HALF YEARLY

ENVIRONMENT CLEARANCE COMPLIANCE REPORT

OF

CLUSTER 9

J-11015/38/2011-IA.II(M)

FOR THE PERIOD OF

April 2018 TO September 2018



Eastern Coalfields Limited
(A subsidiary of Coal India Ltd.)



Ref. No: ECL/PC/SUR/18-19/119

Date: 14.1/2 2018

UNDERTAKING

Information provided in Half yearly EC compliance report for the period April to September, 2018 in respect of the following mines of Cluster no. 10 is true to the best of my knowledge:

SL	MINE	NAME OF THE MANAGER	SIGNATURE OF THE MANAGER
NO.	Belbaid UG	SURJIT SHAMAL	
2.	Belbaid OC Patch	Hunder Charles	deli
3.	Parasea UG	GUL AHAMMED	A
4.	Parasea OC Patch		SA 1
5.	Parasea 6&7 UG		A.

Agent/ Project Proponent (Parasea Group of Mines)



Ref. No:ANC/Agent/EC COMP/2018-19/5

Date:03.11.2018

UNDERTAKING

Information provided in Half yearly EC compliance report for the period April to September, 2018 in respect of the following mines of Cluster no. 09 is true to the best of my knowledge:

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SL	MINE	NAME OF THE MANAGER	SIGNATURE OF
NO.			THE MANAGER
1.	Amritnagar UG	Amitava Das	Josh /
2.	Mahabir UG	Ashok Kumar Karmakar	AN
3.	Mahabir OC	Ashok Kumar Karmakar	AW.
4.	Narinkuri OC Patch	Ashok Kumar Karmakar	9 W
5.	Egara OC Patch	Ashok Kumar Karmakar	AW.
6.	Narainkuri UGP	Ashok Kumar Karmakar	AW

Agent/Project Proponent (Amritnagar Group of Mines)



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UNDERTAKING

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SL NO.	MINE	NAME OF THE MANAGER	SIGNATURE OF THE MANAGER
1.	North Searsole UG		
2.	North Searsole (East) OC Patch	A.K.Singh	the state of the s
3.	North Searsole (West) OC Patch		
4.	Bansra UG	Jay Narayan Halder	
5.	Bansra OC Patch	Jay Narayan Halder	To you

Agent/ Project Proponent (Bansra Group of Mines)



tef. No: AGENT/KNT/18-19/4135

Date: 28 -11.18

UNDERTAKING

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SL	MINE	NAME OF THE MANAGER	SIGNATURE OF
NO.			THE MANAGER
1.	Kunustoria UG	R.K. Bandyopadhya.	0
2.	Amrasota UG		

Agent/ Project Proponent (Kunustoria Group of Mines)



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UNDERTAKING

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Name of the mine	Name of the Manager	Signature of the Manager
Ghusick UG	Shri Prasoon Smriti	25/10/2012
Kalipahari UG		Je see 3
Kalipahari OCP	Shri Anil Kumar	AGENT OF W
	Ghusick UG Kalipahari UG	Name of the mine Manager Ghusick UG Shri Prasoon Smriti Kalipahari UG Shri Anil Kumar

Agent/Project Proponent Adent Kaiipahari Group of Mines (Signature with Seal)

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UNDERTAKING

Information provided in half yearly EC compliance report for the period April'18 to September'18 in respect of the following group of mines mentioned under Satgram area of respective Clusters no. 8 and 9 is true to the best of my knowledge:

EC Cluster	SL NO.	MINES	NAME OF THE MANAGER	SIGNATURE OF THE MANAGER	NAME OF THE AGENT	SIGNATURE OF THE AGENT
Cluster 9	JK Nagar Group	JK Nagar UG	D.K Singh	Three	Kamlesh Prasad	and
	Ratibati Group	Chapuikhas UG	Rajiv Kr Sinha	Jas	Shyamal Banerjee	Am
	Nimcha Group	Nimcha UG & Amkola OCP	Asim Kr Mondal	facel	Subhash Chandra Moitra	Çhm
Cluster 8	Satgram Group	Satgram UG	Kusal Kr Chatterjee	8/	Apurba Kr Pal	V





Condition	The maximum production from the mine at any given time shall not exceed the			
no. i)	limit as prescribed in the EC.			
Complianc	Complied			
е	Mine Mine	<u>Peak EC</u>	Production in MT (April to	
		<u>Capacity</u>	<u>Sept 18)</u>	
		(MTPA)		
	Ratibati UG	0.04	Production suspended	
	Chapuikhas UG	0.06	0.018076	
	Chapuikhas OCP (7Ha)	0.15	Production not Started	
	Amritnagar UG	0.60	0.059169	
	Tirat UG & Kuardih UG	0.15	Production Suspended	
	Kuardih OCP (20Ha)	0.25	Production not Started	
	Nimcha UG	1.08	0.087808	
	Damalia OCP (5Ha)	0.40	Production suspended	
	Amkola/Nimcha OCP	0.25	0.147437	
	Kalipahari UG	0.10	0.001540	
	Kalipahari OCP patch A (24 Ha)	0.30	0.068030	
	Kalipahari OCP patch B (20 Ha)		Production not started	
	Kalipahari OCP patch C (10 Ha)		Production suspended	
	Kalipahari OCP patch D (10Ha)		Production not started	
	Ghusick UG	1.93	Production suspended	
	Musila UG		Production suspended	
	Musila OCP (140Ha)		Production not started	
	New Ghusick UG		Production suspended	
	Jemehari UG	0.04	Production Suspended	
	JK Nagar UG	0.2	0.075143	
	JK Nagar OCP (21Ha)	0.40	Production not Started	
	Puresearsol OCP(8Ha)	0.12	Production not Started	
	Mallik Basti OCP(8Ha)	0.26	Production suspended	
	Damara UG	0.05	Production Suspended	
	Mahabir UG & Egara OC	0.38	0.235155	
	Narainkuri OCP	2.50	0.275861	
Condition	The validity of the EC is for th	e life of th	e mine or as specified in the I	EIA
no. ii)	Notification, 2006, whichever is ea	arlier.		
Complianc e	Agreed			
Condition	The quality of water should of	onform to	the prescribed standards before	ore
no. iii)	discharged into nallahs.			
Complianc	Regular monitoring of quality of	water is ca	rried out by CMPDIL and found	to
e	conform to standards prescribed by CPCB.			
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Condition no. iv)	The EC be only for peak value only. PP should ensure the mine water discharge shall comply to the prescribed standards.
Complianc e	Agreed.
Condition	All commitments made in the Public Hearing shall be fully implemented.
no. v)	
Complianc	All efforts are made to implement the commitments made in the Public Hearing.
e	
Condition	Adequate measures shall be taken to mitigate subsidence as per DGMS
no. vi)	stipulations.
Complianc	Regular inspection is being done by pit Safety committee headed by Safety
e	Officers on the surface over and around the working area for any sign of
	subsidence.
Condition	There shall be no voids and OB dumps after the end of mining.
no. vii)	The contain be no voids and ob damps after the cha of mining.
Complianc	Agreed and Noted
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Condition	The lands shall be brought back for agricultural use at the end of mining.
no. viii)	The lands shall be brought back for agricultural ase at the end of mining.
Complianc	Agreed and Noted
e	Agreed and Noted
Condition	Existing voids shall be brought back to atleast to a level adequate for pisciculture.
no. ix)	Existing voids shall be brought back to direast to a level adequate for pisciculture.
Complianc	Agreed and Noted
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Condition	New voids shall be completely filled up to near ground position.
no. x)	The state of the s
Complianc	Agreed and Noted
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Condition	50% of old voids shall be filled up and other 50% of old voids shall be filled upto
no. xi)	15 meter for the purpose of pisciculture.
Complianc	Agreed and noted
e	
Condition	There shall be no flyash utilization in the mine voids. Fire in the OBDs shall be
no. xii)	quenched by blanketing and shall be re-vegetated.
Complianc	Agreed
e	
Condition	The surface drainages shall be preserved.
no. xiii)	
Complianc	Surface drainages are being preserved.
e	
Condition	All safety measures shall be taken as per CMR, 1957 and related Circulars.
no. xiv)	

