



# THRIVENI EARTHMOVERS PRIVATE LIMITED

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**Ref.: -TEMPL/DFO/2021-22/91**

**Date – 13.11.22**

**To,  
Divisional Forest Officer,  
Keonjhar Division,  
Keonjhar, Odisha.**

**Sub.:-** Diversion of forest land over 94.351 ha under Sec. 2(iii) of F. C. Act 1980 including 4.261 ha of forest land abide for Safety Zone along the Lease boundary and village road. Out of the above an area over 90.09 Ha excluding the safety zone is also being simultaneously applied under Section 2(ii) of FC Act, 1980 in Laserda Pacheri Manganese & Iron block in village Dhanurjapur, Kanarda & Laserda under Barbil Tahasil of Keonjhar District, Odisha of M/s Thriveni Earth Movers Private Limited.

**(Proposal No. FP/OR/MIN/149499/2021, State Sl. No. – OR-094/2021)**

**X-Sub: Submission of Compliance of deficiencies noticed in the aforementioned proposal.**

**Ref.:-** Your office letter No. 84740/ Mining-234/2018, Dt. 26<sup>th</sup> Nov.2021.

Sir,

With reference to the above cited letter we are complying herewith the discrepancies noticed by your end in the above diversion proposal. The point wise details are as follows:-

**UNDERTAKING TO BE FURNISHED**

- 1) Paying towards NPV & Additional NPV, if so determined as per final decision of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.**

An undertaking as regards to NPV & Additional NPV, if so determined as per final decision of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India is enclosed as **Annexure - X**.

- 2) Certificate under FRA-2006 in respect of forest land.**

A declaration as regards to the certificate under FRA Act, 2006 is enclosed as **Annexure - XV**.

- 3) Undertaking as regards the policy decision of the State Govt. in Steel & Mines Department their notification bearing No. 37/2004 dated 15.01.2004.**

An undertaking as regards to the policy decision of the State Govt. in Steel & Mines Department vide his notification No. 37/2004 dated 15.01.2004 is enclosed as **Annexure - X**.

**4) Pending Court Matters, if any.**

There are no pending court matters in respect of Laserda-Pacheri Manganese & Iron mines. Further an undertaking in this regard is enclosed as **Annexure -X**.

**AUTHENTICATED MAPS AND DOCUMENTS TO BE FURNISHED**

**1. SOI Topo Sheet (1:50000) showing forest land required for diversion & boundary of adjoining forest land.**

Topo Map showing the forest land required for diversion within the granted LoI for Mining Lease and adjoining lease boundary with adjoining forest area authenticated by concerned officials is enclosed as **Plate No. - I**.

**2. Original Lease Map.**

Lease Map of Laserda-Pacheri vetted by ORSAC and authenticated by Asst. Mining Officer, Director of Mines is attached as **Plate No.-II(A)**.

**3. Proposed land use plan in respect of applied forest land (Reduce area).**

Proposed land use plan in respect of applied forest land authenticated by concern authority is attached as **Plate No. - VI**.

**4. DGPS map showing patch wise DGPS coordinates of the forest land under different categories involved in the mining lease proposed for diversion and DGPS coordinates of all patches of forest land involved in the ML.**

DGPS map showing patch wise DGPS coordinates of the forest land under different categories involved within the granted LoI for mining lease proposed for diversion and DGPS coordinates of all patches of forest land involved in the granted LoI for Mining Lease area authenticated by concerned authority and ORSAC as **Plate No. II(B)**.

**5. Cost benefit analysis of the project.**

Cost benefit analysis of the project is enclosed as **Annexure - VII**.

**6. Details of approval obtained/sought for under the Forest Act. in respect of the project.**

It is to inform you that, earlier, the Steel & Mines Department, Govt. of Odisha has granted Composite Licence over 256.304 ha and we have obtained forest clearance over 8.2276 ha of forest land for exploration on dated 22.01.2018, copy of the same is enclosed as **Annexure-XVII**. Out of the above granted Composite Licence area Govt. of Odisha has granted LoI for Mining Lease over 131.800 ha including 94.351 ha of forest land, for which this instant proposal is being applied.

**7. Check list in the prescribed format along with specific information.**

Check list in the prescribed format along with specific information is enclosed.

