

**General Notice to Project Proponents / Consultants for Rectification of  
Deficiencies in the applications for Environmental Clearance**

Project proponents have submitted applications to SEIAA for obtaining Environmental clearance under the EIA Notification. SEAC upon appraisal of these applications has found during examination that they are deficient in material information /particulars concerning environment plan, mining plan (which is required to be approved by the competent authority), composite map, Aravalli certificate, requisite affidavits, reports of base line data of Water, Air, Noise, Soil etc. These information's / documents are required to be submitted by the PPs / consultants along with the application in Form no. 1/ 1M for obtaining Environmental clearance.

Inadequate information submitted by the PPs / consultants in the applications for Environmental Clearance has been putting impediments in the disposal of the Applications for EC.

In order to secure removal of deficiencies in the applications for Environmental Clearance and to expedite the process of decision making on such applications, a joint meeting of the SEIAA and SEAC with the Consultants, representing the proponents, was convened on 7.12.2015. Consultants were asked to carefully check the applications and remove the deficiencies pointed out above in the applications for EC. However, proper response from the consultants and project proponents was not received and deficiencies were not removed adequately and properly by the consultants and project proponents. SEIAA again convened a meeting with the consultants on 6.4 2016 to emphasize the urgency of furnishing requisite information for expeditious disposal of applications.

Pursuant to the decision taken in the above meetings, the consultants/RQPs were also called upon telephonically to supply the requisite information essential for dealing with the applications for EC.

A large number of Project proponents have registered their applications ONLINE at MoEF & CC website but have not submitted hard copies of application to SEIAA. Such applications can be processed further on receipt of hard copies

only. Project proponents and consultants are advised to submit hard copies to the appropriate Authority now as per the jurisdiction of case in the light of MoEF & CC's Notification dated 15.01.2016.

The project proponents / consultants are therefore again advised to check up the applications for Environmental Clearance submitted by them in hard copies or ONLINE to SEIAA/ DEIAA and ensure that all the deficiencies are removed and applications are made error-less.