JINDAL STEEL & POWER

Ref: JSPL/ANGL/SPP/2020/002

Date: 24/01/2020

To

The Divisional Forest Officer, Angul Division, Angul.

Sub: Submission of proposal seeking prior approval of Central Government under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for Re-diversion of 2.405 ha of forest land for laying of Iron ore slurry Pipeline from Barbil to Angul by M/s JSPL – Compliances of queries from O/o PCCF, FD & NO, FC Act, Odisha.

Ref: Your office letter No.7989/68/2019/DRP dated 24.12.2019 for compliance of objections.

Sir,

Referring to letter cited above, we are submitting the point wise compliances as below:

1. The Stage – I approval order of the MoEF vide letter F.No.8-75/2008-FC dated 30.03.2010 of the diverted land 168.232 ha) has not been enclosed.

The Stage — I approval order of the MoEF vide letter F.No.8-75/2008-FC dated 30.03.2010 is enclosed in the Re-diversion proposal from Page 134 to Page 136.

2. The UA has not furnished the compliances of Stage – II approval order accorded by MoEF & CC vide letter No. F.No.8-75/2008-FC dated 28.10.2010.

The compliances submitted by Jindal Steel & Power Ltd. (JSPL) vide letter No.JSPL/Angul/L&A/2010/205 Dated 09.12.2010 along with all Annexure in 11 nos. for the conditions of Stage – II approval order accorded by MoEF & CC vide letter No. F.No.8-75/2008-FC dated 28.10.2010 has been furnished from Page 137 to Page 151.

Annexure I, IA & IB are Government of Odisha Gazette Notifications on CA land declaring as Protected Forests for condition No.3 of the Stage II approval. Annexure II to Annexure IX are for compliance of Condition No.s, 4, 7, 9, 11, 12, 14, 16 & 17 respectively of Stage II approval. This sequence of Annexure are recommended by the Divisional Forest Officer, Angul in his recommendation of Stage II compliance to the Regional Chief Conservator of Forests, Angul vide Memo No.545 dated 19.01.2011 for diversion of 168.232 ha forest land for establishment of Integrated Steel complex with C.P.P. by JSPL.

3. The UA has not furnished the purpose wise break-up of the approved land use plan of already diverted forest land of 168.232 ha.

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The purpose wise break-up of the approved land use plan of already diverted forest land of 168.232 ha has been furnished by Jindal Steel and Power Ltd. through IDCO, Bhubaneswar on page 12 of the PART – I of the FORM A of the proposal for diversion of 168.232 ha forest land for establishment of Integrated Steel plant with C.P.P. by JSPL (State Srl. No. 202/06 dated 01.12.2006). The PART – I of the FORM A has been attached to the Re-diversion proposal for Slurry Pipeline proposal from Page 152 to Page 167. The Purpose wise breakup of the land is tabulated in Page 163 of the Re-diversion proposal.

Out of all the approved item wise break-ups of total 168.232 ha forest land, water Pipeline is laid over diverted forest land of 4.132 ha which has been figured in the SL. NO. 10 of the table in Page 163 of the Re-diversion proposal.

4. The UA has not furnished the purpose wise break-up of the proposed change in land use plan in the DP.

Inside the approved and laid corridor for water pipeline 4.132 ha forest land has been diverted as described in compliance of Query No.3 above. Jindal Steel and Power Ltd. is proposing to lay Slurry Pipeline within that approved corridor of water pipeline for which Re-diversion of 2.405 Ha of forest land, of the total 4.132 ha forest land diverted, is proposed in Re-diversion proposal. The Land schedule of both Forest and Non-forest land furnished from Page 72 to 107 include area involved in individual plots in existing water Pipeline corridor and in proposed Slurry Pipeline. The Village sheets showing both the routes are also furnished in the Re-diversion proposal as

To illustrate the Change in land use within the diverted and laid corridor of water pipeline one cross-section drawing has been furnished on Page 168 showing the location of existing water pipeline after laying and proposed Slurry pipeline to be laid within the approved corridor of Water Pipeline for which 4.132 Ha forest land has been diverted as part of 168.232 Ha.

5. The UA has not enclosed the map of the approved land use plan.

The copy of the Approved Land use plan of 168.232 ha is furnished at the end of Vol - I of the Re-diversion proposal.

6. The UA has not furnished the map of proposed change in land use plan showing clearly on the approved land use plan.

A map showing proposed Change in Land use plan in 1:50.000 scale showing already laid water Pipeline corridor within which proposed slurry pipeline has been proposed to be laid is furnished at the end of Vol - I of the Re-diversion proposal.

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However the Village sheets furnished in Re-diversion proposal have also shown the change in approved land use plan of diverted forest land in the marked corridors.

With all the compliances in place we are hereby resubmitting the Re-diversion proposal to your goodself in six sets for favour of your perusal and Kind consideration for recommendations.

Thanking you,

Yours' faithfully For JINDAL STEEL AND POWER LTD.

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Attached: Proposal in six sets