Complianc e	All safety measures are being taken as provided in CMR- 1957 & related Circulars.
Condition no. xv)	The production shall be within the same Mining Lease area.
Complianc	The production is within the same Mining Lease
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Condition	Coal shall be transported by rail only. Coal transportation from mine to siding
no. xvi)	should be by conveyor belt. The loading to siding by payloaders into railway
	wagons.
Complianc	As of now, Coal transportation from the mines to railway siding are being done by
e	tarpaulin covered trucks. The loaded trucks are made wet and then covered with
	tarpaulins for transportation.
Condition	Independent network of railway sidings inside cluster be developed. Railway
no. xvii)	sidings should be constructed at the earliest and till then proponent may use
	mechanically covered trucks for transportation of coal.
Complianc	Satgram: There are currently two railway sidings (MS Siding & Nimcha Railway
e	Siding) serving to the mines under cluster 9. Coal is transported to railway sidings
	from the mines by dedicated black-topped road especially constructed for the
	purpose. Coal transportation from mine to siding through belt conveyors is not
	feasible because, the capacity of the mines are less.
Condition	Three tier green belts shall be raised around the railway sidings and along the
no. xviii)	road sides to prevent duct and noise pollution.
Complianc	Healthy natural vegetation is already present along the road sides and railway
е	siding to prevent air and noise pollution and due to restriction of space no further
	plantation around railway siding is possible. Further a thick brick wall of 10 feet
	height approx is present around the siding to prevent air and noise pollution.
Condition	Stowing and depillaring shall be as per the recommendations of the DGMS.
no. xix)	
Complianc	Stowing and depillaring are being done as per the recommendations of the DGMS
e	The consequence of a second of the Decision's Astina Disast The contable consequences.
Condition	The proponent must comply with Raniganj Action Plan. The unstable areas within
no. xx)	the cluster will be brought under plantation after the population residing over
	these areas is rehabilitated under the master plan for Raniganj Coalfield to be
Complianc	Is complied with the master plan for Raniganj coalfields which is implemented by
e	ADDA, Govt. of West Bengal
Condition	Trees with deep rooted system should be planted so as to prevent soil erosion.
no. xxi)	rices with acep rooted system should be planted so as to prevent son crosion.
Complianc	Trees with deep-rooted system are planted in consultation with state forest dept.
e	to prevent soil erosion.
Condition	Proponent should plant additional 10 Ha/ year over the next 10 years at various
no. xxii)	locations within this Cluster.
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Complianc	Agreed and noted.
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Condition	River/ nallahs shall be desilted and restored back to functional state.
no. xxiii)	
Complianc	Agreed and noted
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Condition	Wild life conservation plan be prepared and submitted to the MOEFCC with the
no. xxiv)	approval of State Gov.
Complianc	Addl. PCCF (wildlife), Govt. of West Bengal has been requested to prepare
е	Wildlife Conservation plan of entire Raniganj Coalfield.
Condition	Proponent shall use high resolution image of all clusters for evaluating land use,
no. xxv)	plantation etc.
Complianc	Land use pattern and plantation is being monitored by satellite surveillance based
e	on satellite imagery
Condition	Separate drainage pattern be provided.
no. xxvi)	
Complianc	Separate drainage pattern will be provided where required.
е	
Condition	Sand stowing must be used as recommended by CMPDI.
no. xxvii)	
Complianc	Sand stowing is being used as recommended by CMPDI.
е	
Condition	Action plan for prevention and mitigation of subsidence be prepared and
no. xxviii)	implemented.
Complianc	Action plan for prevention and mitigation of subsidence has been prepared and
е	implemented as per DGMS guidelines.
Condition	The OC Patches to be operated will be completely filled-up after exhaustion of
no. xxix)	reserves and reclaimed with plantation.
Complianc	Noted and Agreed
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Condition	The OB shall be completely re-handled at the end of the mining.
no. xxx)	
Complianc	Noted and Agreed
е	
Condition	There shall be no residual OB dump after the mining.
no. xxxi)	
Complianc	Noted and Agreed
е	
Condition	After completion of mining activities, the subsided areas shall be graded and
no. xxxii)	planted upon.
Complianc	Noted and Agreed
е	
Condition	Coal Extraction shall also be optimized in areas where agricultural production is

