

MINUTES OF ENVIRONMENTAL PUBLIC HEARING IN RESPECT OF PROPOSED SAND BELTS AT BHADLI, GUNJ (Bk.) IN GHANSAWANGI TALUKA AND ALAMGAON, SADESAWANGI IN AMBAD TALUKA IN JALNA DISTRICT PROPOSED BY THE DISTRICT MINING OFFICER, COLLECTOR OFFICE, JALNA (GOVERNMENT OF MAHARASHTRA) CONDUCTED ON 22/10/2021 AT 10.30 A.M. AT TEHSIL OFFICE, GHANSAWANGI, TQ. GHANSAWANGI, DIST: JALNA.

An environmental public hearing in respect of **Proposed Sand Belts at Bhadli, Gunj (Bk) in Ghansawangi Taluka and Alamgaon, Sadesawangi in Ambad Taluka in Jalna** district proposed by the District Mining Officer, Collector Office, Jalna (Government of Maharashtra) was conducted on 22/10/2021 at 10.30 a.m. at Tehsil Office, Ghansawangi, Tq. Ghansawangi, Dist: Jalna.

Following Panel members were present during the public hearing :

1. **Shri Keshav Netake,**
Residential Dy. Collector (RDC), Jalna,
Dist: Jalna. Chairman.
2. **Shri Dr. Pravin Joshi,**
Regional Officer,
MPCB, Aurangabad Member.
3. **Shri S.M. Kurmude,**
Sub-Regional Officer,
MPCB, Jalna. Convener.

The Hon'ble District Collector, Jalna by appointing **Shri Keshav Netake**, Residential Deputy Collector and Additional District Magistrate, Jalna as his representative for public hearing for environmental clearance for the proposed Sand Belts in Ghansawangi Taluka and Ambad Taluka in Jalna district suggested for completing the process of said hearing under his Chairmanship; Accordingly, the said hearing is organized under the Chairmanship of the Hon'ble Residential Deputy Collector, Jalna on 22nd October, 2021 at 10.30 a.m. at Tehsil Office, Ghansawangi.

At the starting, **Shri S. M. Kurmude**, Sub-Regional Officer, Maharashtra Pollution Control Board, Jalna & Convener of Environmental Public Hearing Panel welcomed all those were present and briefed the preface regarding the public hearing with the permission of the Chairman of Public Hearing Panel As per the Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Government of India, Government of Maharashtra Notification No. S.O. 1533 dated 14/09/2006 (as amended on 01/12/2009), the public hearing has been organized for recording the environmental suggestions, thoughts, notes, objections regarding the said proposal. The application for conducting the Environmental Public Hearing regarding the Sand Ghats in Jalna

district was received on 15/09/2021 at Maharashtra Pollution Control Board from the The District Mining Officer, Collector Office, Jalna. Accordingly, the Hon'ble District Collector, Jalna had for conducting the said Environmental Public Hearing at Tehsil Office, Ghansawangi. Accordingly, today's Public Hearing is being conducted. A public notice regarding the same had been published in the newspapers Dainik Sakal (Marathi) and The Times of India (English) on 19/09/2021. It was mentioned for sending the suggestions, notes in writing or through e-mail up to 30 days at Sub-Regional Office, MPCB, Jalna by the institutes working regarding environment, residents to be displaced or to be affected by other means and the residents in the surrounding area of said Sand Ghats.

The documents (Marathi & English) containing the information regarding said project and summary of Environment Assessment Report were made available at the following offices :

- Collector Office, Jalna.
- District Industries Centre, Jalna.
- Zilla Parishad, Jalna.s
- Tahsildar, Tehsil Office, Ghansawangi, Tehsil Office, Ambad.
- Grampanchayat Office – Taluka Ghansawangi – Mouje Bhadli, Mouje Gunj (Bk), Taluka Ambad – Mouje Alamgaon, Mouje Sadesawangi.
- Sub-Regional Office, MPCB, Jalna.
- Regional Office, MPCB, Aurangabad.
- (Head Quarters) Maharashtra Pollution Control Board, Mumbai.
- Environment Department, Government of Maharashtra, Mantralaya, Mumbai.
- Regional Office, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Nagpur.

Shri S. M. Kurmude, Sub-Regional Officer, Maharashtra Pollution Control Board, Jalna & Convener of Environmental Public Hearing Panel briefed that according to the said public notice, the Sub-Regional Office, MPCB, Jalna has not received any objection, notes orally or in writing (through e-mail) regarding the Sand Ghats so far. He stated that if anybody would like to record environmental thoughts, suggestions, notes, etc. regarding said project, they may record the same orally or in writing here today also. He requested that the questions related with the environment only shall be asked so that proper guidance will be given by the Project Proponent and doubts will be cleared satisfactorily and it will be recorded in the minutes and alongwith Video CD of said Public Hearing, it will be submitted to the Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, New Delhi for further necessary action. After that, with the permission of the Chairman of said Public Hearing, he requested the Project Proponent to brief the presentation of proposed project.

Accordingly, the Project Representative M/s. Enviro Techno Consultant Pvt. Ltd., Nagpur, **Shri Dr. Prasheel Shukla**, the Project Consultant gave presentation on various aspects about the project which includes the details of project, environmental pollution, plans, devices, control measures to be taken thereof etc. and further stated that as per the Govt. of Maharashtra Letter No. Sankirn-2019/P.K. 01/Ta.Ke. 3 dated 3rd December, 2019 a public hearing is required to be conducted for the mining having area less than 5 hectares. Environmental Clearance is requested for the Sand Ghats proposed at Ghansawangi and Ambad Taluka in Jalna district. Instead of drilling and blasting opencast manual method will be adopted in the said mining. The

equipments like only spade, ghamela will be used. The sand excavation will be done from dry river bed only. For control of air pollution, water will be sprinkled regularly on the katcha road used for sand transporting, sand transporting will be carried out through tractor trolley, by covering with tarpaulin. For control of noise pollution, the mining work and sand transporting will be carried out during the day time only. For control of water pollution, the sand excavation will be carried out in the dry river bed only, the depth of mining pit will be kept above the river water level, the river flow will not be diverted for making the inactive ducts, vehicle washing will be prohibited in the river, care will be taken so as not to generate any effluent from the mining work, facility of mobile, toilet will be provided to the workers, excavation will be avoided during the monsoon and flood due to which sand lifting can recover, to maintain the land environment, the mining work will not be more than the capacity of taking permission, tree plantation will be developed at the river bank and nearby open space, for occupational health safety management, the mining operators will be provided with personal protective equipments, first-aid kits will be provided at the mining site, care will be taken so as not to cause damage to the environment.

