

Public Hearing Details

Particular	Description
Advertisement For Public Hearing	
- Date of Advertisement in Newspapers - Name Of Newspaper	09/09/2023 Dainik Samachar & Hindustan Times
Date of Public Hearing	12/10/2023 at 3.00 PM
Venue	Tehsil Office, Bodh Gaya , District– Gaya

Details of Action Plan for the issues raise during the Public Hearing

S.No	Name & Address	Issues Raised by Locals/Public
1	Shri Rakesh Kumar Singh, Address: Pidasin, District: Gaya.	They asked questions related to what benefits the common people will get from sand mining. In this regard, the environmental consultant of the project proponent told that during sand lifting, care of trees and plants and other works, local citizens will be given priority and employment will be given according to their ability and also the government's revenue from sand mining will also increase. Thus, Shri Rakesh Kumar Singh was satisfied by presenting his answer.
2	Shri Kushal Kumar Singh, Address: Bhingri. District: Gaya.	A question was asked related to the prevention of dust particles emitted during sand transportation. In this regard, the environmental consultant of the project proponent informed that water will be sprinkled three to four times a day to prevent dust particles being emitted during sand transportation. During transportation of vehicles laden with sand, the vehicles will be completely covered with tarpaulin. Thus, Mr. Kaushal Kumar Singh was satisfied by presenting his answer.
3	Shri Sumit Kumar Singh, Address: Bhingri, District: Gaya	They were asked questions related to providing employment to local citizens due to sand mining. In this regard, it was told by the environmental consultant of the project proponent that while lifting sand, giving priority to local citizens in taking care of trees and plants and in other works. They will be given employment as per their qualifications. Thus, Mr. Sumit Kumar Singh was satisfied by presenting his answer.

4	Shri Ajay Kumar Sharma, Address: Laru District- Gaya	They asked questions related to employment of local citizens and deterioration of roads due to sand mining and suggested that sand mining should be done as per government rules. In this regard, it was told by the environmental consultant of the project proponent that during sand lifting, maintenance of trees and other works, local citizens will be given priority and employment will be given as per their capability and during sand transportation, whatever rural roads will be constructed. If it breaks, it will be repaired by Lessee. Also the suggestion was accepted by the proposing representative. Thus, Mr. Ajay Kumar Sharma was satisfied by presenting his answer.
5	Sri Ravi Shankar Priyadarshi Address: Laru District- Gaya	They were asked a question related to providing sand to the local villagers at low rates after sand excavation. In this regard, the environmental consultant of the project proponent told that sand will be made available to anyone only at the price fixed by the Bihar government. Thus, Shri Shiv Kumar Yadav was satisfied by presenting his answer.
6	Mr. Divyanshu Shekhar, Address: Kedar Bigha, Laru, District: Gaya	They asked questions related to what is the policy to improve the environment. In this regard, the environmental consultant of the project proponent informed that the following work will be done to control air pollution: - Spraying of water three to four times a day to control the dust particles emitted during sand transportation. During the transportation of vehicles loaded with sand, the vehicles will be completely covered with tarpaulin and trees will be planted on the roadside around the mining area, so that there is no adverse effect of dust on the agricultural land of the local villagers. To prevent water pollution control, the following work will be done: - In the sand mining area, sand will be excavated to a depth of 3 meters or above the ground water level. For the prevention of noise pollution, the following Work will be done: - Lessee was instructed not to operate old vehicles and also instructed not to use loud horns. By doing all these works there will be no harm to the environment and the government's revenue from sand mining will also increase. Thus, Mr. Divyanshu Shekhar was satisfied by presenting his answer.