no. xxxiii)	continuing. Some pillars shall be left below the agricultural land. No depillaring and coal extraction should be carried out below habitation, H.T. lines and
	beneath road, water bodies.
Complianc e	Coal Extraction is being carried out as per DGMS permissions and guidelines
Condition no. xxxiv)	The land excavated after mining must be brought back to original condition for agricultural / plantation purpose
Complianc e	Noted and Agreed
Condition no. xxxv)	Mine discharge water is being treated in slow sand filter/ pressure filter along with chlorination and used for drinking water.
Complianc e	Mine water discharge is being treated by rapid sand, slow sand and pressure filters for drinking purpose where ever necessary under Satgram Area. Note: No Rapid or Slow Sand Filters in Sripur.
Condition no. xxxvi)	Regular monitoring of subsidence movement on the surface over and around the working area and impact on natural drainage pattern, water bodies, vegetation, structure, roads and surroundings shall be continued till movement ceases completely. In case of observation of any high rate of subsidence movement, appropriate effective corrective measures shall be taken to avoid loss of life and material. Cracks shall be effectively plugged with ballast and clayey soil/suitable material.
Complianc e	Regular inspection is being done by the pit safety committee headed by Safety Officer on the surface over and around the working area for any sign of subsidence.
Condition no. xxxvii)	If subsidence is found exceeding the permitted limits, then the landowners shall be adequately compensated with mutual agreement of the landowners.
Complianc e	Noted and agreed
Condition no. xxxviii)	Water sprinkling system shall be provided to check fugitive emissions from loading operations, conveyor system, haulage roads, transfer points, etc. Major approach roads shall be black topped and properly maintained.
Complianc e	Water sprinkling system have been provided and major approach road has been blacktopped and properly maintained
Condition	The CSR cost should be Rs. 5 per Tonne of Coal produced which should be
no. xxxix)	adjusted as per the annual inflation.
Complianc e	CSR cost at the rate of 2% of the net profit has kept for the purpose.
Condition no. xl)	The mining in the existing mines should be phased out after expiry of the current mining lease and after reclamation of the mined-out area. The operating mines may be analysed and monitored for compliance of conditions, bearing with movement of wildlife and until such time they are closed/ phased out.
Complianc e	Noted and Agreed

Condition	Everybody in the core area should be provided with mask for protection against
no. xli)	fugitive dust emissions.
Complianc	In order to provide protection against fugitive dust emission, dust masks are
е	being provided to people working in the core area
Condition	Dust mask to be provided to everyone working in the mining area.
no. xlii)	
Complianc	Dust mask have been provided to everyone working in the mining area
е	
Condition	The supervisory staff should be held personally responsible for ensuring
no. xliii)	compulsory regarding wearing of dust mask in the core area.
Complianc	Supervisory staff ensures compulsory wearing of the dust masks in the core area
е	
Condition	People working in the core area should be periodically tested for the lung
no. xliv)	diseases and the burden of cost on account of working in the coal mining area.
Complianc	20 % of the work force is covered under periodic medical examination each year
е	including lung diseases the cost of which is borne by the company
Condition	The mining area should be grounded by green belt having thick closed thick
no. xlv)	canopy of the tree cover.
Complianc	Most of the mines in this cluster are UG mines and as such pollution load is
е	concentrated in mine working faces. However, the region has Natural Vegetation.
	Additional Plantation is being done at the rate of 10Ha/year.
Condition	Besides carrying out regular periodic health check-up of their workers,10% of the
no. xlvi)	workers identified from workforce engaged in the active mining operations shall
	be subjected to health check-up for occupational diseases and hearing
	impairment, if any, through an specialized agency/institution within the
	District/State and the results reported to this ministry and to DGMS.
Complianc	Periodical Medical Examination (PME) are carried out for all employees once in
е	every 5 years (@ 20% employees/year). This PME is mandatory for all employees.
	Special cases diagnosed during such PMEs are monitored at shorter intervals as
	directed by the PME Board of Doctors. All serious diseases and impairments are
	reported to DGMS at regular intervals.
Condition	The embankment constructed along the river boundary shall be of suitable
no. xlvii)	dimensions and critical patches shall be strengthened by stone pitching on the
	river front side and stabilized with plantation so as to withstand the peak water
	flow and prevent mine inundation.
Complianc	Agreed and noted
e Condition	There shall be no everflow of OD into the viver and into the equipulational fields and
	There shall be no overflow of OB into the river and into the agricultural fields and
no. xlviii)	massive plantation of native species shall be taken up in the area between the
Complianc	river and the project.
Complianc	Agreed
Condition	Catch drains and siltation nands of appropriate size shall be constructed to arrest
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Compliance Condition	silt and sediment flow from soil, OB and mineral dumps. The water so collected shall be regularly watering the mine area, roads, green belt development, etc. The drains shall be regularly desilted and maintained properly. Garland drains (size, gradient and length) and sump capacity shall be designed keeping 50% safety margin over and above the peak sudden rainfall and maximum discharge in the area adjoining the mine site. Sump capacity shall also provide adequate retention period to allow proper settling of silt material. Permanent masonry drains of size range 200 to 600 m, 0.90 m to 2 m and 0.6 m to 2 m depth and 1 in 30 gradients, depending on the catchment have been constructed for evacuation of rain water. The size of the drain is large enough to take care of heavy downpours. The drain is cleared of debris before start of the monsoon season as part of our annual monsoon preparation program. Garland drains (size, gradient & length) around the safety areas such as mine shaft and low lying areas and sump capacity shall be resigned keeping 50% safety margin over and above the peak sudden rainfall and maximum discharge in the area adjoining the mine sites. Sump capacity shall also provide adequate
	retention period to allow proper settling of silt material.
Complianc e	Permanent masonry drains of size range 200 to 600 m, 0.90 m to 2 m and 0.6 m to 2 m depth and 1 in 30 gradients, depending on the catchment have been constructed for evacuation of rain water. The size of the drain is large enough to take care of heavy downpours. The drain is cleared of debris before start of the monsoon season as part of our annual monsoon preparation program.
Condition no. li)	Dimensions of the retaining wall at the toe of the dumps and OB benches within the mine to check rum-off and siltation shall be based on the rainfall data.
Complianc e	Agreed and Noted
Condition no.lii)	Crushers at the CHP of adequate capacity for the expansion project shall be operated with high efficiency bag filters, water sprinkling system shall be provided to check fugitive emissions from crushing operations, conveyor system, haulage roads, transfer points, etc.
Complianc e	No CHP is present in the cluster: water sprinkling system is being done by mobile sprinklers and manual sprinkling to check fugitive emissions from crushing operations, conveyor system, haulage roads, transfer points, etc.
Condition no. liii)	Mine Discharge water outside the ML shall be monitored, particularly for TDS and treated to conform to prescribed levels before discharge into the natural environment.
Complianc	Mine discharge quality complies with prescribed standards. Regular monitoring is
Complianc e	Mine discharge quality complies with prescribed standards. Regular monitoring is done by CMPDI.
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е	before and after blasting in underground mines.
Condition no. lv)	The project authorities shall undertake regular repairing and tarring of roads used for mineral transportation. A 3- tier green belt comprising of a mix of native species shall be developed all along the major approach roads.
Complianc e	As per requirement, Regular repairing and tarring of roads are being taken on priority basis. Both sides of approach roadway are well vegetated naturally.
Condition no.lvi)	Controlled blasting shall be practiced with use of delay detonators and only during daytime. The mitigative measures for control of ground vibrations and to arrest the fly rocks and boulders shall be implemented.
Complianc e	Delay detonators are being used in OCP however in UG mines solid blasting is used and no restriction on timing of blasting is required.
Condition no. lvii)	A progressive afforestation plan shall be implemented covering an area of 972.84 ha at the end of mining, which includes Excavation area (441.25 Ha), OB dump area (53.11 ha), Mine Infrastructure/ Built-up area (100 ha); F\Green Belt (20 Ha), built up area (118.37 Ha) and subside area (240.11 ha) and in township located outside the lease by planting native species in consultation with the local DFO/ Agriculture Department. The density of the trees shall be around 2500 plants per ha. Massive plantation shall be carried out in open spaces in and around the mine and a 3-Teir plantation along the main approach roads to the mine.
Complianc e	It is proposed to plant 10Ha per year within cluster 9 at the density of 2500 plants/Ha by planting native species in consultation with the local DFO.
Condition no. lviii)	The proponent should prepare restoration and reclamation plan for the degraded area. The land be used in a productive and sustainable manner.
Complianc e	Plan Mine closure has already been prepared for the purpose. Restoration and reclamation shall be done accordingly.
Condition no. lix)	Compensatory Ecological & Restoration of waste land, other degraded lands and OB dumps in lieu of breaking open the land be carried out.
Complianc e	Mine Closure Plan has already been prepared for the purpose. Compensatory ecological and restoration of wasteland shall be done accordingly
Condition no. lx)	No groundwater shall be used for mining operations