The information of said Sand Ghats is as below :

Taluka Ghansawangi-

Sr. No.	Name Sand Ghat	Gut No.	Area L x W x D	Area (Ha)	Available Sand Storage (Brass)
1	Bhadli	Gut No. 29	425x45x1.00	1.91	6578
2	Gunj (Bk)	Gut No. 361, 362	510x50x1.00	2.55	9010

Taluka Ambad-

Sr. No.	Name Sand Ghat	Gut No.	Area L x W x D	Area (Ha)	Available Sand Storage (Brass)
1	Alamgaon	Gut No. 166, 167	550x25x0.80	1.38	3887
2	Sadesawangi	Gut No. 02, 03	575x25x0.60	1.44	3048

The said information has been recorded in CD and recorded in brief in the minutes.

After concluding the presentation regarding the proposed project, **Shri. S. M. Kurmude**, Convener stated that if the presented are having any doubts, notes, same may be expressed so that it will be possible to record the same in the minutes of Environmental Public Hearing, and he requested them to tell their name and their village name first and then to record their say.

During the course of said public hearing, the public participants in the concerned area of Ghansawangi and Ambad Taluka raised certain questions regarding the said project, which are as below :

- (1) **Shri Gowardhan Damodar Kharat**, the Sarpanch, Bhadli, Tq. Ghansawangi, Dist: Jalna stated that a meeting was conducted at Grampanchayat regarding the said Sand

Ghat, in the said meeting, the villagers had given a Resolution to the Tehsil Office for not conducting the said Sand Auction and requested to guide in this regard, upon which **Shri Keshav Netake**, Residential Deputy Collector, Jalna stated that early, the said Grampanchayat has given affirmative Resolution regarding the said Sand Ghat, after that again submitted negative Resolution due to which the Grampanchayat shall conduct the Gramsabha once again and whatever the decision of Gramsabha will be there, same shall be informed and thereafter the Government will decide the decision. **Shri Dr. Pravin Joshi**, Member requested the citizens that the said public hearing is regarding environment, hence, if the questions will be related with environment, same may be raised, upon which again **Shri Gowardhan Damodar Kharat** raised a question that the roads in the village damage due to the said Sand Ghat and dust generate due to vehicles, the citizens in their village have to bear the trouble. Accordingly, **Shri Dr. Pravin Joshi**, Member stated that detail presentation regarding the vehicle and road is given during the said project presentation. The said Sand Ghat Project falls under Rule No. 69 & 70 as per policy of the Government dated 03/09/2019, in which the terms and conditions are stated. As per the said rule, excavation will be carried out by the vehicle tractor only at the Sand Ghat, there will be no permission for any type of heavy vehicle like J.C.B. or Hywa. The Contractor will have to submit the compliance report also.

- (2) **Shri Shrikant Dethe**, the Sarpanch, Sadesawangi, Tq. Ambad, Dist: Jalna stated that the request of villagers is not to conduct Sand Ghat auction, and road is constructed newly in the village which may damage due to sand transporting and there is possibility of water problem due to sand lifting, upon which **Shri S. M. Kurmude**, Convener requested the Project Consultant to give detail information regarding the measures and plans, upon which the Project Consultant, **Shri Prasheel Shukla** stated that decision has been taken for sand lifting after monitoring the groundwater level due to which no water problem will be arise and for the road problem, he stated that excavation will be done at Sand Ghat by the vehicle tractor only as per rule and there will be no permission for any type of heavy vehicle like J.C.B. or Hywa and said sand will be covered with tarpaulin, water will be sprinkled on the road regularly and care has been taken so as not to damage the road due to the same and two committees through Collector Office and Tehsil Office are formed at district level as follows :

District Level Committee

Sr.No.	Name of Committee Member	Role
1	Hon'ble District Collector	Chairman
2	Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Parishad	Member
3	Superintendent of Police	Member
4	Additional District Collector	Member
5	Executive Engineer, Public Works Department	
6	Executive Engineer, Water Resources Department	Member
7	Deputy Conservator of Forest	
8	Regional Transport Officer	Member
9	Regional Officer, Maharashtra Pollution Control	Member

	Board	
10	Senior Geologist, Groundwater Survey Agency	Member
11	District Mining Officer	Member Secretary

Taluka Level Committee

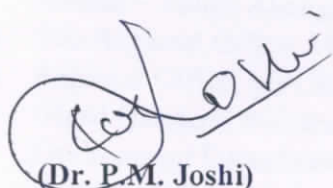
Sr.No.	Name of Committee Member	Role
1	Sub Divisional Officer	Chairman
2	Sub Divisional Police Officer	Member
3	Junior Geologist, Groundwater Survey Agency	Member
4	Junior Geologist (nominated through Directorate of Geology & Mining)	Member
5	Batch Development Officer	
6	Deputy Engineer, Public Works Department	Member
7	Deputy Engineer, Water Resources Department	
8	Representative of Maharashtra Pollution Control Board	Member
9	Representative of Regional Transport Officer	Member
10	Tahsildar	Member Secretary

- (3) **Shri Shridhar Sangle**, Sadesawangi, Tq. Ambad, Dist: Jalna raised a question that due to sand auction, the problem of road, water in the village and there is possibility of damaging the crops in the agriculture farms due to sand transporting, hence he requested not to conduct the said sand auction, upon which the Project Consultant, **Shri Prasheel Shukla** stated that excavation will be done at Sand Ghat by the vehicle tractor only as per rule and there will be no permission for any type of heavy vehicle like J.C.B. or Hyva, tree plantation is proposed at both the sides of the road due to which there will be no generation of dust and arrangement of tanker has been made for sprinkling the water on the road, measures are also taken for strong construction of road and if it is observed that anybody is violating the Government rules, for initiation of necessary legal action against the same, as reported earlier, a District Level Committee has been formed.
- (4) **Shri Balasaheb Dethe**, Sadesawangi, Tq. Ambad, Dist: Jalna stated that due to Sand Ghat problem of water in the village, crops of the farmers will be damaged, hence he requested not to conduct the sand auction, upon **Shri Dr. Pravin Joshi**, Member stated that answer is given during the project presentation and to the earlier questions also.
- (5) **Shri N.D. Kharat**, the Gramsevak, Sadeswangi, Tq. Ambad, Dist: Jalna stated that Grampanchayat early submitted affirmative Resolution for Sand Ghat Auction and after that has submitted negative Resolution, upon which **Shri Keshav Netake**, Residential Deputy Collector stated that the Grampanchayat has given affirmative Resolution by conducting Gramsabha regarding Sand Ghat due to which the said Sand Ghat has been proposed. Although, if there will be any objection to the Grampanchayat, same shall be informed to the Government on which necessary decision will be taken.

