




THE SINGARENI COLLIERIES COMPANY LIMITED
(A Government Company)
KOTHAGUDEM AREA

CERTIFICATE FOR

Model and Make of the DGPS/ GNSS Instruments

It is certified that the DGPS/GNSS survey was carried out by Singareni Collieries Company Ltd. In respect of 1st renewal of diversion of 0.90Ha. Forest land for Padmavathi Khani. The make and model of the DGPS/ GNSS instruments are Leica Viva DGPS Model Viva GS10


General Manager,
Kothagudem Area.




Annexure-VIII

THE SINGARENI COLLIERIES COMPANY LIMITED
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KOTHAGUDEM AREA

UNDERTAKING TO PAY ADDL. COST OF NET PRESENT VALUE (NPV)

SCCL hereby undertakes to pay Addl. Cost of Net Present Value (NPV) as per guidelines under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and Wildlife(Protection) Act, 1972 in accordance with the orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India/ State Govt. and MoEF in respect of 1st renewal of diversion of 0.90 Ha. Forest land used for Submerisable Pumps at Padmavathi Khani Mine Kothagudem division, Ramavaram RF.

Further, SCCL undertakes to pay the differential NPV amount if, any due to escalation of revision of NPV, as and when demanded by the Forest Department.


General Manager
Kothagudem Area.

File No.8-277/85-FC
Government of India
Ministry of Environment and Forests
(F.C. Division)

Paayavaran Bhawan,
CGO Complex, Lodhi Road,
New Delhi - 110003.
Dated: 1st February, 2009.

To

The Special Chief Secretary to Government,
Environment, Forests, Science and Technology Department,
A.P. Secretariat,
Government of Andhra Pradesh,
Hyderabad.

Sub: Renewal of mining lease (Kothagudem Mining Lease) of 1174.18 Ha. of forest land in Kothagudem Forest Division of Khammam Circle for underground mining in favour of M/s Singareni Collieries Company Limited

Sir,

I am directed to refer to the State Government's letter No. 3341 /FOR.I(1)/2008-I dated 25.08.2008 on the above-mentioned subject, wherein prior approval of the Central Government for the renewal of mining lease (Kothagudem Mining Lease) of 1174.18 Ha. of forest land in Kothagudem Forest Division of Khammam Circle for underground mining in favour of M/s Singareni Collieries Company Limited, was sought, in accordance with Section 2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980. The said proposal has been examined by the Forest Advisory Committee constituted by the Central Government under Section 3 of the aforesaid Act.

2. After careful consideration of the proposal of the State Government of Andhra Pradesh and on the basis of the recommendations of the Forest Advisory Committee, the Central Government hereby agrees for the renewal of mining lease (Kothagudem Mining Lease) of 1174.18 Ha. of forest land in Kothagudem Forest Division of Khammam Circle for underground mining in favour of M/s Singareni Collieries Company Limited, subject to the fulfillment of the following conditions:-

1. Legal status of forest land shall remain unchanged.
2. The State Government shall charge the Net Present Value (NPV) for the forest area proposed for renewal to be diverted under this proposal

from the User Agency as per the orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India dated 30.10.2002, 01.08.2003, 28.03.2008 and 09.05.2008 in IA No. 566 in WP (C) No. 202/1995 and as per the guidelines issued by this Ministry vide letters No. 5-1/1998-FC (Pt. II) dated 18.09.2003, as well as letter No. 5-2/2006-FC dated 03.10.2006 in this regard.

