

OFFICE OF THE DIVISIONAL FOREST OFFICER; ANGUL DIVISION: ANGUL

Letter No. 142 /DRP/2025/Dated. 07-01-2025

To

The Divisional Forest Officer,
Dhenkanal Division.

Sub: - Proposal for seeking approval of Central Government under section 2 of the forest conservation Act, 1980 for Diversion of 44.64 ha Forest land and 13.09 ha. of Lookalike Forest (Total 57.73 ha.) for Coal Mining at Bharatpur Open Cast Expansion Project at Bharatpur Area of Mahanadi Coalfield Limited.

Ref: 1. Proposal No. FP/OR/Min/153736/2022.
2. No. 24662 dt. 06.12.2024 of PCCF, Nodal.

With reference to the above-cited subject, this is to inform you that the PCCF, Nodal O/o the PCCF & HoFF, Odisha, Bhubaneswar, has raised a few observations/shortcomings regarding Point No. 7. The DSS Analysis report of the CA land has not been signed by the Divisional Forest Officer, Angul Division, in the above-mentioned diversion proposal vide their letter No. 24661, dated 06.12.2024 (copy enclosed for your reference).

In this connection, the compensatory afforestation land has been identified over an area of 115.981 ha in degraded, notified forest land, with 43.519 ha in the Sunajhari R.F. of Bhuban Range and 72.462 ha in the Ramei R.F. of Sadangi Range under Dhenkanal Division.

Hence, you are requested to sign the aforementioned DSS report and submit it to the undersigned immediately for onward transmission to the higher authority for further action.

This is for information and necessary action.

Encl: - As above.


Divisional Forest Officer
Angul Division

Memo No. 143 / Dated. 07-01-2025

Copy forwarded to the General Manager, Bhartpur Area, MCL, Talcher, for information and necessary action. Further, you are requested to contact the Divisional Forest Officer, Dhenkanal Division, for the aforementioned purpose. Additionally, you are requested to submit the full compliance report, along with all relevant documents, as discussed on dt. 06.01.2025 regarding the observations/shortcomings raised by the PCCF, Nodal O/o the PCCF & HoFF, Odisha, Bhubaneswar, to the undersigned immediately for onward transmission to the higher authority for further action.


Divisional Forest Officer
Angul Division

Memo No. 144 / Dated. 07-01-2025

Copy submitted to the Regional Chief Conservator of Forests, Angul Circle for favour of information and necessary action with reference to memo No. 24661 dt. 06.12.2024 of PCCF, Nodal.


Divisional Forest Officer
Angul Division

Memo No. 145 / Dated. 07-1-2025

Copy forwarded to the PCCF, F.D & Nodal Officer FC Act O/o the PCCF Odisha, Bhubaneswar for favour of kind information and necessary action with reference to your memo No. 24662 dt. 06.12.2024.


Divisional Forest Officer
Angul Division