Complianc e	No ground water is being used for mining operation.
Condition no. lxi)	An estimated total 56.98 Mm ³ of OB will be generated during the entire life of the mine. Out of which 32.56 Mm ³ of OB will be dumped in fourteen external dumps 24.42 Mm ³ in eight internal OB Dumps. The OB dump height is upto 60 m. The maximum slope of the dump shall not exceed 28 degrees. Monitoring and management of reclaimed dump sites shall continue till the vegetation becomes self-sustaining and compliance status shall be submitted to MOEF&CC and its regional office on yearly basis.
Complianc e	Agreed and noted
Condition no. lxii)	Of the total quarry area 378 Ha. The backfilled quarry area of 378 Ha shall be reclaimed with plantation by planting native plant species in consultation with the local DFO/Agriculture Department. The density of the trees shall be around 2500 plants per ha.
Complianc e	Agreed and noted
Condition no. lxiii)	Regular monitoring of ground water level quality shall be carried out by establishing a network of existing wells and construction of new peizometer. The monitoring for quantity shall be done four times a year in pre-monsoon (May), monsoon (August), post-monsoon (November) and winter (January) seasons and for quality in May. Data thus collected shall be submitted to the Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change and to the Central Pollution Control Board quarterly within one month of monitoring.
Complianc e	Regular monitoring of ground water quality and level is being done by CMPDIL, Asansol. The monitoring reports indicate that the quality of the water is meeting the drinking water quality standards. The measurement of water level is being carried out and the water level data shows that there no significant impact on ground water level.
Condition no. lxiv)	The Company shall put up artificial groundwater recharge measures for augmentation of groundwater resource in case monitoring indicates a decline in water table. The project authorities shall meet water requirement of nearby village(s) in case the village wells go dry due to dewatering of mine.
Complianc e	Roof-top rainwater harvesting and ground water recharging initiative have been taken up by the company at several places which face lowering of GWL during

	summer period.
Condition no. lxv)	Sewage treatment plants shall be installed in the existing colony. ETP shall also be provided for workshop and CHP wastewater.
Complianc e	No CHP is in operation in the mine. A small workshop which caters to small repairing jobs of day to day nature like welding machining etc. discharges negligible amount of water, say about 10 litres/day for which ETP is not required.
Condition no. lxvi)	Land oustees shall be compensated as per the norms laid out R&R Policy of CIL or the National R&R Policy of the State Government whichever is higher.
Complianc e	If required, Land outees shall be compensated as per the norms laid out in R & R Policy of CIL.
Condition no. lxvii)	For monitoring land use pattern and for post mining land use, a time series of land use maps, based on satellite imagery (on a scale of 1:5000) of the core zone and the buffer zone, from the start of the project until end of mine life shall be prepared once in 3 years (for any one particular season which is consistent in the time series), and the report submitted to MOEF& CC and its concerned Regional Office.
Complianc e	Land use pattern and plantation is being monitored by satellite surveillance based on satellite imagery.
Condition no. lxviii)	A Detailed Final Mine Closure Plan along with details of Corpus Fund shall be submitted to the Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change within 6 months of grant of Environment Clearance.
Complianc e	Complied
Condition no.lxix)	The project authorities shall in consultation with the panchayats of the local villages and administration identify socio-economic and welfare measures under CSR to be carried on over the balance life of the mine.
Complianc e	CSR activities are being carried out in consultation with local panchayats.
Condition no. lxx)	Corporate Environmental Responsibility:
(a)	The Company shall have a well laid down Environmental Policy approved by the Board of Directors

