



OFFICE OF THE DIVISIONAL FOREST OFFICER, KEONJHAR DIVISION

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No. 5051 /Mining-
Dated, Keonjhar, the 26-08 2021

To

The General Manager,
M/s ArcelorMittal Nippon Steel India Limited
(formerly known as Essar Steel India Limited),
Beneficiation plant At- Dubuna, Via- Joda,
Dist- Keonjhar, PIN- 758034

Sub: Expansion of Iron Beneficiation Plant, Tailing Dam and Pipelines by M/s ArcelorMittal Nippon Steel India Limited (formerly known as Essar Steel India Limited) in Keonjhar district under Keonjhar Division.

X-Sub: **Demand of Site Specific Wildlife Conservation Plan at the current wage rate @Rs. 311.00/- per Mandays.**

Ref: Letter No. 8077 dated 21.08.2021 of Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, (Wildlife) & CWLW, Odisha, Bhubaneswar

Sir

With reference to the aforementioned letter on the captioned subject, the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, (Wildlife) & CWLW, Odisha, Bhubaneswar has approved the financial outlay for Site Specific Wildlife Conservation Plan Rs. 251.52 lakh (Rupee two crore fifty-one lakh fifty-two thousand) only @Rs311.00 per Man-days for activities in project as well as in impact area. Hence you are requested to deposit the approved amount of **Rs. 251.52 lakh** (Rupee two crore fifty-one lakh fifty-two thousand) only towards Site Specific Wildlife Conservation Plan. The demanded amount should be deposited through **e-portal** of MoEF&CC as provided in the <https://parivesh.nic.in/> and the proof/evidence of the deposit of fund be submitted to this office for further necessary action at this end.

Further it is requested to take note on the following condition for future compliance.

- The plan may be revisited after 5 years and the User Agency will give undertaking to contribute towards the revised cost of the conservation plan till the project period, if any.
- Should there be need for Site Specific Wildlife Conservation Plan after expiry of the present plan period, the User Agency shall submit another such plan at least one year before the expiry of the present conservation plan and deposit the outlay amount upon its approval. In case of delay, it will be dealt as per law for violations of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and Environmental (Protection) Act, 1986.
- The User Agency has to give an undertaking to bear the differential cost in case of enhancement of wage rate at the time of implementation of this plan.

Yours faithfully,

Divisional Forest Officer,
Keonjhar Division.

Memo No. 5052 **Dated.** 26-08-2024

Copy forwarded to the Regional Chief Conservator of Forests, Rourkela Circle, Rourkela for favour of kind information and necessary action.


Divisional Forest Officer,
Keonjhar Division.

Memo No. 5057 **Dated.** 26-08-2024

Copy forwarded to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, (Wildlife) & CWLW, Odisha, Bhubaneswar/ Addl. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Forest Diversion and Nodal Officer, FC Act, O/o the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Odisha, Bhubaneswar for favour of kind information and necessary action.


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Keonjhar Division.