- (6) **Shri Babasaheb Trimbak Kharat**, Alamgaon, Tq. Ambad, Dist: Jalna raised a question that there was water scarcity problem to the citizens in the village due to Sand Ghat during the previous year, upon which **Shri Dr. Pravin Joshi**, Member stated that said Sand Ghat is a new project and after complete studying, approval has been given to the project and information regarding measures and plans is given during the presentation of said project.

Shri Ankush Pinate, the Additional District Collector stated that a change has been done in the auction of said Sand Ghat and instead of one year the Sand Ghat Auction will be done for three years.

Shri S. M. Kurmude and **Shri Dr. Pravin Joshi** again stated the public participants that that if anybody still would like to express any suggestion, objection, same may be expressed, but as there is no any suggestion, note from the public participants, the Convener of said hearing gave vote of thanks to the concerned and with the permission of the Chairman of said public hearing, declared that the working of said hearing is concluded.



(Dr. P.M. Joshi)

Member.

And

Regional Officer, MPCB, Aurangabad




(Keshav Netake)

Chairman.

And

Additional District Magistrate, Jalna



(S.M. Kurmude)

Convener.

And

Sub-Regional Officer, MPCB, Jalna

MINUTES OF ENVIRONMENTAL PUBLIC HEARING IN RESPECT OF PROPOSED SAND BELTS AT JAVKHEDA THENG, DEULGAON UGALE-NIMKHEDA, SAWANGI MERKHEDA IN JAFRABAD TALUKA AND WALSA DAWARGAON, WALSA1, WALSA2, JAVKHEDA THOMBARI IN BHOKARDAN TALUKA IN JALNA DISTRICT PROPOSED BY THE DISTRICT MINING OFFICER, COLLECTOR OFFICE, JALNA (GOVERNMENT OF MAHARASHTRA) CONDUCTED ON 21/10/2021 AT 10.30 A.M. AT TEHSIL OFFICE, JAFRABAD, TQ. JAFRABAD, DIST: JALNA.

An environmental public hearing in respect of **Proposed Sand Belts at Javkheda Theng, Deulgaon Ugale-Nimkheda, Sawangi, Merkheda in Jafrabad Taluka and Walsa Dawargaon, Walsa Khalsa1, Walsa Khalsa2, Jawkheda Thombri in Bhokardan Taluka in Jalna district** proposed by the District Mining Officer, Collector Office, Jalna (Government of Maharashtra) was conducted on 21/10/2021 at 10.30 a.m. at Tehsil Office, Jafrabad, Tq. Jafrabad, Dist: Jalna.

Following Panel members were present during the public hearing :

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| 1. | Shri Keshav Netake,
Residential Dy. Collector (RDC), Jalna,
Dist: Jalna. | Chairman. |
| 2. | Shri Dr. Pravin Joshi,
Regional Officer,
MPCB, Aurangabad | Member. |
| 3. | Shri S.M. Kurmude,
Sub-Regional Officer,
MPCB, Jalna. | Convener. |

The Hon'ble District Collector, Jalna by appointing **Shri Keshav Netake**, Residential Deputy Collector and Additional District Magistrate, Jalna as his representative for public hearing for environmental clearance for the proposed Sand Belts in Jafrabad Taluka and Bhokardan Taluka in Jalna district suggested for completing the process of said hearing under his Chairmanship; Accordingly, the said hearing is organized under the Chairmanship of the Hon'ble Residential Deputy Collector, Jalna on 21st October, 2021 at 10.30 a.m. at Tehsil Office, Jafrabad.

At the starting, **Shri S. M. Kurmude**, Sub-Regional Officer, Maharashtra Pollution Control Board, Jalna & Convener of Environmental Public Hearing Panel welcomed all those were present and briefed the preface regarding the public hearing with the permission of the Chairman of Public Hearing Panel. As per the Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Government of India, New Delhi Notification No. S.O. 1533 dated 14/09/2006 (as amended on 01/12/2009), the public hearing has been organized for recording the environmental

suggestions, thoughts, notes, objections regarding the said proposal. The application for conducting the Environmental Public Hearing regarding the Sand Ghats in Jalna district was received on 15/09/2021 at Maharashtra Pollution Control Board from the The District Mining Officer, Collector Office, Jalna. Accordingly, the Hon'ble District Collector, Jalna had for conducting the said Environmental Public Hearing at Tehsil Office, Jafrabad. Accordingly, today's Public Hearing is being conducted. A public notice regarding the same had been published in the newspapers Dainik Sakal (Marathi) and The Times of India (English) on 19/09/2021. It was mentioned for sending the suggestions, notes in writing or through e-mail up to 30 days at Sub-Regional Office, MPCB, Jalna by the institutes working regarding environment, residents to be displaced or to be affected by other means and the residents in the surrounding area of said Sand Ghats.

The documents (Marathi & English) containing the information regarding said project and summary of Environment Assessment Report were made available at the following offices :

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- District Industries Centre, Jalna.
- Zilla Parishad, Jalna.
- Tahsildar, Tehsil Office, Jafrabad, Tehsil Office, Bhokardan.
- Grampanchayat Office – Taluka Jafrabad – Mouje Javkheda Theng, Mouje Deulgaon Ugale-Nimkheda, Mouje Sawangi, Mouje Merkheda, Taluka Bhokardan – Mouje Walsa Dawargaon, Mouje Walsa Khalsa1, Mouje Walsa Khalsa2, Mouje Jawkheda Thombari.
- Sub-Regional Office, MPCB, Jalna.
- Regional Office, MPCB, Aurangabad.
- (Head Quarters) Maharashtra Pollution Control Board, Mumbai.
- Environment Department, Government of Maharashtra, Mantralaya, Mumbai.
- Regional Office, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Nagpur.