Complianc e	"Corporate Environmental Policy 2012" of Coal India Limited has already been formulated.
(b)	The Environmental Policy shall prescribe for standard operating process/procedures to bring into focus any infringements/deviation/violation of the environmental or forest norms/conditions.
Complianc e	"Corporate Environmental Policy 2012" of Coal India Limited has prescribed standard operating process/procedures to bring into focus any infringements/deviation/violation of the environmental or forest norms/condition.
(c)	The hierarchical system or Administrative Order of the company to deal with environmental issues and for ensuring compliance with the environmental conditions shall be furnished.
Complianc e	The hierarchical system or Administrative Order of the company to deal with environmental issues and for ensuring compliance with the environmental clearance conditions has been furnished in "Corporate Environmental Policy 2012" of Coal India Limited
(d)	To have proper checks and balances, the Company shall have a well laid down system of reporting of non-compliances/violations of environmental norms to the board of directors of the company and /or shareholders or stakeholders at large.
Complianc e	The Company is having a well laid down system of reporting of non-compliance/violation of environmental norms to the Board of Directors of the company.
	General conditions
Condition no. i)	No. change in mining technology and scope of working shall be made without prior approval of the Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change
Complianc e	Change in mining technology and scope of working, if any, shall be made with prior approval of the Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change.
Condition no. ii)	No change in the calendar plan of production of quantum of mineral cost shall be made.
Complianc e	There shall be no change in the calendar plan of production for quantum of mineral coal.
Condition no. iii)	Four ambient air quality monitoring stations shall be established in the core s\zone as well as in the buffer zone for PM_{10} , $PM_{2.5}$, SO_2 and NO_x monitoring. Location of the stations shall be decided based on the meteorological data, topographical features and environmentally and ecologically sensitive targets in

	consultation with the State Pollution Control Board. Monitoring of heavy metals
Complianc	such as Hg, As, Ni, Cd, Cr, etc carried out at least once in six months. Air quality monitoring is carried out by CMPDIL on fortnightly basis and all desired
e	parameters are well within the prescribed limits.
Condition	Data on ambient air quality (PM ₁₀ , PM _{2.5} , SO ₂ and NO _{X}) and heavy metals such as
no. iv)	Hg, As, Ni, Cd, Cr and other monitoring data shall be regularly submitted to the
	Ministry including its concerned Regional Office and to the State Pollution Control
	Board and the Central Pollution Control Board once in six months. Random
	verification Of samples through analysis from independent laboratories recognized under the EPA rules, 1986 shall be furnished as part of compliance
	report.
Complianc	Air quality monitoring is carried out by CMPDI on fortnightly basis and data on
e	ambient air quality shall be regularly submitted to the Ministry including its
	concerned Regional Officer and to the State Pollution Control Board and the
	Central Pollution Control Board once in six months.
Condition	Adequate measures shall be taken for control of noise levels below 85dBA in the
no. v)	work environment. Workers engaged in blasting and drilling operations, operation of HEMM, etc shall be provided with ear plugs/muffs.
Complianc	Noise level monitoring is carried out by CMPDIL on fortnightly basis. Noise level
е	has always been below 85 dBA.
Condition	Industrial Wastewater (workshop and wastewater from the mine) shall be
no. vi)	properly collected, treated so as to conform to the standards prescribed under
	GSR 422(E) dated 19 th May 1993 and 31 st December 1993 or as amended from
	time to time before discharge.Oil and grease trap shall be installed before discharge of workshop effluents.
Complianc	Mine discharge water samples are tested in laboratory at CMPDI on fortnightly
е	basis. Mine water quality conforms to the standards prescribed under GSR 422(E)
	dated 19th May 1993 and 31st December 1993.
Condition	Vehicular emissions shall be kept under control and regularly monitored. Vehicles
no. vii)	used for transporting the minerals shall be covered with tarpaulins and optimally
Complianc	loaded. Vehicular emissions are kept under control and regularly monitored. Coal
e	transportation from the mine to railway siding is being done by tarpaulin covered
	trucks.
Condition	Monitoring of environmental quality parameters shall be carried out through
no. viii)	establishment of adequate number and type of pollution monitoring and analysis
	equipment in consultation with the State Pollution Control Board and data got
Complianc	analyzed through a laboratory recognized under EPA rules, 1986 Monitoring of environmental parameters is carried out on regular basis by
e	CMPDI. Laboratory at CMPDIL, Asansol is having all necessary facilities.
Condition	Personnel working under dusty area shall wear protective respiratory devices and
no. ix)	they shall also be provided with adequate training and information and
	information safety and health aspects.

Complianc	All protective devices have been provided to workmen and are replaced
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е	periodically. Adequate training to all personnel has also been provided. New
	recruits are trained at the VTC before their deployment. PMEs are carried out on
	all employees once in 5 years.
Condition	Occupational health surveillance program of the workers shall be undertaken
no. x)	periodically to observe any contraction s due to exposure to dust and to take
	corrective measures, if needed and records maintained thereof. The quality of
	Environment due to outsourcing and the health and safety issues of the
	outsourced manpower should be addressed by the company while outsourcing.
Complianc	Periodical Medical Examination (PME) for all employees are carried out once in
е	every 5 years (@ 20% employees/year). This PME is mandatory for all employees.
	Special cases diagnosed during such PMEs are monitored at shorter intervals as
	directed by the PME Board of Doctors. All serious diseases and impairments are
	reported to DGMS at regular intervals.
Condition	A separate environmental management cell with suitable qualified personnel
no. xi)	shall be set up under the control of a senior executive, who will report directly to
iioi xij	the Head of the Company
Complianc	A separate environmental management cell with qualified personnel has
e	established for the Area. The cell reports to the GM of the concerned Area under
6	the cluster.
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Condition	The funds earmarked for environmental protection measures shall be kept in
no. xii)	separate account and shall not be diverted for other purpose. Year-wise
-	expenditure shall be reported to this Ministry and its Regional Office.
Complianc	Funds for environmental protection as kept in budget each year is not diverted
е	for any other purposes.
Condition	The Project authorities shall advertise at least in two local newspapers widely
no. xiii)	circulated around the project, one of which shall be in the vernacular language of
	the locality concerned within seven days of the clearance letter informing that
	the project has been accorded environmental clearance and a copy of the
	clearance letter is available with the State Pollution Control Board and may also
	be seen at the website of the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate
	Change at http://envfor.nic.in.
Complianc	All the ECs are published in two local newspapers widely circulated around the
е	project area.
Condition	A copy of the environmental clearance letter shall be marked to concern
no. xiv)	Panchayat/ZilaParishad, Municipal Corporation or Urban local body and local
	NGO, if any, from whom any suggestions/representation has been received while
	processing the proposal. A copy of the clearance letter shall also be displayed on
	Company's website.
Complianc	A copy of the environmental clearance letter for cluster 10 has been marked to
е	concerned Panchayats.
Condition	A copy of the environmental clearance letter shall also be displayed on the
no. xv)	website of the concerned State Pollution Control Board. The EC letter shall also
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	be displayed at the regional office, District Industry Sector and Collector's Office/Tehsildar's Office for 30 days.
Complianc e	The EC letter is uploaded on the company's website.
Condition no. xvi)	The clearance letter shall be uploaded on the Company's website. The compliance status of the stipulated environmental clearance conditions shall also be uploaded by the project authorities on their website and updated at least once every six months so as to bring the same in public domain. The monitoring data of the environmental quality parameters (air, water, noise & soil) and critical pollutant such as PM_{10} , $PM_{2.5}$, SO_2 and NO_X (ambient) and critical sectoral parameters shall also be displayed at the entrance of the project premises and mine office and in corporate office and on Company's website.
Complianc e	The monitoring data of environmental quality parameter (air, water and noise) and critical pollutant such as PM_{10} , $PM_{2.5}$, SO_2 and NOx (ambient) and critical sectoral parameters are being displayed on Company's website.
Condition no. xvii)	The Project Proponent shall submit six monthly compliance reports on statue of compliance of the stipulated environmental clearance conditions (both in hard copy and in e- mail) to the respective Regional Office of the Ministry, respective Zonal Offices of CPCB and the SPCB.
Complianc e	The EC letter is uploaded on the company's website. The link is given below: www.easterncoal.gov.in
Condition no. xviii)	The Regional Office of the Ministry located in the Region shall monitor compliances of the stipulated conditions. The Project authorities shall extend full cooperation to the office(s) of the Regional Office by furnishing the requisite data/information/monitoring reports.
Complianc e	Agreed and noted.
Condition no. xix)	The environmental statement for each financial year ending 31 march in form-V is mandated to be submitted by the project proponent for the concerned State Pollution Control Board as prescribed under the Environment (Protection) Rules, 1986, as amended subsequently, shall also be uploaded on the Company's website along the status of the EC conditions and shall be sent to the respective Regional Offices of the MOEFCC by e-mail.
Complianc e	Agreed and being implemented.

