

Ref. No.: MCL/MLA/GM/2024/ 259

Date: 13/05/2024

To,

The Divisional Forest Officer,

Sundargarh Forest Division,

District: Sundargarh, Odisha.

Sub.: Proposal for non-forestry use of 227.62 ha of forest land within a total mining lease area of 323.92 ha within Basundhara (West) Extension Opencast Coal mining project by Mahanadi Coalfields Limited (MCL).

[Proposal No: FP/OR/MIN/20559/2016 & State Serial No. OR-024/2018]

Ref.: DFO's Memo No. 2699/4F (Misc) dated 10.05.2024 seeking EDS.

Respected Sir,

With reference to the letter cited above, the site inspection of DFO, Sundargarh has been conducted in the presence of Ranger (Gopalpur), Foresters (Gopalpur) and the undersigned along with his team on 11.05.2024. The pictures depicting the same are as follows:



Thus, you are hereby humbly requested to kindly do the necessary regarding the proposal for non-forestry use of 227.62 ha of forest land within a total mining lease area of 323.92 ha within Basundhara (West) Extension Opencast Coal mining project by Mahanadi Coalfields Limited (MCL).

Thanking you.

Yours truly,

13/05/24
General Manager
Mahalaxmi Area
Mahanadi Coal Fields Limited
Sujay Das