3. Additional amount of the NPV of the diverted additional forest land, if any, becoming due after finalization of the same by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India on receipt of the report from the Expert Committee, shall be charged by the State Government from the User Agency. The User Agency shall furnish an undertaking to this effect.
4. All the funds received from the User Agency under the project shall be transferred to in Account No. 344901010070128 of Union Bank of India, Sunder Nagar, New Delhi-110003.
5. Wherever possible and technically feasible, the User Agency shall undertake afforestation measures in the blanks within the lease area as well as within 100 Meter radius from the lease area inside RF if density is lesser than 0.4 and maintain it till the life of the project, in consultation with the State Forest Department.
6. The User Agency shall raise and maintain the Afforestation including enrichment plantation over surface area.
7. The period of diversion under this approval shall be twenty (20) years subject to possession of valid lease by the User Agency under the MMDR Act, 1957 so that it shall be co-terminus.
8. Any tree felling shall be done only when it is absolutely necessary and unavoidable.
9. No damage to the flora and fauna of the area shall be caused.
10. Reclamation Plan shall be strictly implemented which shall be monitored regularly by the State Forest Department/Regional Office, Bangalore.
11. It shall be ensured that no labour camps are set up inside the forest area.
12. The mining lease area shall be demarcated on ground at the project cost, using four feet high RCC pillars, with each pillar inscribed with the serial number, forward and backward bearings and distance between two adjacent pillars.
13. The User Agency shall take up the de-silting of the village tanks within five km area from the mine lease boundary so as to mitigate the impact of siltation of such tanks whenever required.
14. The forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the proposal.
15. Any other condition that the CCF (Central), Regional Office, Bangalore/ State Government may impose from time to time for protection and improvement of flora and fauna in the forest area, shall also be applicable.

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3. The compliance report on the fulfilment of the above mentioned conditions contained in Para 2 above, from the State Government of Andhra Pradesh may be submitted immediately.

Yours faithfully,

SI
(B. K. Singh)

Sr. Assistant Inspector General of Forests

Copy to:

1. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.
2. Nodal Officer, Office of the PCCF, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.
3. Chief Conservator of Forests (Central), Regional Office, Bangalore.
4. User Agency.
5. RO(HQ), MoEF, New Delhi.
6. Monitoring Cell, FC Division, MoEF, New Delhi.
7. Guard File.

B.K. Singh
(B.K. Singh)

Sr. Assistant Inspector General of Forests

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Nasir Khan
Estates Manager
THE S.C.Co.Ltd.,
KOTHAGUDEM AREA.

Date: 31.05.2016.

THE SINGARENI COLLIERIES COMPANY LIMITED

(A Government Company)

DETAILS OF SURFACE FOREST LANDS DIVERTED, SURRENDERED, PROPOSED TO BE SURRENDERED AND BALANCE.

Sl. No.	Name of the Project/purpose	Extent diverted	Govt. Reference No & date	Lease period years	Remarks
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UNDER F(C)ACT:

KOTHAGUDEM DIVISION:-

1	1 st Renewal of OCP (Phase-I)	GK 161.31	8-117/2002-FC, dt.01.02.2010	20 years from 08.02.2003	100.00 Ha. surrendered to forest dept. on 07.07.2010
2	GK OCP (Phase-II)	124.00	8-17/98-FC, dt.08.02.1999	20 years from 08.02.1999	
3	Approach road from workmen colony to GK OCP.	1.80	F(C)/A/11.2/37/AP/RC/1376, Dt.27.08.1999	Not mentioned	
4	Re-alignment of TellavagunNallah at VK-7.	11.96	F(C)/A/16.1/70/AP/MIN, dt.31.08.2005.	10 years from 31.08.2005	
5	Koyagudem OCP-I (Phase-I).	236.00	8-113/99-FC, dt.14.05.2001.	30 years from 14.05.2001	
6	Koyagudem OCP-II (Phase-I).	231.94	8-90/2006-FC, dt.08.01.2008	20 years co-terminus with ML from 26.02.2008.	
7	GK OCP (Phase-III)	154.96	8-62/2005-FC, dt.9.07.2008.	20 years co-terminus with ML.	
8	Installation of submersible pumps.	0.90	8-277/85/FC dt.18.08.2008	10 years from 18.08.2008	
Sub total (a)		922.87			

PALONCHA DIVISION:

