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No. 2624 / 8 - ; Dated, Burdwan, the 26 / 07 / 2023

To : The Project Director,  
Essar Oil and Gas Exploration and Production Limited Office, Essar House- Durgapur,  
Vill & PO- Molandighi , Block-Kanksa , Durgapur -713212.

Sub: Diversion of 13 .54 ha.(9.32 ha. in Burdwan Division & 4.22 ha. in Durgapur Division) of forest land for laying of pipeline & construction of access road to CBM Well sites for production of coal bed methane at Raniganj CBM Block (Proposal No- FP/WB/OTHERS/7248/2014) – Demand note for NPV thereto.

Ref: 1. Chief Conservator of Forests, FCA, WB's memo no. 2798/L&LT/2M—1081/2014 dt. 23-06-2023.  
2. This Office letter no. 2232/8- dt. 30-06-2023.

In compliance with condition no. 2 and 3 of IRO letter dt. 21.06.2023 and in reference to this office letter dt. 30.06.2023 demand is hereby raised for payment of balance NPV in accordance with the revised rate for the forest land 13 .54 ha.(9.32 ha. in Burdwan Division & 4.22 ha. in Durgapur Division) proposed for diversion and against which in principal approval has already been accorded vide no.5-WBC087/2015-BHU. Dt. 28.08.2017 in favour of you.

The payment should be made to the specific account in Parivesh Portal of Govt. of India and a receipt of the same should be submitted to this office on compliance.

Forest Type	Land Area (ha.)	Classification	Rate per ha.	Total NPV for 9.32 ha.	Amount paid for 9.32 ha. against Burdwan Division	Balance to be paid for 9.32 ha. against Burdwan Division
Very Dense Forest	9.32	Dry Deciduous Forest, Eco-Class - III	Rs.13,57,110.00	Rs.1,26,48,265.20	Rs.74,83,960.00	Rs. 51,64,305.20

This is for your Kind information and taking immediate action.

Encl. As stated above.

Divisional Forest Officer  
Burdwan Division

No. 2624(4) / 8 - ; Dated, Burdwan, the 26 / 07 / 2023

Copy forwarded for kind information & necessary action to :-

1. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Nodal Officer, Forest Conservation Act, West Bengal.
2. The Chief Conservator of Forests, Forest Conservation Act, West Bengal.
3. The Chief Conservator of Forests, South-East Circle, West Bengal.
4. The Divisional Forest Officer, Durgapur Division.

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Memo No. 2214/8

Dated, Durgapur, The 26/07/2023

**To : The Project Director,**  
Essar Oil and Gas Exploration and Production Limited Office, Essar House- Durgapur,  
Vill & PO- Molandighi , Block-Kanksa , Durgapur -713212.

**Sub :** Diversion of 13.54 ha.(9.32 ha. in Burdwan Division & 4.22 ha. in Durgapur Division) of Forest land for laying of pipeline & construction of access road to CBM Well sites for production of coal bed methane at Raniganj CBM Block (**Proposal No- ( FP/WB/OTHERS/7248/2014)** – Demand note for NPV thereto.

**Ref:** Chief Conservator of Forests, FCA, WB's memo no. 2798/L&LT/2M—1081/2014 dt. 23-06-2023.

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In compliance with condition no. 2 and 3 of IRO letter dt. 21.06.2023 demand is hereby raised for payment of balance NPV in accordance with the revised rate for the forest land 13.54 ha.(9.32 ha. in Burdwan Division & 4.22 ha. in Durgapur Division) proposed for diversion and against which in principal approval has already been accorded vide no.5-WBC087/2015-BHU. Dt. 28.08.2017 in favour of you.

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Forest Type	Land Area (ha.)	Classification	Rate per ha.	Total NPV for 4.22 ha.	Amount paid for 4.22 ha. against Durgapur Division	Balance to be paid for 4.22 ha. against Durgapur Division
Very Dense Forest	4.22	Dry Deciduous Forest, Eco-Class - III	Rs.13,57,110.00	Rs.57,27,004.20	Rs.33,88,660.00	Rs.23,38,344.20

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**Enclo. As stated above.**

**Divisional Forest Officer**  
**Durgapur Division**

No. 2214/8

Dated, Durgapur, The 26/07/2023

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4. The Divisional Forest Officer, Burdwan Division.

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**Durgapur Division**



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**Bankura (South) Division**  
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**No. 1543 / 28-L.L.C (LT)**

**Dated, Bankura, the 02/08/2023**

- From :** The Divisional Forest Officer,  
Bankura (South) Division.
- To :** The Chief Operating Officer,  
Raniganj East, CBM Project – Durgapur.  
Essar Oil and Gas Exploration and Production Ltd.  
AN 81B Sector 2B, Martin Luthar Road, Bidhan Nagar, Durgapur – 713212.
- Sub :** Diversion of 13.54 ha. of forest land for laying of pipeline & construction of access road to CBM  
Well sites for production of Coal Bed Methane at Raniganj CBM Block (Proposal No. FP/Wb/  
OTHERS/7248/2014) – Demand note regarding.
- Ref :** i) The CCF, FCA, W.B's kind Office Memo No. 2798/L&LT/2M-1081/2014 dt. 23.06.2023.  
ii) The MoEF & CC, Govt. of India's kind Memo No. 5-WBC087/2015-BHU/222 dt.21.06.2023.

With reference to the subject mentioned above and in compliance with condition no. 2 of MoEF & CC, Govt. of India's letter dt. 21.06.2023, demand has been raised for payment of balance cost of CA on 13.54 ha. CA land in accordance with the revised rate for of CA scheme.

The payment should be made to the specific account in Parivesh Portal of Govt. of India and a receipt of the same should be submitted to this office on compliance.

Division	CA area	Previous estimated value	Revised estimated value	Balance amount to be paid
Bankura (South) Division	13.54 ha.	14,04,000.00	39,84,754.00	25,80,754.00

This is for your information and taking necessary action.

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(Shri E. Vijayakumar, IFS)  
Divisional Forest Officer,  
Bankura (South) Division.

**No. 1543 / 28-L.L.C (LT)**

**Dated, Bankura, the 02/08/2023**

Copy forwarded for your information to –

- The Additional Chief Conservator of Forests & Nodal Officer, Forest Conservation Act.
- The Chief Conservator of Forests, FCA.
- The Chief Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, West Bengal.

- iv) The Divisional Forest Officer, Durgapur Forest Division.
- v) The Divisional Forest Officer, Burdwan Forest Division.



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