**8. Status of settlement of right under the Forest Right Act, 2006 of forest land proposed for diversion should be submitted.**

Certificate regards to Forest Right Act (FRA), 2006, we have already applied to Collector, Keonjhar pertaining to FRA vide our letter dated 16.10.2021. Further the same has been initiated at Collector, Keonjhar and instructed to PD, ITDA for further action on dated 08.11.2021 and PD, ITDA has instructed BDO, Joda for conducting the Gram sabha on dated 15.12.2021 and subsequently Gram sabha has been completed on dated 10.01.2022. A declaration as regards to the certificate under FRA Act, 2006 is enclosed as **Annexure - XV**.

**9. The detail of land schedule of the proposed area should be appended in the diversion proposal duly authenticated by the concerned Tahsildar & Range Officer & User Agency.**

The entire forest area (94.351 ha) involved within the granted LoI for Mining Lease is being applied for diversion under section 2(iii) of FC Act, 1980 and out of the above 90.09 ha is being applied for section 2(ii) of FC Act, 1980 excluding safety zone. The Land Schedule authenticated by Tahasildar, Ranger and User Agency is enclosed as **Annexure - II**.

**10. Whether the proposed forest land is a part of National Park, Wildlife Sanctuary, Biosphere Reserve, Tiger Reserve, Elephant Corridor etc.**

No, the proposed forest land is not part of a National Park, Wildlife Sanctuary, Biosphere Reserve, Tiger Reserve, Elephant Corridor.

**11. Whether any protected archeological / heritage site / defence establishment or any other important monument is located in the area. If so, the details thereof with NOC from competent authority, if required.**

No, the proposed forest land is coming from any protected archeological / heritage site / defence establishment or any other important monument located in the area.

**12. It is seen from the Form - A, Part - I in item No. B.2.4 component wise break up that -**

**Sl No. 1 - mentioned mining along with mine road - 64.368 ha**

**Sl No. 2 - waste dump with environmental safeguard like retaining wall etc - 11.612 ha.**

**Please mention the forest area required for mining & road separately.**

It is to clarify that the permanent road has been mentioned separately in Sl. No. 8, the area is 1.915 ha, out of that 0.549 ha is under forest land. Whatever road is mentioned in Sl. No. 1 it is a temporary mine road that will be changed as per the movement of Mining, so it has been mentioned Mining along with mine road.

- 13. In item No. 6 - it is mentioned that an area of 0.612 ha forest land proposed for office, site service & admin building, camp area. The said item of land use may be diverted to Non-Forest land instead of forest, if possible. Also submit the proper justification for locating the proposed construction work in forest land.**

Most of the non-forest land is coming under mineralized area, only 0.612 ha of forest land is being taken for use as a temporary workshop. As per development proposal initial 1st 5 years work will be in the Laserda block, in Laserda block there is very little non-forest land coming in mineralised area, therefore the said 0.612 ha is being taken for temporary workshop, where no trees are available.

- 14. You have mentioned the project area is not located in schedule area, but it located in schedule area, please rectify the same.**

Rectified in the online application Form A.

- 15. The sub-total of the proposed land use is incorrect, the same may rectify.**

Rectified in the online application in Form A.

- 16. The area of Safety Zone along the river side is zero mentioned in the SZ table - 2 as per EC Act guideline 50 mtrs along the river side SZ should be mentioned & rectify the area of SZ along the river.**

It is to inform you that Karo river is coming to the central part of the 2 blocks (Laserda & Pacheri Block), for connecting two blocks there will be a requirement of path, for which we have taken only 40 mtrs of path. Out of which we have left our 15 mtrs of boundary safety zone, only 25 mtrs will be left out for using the path. As per the norm we have taken 50 Mtrs of safety zone along the both sides of the river, but the same is taken for non-forestry use, which is being proposed to be diverted under section 2(ii) of FC Act, 1980.

**17. Original authenticated documents/maps should be enclosed in the DP.**

All the maps and documents are signed and original authenticated documents/map is enclosed in the DP.

**18. There is no any document as regards ToR/EC of the said block is enclosed in the DP.**

Term of Reference (ToR) for Laserda-Pacheri block has been applied and is in process for obtaining ToR. Copy of the application is enclosed as **Annexure -IX.**

This is for your information and necessary action.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

For, Thriveni Earth Movers Private Limited

  
Pralayananda Behera  
General Manager



**Encl: As above**

N.B. – Six sets of hard copies in complete documents are also submitted to your good office for your needful action.