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ENVIRONMENTAL MONITORING REPORT OF CLUSTER NO. 9

(FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST, 2018)

(SRIPUR, SATGRAM & KUNUSTORIA AREA)

Eastern Coalfields Limited



Regional Institute-1 Asansol (WB)

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CHAPTER - I INTRODUCTION

1.0 The environmental monitoring has been carried out as per conditions laid down by MOEF&CC while granting environmental clearance to different projects. CMPDI has trained manpower and well equipped laboratory to carry out monitoring, analysis and R&D work in the field of environment.

Reports	have	prepared	for	submission	to	MoEFCC	&	SPCB	and	other	statutory
authoritie	es.										

CHAPTER-II

AMBIENT AIR QUALITY MONITORING

2.1 Location of sampling station and their rationale:

2.1.1 Ambient Air Quality Sampling Locations

I. Industrial Area Monitoring Location

i) Kurtidanga village (9A1): Industrial Area

The sampler was placed at Ghusik Colliery near Kutidanga Village. This station was selected to assess the ambient air quality of Industrial area in the core zone where mining activities are not in progress.

ii) Jamari village (9A2) : Industrial Area

The sampler was placed at JK Nagar near Satgram Railway Siding. This station was selected to assess the ambient air quality of Industrial area in the core zone to represent the impact of coal transport activities of the siding.

iii) Amritnagar village (9A3): Industrial Area

The sampler was placed at Agent office of Amritnagar Colliery. This station was selected to assess the ambient air quality of Industrial Area in the core zone where mining activities are in progress.

II. Residential Area Monitoring Location

iv) Raniganj Railway Siding Polytechnic (9A4): Residential Area

The sampler was placed at Raniganj Mining college. This site was selected to assess the present ambient air quality status in residential area of core zone.

v) Murgachori Village CMPF (9A8): Residential Area

The Air sampler was placed CMPF Office which is in the buffer zone of Ghusik Colliery. The station was selected to represent the impact of mining activities of Ghusik Colliery in buffer zone.

vi) Chanda village (9A9): Residential Area.

The sampler was placed in Satgram Guest House. This site was selected to assess the present ambient air quality status in residential area of core zone of Satgram Project.

vii) Mithapur village (9A10): Residential Area

The sampler was placed at Mithapur Village. This site was selected to assess the present ambient air quality status in residential area of core zone

2.2 Methodology of sampling and analysis

Parameters chosen for assessment of ambient air quality were Particulate Matter (PM₁₀), Fine Particulate Matter (PM_{2.5}), Sulphur Di-oxide (SO₂) and Nitrogen Oxides (NO_x). Respirable Dust Sampler (RDS) & Fine Dust Sampler (FDS) were used for sampling of PM₁₀ & gaseous pollutants and PM_{2.5} respectively. The samples were analysed in Environmental Laboratory of CMPDI, RI-I, Asansol.

2.3 Results & Interpretations

The results of Ambient Air Quality are presented in tabular form along with for each monitoring station. Sampling stations have been chosen keeping in view predominant wind direction and have been classified as Permanent, Pre monsoon (April – September) & Post monsoon (October – March) air sampling stations. The interpretations of different parameters are given below

2.3.1 Ambient air quality

Particulate Matter (PM₁₀)

In Industrial area varies from 88.4 to 91.5 μ g/m3 μ g/m3 & in Residential area from 87.5 to 90.6 μ g/m3.

Fine Particulate Matter (PM_{2.5})

In Industrial area from 34.3 to 36.2 $\mu g/m^3$ & in Residential area from 34.4 to 37.2 $\mu g/m^3$

Sulphur Dioxide (SO₂):

In Industrial area below 10 μg/m³ & in Residential area below 10 μg/m³.

Oxides of Nitrogen (NO_x):

In Industrial area varies from 14.9 to 17.8 μ g/m³ & in Residential area from 15.7 to 19.1 μ g/m³.

