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Date- 30/12/2022

To,  
The Divisional Forest Officer,  
Bonai Division  
Dist : Sundargarh  
Odisha.

Sub: Proposal for diversion of 60.508 ha. of Reserve Forest land in Dholtapahar Iron Ore Block of M/s Kashvi Power & Steel Pvt. Ltd. under Bonai Division, Sundargarh District.

Ref: Your office letter No. 1901 dated 7.03.2022

Dear Sir,

We are re-submitting the Forest Diversion proposal 60.508 ha. of Reserve Forest land in Dholtapahar Iron Ore Block of M/s Kashvi Power & Steel Pvt. Ltd. under Bonai Division, Sundargarh District after rectifying the discrepancies observed by your good office as follows: -

**1. Soft copy of the diversion proposal has not enclosed to DP in CD / DVD form.**

In compliance to the above, we are submitting herewith the soft copy of the diversion proposal enclosed to DP in CD form.

**2. In the instant proposal, you have applied for diversion of forest land U/s-2 (ii) of FC Act, 1980 only, but before execution of mining lease permission U/s-2 (iii) of FC Act, 1980 is required. This may be clarified and do needful action.**

In compliance to the above, we would like to inform you that we have applied diversion of entire forest land under Section 2(iii) of F C Act, 1980. The proposal No is 152380/2022 and the State Serial No is OR-022/2022. We have also submitted the hard copy of the proposal to the Nodal office for onward transmission to your good office.

Received  
Proposals in Set.  
B. Kishan  
30.12.22

3. *Undertaking to pay all Compensatory levies demanded by the Forest Department, i.e., CA, NPV, Addl. NPV, SZ, 1.5 times SZ; Regional WL Mngt. Plan, SSWLCP etc. have not enclosed with the diversion proposal.*

In compliance to the above, we are enclosing here with the undertaking to pay all Compensatory levies to be demanded by the Forest Department, i.e., CA, NPV, Addl. NPV, SZ, 1.5 times SZ, Regional WL Mngt. Plan, SSWLCP etc. as **Annexure -16.**

4. *Check list Serial No.17 & 18 have not enclosed.*

In compliance to above, it is to state that SIR in the prescribed format will be prepared by your office after your field inspection.

With regards to Sl. No 18, the District Administration of Sundergarh has identified/allotted non-forest land of 57.757 ha. in village San-Sibnathpur of Gurundia Tehsil coming under Bonai Range of Bonai Forest Division in Sundergarh district for the purpose of raising Compensatory Afforestation. The ADM Sundergarh vide letter No10986 dated 17.09.2022 requested the DFO, Bonai and Tahasilar Gurundia to take up Joint verification is enclosed as **Annexure -8.** The DFO, Bonai vide letter No 7951 dated 23.09.2022 requested the Tahasildar and Range officer to take up joint verification and to submit report which is enclosed as **Annexure -8A.** The Joint verification report with certificate of free from encroachment and encumbrance, Suitability certificate and land schedule of the CA land is enclosed as **Annexure -9.** DGPS maps of the non-forest land is also enclosed at **Plate- X.**

5. *All papers / pages have not signed by the Authorised Signatory of the User Agency.*

In compliance to above, it is to state that, All papers, annexures, map have duly signed by the authorised signatory.

6. *Certificate (NoC) from concerned District Magistrates under the Forest Rights Act'2006 has not furnished.*



In compliance to Govt. of India, MoEF & CC circulars vide F.No.11-9/1998-FC (Pt.) dt. 3.8.2009 and subsequent guidelines issued thereafter in the matter of ensuring compliance to the provisions of the Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006 it pertinent here to mentioned that as per Forest (Conservation) Rule 2017, the entire process referred to in clause (e) shall be completed by the District Collector within the time period stipulated in these rules for grant of in-principle approval under the Act to the proposal; However we have applied to Collector, Sundergarh for issue of certificate under the Forest Right Act,2006 and the and in accordance with the procedure Gram Sabha has been conducted on 13.06.2022 and more than 50% of villagers gave their consent. The BDO, Koira vide letter No. 2097 dated 12.07.2022 forwarded the same to SDLC. The SDLC also recommended it to Collector cum Chairman DLC for consideration. The Gram sabha resolution and its translation in English is enclosed as Annexure as **Annexure – 11**.

7. *As per Letter No.R & DM-GE (GL)-S-63/13-4822/CS dt.12.02.2015 of the Chief Secretary of Odisha addressed to all Collectors, necessary Certificate should be furnished by the Tahasildar as regards status of total land involved in the project (both Forest & Non-forest) as per Govt. record as on 25.10.1980. The same has not been followed.*

In compliance to above, it is to inform you that the Dholta Pahar Iron Ore Block is situated in Sarkunda Reserve Forest. However, the status of land as on 25.10.1980 is duly certified by the Tahasildar, Koira is enclosed as **Annexure – 5A**

8. *The land schedule of forest area proposed to be diverted for Mining, Other ancillary activities and Safety Zone need to be prepared separately, to be signed by the User Agency, to be authenticated by the Range Officer, Barsuan, and DDM, Koira and to be enclosed with the diversion proposal.*

**LAND SCHEDULE OF TOTAL FOREST APPLIED FOR DIVERSION**

Sl no	Villages	Khata no	Plot no	Kisam	Total area of plot	Area applied for diversion (in ha.)		Total forest area applied for diversion	Remark (Category of forest)
						For Mining & Other ancillary activities	For Safety Zone		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

*However, it has not enclosed.*

In compliance to above, the land schedule of total forest land applied for diversion in the aforementioned format is duly authenticated by all concern is enclosed as Annexure –5B