9	Manuguru OCP-I (Phase-I).	308.40	8-24/88-FC, dt.21.12.1988.	20 years co-terminus with ML	Renewal.
10	Renewal of OCP-II MNG(Ph-I) (Part)	125.90	8-56/2004-FC, dt.14.07.2008.		Renewal.
11	OC-IV, Manuguru.	104.00	8-14/94-FC, dt.14.02.1997.		Renewal.
12	OC-II, MNG (Phase-III), Balance.	286.25	8-8/96-FC, dt.10.10.1997	30 years from 10.10.1997	
13	Sand Stowing Plant at Manuguru.	2.00	F(C)/A/11.2/45/MISC/AP/1040, dt.27.07.1999.	20 years co-terminus with ML	Renewal.

Sl. No.	Name of the Project/purpose	Extent diverted	Govt. Reference No & date	Lease period years	Remarks
14	OCP-III, Manuguru	75.00	8-37/2001-FC, dt.31.12.2003	20 years co-terminus with ML	
15	Development of Mines and ancillary purposes.	444.45	8-73/2005-FC, dt.10.07.2008.	20 years co-terminus with ML	Originally granted by State Govt. in 1979. Regularised under F (C) Act. in Renewal.
16	Manuguru OCP-II Expansion.	175.69	8-7/2008-FC, dt.30.12.2008.	20 years co-terminus with ML	
17	Incline entries for Kondapuram UG ML	10.50	8-71/2009-FC(vol), dt.06.01.2016	co-terminus with ML	
18	Manuguru OCP	33.58	8-73/2005-FC (vol.I), dt.4/9.05.2016	30 years co-terminus with ML	
	Sub total (b)	1565.77			
KHAMMAM DIVISION:					
19	JVR OCP-I.	244.02	8-129/2003-FC, dt.02.02.2005.	20 years co-terminus with ML	
20	JVR OCP-I Expansion	136.50	8-56/2008-FC, dt.03.07.2012	20 years co-terminus with ML	
	Sub total (c)	380.52			
KARIMNAGAR DIVISION.					
21	GDK 9, 10&10A Inc.	247.00 (surface)	8-109/2005-FC, dt.02.05.2008.	20 years from 02.05.2008	Underground Mining lease is 412.40 Ha.
22	RG OCP-II Expansion	147.42	8-109/2005-FC (vol-1), dt.01.08.2013	30 years co-terminus with ML	
	Sub-total (d)	394.42			
MANCHERIAL DIVISION:					
23	RK 8 Incline.	6.20	FC(A) 16.1/AP/11/MIN, dt.23.02.1996.	Not mentioned	
24	RK New Tech.	8.96	8-70/80-FC, dt.23.02.1998.	Not mentioned	
25	Sriampur 2A Incline.	13.85	8-56/91-FC/1777/F, dt.29.05.2001.	30 years from 29.05.2001	
26	RK 5B Incline.	4.85	8-72/93-FC, dt.23.02.1996	Not mentioned	
27	RK 1A Incline.	8.26	F(C)/16.1-A.P-50-MIN/2408, dt.11.03.2003.	Not mentioned	
28	SRP OCP-II	100.82	8-27/2007-FC, dt.16.06.2009	20 years co-terminus with ML	
29	RK OCP (Phase-I)	202.50	8-26/2010-FC, dt.31.05.2013	20 years co-terminus with ML	
	Sub total(e)	345.44			

