sawami Ram,
Village Trimbla P.O. Longni
Tehsil Dharampur Distt. Mandi H.P.

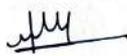
Subject:-

Diversion of 1.7674 Ha. of forest land for mining lease for extraction of sand Stone and najri in Soun Khad Part III Tehsil Dharampur, Distt. Mandi H.P. in favour of Sh. Vinod Kumar, S/O Sh. Swami Ram, Village Trambala, Post Office Longani, Tehsil Dharampur Distt. Mandi HP. Within the jurisdiction of Joginder Nagar Forest Division Distt. Mandi H.P. (Online Proposal No. FP/HP/MIN/119019/2021) Request to obtain NOC thereof.

As reported by the Assistant Engineer Jal Shakti Sub-Division Dharampur vide letter No. 2231-32 dated 01.11.2023, that the site proposed for Mining falls at Muhal Kalswai Khasra No.1334/1. During the inspection of site along with Patwari, it has been found that this area comes under Soan Khad as per revenue record and there are three Schemes of Jal Shakti Vibhag existing near the proposed site namely P/well of LWSS Chalal Shivdwala (Lat 31.789248°, Long 76.747318) on the right bank, Intake source of LIS Kalswai (Lat 31.788977°, Long 76.745851°) upstream to the Mining Point at a distance of 400 meters, 585 meters respectively & Hand pump Near GPS Kalswai (Lat 31.792527°, Long 76.749375°) on the left bank of Soan Khad at a distance 38 meters of downstream to the Mining Point respectively. It is further clarified that the whole area of mining 1.7674 Hact. is on the downstream side from the Bench mark (Bhurji) fixed by the mining Deptt. at Node (Lat. 31.803397, Long 76.761227).

This office has no objection, if mining activities in the proposed site are carried on or allowed to be carried on beyond two hundred meters upstream or downstream of water supply / irrigation scheme subject to following conditions:-

1. That the Jal Shakti Vibhag can suspend and stop the work if any ongoing water supply scheme as well as irrigation scheme is effected due to said mining activities.
2. The project authorities shall abide by all the statutory environmental and other regulations.
3. That if the Jal Shakti vibhag has plan to tap new scheme source for water supply as well as irrigation upstream of the project the applicant shall have no objection for the same.


Executive Engineer,
Jal Shakti Division,
Dharampur Bharari.

Copy to the Assistant Engineer, Jal Shakti Sub Division Dharampur w.r.t. his office letter mentioned above for information.

Executive Engineer,
Jal Shakti Division,
Dharampur Bharari.

Officer,

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No. Ind-Bhu(Khani-4)-611/2018-10998
Government of Himachal Pradesh
Department of Industries
"Geological Wing"
Dated, Shimla-171001, the

19-12-2023

To

Shri Vinod Kumar,
S/o Sh. Swami Ram,
Village, Trembla, P.O. Longni,
Tehsil, Dharampur,
District Mandi H.P.

Subject: - Diversin of 0.7984 & 1.7674 Hectares of forest land for grant of mining lease for extraction of sand, stone & Bajri in Son Khad Part-III at Kalswai, Tehsil Dharampur, District Mandi H.P. in favour of Sh. Vinod Kumar, S/o Sh. Swami Ram, Village, Trembla, P.O. Longni, Tehsil, Dharampur, District Mandi H.P.

Sir,

This bears reference to your letter received through Mining officer Mandi H.P. dated 15.12.2023 on the subject cited above.

In this regard, it is to inform you that the Department issued a letter of Intent vide letter No. 2431 dated 05.06.2018 in your favour for the grant of auctioned quarry in Son Khad Part-III over an area measuring 1-76-74 Hectare (riverbed) bearing Kh. No. 1334/1 (Government land) falling in Mauza & Mohal Kalswai of Tehsil Dharampur, District Mandi H.P. with certain term & conditions

It is further informed you that in the instant case of River bed mining & as per the term & conditions of auction & Monitoring Guidelines for Sand Mining, 2020, the District Survey Report is prepared for the riverbed mining projects. It is further inform you that the District survey Report of District Mandi was approved by DEIAA, & the copy of the District Survey Report is available at https://emerhinghimachal.hp.gov.in/miningstone/survey_docs/mandi.pdf

Yours faithfully,

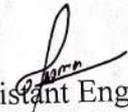

Geologist Zone IV
Himachal Pradesh

Officer,

HIMACHAL PRADESH
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
No.PW-DPSD/NOC/Mining /Vinod Kumar/2023-24-1098 Dated: 27-7-2023

NO OBJECTION CERTIFICATE

It is certified that Shri Vinod Kumar S/o Shri Swami Ram village, Trambala P.O. Longani Tehsil, Dharampur ,Distt Mandi, has applied for providing the NOC from the P.W.D. Department, as the Mining Department has Diversion of 1.7674 hac, of forest land for mining lease for extraction of sand, Stone and Bjri in Son Khad Muhal at Kalswai to Sh. Vinod Kumar vide Khasra No.1334/1 Rakwa 1.7674. This office has no objection for the same, if no any activities should be carried out up to a distance of 200mtrs up stream side and 300mtrs on down stream side from existing road bridge across river/khad if any.


Assistant Engineer,
Dharampur Sub Divn.HP.PWD
Dharampur.

To
Shri. Vinod Kumar S/o Shri Swami Ram
Village, Trambala, P.O. Longani, Tehsil,
Dharampur Distt.Mandi.H.P.


C/S
Executive Engineer,
Dharampur Divn.HP.PWD
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