Shri S. M. Kurmude, Sub-Regional Officer, Maharashtra Pollution Control Board, Jalna & Convener of Environmental Public Hearing Panel briefed that according to the said public notice, the Sub-Regional Office, MPCB, Jalna has not received any objection, notes orally or in writing (through e-mail) regarding the Sand Ghats so far. He stated that if anybody would like to record environmental thoughts, suggestions, notes, etc. regarding said project, they may record the same orally or in writing here today also. He requested that the questions related with the environment only shall be asked so that proper guidance will be given by the Project Proponent and doubts will be cleared satisfactorily and it will be recorded in the minutes and alongwith Video CD of said Public Hearing, it will be submitted to the Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Government of Maharashtra for further necessary action. After that, with the permission of the Chairman of said Public Hearing, he requested the Project Proponent to brief the presentation of proposed project.

Accordingly, the Project Representative M/s. Enviro Techno Consultant Pvt. Ltd., Nagpur, **Shri Dr. Prasheel Shukla**, the Project Consultant gave presentation on various aspects about the project which includes the details of project, environmental pollution, plans, devices, control measures to be taken thereof etc. and further stated that as per the Govt. of Maharashtra Letter No. Sankirn-2019/P.K. 01/Ta.Ke. 3 dated 3rd December, 2019 a public hearing is required

to be conducted for the mining having area less than 5 hectares. Environmental Clearance is requested for the Sand Ghats proposed at Jafrabad and Bhokardan Taluka in Jalna district. Instead of drilling and blasting opencast manual method will be adopted in the said mining. The equipments like only spade, ghamela will be used. The sand excavation will be done from dry river bed only. For control of air pollution, water will be sprinkled regularly on the katcha road used for sand transporting, sand transporting will be carried out through tractor trolly, by covering with tarpaulin. For control of noise pollution, the mining work and sand transporting will be carried out during the day time only. For control of water pollution, the sand excavation will be carried out in the dry river bed only, the depth of mining pit will be kept above the river water level, the river flow will not be diverted for making the inactive ducts, vehicle washing will be prohibited in the river, care will be taken so as not to generate any effluent from the mining work, facility of mobile, toilet will be provided to the workers, excavation will be avoided during the monsoon and flood due to which sand lifting can recover, to maintain the land environment, the mining work will not be more than the capacity of taking permission, tree plantation will be developed at the river bank and nearby open space, for occupational health safety management, the mining operators will be provided with personal protective equipments, first-aid kits will be provided at the mining site, care will be taken so as not to cause damage to the environment.

The information of said Sand Ghats is as below :

Taluka Jafrabad-

Sr. No.	Name Sand Ghat	Gut No.	Area L x W x D	Area (Ha)	Available Sand Storage (Brass)
1	Javkheda Theng	Gut No. 15, 16, 50, 51, 89	410x25x0.60	1.025	2173
2	Deulgaon Ugale-Nimkheda	Gut No. 160, 162, 163, 174	450x25x0.50	1.125	1988
3	Sawangi	Gut No. 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261	500x30x1.00	1.50	5300
4	Merkheda	Gut No. 262, 263, 264, 265, 252, 261, 269, 268, 266, 26, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 267	500x30x0.50	1.50	2650

Taluka Bhokardan

Sr. No.	Name Sand Ghat	Gut No.	Area L x W x D	Area (Ha)	Available Sand Storage (Brass)
1	Walsa Dawargaon	Gut No. 132, 133, 154, 155	480x30x0.80	1.44	4071
2	Walsa Khalsa1	Gut No. 50, 51, 52,	475x22x0.80	1.045	2954

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3	Walsa Khalsa2	Gut No. 61, 62, 63, 66, 67	475x22x0.50	1.045	1846
4	Jawkheda Thombari	Gut No. 312, 313, 214, 326, 327	587x40x0.50	2.34	4147

The said information has been recorded in CD and recorded in brief in the minutes.

After concluding the presentation regarding the proposed project, **Shri. S. M. Kurmude**, Converner stated that if the presented are having any doubts, notes, same may be expressed so that it will be possible to record the same in the minutes of Environmental Public Hearing, and he requested them to tell their name and their village name first and then to record their say.

During the course of said public hearing, the public participants in the concerned area of Jafrabad and Bhokardan Taluka raised certain questions regarding the said project, which are as below :

- (1) **Shri. Laxman Ramkisan Thombare**, the Sarpanch, Jawkheda Thombari, Tq. Bhokardan, Dist: Jalna stated that it is a request of Grampanchayat to conduct auction of said Sand Ghat and for which a Resolution has been submitted, but sand excavation is done on a large scale, JCB and Tippar are used and transporting is done during night time in the village and generate the dust, while carrying out the sand excavation, the terms and conditions imposed by the Maharashtra Pollution Control Board shall be followed scrupulously by the contractors and workers and to carry the sand excavation accordingly so that the road in the village will not be damaged and the flying dust due to transporting will also not be generated, requested by him to the Administration. And he stated regarding tree plantation that instead of planting the trees through contractor, it shall be planted by the Grampanchayat so that it will be possible for nurture/protection and maintenance of the trees by the Grampanchayat office, such request is made by him to the Administration. According to which, **Shri Dr. Pravin Joshi**, Member requested the Project Consultant to give proper answer for the same. Upon which, the Project Consultant, **Shri. Prasheel Shukla** stated that the project of said Sand Ghat falls under Rule No. 69 & 70 as per policy of the Government dated 03/09/2019, in which the terms and conditions are stated. As per the said rule, excavation will be carried out by the vehicle tractor only at the Sand Ghat, there will be no permission for any type of heavy vehicle like J.C.B. or Hyva. The Contractor will have to submit the compliance report also. If it is observed that anybody is violating the Government rules, for initiation of necessary legal action against the same, two committees through Collector Office and Tehsil Office are formed at district level as follows :

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5	Executive Engineer, Public Works Department	Member
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7	Deputy Conservator of Forest	Member
8	Regional Transport Officer	Member
9	Regional Officer, Maharashtra Pollution Control Board	Member
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Taluka Level Committee

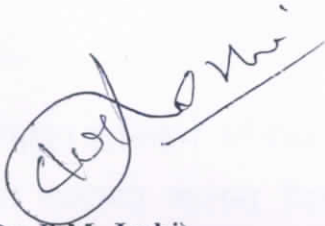
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4	Junior Geologist (nominated through Directorate of Geology & Mining)	Member
5	Batch Development Officer	Member
6	Deputy Engineer, Public Works Department	Member
7	Deputy Engineer, Water Resources Department	
8	Representative of Maharashtra Pollution Control Board	Member
9	Representative of Regional Transport Officer	Member
10	Tahsildar	Member Secretary

The Residential Deputy Collector stated on the issue regarding trees that the Grampanchayat shall inform by deciding the area for tree plantation on which proper decision will be taken by conducting discussion.

