

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರ  
GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA

ಉಪ ಅರಣ್ಯ ಸಂರಕ್ಷಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳು,  
ಬಳ್ಳಾರಿ ವಿಭಾಗ, ಬಳ್ಳಾರಿ ರವರ ಕಛೇರಿ  
Office of the  
Deputy Conservator of Forests  
Ballari Division, Ballari



ರೇಡಿಯೋ ಪಾರ್ಕ್, ಐಟಿಐ ಕಾಲೇಜ್ ಎದುರುಗಡೆ, ಕಿರು  
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No.M1/MNG/Tunga/MLNo.2366/2018-19 (ROAD) 1954

Dated: 15.10.2024

**Additional Demand Notice**

**Sub :** Diversion of 4.74 hectare of forest land in DM Block, Sandur Taluk, Ballari District for use of existing approach road to MLNo. 0004(2366) in favour of M/s. JSW Steel Limited, Toranagallu [Proposal No. FP/KA/ROAD/21837/2016].

- Ref:1) Letter No. F.No. 8-112/2000FC(VOL) Dt.22.09.2023 of Government of India, Ministry of Environments, Forest and Climate Change, New Delhi.  
2) Order No. FEE 46 FFM 2017 Dt.24.06.2024 of Government of Karnataka  
3) Letter No. KFD/HOFF/A5-1(MNG)/25/2018-FC Dt. 02/12.07.2024 of the Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Forest Conservation), Bengaluru.  
4) Para No. 1.22(i) of Chapter-1 of the Consolidated Guidelines and Clarification issued under Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980

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With reference to the above subject, the Government of India and Government of Karnataka have accorded final (Stage-II) under Section-2 of Forest (Conservation), Act-1980 for diversion of 4.74 hectare of forest land in Donimalai Forest Block, Sandur Taluk, Sandur South Range, Ballari Division & District for use of existing approach road to MLNo. 0004(2366) in favour of M/s. JSW Steel Limited, Toranagallu vide letters under Ref(1) & (2).

In the light of approval accorded by the Government of Karnataka in their orders, the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Forest Conservation), Bengaluru has directed the Deputy Conservator of Forest, Ballari to execute an agreement with User Agency duly incorporating all the conditions imposed by the Government of India and Government of Karnataka subject to payment of any recoverable balance in compliance of the condition of Stage-I & Stage-II(final) vide letter under Ref(3). Subsequently, the Forest Lease Agreement is executed on 27.09.2024.

Further, it is brought to your notice that, Para No. 1.22(i) of Chapter-1 of the Consolidated Guidelines and Clarification issued under Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980, states that,

***“(i) 2% of total project cost towards the cost of implementation of the Wildlife Management Plan and/or 0.5% of the project cost towards the cost of implementation of Soil and Moisture Conservation Plan, as the case may be, shall be charged from the user agency and deposited into the account of CAMPA and the same may be intimated to the MoEF&CC for the purpose of obtaining approval under the Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980”.***

*“(ii) In respect of linear projects, the stipulated norms of 2% and 0.5% towards the cost of Wildlife Management Plan and Soil and Moisture Conservation Plan, as provided in the Ministry’s guidelines dated 8.06.2022, will be proportionate to the extent of forest land involved instead of total project cost or actual cost of implementation of such Plans, whichever is more, should be charged from the user agency;”*

Therefore, the details amount to be remitted as applicable rates at present for the above referred proposal are calculated as here under;

Sl. No	Specific activities	Amount (Rs)	
1	Cost of Wildlife Management Plan @2% of total project cost	14,00,000.00*	
	Total project cost as mentioned in Form-A of Proposal No. FP/KA/ROAD/21837/2016.		Rs.7,00,00,000.00
	<b>Cost of Wildlife Management Plan @2%</b>		<b>Rs. 14,00,000.00</b>
2	Cost of Soil and Moisture Conservation Plan @0.5% of total project cost	3,50,000.00*	
	Total project cost is as mentioned in Form-A of Proposal No. FP/KA/ROAD/21837/2016		Rs.7,00,00,000.00
	<b>Cost of Soil and Moisture Conservation Plan @0.5%</b>		<b>Rs. 3,50,000.00</b>
<b>Total</b>		<b>17,50,000.00</b>	

**(Rs. Seventeen Lakhs fifty thousand only).**

*Note for ‘\*’ you have not submitted Wildlife Management Plan and Soil & Moisture Conservation Plan. Therefore, it is directed to submit the plan for Soil and Moisture Conservation and obtain approval from Competent Authority.*

**Procedure for payment:** This Demand Notice is to be uploaded on FC web portal ([www.parivesh.nic.in](http://www.parivesh.nic.in)) for acceptance by the Nodal Officer. After acceptance by the Nodal Officer, a Challan should be generated from the web portal for payment to the account mentioned in the Challan and submit the original remittance challan to this office for further action.

Further, it is directed to submit the Wildlife Management plan and Soil and Moisture Conservation Plans (with the consultation of the undersigned) separately in 5 sets for obtaining approval from the competent authority. You are also directed to submit the undertaking for differential charges for above plans, if any changes made by the competent authority.

  
Deputy Conservator of Forests,  
Ballari Division, Ballari.

To,  
M/s. JSW Steel Limited,  
ML No.0004 (2366)  
Mining office, Vidyanagar,  
Toranagallu.