Sl. No.	Name of the Project/purpose	Extent diverted	Govt. Reference No & date	Lease period years	Remarks
BELLAMPALLI DIVISION:					
30	Goleti No.1 Incline to CHP approach road.	6.50	8-89/84 FRY(C), dt.25.07.1985.	Not mentioned	
31	Bellampalli OCP (MVK 6 Incl.)	33.45	8-380/84-FC, dt.31.05.1989.	Not mentioned	
32	Goleti No.1 Incline.	9.00	8-104/90-FC, dt.16.12.1994.	Not mentioned	
33	Goleti No.2 Incline.	12.50	8-89/91-FC, dt.23.02.1996	Not mentioned	
34	Bellampalli OC-II.	32.70	8-11/96-FC, dt.26.12.1997.	Not mentioned	
35	Khairaguda UG	29.85	8-28/94-FC, dt.28.09.2000.	Not mentioned	
36	Khairaguda OCP	140.30	8-102/2000-FC, dt.10.09.2003	Not mentioned	
37	Goleti 1A Incline.	4.56	F(C)/A/11.2/105/AP/MIN, dt.10.06.2004.	Not mentioned	
38	BPA OC-II Block "C"	28.62	F(C)/A/16.1/74/ AP/MIN. dt.06.07.2006.	Not mentioned	
39	Shaft sinking SK long wall project.	4.88	8-87/2001-FC, dt.14.07.2008	20 years co-terminus with ML	
40	Khairaguda OCP Expansion project	126.71	8-28/94-FC, dt.01.07.2011	20 years co-terminus with ML	
41	BPA OC-II Extension Block "B & D"	108.78	8-21/2009-FC, dt.04.09.2014	30 years co-terminus with ML	
	Sub total (f)	537.85			
	Grand total (a-f)	4146.87			

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Sl. No.	Name of the Project/purpose	Extent diverted	Govt. Reference No & date	Lease period years	Remarks
BEFORE F(C)ACT:					
KOTHAGUDEM DIVISION:					
42	Polampalli Mine. (YD)	5.54	--	--	Handed over on 07.09.1970 on a plan.
43	Polampalli Mine. (YD)	13.44	--	--	
Sub total (a)		18.98			
PALONCHA DIVISION:					
44	Colony. (MNG)	162.00		--	
Sub total (b)		162.00			
MANCHERIAL DIVISION:					
45	For mines, CCC Plant and Colony. (SRP)	940.09	CCF letter No. 40529/74.G2, dt.29.01.1975.	--	
46	CCC, Magazine at MK-4, etc. (SRP)	215.69		--	
	MK Magazine (MM)	7.28	G.O. No. 416, dt.13.06.1978.		
Sub-total (c)		1163.06		--	
BELLAMPALLI DIVISION:					
47	Madaram Colony (BPA)	137.60	G.O.No.417, dt.13.06.1978.	--	
48	Goleti OC (BPA)	37.25	G.O. No. 180, dt.16.04.1982.	--	
49	MVK Mines. (BPA)	44.40	--	--	
50	Approach road to mines, colony and transmission lines. (BPA)	33.93	--	--	
Sub total (d)		253.18			
Grand total (a-d)		1597.22			

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Division wise Forest Land held by SCCL

Sl. No.	Name of the forest division	Under F.C. Act. in Ha.	Prior to FC Act. in Ha.	Grand total in Ha.
1.	Kothagudem	922.87	18.98	941.85
2.	Paloncha	1565.77	162.00	1727.77
3.	Khammam	380.52	--	380.52
4.	Karimnagar (E)	394.42	--	394.42
5.	Mancherial	345.44	1163.06	1508.50
6.	Bellampalli	537.85	253.18	791.03
		4146.87	1597.22	5744.09

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Estates Manager
THE S.C.Co.Ltd.
KOTHAGUDEM AREA



CONSENT ORDER FOR RENEWAL
BY REGISTERED POST WITH ACKNOWLEDGEMENT DUE

Consent Order No : TSPCB/15637/CFO/RO-KGM/HO/2015 112

Date: 09.04.2015

(Consent Order for Existing/New or altered discharge of sewage and/or trade effluents/outlet under Section 25/26 of the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and amendments thereof, Operation of the plant under section 21/22 of Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act 1981 and amendments thereof)