- (2) **Shri. Ashok Sitaram**, the Sarpanch, Deulgaon Ugale, Tq. Jafrabad, Dist: Jalna stated that the roads shall be granted in the village, the existing roads are being damaged due to sand transporting vehicles, no any action is being taken against the contractors. He also raised the objection that the Government fund to be received through District Mining is not received to the Grampanchayat so far, upon which **Shri Keshav Netake**, Residential Deputy Collector, Jalna stated that the amount to received as per rule will be given to the said Grampanchayat as per Appendix-IV of the Government Resolution dated 30/09/2019.
- (3) **Shri. Ganesh Gopi Chavan**, Grampanchayat Member, Nimkheda stated that in the said Sand Ghat, the Sand Ghat mentioned is as Deulgaon Ugale-Nimkheda, hence in which village the Sand Ghat is, raised such question by him, upon which the Project Consultant stated that the said Sand Ghat is in Deulgaon Ugale village, but as the shiv in the Sand Ghat area is adjoining it is mentioned as Deulgaon Ugale-Nimkheda.

Shri. Ankush Pinate, the Additional District Collector stated that a change has been done in the auction of said Sand Ghat and instead of one year the Sand Ghat Auction will be done for three years.

Shri. S. M. Kurmude and **Shri Dr. Pravin Joshi** again stated the public participants that that if anybody still would like to express any suggestion, objection, same may be expressed, but as there is no any suggestion, note from the public participants, the Convener of said hearing gave vote of thanks to the concerned and with the permission of the Chairman of said public hearing, declared that the working of said hearing is concluded.



(Dr. P.M. Joshi)

Member.

And

Regional Officer, MPCB, Aurangabad



(Keshav Netake)

Chairman.

And

Additional District Magistrate, Jalna



(S.M. Kurmude)

Convener.

And

Sub-Regional Officer, MPCB, Jalna

MINUTES OF ENVIRONMENTAL PUBLIC HEARING IN RESPECT OF PROPOSED SAND BELTS AT BADHAN (BK), GOLAPANGARI, PACHANVADGAON, KAUTHA, GHETULI, KARLA IN JALNA TALUKA IN JALNA DISTRICT PROPOSED BY THE DISTRICT MINING OFFICER, COLLECTOR OFFICE, JALNA (GOVERNMENT OF MAHARASHTRA) CONDUCTED ON 21/10/2021 AT 03.30 P.M. AT TEHSIL OFFICE, JALNA, TQ. & DIST: JALNA.

An environmental public hearing in respect of **Proposed Sand Belts at Badhan (Bk), Golapangari, Pachanvadgaon, Kautha, Ghetuli, Karla in Jalna Taluka in Jalna district** proposed by the District Mining Officer, Collector Office, Jalna (Government of Maharashtra) was conducted on 21/10/2021 at 03.30 p.m. at Tehsil Office, Jalna, Tq. & Dist: Jalna.

Following Panel members were present during the public hearing :

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| 1. | Shri Keshav Netake,
Residential Dy. Collector (RDC), Jalna,
Dist: Jalna. | Chairman. |
| 2. | Shri Dr. Pravin Joshi,
Regional Officer,
MPCB, Aurangabad | Member. |
| 3. | Shri S.M. Kurmude,
Sub-Regional Officer,
MPCB, Jalna. | Convener. |

The Hon'ble District Collector, Jalna by appointing **Shri Keshav Netake**, Residential Deputy Collector and Additional District Magistrate, Jalna as his representative for public hearing for environmental clearance for the proposed Sand Belts in Jalna Taluka in Jalna district suggested for completing the process of said hearing under his Chairmanship; Accordingly, the said hearing is organized under the Chairmanship of the Hon'ble Residential Deputy Collector, Jalna on 21st October, 2021 at 03.30 p.m. at Tehsil Office, Jalna.

At the starting, **Shri S. M. Kurmude**, Sub-Regional Officer, Maharashtra Pollution Control Board, Jalna & Convener of Environmental Public Hearing Panel welcomed all those were present and briefed the preface regarding the public hearing with the permission of the Chairman of Public Hearing Panel As per the Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Government of India, New Delhi Notification No. S.O. 1533 dated 14/09/2006 (as amended on 01/12/2009), the public hearing has been organized for recording the environmental suggestions, thoughts, notes, objections regarding the said proposal. The application for conducting the Environmental Public Hearing regarding the Sand Ghats in Jalna district was received on 15/09/2021 at Maharashtra Pollution Control Board from the The District Mining Officer, Collector Office, Jalna. Accordingly, the Hon'ble District Collector, Jalna had ordered

for conducting the said Environmental Public Hearing at Tehsil Office, Jalna. Accordingly, today's Public Hearing is being conducted. A public notice regarding the same had been published in the newspapers Dainik Sakal (Marathi) and The Times of India (English) on 19/09/2021. It was mentioned for sending the suggestions, notes in writing or through e-mail upto 30 days at Sub-Regional Office, MPCB, Jalna by the institutes working regarding environment, residents to be displaced or to be affected by other means and the residents in the surrounding area of said Sand Ghats.

The documents (Marathi & English) containing the information regarding said project and summary of Environment Assessment Report were made available at the following offices :

- Collector Office, Jalna.
- District Industries Centre, Jalna.
- Zilla Parishad, Jalna.
- Tahsildar, Tehsil Office, Jalna.
- Grampanchayat Office – Taluka Jalna– Mouje Badhan (Bk), Mouje Golapangari, Mouje Pachanvadgaon, Mouje Kautha, Mouje Ghetuli, Mouje Karla.
- Sub-Regional Office, MPCB, Jalna.
- Regional Office, MPCB, Aurangabad.
- (Head Quarters) Maharashtra Pollution Control Board, Mumbai.
- Environment Department, Government of Maharashtra, Mantralaya, Mumbai.
- Regional Office, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Nagpur.

