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Letter No.- EC/SEIAA/2022-23/2410/2023/

Ranchi, Date:

To: Sri Basudev Gangopadhyay,  
(General Manager),  
M/s Hindalco Industries Ltd., Jharkhand,  
Mines Division, Court Road,  
Lohardaga – 835302.

**Corrigendum ToR**

**Sub:** Corrigendum of ToR for the project “Serangdag Bauxite Mine with production capacity of Bauxite 1,00,000 TPA, Top Soil 15,350 TPA, OB 1,69,800 TPA & Mineral reject 40,000 TPA with installation of crusher 100 TPH, Screening & Washing of M/s Hindalco Industries Ltd. at Village : Serangdag, Hanrup and Paunri, Taluka : Bishunpur & Ghaghra, Dist. : Gumla, Jharkhand (77.89 Ha)” (Proposal No. : SIA/JH/MIN/297490/2023) – regarding.

**Ref:** Your online application dated – 09.02.2023.

1. This is in continuation of ToR issued by the State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA), Jharkhand vide letter no.- EC/SEIAA/2018-19/2410/2018/106, Ranchi. Date : 16.04.2022 and further reference to your online application dated : 09.02.2023 and online application no : SIA/JH/MIN/297490/2023 requesting for corrigendum of ToR with regard to **conduct Public consultation in place of Public Hearing as provided OM F. no. 22-4/2020-IA.III, dated 16.02.2021 of MoEF & CC, Govt. of India.**

2. The State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA), Jharkhand has accorded the ToR vide office letter no. : EC/SEIAA/2018-19/2410/2018/106, Ranchi. Date : 16.04.2022 for “Serangdag Bauxite Mine with production capacity of Bauxite 1,00,000 TPA, Top Soil 15,350 TPA, OB 1,69,800 TPA & Mineral reject 40,000 TPA with installation of crusher 100 TPH, Screening & Washing of M/s Hindalco Industries Ltd. at Village : Serangdag, Hanrup and Paunri, Taluka : Bishunpur & Ghaghra, Dist. : Gumla, Jharkhand (77.89 Ha)”. The project proponent has requested to issue the corrigendum of ToR w.r.t. change of **Public consultation in place of Public Hearing as provided OM F. no. 22-4/2020-IA.III, dated 16.02.2021 of MoEF & CC, Govt. of India.**

3. Your request has been examined by the State Level Expert Appraisal Committee (SEAC), Jharkhand in its 101<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 20<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup> February, 2023, based

on the information furnished/provided and discussion held, the State Level Expert Appraisal Committee, (SEAC) recommended to issue **corrigendum of earlier ToR** issued vide letter no. : **EC/SEIAA/2018-19/2410/2018/106**, Ranchi, Date : **16.04.2022**, as the following:-

“The PA's vide online application no. SIA/JH/MIN/297490/2023 has requested for corrigendum in ToR issued vide letter no. EC/SEIAA/2018-19/2410/2018/106, dated 16.04.2022 with regard to conduct Public consultation in place of Public Hearing as provided OM F. no. 22-4/2020-IA.III, dated 16.02.2021 of MoEF & CC, Govt. of India.

The Committee verified the following aspect of the above Office Memorandum.

- i. No increase in the Bauxite production capacity (100000 TPA).
- ii. No increase in Mining Lease Area.
- iii. No change in mining method, mining plan, mineral transportation, water requirement and reclamation plan.
- iv. Mining is being carried out by Opencast Mechanized mining with Drilling & Blasting.
- v. The mine has not been discontinued operations for a period more than 5 years from the date of application for grant of EC.
- vi. Public Hearing held on 21.06.2004 (100000 TPA) as per EIA notification 1994. The implementation of the issues raised during public hearing were verified the Committee.
- vii. The compliance of the conditions of EC issued vide letter no. J-11015/243/2005-IA.II(M), dated 23.06.2006 of MoEF&CC, Govt. of India were verified by the Committee.

The SEAC considered the proposal in view of OM F. no. 22-4/2020-IA.III, dated 16.02.2021 of MoEF & CC, Govt. of India and recommends to conduct Public Consultation in place of Public Hearing. The ToR point 39 & 45 issued vide ToR letter no. EC/SEIAA/2018-19/2410/2018/106, dated 16.04.2022 shall be substituted as follows:

***“The PAs will conduct the Public Consultation for obtaining Environmental Clearance in accordance with procedure prescribed under the EIA notification, 2006.”***

4. The recommendation of SEAC, Jharkhand in this regard has been examined by the State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Jharkhand in its 102<sup>nd</sup> meeting held on 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 and decided **corrigendum of ToR** to the said project proposal as recommended by SEAC alongwith all other terms and conditions of earlier ToR letter no. **EC/SEIAA/2018-19/2410/2018/106**, Ranchi, Date : **16.04.2022** shall remain the same.



5. This is issued with the approval of competent Authority.

Yours Sincerely,

Sd/-

Member Secretary  
State Level Environment Impact  
Assessment Authority, Jharkhand

Memo No: EC/SEIAA/2022-23/2410/2023/ 452 .

Ranchi, Date: 24.03.2023.

Copy to:

1. Member Secretary, Jharkhand State Pollution Control Board, Ranchi for information and necessary action.
2. Secretary, SEAC, Jharkhand, Ranchi for information and necessary action.

24/03/2023  
Member Secretary

State Level Environment Impact  
Assessment Authority, Jharkhand

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