CONSENT is hereby granted under section 25/26 of the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, under section 21/22 of Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act 1981 and amendments thereof and the rules and orders made there under to M/s The Singareni Collieries Co. Ltd., Padmavathi Khani No.5 Incline, Kothagudem Area (Mine) Venkateshkhani Kothagudem (M), Khammam District and applied for CFO Renewal (hereinafter referred to as 'the Applicant/Industry') authorized to operate the industrial plant to discharge the effluents from the outlets and the quantity of Emissions per hour from the chimneys, by operating pollution control equipment, as detailed below.

i. Outlets for discharge of effluents:

Outlet No.	Outlet Description	Max.Daily Discharge (KLD)	Point of Disposal
1.	Excess mine discharge water	2010	Excess water shall be used for natural stream / ground water recharging / agricultural purposes after meeting the surface water standards stipulated at Schedule-B.
2.	Domestic	3600	Septic tank followed by soak pit*

*The industry shall complete construction of STP within 6 months and use the treated water for onland for plantation.

This consent order is valid for Mining of Coal in Mine lease area of 916.69 Ha for the following capacity:

S.No	Product	Quantity
1.	Coal (under ground mining)	1.2 Million Tonnes /Annum

This order is subject to the provisions of the Acts, Rules and Amendments made thereunder and further terms and conditions incorporated in the schedule A and B enclosed to this order.

This consent should be valid for a period ending with the 31st day of March, 2017.

Sd/-
MEMBER SECRETARY

To
M/s The Singareni Collieries Co. Ltd.,
Padmavathi Khani No.5 Incline, Kothagudem Area (Mine),
Venkateshkhani, Kothagudem (M),
Khammam District

Copy to:

1. The JOEE, Zonal Office Hyderabad for information and necessary action.
2. The SEE, Cess Cell, Hyderabad for information and necessary action.
3. The EE, Regional Office, Kothagudem for information and necessary action.

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THE S.C.Co.Ltd.,
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SCHEDULE - A

1. The applicant shall make applications through online for renewal of Consent (under Water & Air Acts) and Authorisation under HWM Rules at least 120 days before the date of expiry of this order, along with prescribed fee under Water and Air Acts for obtaining Consent & HW Authorisation of the Board.
2. This order is issued in line with Board's CFO order dated 01.09.2012. Concealing the factual data or submission of false information/ fabricated data and failure to comply with any of the conditions mentioned in this order may result in withdrawal of this order and attract action under the provisions of relevant pollution control Acts. The industry shall comply with earlier CFO order dated 01.09.2012 still applicable.
3. Any person aggrieved by an order made by the State Board under Section 25, Section 26, Section 27 of Water Act, 1974 or Section 21 of Air Act, 1981 may within thirty days from the date on which the order is communicated to him, prefer an appeal as per Andhra Pradesh Water Rules, 1976 and Air Rules 1982, to such authority (hereinafter referred to as the Appellate Authority) constituted under Section 28 of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and Section 31 of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981.
4. The facility may explore the possibility of tapping the solar energy for their energy requirements.
5. All other conditions stipulated in the Schedule - A of the earlier CFO order remains same. The industry should ensure consistent compliance of the condition of Schedule-A.
6. The Board reserves its right to modify above conditions or stipulate any further conditions and to take action including revoke of this order in the interest of protection of public health and environment.

SCHEDULE - B

1. The industry should ensure segregation of Acid Mine Discharges (AMD) from abandoned mines, coal stocks, coal handling facilities, washeries & coal waste tips etc. and should adopt adequate treatment to achieve prescribed standards for the AMD as stipulated at S.No.2 prior to disposal. The plan of action for segregation of AMD, technology of the proposed treatment and mode of disposal should be submitted to Board.
2. The effluent discharged should not contain constituents in excess of the tolerance limits prescribed below.