Shri S. M. Kurmude, Sub-Regional Officer, Maharashtra Pollution Control Board, Jalna & Convener of Environmental Public Hearing Panel briefed that according to the said public notice, the Sub-Regional Office, MPCB, Jalna has not received any objection, notes orally or in writing (through e-mail) regarding the Sand Ghats so far. He stated that if anybody would like to record environmental thoughts, suggestions, notes, etc. regarding said project, they may record the same orally or in writing here today also. He requested that the questions related with the environment only shall be asked so that proper guidance will be given by the Project Proponent and doubts will be cleared satisfactorily and it will be recorded in the minutes and alongwith Video CD of said Public Hearing, it will be submitted to the Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, New Delhi for further necessary action. After that, with the permission of the Chairman of said Public Hearing, he requested the Project Proponent to brief the presentation of proposed project.

Accordingly, the Project Representative M/s. Enviro Techno Consultant Pvt. Ltd., Nagpur, **Shri Dr. Prasheel Shukla**, the Project Consultant gave presentation on various aspects about the project which includes the details of project, environmental pollution, plans, devices, control measures to be taken thereof etc. and further stated that as per the Govt. of Maharashtra Letter No. Sankirn-2019/P.K. 01/Ta.Ke. 3 dated 3rd December, 2019 a public hearing is required to be conducted for the mining having area less than 5 hectares. Environmental Clearance is requested for the Sand Ghats proposed at Jalna Taluka in Jalna district. Instead of drilling and blasting opencast manual method will be adopted in the said mining. The equipments like only spade, ghamela will be used. The sand excavation will be done from dry river bed only. For control of air pollution, water will be sprinkled regularly on the katcha road used for sand

transporting, sand transporting will be carried out through tractor trolly, by covering with tarpaulin. For control of noise pollution, the mining work and sand transporting will be carried out during the day time only. For control of water pollution, the sand excavation will be carried out in the dry river bed only, the depth of mining pit will be kept above the river water level, the river flow will not be diverted for making the inactive ducts, vehicle washing will be prohibited in the river, care will be taken so as not to generate any effluent from the mining work, facility of mobile, toilet will be provided to the workers, excavation will be avoided during the monsoon and flood due to which sand lifting can recover, to maintain the land environment, the mining work will not be more than the capacity of taking permission, tree plantation will be developed at the river bank and nearby open space, for occupational health safety management, the mining operators will be provided with personal protective equipments, first-aid kits will be provided at the mining site, care will be taken so as not to cause damage to the environment.

The information of said Sand Ghats is as below :

Taluka Jalna-

Sr. No.	Name Sand Ghat	Gut No.	Area L x W x D	Area (Ha)	Available Sand Storage (Brass)
1	Badhan (Bk)	Gut No. 167, 166, 165, 164, 162, 161	700x20x0.50	1.40	2473
2	Golapangari	Gut No. 139, 140, 111, 112	600x20x0.40	1.20	1696
3	Pachanvadgaon	Gut No. 474, 39, 272, 271, 270, 269, 258	1400x20x0.50	2.80	4947
4	Kautha	Gut No. 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 48	1000x22x0.80	2.20	6219
5	Ghetuli	Gut No. 53, 52, 47, 45, 44, 41, 39	520x27.50x0. 80	1.43	4042
6	Karla	Gat No. <i>Gairan</i> (06), 86, 87	900x25x0.40	2.25	3180

The said information has been recorded in CD and recorded in brief in the minutes.

After concluding the presentation regarding the proposed project, **Shri S. M. Kurmude**, Convener stated that if the presented are having any doubts, notes, same may be expressed so that it will be possible to record the same in the minutes of Environmental Public Hearing, and he requested them to tell their name and their village name first and then to record their say.

During the course of said public hearing, the public participants in the concerned area of Jalna Taluka in Jalna district raised certain questions regarding the said project, which are as below :

- (1) **Shri Dnyaneshwar Kundlik Devare**, the Sarpanch, Badhana (Bk), Tq. & Dist: Jalna raised a question that whether there will be some benefit to the Grampanchayat if the sand excavation of said Sand Ghat is conducted, upon which **Shri Keshav Netake**, Residential Deputy Collector, Jalna stated that 25% amount from whatever the amount to be received after conducting the Sand Ghat auction will be paid to the said Grampanchayat office which will definitely be the benefit to the Grampanchayat.
- (2) **Shri Anil Puri**, the (Mandal Adhikari), Jalna raised the question that whether the crops in the agriculture farms will be damaged due to said sand transporting, and whether there are some measures if crops damaged or whether any assistance can be given to the farmers if damages occurred, accordingly, **Shri Dr. Pravin Joshi**, Member requested the Project Consultant to give detail information regarding the project measures, upon which, the Project Consultant, **Shri Prasheel Shukla** stated that in the said proposed Sand Ghat Environment Management Plan detail information regarding air pollution control measures is given in the following table :

Sr. No.	Source of Pollution	Anticipated Impact	Management Plan
1	Transport Road / Sand Transporting Road	Air Quality/Land, Road Stability, Road Degradation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transporting road stability • Transporting road maintenance • Mineral transporting as per approved capacity • Air quality monitoring during excavation period
2	Truck / Tractor Movement	Air Quality	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Not to load mineral in tractor more than the approved capacity • Sand carrying tractor trollys shall be covered with tarpaulin during transporting • To provide speed controller to the vehicles • To close the engine while loading the sand at Sand Ghat
3	Sand Ghat and Sand Ghat Road	Excavation Process	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To repair and maintain the Sand Ghat Holage road frequently • To provide dust mask to workers • To carry the sand excavation and transporting during day time
4	River Bank Management	River Bank Erosion, Flood Line Management	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To plant trees at the river bank • To plant grass at slope area of river bank

The measures are taken as per the said Table, and due to which the dust to be generated due to vehicles will be very less in quantity and due to which the crop in the nearby agriculture farms will not damage. It is stated that as per the rule, excavation will be carried out by the vehicle tractor only at the Sand Ghat, there will be no permission for

any type of heavy vehicle like J.C.B. or Hyva. The Contractor will have to submit the compliance report also, if it is observed that anybody is violating the Government rules, for initiation of necessary legal action against the same, two committees through Collector Office and Tehsil Office are formed at district level as follows :

District Level Committee

Sr.No.	Name of Committee Member	Role
1	Hon'ble District Collector	Chairman
2	Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Parishad	Member
3	Superintendent of Police	Member
4	Additional District Collector	Member
5	Executive Engineer, Public Works Department	Member
6	Executive Engineer, Water Resources Department	Member
7	Deputy Conservator of Forest	Member
8	Regional Transport Officer	Member
9	Regional Officer, Maharashtra Pollution Control Board	Member
10	Senior Geologist, Groundwater Survey Agency	Member
11	District Mining Officer	Member Secretary

