

F. No. 8-55/2014-FC
Government of India
Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change
(Forest Conservation Division)

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Aliganj, Jorbagh Road
New Delhi - 110 003
Dated: 19th September, 2017

To,

The Principal Secretary to the Government of Telangana
Environment, Forests, Science & Technology Department
Telangana Secretariat
Hyderabad.

Sub: Diversion of 285.44 hectares of forest land in Lankapalli R.F. of Khammam Division in favour of Singareni Collieries Company Limited (SCCL) for their Kistaram OCP.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to the Government of Telangana's letter No. 2373/FOR.I (1)/2014 dated 27th January, 2017 forwarding additional information as sought by the Ministry's letter dated 21.11.2014 on the above mentioned subject.

The project proponent has informed that the CA sites proposed earlier having encroachments and some of the proposed area for CA has been earmarked for departmental plantation and therefore the CA scheme is being revised.

In view of above, the State Government of Telangana is requested to submit the approved revised CA scheme with suitability certificate and the shape / KML files for the revised CA along with shape file for proposed area of diversion for further consideration of the proposal in the Ministry. **The status of environment clearance may also be intimated.**

Yours faithfully,

(Nisheeth Saxena)

Sr. Assistant Inspector General of Forests (FC)

Copy to:

1. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Telangana, Hyderabad.
2. Nodal Officer, the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, Government of Telangana, Hyderabad.
3. Addl. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Central), Regional Office (Southern Eastern Zone), Chennai.
4. User Agency.
5. Monitoring Cell, FC Division, MoEF & CC, New Delhi.
6. Guard File.

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