Outlet No.	Parameter No.	Limiting Standards
1 & 2	pH	5.5 - 9.0
	Total Suspended Solids (TSS)	100 mg/l
	Oil & Grease	10 mg/l
	BOD (3 days at 27°C)	30 mg/l
	Chemical Oxygen Demand (COD)	250 mg/l
	TDS	2100 mg/l

3. The industry should not produce beyond the permitted capacity as mentioned in this order, without obtaining prior CFE & CFO of the Board. The mining capacity of the coal also should not be increased more than IBM approved capacity.
4. The industry should take steps to reduce water consumption to the extent possible and consumption should NOT exceed the quantities mentioned below:

S.No	Purpose	Quantity in KLD
1	Industrial (Water spraying)	1810
2	Gardening & plantation	555
3	Domestic	450
	Total	11863

5. The industry shall file the water cess returns in Form-I as required under section (5) of Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Cess Act, 1977 on or before the 5th of every calendar month, showing the quantity of water consumed in the previous month along with water meter readings. The industry shall remit water cess as per the assessment orders as and when issued by Board. The industry shall provide separate water meters with necessary pipeline for assessing the quantity of water used for each of the purposes as per Cess Form-I.
6. The industry should comply with the ambient air quality standards of PM_{10} (Particulate Matter size less than $10\mu m$) - $100\mu g/m^3$; $PM_{2.5}$ (Particulate Matter size less than $2.5\mu m$) - $60\mu g/m^3$; SO_2 - $80\mu g/m^3$; NO_x - $80\mu g/m^3$, outside the factory premises at the periphery of the industry.

Standards of other parameters as mentioned in the National Ambient Air Quality Standards CPCB Notification No.B-29016/20/90/PCI-I, dated 18.11.2009.

Noise Levels: Day time (6 AM to 10 PM) - 75 dB (A)
Night time (10 PM to 6 AM) - 70 dB (A).

7. The project shall maintain separate water meters for recording water consumption for process (Water spraying) and domestic purposes and also maintain proper daily records.
8. The project shall maintain the water spraying system properly by adopting preventive maintenance schedule to avoid fugitive dust emissions.
9. The project shall provide STP to treat the domestic effluent within 6 months and submit time bound action plan for construction of STP within a month.
10. The project shall carryout water spraying on haul roads to avoid fugitive dust emissions due to vehicular movement. They shall also submit action plan for providing CC roads in higher traffic routes.
11. The industry shall take effective measures such as covering coal transport vehicles with tarpaulins, mechanical sweeping of roads, etc to avoid fugitive emissions.
12. The industry shall maintain water mist sprayers at coal bunkers to control fugitive emissions.
13. The industry shall develop greenbelt along the haul roads and around the mine exhaust system to control air pollution.
14. The industry shall submit action plan for usage of fly ash for stowing operation along with details of methodology, quantity, storage of fly ash etc., to RO, Kolhagudem within a month.
15. The industry shall obtain amendment of EC incase of water consumption exceeds permitted quantity.
16. The industry should under take only wet drilling & should ensure maintenance of adequate measures to mitigate dust generation from drilling operations.
17. The industry should adopt eco-friendly mining practices. The maximum charges used for blasting should be limited to ensure vibrations created in the neighborhood area are within acceptable limits.
18. The industry should adopt blasting technique using shock tube and delay detonators. Dust collectors are to be provided for the drilling equipment. Industry should adopt fugitive dust control measure like water sprinkling near loading areas.
19. The industry should submit the detailed mine closure plan with a timeframe and pattern of reclamation in each period. The ultimate plan should show finished ground contours that will be reforested and the area that will be left open.
20. All waste material should be accommodated within the Mining Lease Area