Taluka Level Committee

Sr.No.	Name of Committee Member	Role
1	Sub Divisional Officer	Chairman
2	Sub Divisional Police Officer	Member
3	Junior Geologist, Groundwater Survey Agency	Member
4	Junior Geologist (nominated through Directorate of Geology & Mining)	Member
5	Batch Development Officer	Member
6	Deputy Engineer, Public Works Department	Member
7	Deputy Engineer, Water Resources Department	Member
8	Representative of Maharashtra Pollution Control Board	Member
9	Representative of Regional Transport Officer	Member
10	Tahsildar	Member Secretary

Shri Ankush Pinate, the Additional District Collector stated that a change has been done in the auction of said Sand Ghat and instead of one year the Sand Ghat Auction will be done for three years.

Shri S. M. Kurmude stated the public participants that that if anybody still would like to express any suggestion, objection, same may be expressed, but as there is no any suggestion, note from the public participants, the Convener of said hearing gave vote of thanks to the

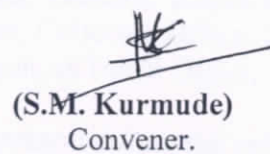
concerned and with the permission of the Chairman of said public hearing, declared that the working of said hearing is concluded.


(Dr. P.M. Joshi)
Member.

And
Regional Officer, MPCB, Aurangabad


(Keshav Netake)
Chairman.

And
Additional District Magistrate, Jalna


(S.M. Kurmude)
Convener.

And
Sub-Regional Officer, MPCB, Jalna

MINUTES OF ENVIRONMENTAL PUBLIC HEARING IN RESPECT OF PROPOSED SAND BELTS AT KIRLA-TAKALKHOPA, KIRLA-WAGHALA, WAGHALA-BHUVAN, KANADI-USWAD IN MANTHA TALUKA AND DOLHARA-BABULTARA, GOLEGAON WALUGHAT IN PARTUR TALUKA IN JALNA DISTRICT PROPOSED BY THE DISTRICT MINING OFFICER, COLLECTOR OFFICE, JALNA (GOVERNMENT OF MAHARASHTRA) CONDUCTED ON 22/10/2021 AT 03.30 P.M. AT TEHSIL OFFICE, MANTHA, TQ. MANTHA, DIST: JALNA.

An environmental public hearing in respect of **Proposed Sand Belts at Kirla-Takalkhopa, Kirla-Waghala, Waghala-Bhuvan, Kanadi-Uswad in Mantha Taluka and Dolhara-Babultara, Golegaon Walughat in Partur Taluka in Jalna district** proposed by the District Mining Officer, Collector Office, Jalna (Government of Maharashtra) was conducted on 22/10/2021 at 0330 p.m. at Tehsil Office, Mantha, Tq. Mantha, Dist: Jalna.

Following Panel members were present during the public hearing :

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| 1. | Shri Keshav Netake,
Residential Dy. Collector (RDC), Jalna,
Dist: Jalna. | Chairman. |
| 2. | Shri Dr. Pravin Joshi,
Regional Officer,
MPCB, Aurangabad | Member. |
| 3. | Shri S.M. Kurmude,
Sub-Regional Officer,
MPCB, Jalna. | Convener. |

The Hon'ble District Collector, Jalna by appointing **Shri Keshav Netake**, Residential Deputy Collector and Additional District Magistrate, Jalna as his representative for public hearing for environmental clearance for the proposed Sand Belts in Mantha Taluka and Partur Taluka in Jalna district suggested for completing the process of said hearing under his Chairmanship; Accordingly, the said hearing is organized under the Chairmanship of the Hon'ble Residential Deputy Collector, Jalna on 22nd October, 2021 at 03.30 p.m. at Tehsil Office, Mantha.

At the starting, **Shri S. M. Kurmude**, Sub-Regional Officer, Maharashtra Pollution Control Board, Jalna & Convener of Environmental Public Hearing Panel welcomed all those were present and briefed the preface regarding the public hearing with the permission of the Chairman of Public Hearing Panel As per the Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Government of India, New Delhi Notification No. S.O. 1533 dated 14/09/2006 (as amended on 01/12/2009), the public hearing has been organized for recording the environmental suggestions, thoughts, notes, objections regarding the said proposal. The application for

conducting the Environmental Public Hearing regarding the Sand Ghats in Jalna district was received on 15/09/2021 at Maharashtra Pollution Control Board from the The District Mining Officer, Collector Office, Jalna. Accordingly, the Hon'ble District Collector, Jalna had for conducting the said Environmental Public Hearing at Tehsil Office, Mantha. Accordingly, today's Public Hearing is being conducted. A public notice regarding the same had been published in the newspapers Dainik Sakal (Marathi) and The Times of India (English) on 19/09/2021. It was mentioned for sending the suggestions, notes in writing or through e-mail up to 30 days at Sub-Regional Office, MPCB, Jalna by the institutes working regarding environment, residents to be displaced or to be affected by other means and the residents in the surrounding area of said Sand Ghats.

The documents (Marathi & English) containing the information regarding said project and summary of Environment Assessment Report were made available at the following offices :

- Collector Office, Jalna.
- District Industries Centre, Jalna.
- Zilla Parishad, Jalna.
- Tahsildar, Tehsil Office, Mantha, Tehsil Office, Partur.
- Grampanchayat Office – Taluka Mantha – Mouje Kirla-Takalkhopa, Mouje Kirla-Waghala, Mouje Waghala-Bhuvan, Mouje Kanadi-Uswad, Taluka Partur – Mouje Dolhara-Babultara, Mouje Golegaon.
- Sub-Regional Office, MPCB, Jalna.
- Regional Office, MPCB, Aurangabad.
- (Head Quarters) Maharashtra Pollution Control Board, Mumbai.
- Environment Department, Government of Maharashtra, Mantralaya, Mumbai.
- Regional Office, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Nagpur.

