STATE LEVEL ENVIRONMENT IMPACT ASSESSMENT AUTHORITY (SEIAA), TRIPURA VIGYAN PRAJUKTI O PARIBESH BHAVAN, P.N COMPLEX

GURKHABASTI, AGARTALA, WEST TRIPURA

No.F.1/SEIAA/TRIPURA/2019/Part-II/ 3901-03

July, 19th 2019.

MEMORANDUM

- 1. The Hon'ble High Court of Tripura has passed an order on 03-07-2019 in WP(C)(PIL) No-04/2018 for closure of all the Brick Kilns of the State Tripura which do not comply with the statutory provisions and more specifically Environmental Clearance (EC). Accordingly, the Tripura State Pollution Control Board (TSPCB) has issued closure order for all the 350 numbers of Brick Kilns of the State.
- 2. State Environmental Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA) has already invited e-tender on 12-07-2019 for preparation of District Survey Report (DSR) for Brick Earth and Ordinary Earth by a qualified QCI, NABET Accredited Consultant to facilitate preparation of Mining Plan by the owners of Brick Kilns of the State. The said tender will be opened on 02-08-2019 and work order will be issued to the successful Lowest Bidder. After selection of qualified Consultant, DSR will be submitted by the Consultant within a period of 1(one) month and that will be hosted in the Website of all District including Website of SEIAA and DSTE.
- 3. For submission of Application for Environmental Clearance (EC), the Brick Field owners are to fulfill the requirements VIZ (i) Form 1M (ii) Pre Feasibility Report (PFR) and Approved Mine Plan alongwith a copy of DSR. In order to prepare and fulfill all requirements for obtaining Environmental Clearance (EC) from the SEIAA, the Brick Field owner may engage qualified Consultant having valid certification of QCI, NABET according to their choice. Advance action may be taken by the owner of the Brick Kilns for submission of Application to obtain Environmental Clearance (EC) from SEIAA.

The memorandum may be hosted in the website of SEIAA and DSTE.

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