AMBIENT AIR QUALITY DATA

Name of the Company: **Eastern Coalfield Limited** Year : **2018**Name of the Project : **Mines of Cluster No. 9**Month. : **August.**

Industrial Area

1st fortnight

Station	Station Name	Date of	Parameters			
Code		Sampling	PM ₁₀	PM _{2.5}	SO ₂	NO _x
9A1	Kurtidanga village	10-Aug-18	91.1	35.7	<10.0	17.6
9A2	Jamari village	14-Aug-18	88.4	33.9	<10.0	16.2
9A3	Amritnagar village	4-Aug-18	89.2	34.2	<10.0	14.6

2nd fortnight

Station	Station Name	Date of	Parameters			
Code		Sampling	PM ₁₀	PM _{2.5}	SO ₂	NO _x
9A1	Kurtidanga village	27-Aug-18	91.5	36.2	<10.0	17.8
9A2	Jamari village	22-Aug-18	87.9	34.3	<10.0	16.5
9A3	Amritnagar village	22-Aug-18	90.3	35.9	<10.0	14.9

Residential Area

1st fortnight

Station	Station Name	Date of		Param	neters	eters		
Code		Sampling	PM ₁₀	PM _{2.5}	SO ₂	NO _x		
9A4	Near Raniganj Railway Siding	4-Aug-18	86.7	33.4	<10.0	15.2		
9A8	Murgachori village	10-Aug-18	89.9	35.6	<10.0	17.7		
9A9	Chanda village	7-Aug-18	88.7	35.3	<10.0	19.1		
9A10	Mithapur village	6-Aug-18	90.6	37.2	<10.0	16.7		

2nd fortnight

Station	Station Name	Date of	Parameters					
Code		Sampling	PM ₁₀	PM _{2.5}	SO ₂	NO _x		
9A4	Near Raniganj Railway Siding	18-Aug-18	87.5	34.4	<10.0	15.7		
9A8	Murgachori village	31-Aug-18	90.3	35.7	<10.0	17.9		
9A9	Chanda village	31-Aug-18	88.1	34.9	<10.0	18.6		
9A10	Mithapur village	31-Aug-18	89.7	36.5	<10.0	16.2		

National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS)

National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS) for industrial, residential and rural areas for 24 hours samples:

Pollutant	PM ₁₀	PM _{2.5}	SO ₂	NO _x
Concentration	100.0	60.0	80.0	80.0

> All values are expressed in microgram per cubic meter.

CHAPTER - III

WATER QUALITY MONITORING

3.1 Location of sampling sites and their rationale

i) Rotibati UG (9MW1)

This location has been selected to monitor the discharge quality of Mine effluent to natural surface streams

ii) Chapuikhas UG (9MW2)

This location has been selected to monitor the discharge quality of Mine effluent to natural surface streams

iii) Amritnagar UG (9MW3)

This location has been selected to monitor the discharge quality of Mine effluent to natural surface streams after siltation pond.

iv) Kuardih UG (9MW4)

This location has been selected to monitor the discharge quality of Mine effluent to natural surface streams after siltation pond.

v) Nimcha UG (9MW5)

This location has been selected to monitor the discharge quality of Mine effluent supply to colony quarter after sedimentation tank for domestic purposes and also use for boiler.

vi) Kalipahari UG (9MW6)

This location has been selected to monitor the discharge quality of Mine effluent use for boiler and discharge to natural surface streams

vii) Muslia UG (9MW7)

This location has been selected to monitor the discharge quality of Mine effluent to natural surface streams

viii) New Ghusick UG (9MW8)

This location has been selected to monitor the discharge quality of Mine effluent to sedimentation tank and overflow discharge to natural surface streams

ix) J K Nagar UG (9MW9)

This location has been selected to monitor the discharge quality of Mine effluent tosedimentation tank and supply to colony quarter for domestic purposes and also use in boiler.

3.2 Methodology of sampling and analysis

Water samples were collected as per standard practice. The effluent samples were collected and analysed for five parameters on fortnightly basis and all parameters on Half-yearly basis. The Ground water samples were collected and analysed for all parameters on annualy basis. Parameters like pH and Free Residual Chlorine were analysed on-site while collecting the samples. Thereafter the samples were preserved and analysed at the field laboratory located at RI-I Office campus.

3.3 Results & Interpretations

The results are given in tabular form along with the applicable standards. Results are compared with Schedule - VI, effluent prescribed by MOEF and IS.10500 (Drinking water). Results show that most of the parmeters are within the permissible limits.

WATER QUALITY DATA

(Effluent Water)

Name of the Company: Eastern Coalfield Limited Year : 2018.

Name of the Project: Mines of Cluster No. 9 Month: August.

Name of the 1. 9MW1- Rotibati UG 2. 9MW2- Chapuikhas UG 3. 9MW3- Amritnagar UG

Stations & Code : 4. 9MW4- Kuardih UG 5. 9MW5- Nimcha UG

First Fortnight data

		Sampling station & sampling date As per MOEF						Method of	
SI.	Parameters	9MW1	9MW2	9MW3	9MW4	9MW5	General Standards	Detection	Detection
No.		10-Aug-18	14-Aug-18	4-Aug-18	4-Aug-18	4-Aug-18	for schedule VI		Limit
1	рН	7.44	8.23	8.07	8.71	8.00	5.5 - 9.0	Electrometric	0.01
2	TSS	17	16	20	12	18	100 (Max)	Gravimetric Method	5.0
3	TDS	612	740	638	616	736	Not specified	Gravimetric Method	1.0
4	Oil & Grease	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0	10 (Max)	Partition Gravimetric	2.0
5	COD	20	28	32	16	24	250 (Max)	Closed Reflux	4.0

Second Fortnight data

SI.		_	Sampling st	ation & san	npling date	As per MOEF Method of			
No.	Parameters	9MW1	9MW2	9MW3	9MW4	9MW5	General Standards	Detection	Detection
NO.		23-Aug-18	22-Aug-18	23-Aug-18	22-Aug-18	17-Aug-18	for schedule VI		Limit
1	рН	7.56	8.24	8.18	7.81	8.00	5.5 - 9.0	Electrometric	0.01
2	TSS	14	28	20	16	20	100 (Max)	Gravimetric Method	5.0
3	TDS	644	782	608	638	690	Not specified	Gravimetric Method	1.0
4	Oil & Grease	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0	10 (Max)	Partition Gravimetric	2.0
5	COD	12	32	24	12	28	250 (Max)	Closed Reflux	4.0

All values are expressed in mg/L unless specified.

WATER QUALITY DATA

(Effluent Water)

Name of the Company: Eastern Coalfield Limited Year : 2018.

Name of the Project: Mines of Cluster No. 9 Month: August.

Name of the Stations &

6. 9MW6- Kalipahari UG 7.

