

No. MSPCB/TB-360/Uranus/2023/2023-2024/4

Dtd. Shillong the 4th December 2023

PUBLIC NOTICE

It is brought to the notice of all concerned that **M/s URANUS STONE PRODUCTS & Co.** has proposed for renewal of Boulderstone Mining Project over an area of 4.96 Ha. located at Umduba Village, Raid Marwet P.O. Killing, P. S. Khanapara, Ri Bhoi District, Meghalaya. That M/s Uranus Stone Products & Co. has applied for renewal of Environmental Clearance from the State Environment Impact Assessment Authority and that a Public Hearing is required in pursuance to **MoEF&CC O.M. No. L-11011/175/2018-IA-II(M). Dated: The 12th December, 2018** and is to be conducted in accordance to procedure laid down under the E.I.A. Notification, 2006 (S.O. 1533 (E) dated 14th Sept. 2006) and amendment E.I.A. Notification No. S.O.3067 (E), dated 1st December 2009.

In pursuance to the provisions of Para 7(i) III of the above Notification, the Deputy Commissioner, Ri Bhoi District, Nongpoh has vide letter No. DCRB(LR) 24/2017/Rev/947/7307, Dated 04th December 2023 fixed the date of the **PUBLIC HEARING** to be held at **UMDUBA VILLAGE, RAID MARWET, RI BHOI DISTRICT, MEGHALAYA** on the **08th January 2024 at 11.00 AM** to record the views, suggestions, objections, etc. put forward by the concerned local affected persons.

Persons desirous of participating in the Public Hearing may go through the Summary Environmental Impact Assessment report of the said Project which will be available both in English and Khasi at the following places:-

1. The Office of the Deputy Commissioner, Nongpoh, Ri Bhoi District;
2. The Office of the Chief Conservator of Forests, Ministry of Environment & Forests, Govt. of India, North-Eastern Regional Office, Lumbatngen (Law-U-Sib), Shillong – 793 021
3. The Office of the Secretary, Khasi Hills Autonomous District Council, Shillong, East Khasi Hills District;
4. The Office of the Librarian, District Library, Nongpoh, Ri Bhoi District;
5. The Office of the Meghalaya State Pollution Control Board, 'ARDEN', Lumpyngngad, Shillong-793014.

The Summary Environmental Impact Assessment report and other documents of the said Project have also been uploaded on the internet in the website of the Board - www.megspcb.gov.in/PublicHearing.html for viewing by all desirous persons.

In this regard, the Meghalaya State Pollution Control Board invites suggestions, comments and objections on the matter relating to the environmental aspects of the proposed Project from all local affected persons and others who have plausible stake in the environmental impact of the project. Persons who desire to submit their views, comments, objections, etc. in writing may send the same by Registered Post to the Member Secretary, Meghalaya State Pollution Control Board, 'ARDEN', Lumpyngngad, Shillong-793014, so as to reach before **08th January 2024**. Persons interested to submit their views only orally must do so during the Public Hearing to be held at the place and date mentioned above.

For further clarifications in the matter, the Member Secretary, Meghalaya State Pollution Control Board may be contacted.

Suggestions, comments, objections, etc. on this project will not be entertained after the Public Hearing.

Dr. G. H. CHYRMANG, MFS
MEMBER SECRETARY

Meghalaya State Pollution Control Board,
Shillong.

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Copy to:-

1. The Deputy Commissioner, Ri Bhoi District, Nongpoh for kind information. This has a reference to your letter No. DCRB(LR) 24/2017/Rev/947/7307, Dated 04th December 2023.
2. The Office of the Chief Conservator of Forests, Ministry of Environment & Forests, Govt. of India, North-Eastern Regional Office, Lumbatngen (Law-U-Sib), Shillong – 793 021. Copies of the Draft EIA/EMP Report and Executive Summary of the Draft EIA/EMP Report in hard and soft copy (Khasi and English) are enclosed for kind information and action.
3. The Joint Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya, Forests & Environment Department, Shillong for information.
4. The Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya, Mining & Geology Deptt., Shillong for information.
5. The Secretary to the Executive Committee, Khasi Hills Autonomous District Council, Shillong for information and necessary action. A copy each of the Draft EIA/EMP Report and Executive Summary (Khasi and English) in hard copy is enclosed.
6. The Librarian, District Library, Nongpoh, Ri Bhoi District for information and necessary action. A copy each of the Draft EIA/EMP Report and Executive Summary (Khasi and English) in hard copy is enclosed.
7. The Editor, The Shillong Times, Shillong with a request to kindly publish this Public Notice in 2(two) issues of your esteemed daily, on the **06th December 2023** and **06th January 2024** and to submit your Bill in duplicate for necessary payment.
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10. The DEO's, Meghalaya State Pollution Control Board. You are instructed to upload the Draft EIA/EMP Report and Executive Summary of the Draft EIA/EMP Report in Khasi and English onto the Board's website on consultation with EE-III.

Dr. G. H. CHYRMANG, MFS
MEMBER SECRETARY

Meghalaya State Pollution Control Board,
Shillong.