9. *Grand abstract of non-forest land, Revenue Forest land, DLC forest and, RF, and PRF of the applied forest land for diversion separately for (Mining & Other ancillary activities and Safety Zone) need to be authenticated by the Range Officer, Barsuan Range and DDM, Koira and to be enclosed in the following proforma.*

**TOTAL LAND REQUIRED (BOTH FOREST AND NON-FOREST)**

Sl No	Name of Range	Total Forest land required for the project						Non-Forest land involved in the forest		Total Non-Forest (9 + 10)	Grand Total (8 + 11)
		PR	PRF	Rev. Forest	DLC Forest	Any other forest	Total Forest (3 to 7)	Govt. land	Private land		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12

*However, it has not enclosed.*



In compliance to above, the entire mining lease is falling within Sarkunda Reserve Forest. However, the grand abstract of of the applied forest land for diversion separately for (Mining & Other ancillary activities and Safety Zone) has been authenticated by the Range Officer, Barsuan Range and DDM, Koira and enclosed as **Annexure-5C**.

10. ***The applied area delineated in the Topo Sheet (Plate No.1) signed by the User Agency should be authenticated by the Range Officer, Barsuan Range & DDM, Koira and to be enclosed with the diversion proposal. It has not been followed.***

In compliance to above, the applied area delineated in the Topo Sheet (**Plate No.1**) has been signed by the User Agency as well as authenticated by the Range Officer, Barsuan Range & DDM, Koira and enclosed with the diversion proposal.

11. ***The adjoining lease map showing in the Topo sheet (Plate No.II) signed by the User Agency should be authenticated by the Range Officer, Barsuan Range & DDM, Koira and to be enclosed with the diversion proposal. It has not been followed.***

In compliance to above, the adjoining lease map showing in the Topo sheet (Plate No.II) has been signed by the User Agency as well as authenticated by the Range Officer, Barsuan Range & DDM, Koira and enclosed with the diversion proposal.

12. ***The DGPS Maps along with co-ordinates of the area applied for diversion should be authenticated by the Range Officer, Barsuan & DDM, Koira and to be enclosed with the diversion proposal. It has not been followed.***

In compliance to above, the DGPS Maps along with co-ordinates of the area applied for diversion has been authenticated by the Range Officer, Barsuan & DDM, Koira and enclosed with the diversion proposal (Plate No-IV)

13. ***Geological Plan (Plate No. V) of the ML area should be signed by the User Agency and to be authenticated by the Range Officer, Barsuan Range & DDM, Koira and to be enclosed with the diversion proposal. It has not been followed.***

In compliance to above, Geological Plan (Plate No. V) of the ML area has been signed by the User Agency and also authenticated by the Range Officer, Barsuan Range & DDM, Koira and enclosed with the diversion proposal.

14. ***Safety Zone Map (Plate No.VI) signed by the User Agency should be authenticated by the Range Officer, Barsuan Range & DDM, Koira after showing the area of Safety Zone along the ML boundary and Safety Zone of Magazine in the Map and to be enclosed with the diversion proposal. It has not been followed.***

In compliance to above, the Safety Zone Map (Plate No.VI) signed by the User Agency as well as authenticated by the Range Officer, Barsuan Range & DDM, Koira after showing the area of Safety Zone along the ML boundary. Suitable green belt has been kept for Magazine which is part of diversion. The map is enclosed with the diversion proposal.

15. ***Map showing Existing Land Use Plan (Plate No. VII) signed by the User Agency should be authenticated by Range Officer, Barsuan Range and DDM, Koira and to be enclosed with the diversion proposal. However, it has not been followed.***

In compliance to above, the Existing Land Use Plan (Plate No.VII) signed by the User Agency also been authenticated by Range Officer, Barsuan Range and DDM, Koira and enclosed with the diversion proposal.

16. ***In the Proposed Land Use Plan (Plate No. VIII) it has mentioned that an area of 1.250 ha. shall be used for Magazine and Safety Zone. The said area should be mentioned separately for Magazine and Safety Zone and the said Map should be authenticated by the Range Officer, Barsuan and DDM, Koira and to be enclosed with the diversion proposal. It has not been followed.***

In compliance to above, an area of 1.250 ha. earmarked for Magazine with green belt. Out of 1.250 ha of Magazine with Green belt area, Green belt area is 1.231 and Magazine area is 0.019 ha. The said Map has been authenticated by the Range Officer, Barsuan and DDM, Koira and enclosed with the diversion proposal.

17. ***Location map showing distance of the above said project area from National Park, Wildlife Sanctuaries, Tiger/Elephant Reserves and their corridors (existing as well as proposed) in the State of Odisha should be enclosed with the diversion proposal after authenticated by the Range Officer, Barsuan Range.***

In compliance to above, Location map showing distance of the project area from National Park, Wildlife Sanctuaries, Tiger/Elephant Reserves and their

corridors (existing as well as proposed) in the State of Odisha has been enclosed with the diversion proposal and duly authenticated by the Range Officer, Barsuan Range.

18. *Certificate from DDM, Koira about non-availability of the same minerals in nearby/surrounding non-forest area to be submitted with the proposal.*

In compliance to above, It is to state that the mining block has been allocated through auction process. Prior to the auction of the block the State Government prepared the Geological report and put up for auction. Mining is a site-specific activity so alternative land in non-forest land is not possible.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

For **Kashvi Power & Steel Pvt. Ltd.**

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(Authorised Signatory)

Dholtapahar Iron Ore Block