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FOREST DEPARTMENT, S. B. Chanda Forest Circle (M.S.)

No. 22

DIVISION... West. Chanda...

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Bill No. ... dated 28.3.1950 1950

Annex-C

Bill supplied to Project Officer
Western Coalfields Ltd. Durgapur Project Chandrapur

Bill No. ... dated ...

No. of pieces	Description of pieces	Size		Cubic feet	Value
		Length	Girth		
Being the forest deposit for the payment of 100 acres forest land					
	Value of land Rs. 3.15 lacs				Rs. 3,15,000.00
	Value of crop Rs. 1.94 lacs				Rs. 1,94,000.00
	Cost of afforestation Rs. 0.63 lacs				Rs. 63,000.00
	Total Rs.		5,72,148.		Rs. 5,72,148.00
Amount deposited by cheque					
No. OC 52	557316 dt 27.3.50				Rs. 5,00,000.00
(Five lacs only)					
No. OC 52	557317 dt 27.3.50				Rs. 72,000.00
(Seventy two thousand only)					
Total					Rs. 5,72,000.00

(Rs. Five lacs & seventy two thousand only)

Joint Forest Officer
West Chanda Division
R.F.O./...

C/PN(E-2004)-469-2,825 Nk/50 Ns. (12/12/50)-PA5

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1950 March 27

The Divnl. Forest Officer
Chanda West Division.

Dear Sir

As per Govt. letter No. Fm:5577/1453-53 dated the 26th February '50 and the estimate submitted by you vide your letter No. VII/C/5053 dated the 7th February '50, we are enclosing herewith a cheque No. 557316 dt: 27.3.50 for Rs. 5.72 lacs (Five thousand and seventy two thousand only) as an advance payment made up as follows :

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Value of land	: Rs. 3.15 lacs
Value of crop	: Rs. 1.94 lacs
Cost of afforestation	: Rs. 0.63 lacs
	<u>Rs. 5.72 lacs</u>

The payment is being made against our immediate requirement of 10 acres of forest land. As it has been intimated earlier that land value is not payable by Central Government, the money is being paid under protest and the decision taken by the Central Government and State Government will be binding.

As the deforestation will be done by us, the cost of deforestation has not been included in payment.

You are therefore requested to kindly :

1. Acknowledge receipt of payment of Rs. 5.72 lacs (five lacs and seventy two thousand only) paid by cheque No. 557316 dt: 27.3.50, in favour of Divnl. Forest Officer, Chanda West Div.
2. The land which has already been marked should be handed over to us immediately.

Thanking you

Yours faithfully

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(A. C. G. P.)
Project Officer
Chandrapur Project

- Co. Forwarded to :
1. The Secretary to Govt. of Maharashtra, Revenue & Forest Deptt.
 2. The Chief Conservator of Forests, Pune
 3. The Conservator of Forests, Chandrapur.

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Government of India
Ministry of Energy
Department of Coal

Office of the Managing Director
Date No. 17.5/12.0
WESTERN COALFIELDS LTD. NAGPUR

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New Delhi, the 3rd October, 1980

To

The Deputy Secretary,
Revenue & Forests Deptt.,
Govt. of Maharashtra,
Mantralaya,
Kamhay-400032.

Subject:- Coal Bearing Areas forest land of Chandrapur
Distt. Maharashtra State - Acquisition of land
under the Coal Bearing Areas (ACB) Act, 1957.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to your letter No. FLD.3679/
1453/F-3, dated 12.6.80 on the above subject and to say
that the matter regarding payment of compensation for forest
lands, which has to be uniformly applicable to all State
Government's is under consideration and a decision when
arrived at will be communicated to you.

In the meantime, it is requested that the possession
of forest land may please be handed over to Western Coalfield
Limited to enable them to take up mining work. So far as the
payment of compensation is concerned, it is requested that
the an/compensation of forest growth and assessment of
valuation of thereof may please be completed expeditiously.
This payment will be made by Western Coalfields Limited
pending final decision in the matter.

Yours faithfully,

(Swaran Singh)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

Copy forwarded for information to Shri M.N. Prasad
Add. Chief Personnel Officer (Adm) Western Coalfields Ltd.
Nagpur, w.r.t. letter No. ACL/CMD/REV/14025 dt. 27.7.80.

Swaran Singh

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

No. MN 2176/49159/(2425)/IND-9,
Industries, Energy and Labour Department,
Mantralaya, Bombay-32.

Dated 15 Mar 1980

To

M/s Western Coalfields Ltd.,
Bleasar House, Temple Road
Nagpur - 440 001 (M.S.)

Subject : Acquisition of 837.31 acres of forest land in Durgapur Block as per section 9 notification of Coal Douring Areas (Acquisition & Development) Act in District Chandrapur, Maharashtra published in Extra-ordinary Gazette. (Government of India) dated the 4th August 1979.

Gentlemen,

I am directed to refer to your letter dated the 28th November 1979 and to state that the Revenue and Forests Department has issued instructions to the Chief Conservator of Forests, Pune to hand over possession of forest land of 837.31 acres in Durgapur Block of Chandrapur District to you after verifying certain things and after taking a complete census of the trees standing on the land alongwith all relevant details. You may now approach the concerned forest authorities.

2. You should promptly pay royalty, when you remove coal from the acquired lands, to the Collector, Chandrapur.

Yours faithfully

sd/-

(M. M. Karnik)
Desk Officer

Industries, Energy & Labour Department:

WESTERN COALFIELDS LIMITED

Office of the CEO, Bleasar House, Temple Road
NAGPUR 440 001.

Ref. No. WCL:CMD:REV:07:015562-04

dt: 22.3.1980.

Copy forwarded to :

1. The Director (T), WCL, Nagpur - for information
2. The Director (C/P), WCL, Nagpur - for information
3. The General Manager, Wardha Valley Area - for information and necessary action.

sd/-

(N.K. SAKSENA)
OFFICER ON SPECIAL DUTY (REVENUE)

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No. FLD 3679/1453-F3.

Revenue & Forests Department,
Mantralaya, Bombay-32,

Dated: 23rd May, 1980.

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Subject:- Forest Land : Chandrapur.
Coal bearing area-
acquired, handing over to Western Coalfield
Ltd.

MEMORANDUM:

The undersigned presents compliments to the Chief Conservator of Forests, Maharashtra State, Pune, and with reference to his letter No. D-12/MHL/300/78-79/500/80-81 dated 8th May, 1980 on the subject mentioned above is directed to accord sanction to hand over possession of forest land admeasuring 100 or more acres out of the areas specified in the Government of India, Ministry of Energy, Department of Coal. Notification No. S.O. 450(E) dated 4th August, 1979 to the Western Coalfields Ltd., for open cast mining, provided the Western Coalfields Ltd., gives an undertaking to pay the value of the trees and of the land that may be finally settled and for that purpose shows readiness to remit without delay such additional amount over and above that it has already credited as may be necessary on the final valuation of the land and trees.

The Chief Conservator of Forest, should ensure that the area so handed over is that ⁱⁿ which the valuation of tree growth has been ^{actually} finalised by the Conservator of Forests, Chanda Circle, Chandrapur. Steps to get the valuation of the land finalised may be taken expeditiously.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Maharashtra,

Under Secretary to Government,
Revenue & Forests Department.

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The Chief Conservator of Forests, Maharashtra State, Pune.

Copy to:
The Conservator of Forests, Chanda Circle, Chandrapur with reference to his endorsement No. Desk-2(1) LHE/32. 1492, dated 24.05.80 for information.
The Divisional Forest Officer, West Chanda Division, Chandrapur, for information.

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