7. 9MW7- Muslia UG

Code :

8. 9MW8- New Ghusick UG

9. 9MW9- J K Nagar UG

First Fortnight data

	_	Samp	Sampling station & sampling date				Method of Detection	Detection
SI.	Parameters	9MW6	9MW7	9MW8	9MW9	General Standards for	Detection	Limit
No.		7-Aug-18	6-Aug-18	6-Aug-18	14-Aug-18	schedule VI		
1	pН	8.59	8.29	7.85	8.49	5.5 - 9.0	Electrometric	0.01
2	TSS	28	34	20	18	100 (Max)	Gravimetric Method	5.0
3	TDS	570	595	617	614	Not specified	Gravimetric Method	1.0
4	Oil & Grease	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0	10 (Max)	Partition Gravimetric	2.0
5	COD	32	48	28	20	250 (Max)	Closed Reflux	4.0

Second Fortnight data

		Samp	Sampling station & sampling date				Method of Detection	Detection
SI. No.	Parameters	9MW6	9MW7	9MW8	9MW9	General Standards for	Detection	Limit
		22-Aug-18	18-Aug-18	31-Aug-18	31-Aug-18	schedule VI		
1	pН	8.21	8.43	7.84	8.12	5.5 - 9.0	Electrometric	0.01
2	TSS	18	28	16	28	100 (Max)	Gravimetric Method	5.0
3	TDS	342	550	648	656	Not specified	Gravimetric Method	1.0
4	Oil & Grease	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0	10 (Max)	Partition Gravimetric	2.0
5	COD	16	40	24	32	250 (Max)	Closed Reflux	4.0

All values are expressed in mg/L unless specified.

Well water level for the month of August, 2018

SI. No.	Sample Code	Location of Dug well	Date of measurement	Water level (in Meters) Below Ground Level
1	9GW1	Dugwell at Bakulia High School	18-Aug-18	1.30
2	9GW2	Dugwell at Perabad Kalikapur village	18-Aug-18	1.46
3	9GW3	Dugwell at Majia forest department	18-Aug-18	2.42
4	9GW4	Dugwell at northside of Institute of Mining Raniganj	18-Aug-18	2.30
5	9GW5	Dugwell at NHS Qtrs backside Nageswar Manager office, Mithapur village	14-Aug-18	7.07
6	9GW6	Dugwell at J K Nagar old Miners colony	17-Aug-18	1.28
7	9GW7	Dugwell near Manager's Bungalow of Amritnagar UGP	23-Aug-18	0.45
8	9GW8	Dugwell at backside of Ghusik colliery Mandir	23-Aug-18	1.05

CHAPTER - IV

NOISE LEVEL QUALITY MONITORING

4.1 Location of sampling sites and their rationale

(Refer Fig. No. - II)

i) Ratibati UG (9N1)

Noise level meter was placed Rotibati Colliery Pit office to assess the noise level in mine site.

ii) Chapuikhas UG (9N2)

Noise level meter was placed Chapuikhas UG Pit office to assess the noise level in mine site.

iii) Amritnagar UG (9N3)

Noise level meter was placed Amritnagar UG Pit office to assess the noise level in mine site.

iv) Kuardih UG (9N4)

Noise level meter was placed Kuardih UG Pit office to assess the noise level in mine site.

v) Nimcha UG (9N5)

Noise level meter was placed Nimcha UG Pit office to assess the noise level in mine site.

vi) Kalipahari UG (9N6)

Noise level meter was placed Kalipahari UG Pit office to assess the noise level in mine site.

vii) Muslia UG (9N7)

Noise level meter was placed Muslia UG Pit office to assess the noise level in mine site.

viii) New Ghusick UG (9N8)

Noise level meter was placed New Ghusick UG Pit office to assess the noise level in mine site.

ix) J K Nagar UG (9N9)

Noise level meter was placed J K Nagar UG Pit office to assess the noise level in mine site.

4.2 Methodology of sampling and analysis

Noise level monitoring is being carried out on quarterly basis. Noise level measurements were taken in form of 'Leq' using Integrated Data Logging Sound Level Meter (Make: RION, Model: NL-52). Noise levels were measured for about one hour. Noise levels were measured in Decibels, 'A' weighted average, i.e. dB(A).

4.3 Results & Interpretations

Ambient noise levels were recorded during day time only. The observed values were compared with standards prescribed in NAAQS, 2009 in respect of noise for Industrial, Commercial and residential areas. The observed values at all the monitoring locations are found to be within permissible limits.

The monitored values are presented in tabular form along with the applicable standard permissible limits.

NOISE LEVEL DATA

Name of the Company: **Eastern Coalfield Limited** Year : **2018**Name of the Project: **Sripur, Satgram & Kunustoria Area** Month. : **August.**

Name of the Stations & Code :

1. 9N1- Ratibati UG 2. 9N2- Chapuikhas UG

3. 9N3- Amritnagar UG 4. 9N4- Kuardih UG

5. 9N5- Nimcha UG 6. 9N6- Kalipahari UG

7. 9N7- Muslia UG 8. 9N8- New Ghusick UG

9. 9N9- J K Nagar UG

			Measurement Details					Permissi
SI. No.	Station Code	Station Name	Date		Duration (In Hrs.)		Noise level dB(A) Leq	ble Limit of Noise level in dB(A)
1	9N1	Ratibati UG	14-Aug-18	9.30	to	10.30	66.8	<i>7</i> 5
2	9N2	Chapuikhas UG	14-Aug-18	8.00	to	9.00	67.4	75
3	9N3	Amritnagar UG	14-Aug-18	11.00	to	12.00	69.3	75
4	9N4	Kuardih UG	10-Aug-18	8.30	to	9.30	64.2	75
5	9N5	Nimcha UG	10-Aug-18	7.00	to	8.00	68.3	75
6	9N6	Kalipahari UG	7-Aug-18	10.00	to	11.00	65.4	<i>7</i> 5
7	9N7	Muslia UG	7-Aug-18	8.30	to	9.30	65.9	<i>7</i> 5
8	9N8	New Ghusick UG	7-Aug-18	7.00	to	8.00	68.3	<i>7</i> 5
9	9N9	J K Nagar UG	7-Aug-18	11.30	to	12.30	61.7	75

National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS) in respect of noise for Industrial, commercial and residential areas.

Station	Limits for noise (Leq dB (A))				
Category	Day Time: 6.00 AM	Night Time: 10.00 PM			
	to 10.00 PM	to 6.00 AM.			
Industrial	75.0	70.0			
Commercial	65.0	55.0			
Residential	55.0	45.0			