Shri S. M. Kurmude, Sub-Regional Officer, Maharashtra Pollution Control Board, Jalna & Convener of Environmental Public Hearing Panel briefed that according to the said public notice, the Sub-Regional Office, MPCB, Jalna has not received any objection, notes orally or in writing (through e-mail) regarding the Sand Ghats so far. He stated that if anybody would like to record environmental thoughts, suggestions, notes, etc. regarding said project, they may record the same orally or in writing here today also. He requested that the questions related with the environment only shall be asked so that proper guidance will be given by the Project Proponent and doubts will be cleared satisfactorily and it will be recorded in the minutes and alongwith Video CD of said Public Hearing, it will be submitted to the Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, New Delhi for further necessary action. After that, with the permission of the Chairman of said Public Hearing, he requested the Project Proponent to brief the presentation of proposed project.

Accordingly, the Project Representative M/s. Enviro Techno Consultant Pvt. Ltd., Nagpur, **Shri Dr. Prasheel Shukla**, the Project Consultant gave presentation on various aspects about the project which includes the details of project, environmental pollution, plans, devices, control measures to be taken thereof etc. and further stated that as per the Govt. of Maharashtra Letter No. Sankirn-2019/P.K. 01/Ta.Ke. 3 dated 3rd December, 2019 a public hearing is required to be conducted for the mining having area less than 5 hectares. Environmental Clearance is

requested for the Sand Ghats proposed at Mantha and Partur Taluka in Jalna district. Instead of drilling and blasting opencast manual method will be adopted in the said mining. The equipments like only spade, ghamela will be used. The sand excavation will be done from dry river bed only. For control of air pollution, water will be sprinkled regularly on the katcha road used for sand transporting, sand transporting will be carried out through tractor trolly, by covering with tarpaulin. For control of noise pollution, the mining work and sand transporting will be carried out during the day time only. For control of water pollution, the sand excavation will be carried out in the dry river bed only, the depth of mining pit will be kept above the river water level, the river flow will not be diverted for making the inactive ducts, vehicle washing will be prohibited in the river, care will be taken so as not to generate any effluent from the mining work, facility of mobile, toilet will be provided to the workers, excavation will be avoided during the monsoon and flood due to which sand lifting can recover, to maintain the land environment, the mining work will not be more than the capacity of taking permission, tree plantation will be developed at the river bank and nearby open space, for occupational health safety management, the mining operators will be provided with personal protective equipments, first-aid kits will be provided at the mining site, care will be taken so as not to cause damage to the environment.

The information of said Sand Ghats is as below :

Taluka Mantha-

Sr. No.	Name Sand Ghat	Gut No.	Area L x W x D	Area (Ha)	Available Sand Storage (Brass)
1	Kirla-Takalkhopa	Kirla – Gut No. 40, 41, 42, 43, 47, 48, 50, 51 Takalkhopa – Gut No. 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 46, 47, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 102	650x50x1.00	3.25	11484
2	Kirla-Waghala	Kirla – Gut No. 151, 152 Waghala – Gut No. 85, 106, 136, 137	500x60x1.00	3.00	10601
3	Waghala – Bhuvan	Waghala – Gut No. 218, 211, 210, 209, 208, 180, 179, 178 Bhuvan - Gut No. 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 08, 09, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19	500x50x1.00	2.50	8834
4	Kanadi-Uswad	Kanadi – Gut No.	400x50x1.00	2.00	7067

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Taluka Partur-

Sr. No.	Name Sand Ghat	Gut No.	Area L x W x D	Area (Ha)	Available Sand Storage (Brass)
1	Dolhara-Babultara	Dolhara – Gut No. 54, 55, 59, 60, 61, 72, 73, 74, 75 Babultara – Gut No. 349, 351, 352, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40	700x70x0.80	4.90	13851
2	Golegaon	Gut No. 339, 338, 337, 336, 335	500x60x1.00	3.00	10600

The said information has been recorded in CD and recorded in brief in the minutes.

After concluding the presentation regarding the proposed project, **Shri S. M. Kurmude**, Convener stated that if the presented are having any doubts, notes, same may be expressed so that it will be possible to record the same in the minutes of Environmental Public Hearing, and he requested them to tell their name and their village name first and then to record their say.

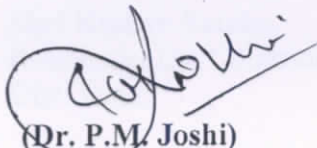
During the course of said public hearing, the public participants in the concerned area of Mantha and Partur Taluka raised certain questions regarding the said project, which are as below :

- (1) **Shri Shankar Bandge**, the Dy. Sarpanch, Kirla, Tq. Mantha, Dist: Jalna raised a question that which will be the contractor in the said Sand Ghat auction, upon which **Shri Dr. Pravin Joshi**, Member stated that the said public hearing is regarding environment, hence, if the questions are related with the environment, same shall be asked. After that **Shri Keshav Netake**, the Residential Deputy Collector, Jalna stated that survey of said Sand Ghat is completed, the said Grampanchayat will be informed while appointing the contractor.
- (2) **Shri Satish Chithale**, the Sarpanch, Dolhara, Tq. Partur, Dist: Jalna stated that the Sand Ghat auction was not conducted during the last year and requested that the Sand Ghat auction shall be conducted as per the terms and conditions of the Government during this year, upon which **Shri Keshav Netake**, the Residential Deputy Collector, Jalna stated that Environmental Public Hearing is being conducted for conducting the Sand Ghat auction only.

- (3) **Shri Satish Mahadev Khandare**, Kanadi, Tq. Mantha, Dist: Jalna stated that the roads in the village damage due to sand transporting and those are also not repaired, hence he humbly requested to provide measures for the roads in the village, upon which **Shri Keshav Netake**, the Residential Deputy Collector, Jalna stated that money will be given to the Grampanchayat for repairing of roads after conducting the Sand Ghat auction and till that time, katcha murum road will be constructed.

Shri Ankush Pinate, the Additional District Collector stated that a change has been done in the auction of said Sand Ghat and instead of one year the Sand Ghat Auction will be done for three years.

Shri S. M. Kurmude and **Shri Dr. Pravin Joshi** again stated the public participants that that if anybody still would like to express any suggestion, objection, same may be expressed, but as there is no any suggestion, note from the public participants, the Convener of said hearing gave vote of thanks to the concerned and with the permission of the Chairman of said public hearing, declared that the working of said hearing is concluded.



(Dr. P.M. Joshi)

Member.

And

Regional Officer, MPCB, Aurangabad



(Keshav Netake)

Chairman.

And

Additional District Magistrate, Jalna



(S.M. Kurmude)

Convener.

And

Sub-Regional Officer, MPCB, Jalna