



**OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL CHIEF CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS & HOFF, ODISHA
ARANYA BHAWAN, CHANDRASEKHARPUR, BHUBANESWAR**

Memo No.

Dated, Bhubaneswar the

21873

9F (MG)-68/2021

18th December, 2021

To

The Regional Chief Conservator of Forests
Rourkela Circle

Sub:- Proposal for diversion of 22.551 ha (21.0 ha fresh diversion + 1.551 ha Re-diversion) of Forest land within Mining lease area of 24.203 ha of Rengalberha (NE) Iron Ore Mine of M/s Odisha Mineral Exploration Corporation Ltd. in Keonjhar Forest Division of Keonjhar District

(FP/OR/MIN/142246/2021, Sl. No.OR-036/2021 dated 03.06.2021)

Ref: Your Memo No.3362 dated 17.11.2021

With reference to the above cited memo on the captioned subject, this is to inform you that, on scrutiny of the above diversion proposal the following deficiencies are noticed:

1. In the ML area of 24.203 Ha, NH-215 passes through it covering an area of 1.652 Ha (0.478 Ha Revenue Forest + 1.174 Ha Sabik Forest). The said area is not included in the Diversion Proposal rather excluded from diversion proposal. In this context, NOC from NHAI is wanting.
2. Detail land schedule of forest area village wise and extent of area not mentioned in the ORSAC vetted DGPS map.
3. The KML/Shape file of the proposed diversion of forest area as well as identified CA land is not enclosed in the DP.
4. CA scheme has not prepared as per the Office Order No.1109 dated 08-11-2021 and Memo No.20565 dated 01.12.2021 of the PCCF & HOFF, Odisha.
5. Proposal submitted for re-diversion of 1.551 ha of forest land for which final forest clearance has been accorded by MoEF & CC, GoI, IRO, BBSR vide their letter No. 5-ORC 418/2020- BHU dated 31.03.2021. Compliance to the stipulated conditions of forest clearance along with violation, if any, noticed not submitted and reported.
6. The authorized signatory has not signed all the documents and maps.

In view of the above, the diversion proposal is returned herewith for re-submission with necessary compliance at an early date.

Encl: DP in triplicate

Conservator of Forests (Nodal)

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Copy forwarded to Divisional Forest Officer, Keonjhar Division for information and necessary action.

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Copy forwarded to Sri Shailender Kumar Sinha, Director Geology of OMECL, Power of Attorney Holder of the proposal, Odisha Mineral Exploration Corporation Ltd. Bhubaneswar for information and necessary action.

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Conservator of Forests (Nodal)

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