

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS, SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (Sec.II) DEPARTMENT

Memo.No.607/Section.II/2022/1674811

Dated 25.08.2025

Sub: Proposal for grant of 2nd renewal of quarry lease over an extent of 4.050 ha of forest land in Compartment No.594/P & 596/P of Muchukota RF, Peddapappur Mandal, Ananthapuramu District for extraction of Dolomite & Steatite in favour of M/s. Sri Sai Minerals (Proprietor Sri Peram Nagi Reddy) - Submitted under section -2 of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 - Additional information called for - Reg.

Ref: 1)Govt.Memo.No.5624/ForI(1)/2005-2, EFS&T(FOR.I) Dept., dt.01.06.2005.
2)From GoI, MoEF, Bangalore, Lr.No.F(C)A/11.2/84/AP/MIN, dt.10.05.2002.
3)G.O.Ms.No.57, EFS&T(For.I) Dept., dt.29.05.2002.
4)From GoI, MoEF, Bangalore, Lr.No.4-APB881/2012-BAN/2918, dt.15.02.2013.
5)G.O.Ms.No.20, EFS&T(For.I) Dept., dt.01.03.2013.
6) From the PCCF&HoFF, A.P., Lr.Ref.No.EFS02-15029/16/2021-FCA SEC-PCCF/FCA-1, Dated: 11.03.2022.
7)State Govt.Lr.No.607/Sec.II/2022/1674811, EFS&T(Sec.II) Dept., dt.22.04.2022.
8)From the Inspector General of Forests (Central), GoI, MoEF&CC, IRO, Vijayawada, Green House Complex, Gopal Reddy Road, Vijayawada, Lr.F.No.4-APB169/2022-VIJ/377, dated 31.05.2022.
9)Govt.Memo.No.607/Sec.II/2022/1674811, dated 09.11.2022.
10)From the PCCF & HoFF, Lr.Rc.No.EFS02-15029/16/2021/FCA-1, dated 01.01.2025.
11)State Govt.Lr.No.607/Sec.II/2022/1674811, EFS&T(Sec.II) Dept., dt.26.03.2025.
12)From the Assistant Inspector General of Forests (FC), GoI, MoEF & CC, New Delhi, Lr.Fila No.4-apb169/2022-VIJ, dated 19.06.2025.

The attention of the PCCF & HoFF, A.P., is invited to the reference 12th cited (copy enclosed), wherein it has been requested to submit the following information / documents for further action in the matter:

- i. As per the information provided by the UA, the proposed mining is underground. However, the extent of UG rights and the subsidence effect has not been provided. As per the consolidated guidelines para 7.8 (a) and (b), the details shall be submitted by the State Govt.
- ii. As per the FC approval granted by the Ministry vide letter dated 10.05.2002, the CA was imposed over equal NFL. The status of its notification and status of the plantation with all details is required.
- iii. Details of mineral availability and quantity of minerals evacuated so far shall be submitted.
- iv. As per the map attached with the proposal, adjoining forest area is disturbed. Therefore, the details of the all FC approvals shall be provided along with the details of any violation of the Adhiniyam shall be submitted.
- v. As per the information provided in the proposal, the safety zone is maintained. However, as per the monitoring report done in 2016, it has been mentioned that the safety zone was not maintained. The comments of the State Govt. shall also be submitted in this regard. Further, certain conditions have also been not complied. The complete compliance of the all conditions of the approval dated 10.05.2002 shall be provided.

vi. The lease history of the mining shall be provided.

2. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force is, therefore, requested to submit the requisite information mentioned above, so that the same may be forwarded to the Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, New Delhi, for further processing of the proposal under the provisions of the Van(Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980.

S. SRI SARAVANAN
SPECIAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force,
Andhra Pradesh, Mangalagiri, Guntur.

Copy to:

M/s. Sri Sai Minerals (Proprietor:Sri Peram Nagi Reddy), Tadipatri.

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