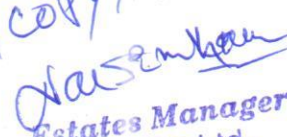
21. The natural drainage of water should be maintained. Dump sites should not cross any streams, water flow from the Mining Lease Area, even during the monsoon, should be free of suspended matter and conform to prescribed water quality standards.
22. Dumping of overburden, if done, should use the retreating pyramid bench formation with concurrent, physical and biological reclamation. Dumps should be contoured and provided with relief control and stabilized. Dump tops should be compacted, leveled and be properly drained.
23. Soil binding and nitrogen fixing plants should be planted in the Mining Lease Area. Biological reclamation should be done in two phases, the first phase should be plant appropriate quick growing grass and shrubs and the second phase should be slower growing native shrubs and trees.
24. Check dams and filter beds should be constructed to protect from stream runoffs.
25. The industry should undertake suitable artificial recharge measures in the project area for augmentation of ground water resources. Ground water table levels should be monitored every season. Any lowering of the ground water table in comparison to the previous season should be reported to the Board immediately. Discarded pits should be allowed to fill with water.
26. The applicant should submit Environment statement in Form V before 30th September of every year as per Rule No.14 of E(P) Rules, 1986 & amendments thereof.
27. All the rules & regulations notified by Ministry of Law and Justice, Government of India regarding Public Liability Insurance Act, 1991, should be followed.
28. The conditions stipulated in this order are without any prejudice to rights and contentions of this Board in any Hon'ble court of Law.

Sd/-
MEMBER SECRETARY

To
M/s The Singareni Collieries Co. Ltd.,
Padmavathi Khani No.5 Incline, Kothagudem Area (Mine),
Venkateshkhani, Kothagudem (M),
Khammam District

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Estates Manager
THE S.C.Co.Ltd.,
KOTHAGUDEM AREA.

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
A B S T R A C T**

Mines and Minerals - 2nd Renewal of Mining Lease for extraction of Coal over a reduced extent of 5158 Hectares involving 1466 Hectares of forest land and 3692 Hectares of non-forest land in Kothagudem Mandal, Khammam District, for a further period of 20 years from 27.04.2009 to 26.04.2029 in favour of M/s Singareni Collieries Company Limited - Sanction - Orders - Issued.

INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE (M-III) DEPARTMENT

G.O. Ms. No.324

Dated 12-12-2008.

Read the following:-

1. G.O.Ms.No.152, Ind. & Com. (M-III) Dept., dt.23.05.2003.
2. G.O.Ms.No.273, Ind. & Com. (M-III) Dept., dt.15.09.2003.
3. From M/s Singareni Collieries Company Limited, 2nd R.M.L. Application, dated 10.12.2007.
4. From the DMG., File No. 8243/R6-2/2007, dt. 30.04.2008.
5. Govt. letter No.5878/M.III(2)/2008-1, Industries & Commerce (M.III) Department dt.23-07-2008.
6. From the Ministry of Coal, GOI,, Lr.No.13016/8/2001-CA.II, (Vol.II) dt.24-10-2008.

ORDER:

In the reference 1st and 2nd read above, Government have granted 1st Renewal of Mining Lease for Coal over an extent of 61.17 Sq.Kms. (includes 23.38 Sq.Kms. forest land and 37.79 non-forest lands) of Kothagudem area of Khammam District for a period of 10 years w.e.f. 28-04-1999 to 27-04-2009.

2) In the reference 4th read above, the Director of Mines and Geology has sent proposals for grant of 2nd Renewal of Mining lease for extraction of Coal over a reduced extent of 5158 Hectares involving 1466 Hectares of forest land and 3692 Hectares of non-forest land in Kothagudem Mandal, Khammam District, in favour of M/s Singareni Collieries Company Limited, for a further period of 20 years from 27.04.2009 to 26.04.2029, subject to obtain prior approval of Govt. of India under Section 5(1) and relaxation of Section 6(1) (b) of M.M.(D&R) Act,1957 and the Clearances from MoEF, under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and subject to satisfaction of terms and conditions of MM (D&R) Act, 1957 and M.C. Rules, 1960.

3) In the reference 5th read above, State Government have proposed for grant of 2nd Renewal of Mining Lease for extraction of Coal over a reduced extent of 5158 Hectares involving 1466 Hectares of forest land and 3692 Hectares of non-forest land in Kothagudem Mandal, Khammam District, for a further period of 20 years from 27.04.2009 to 26.04.2029 in favour of M/s Singareni Collieries Company Limited and accordingly addressed the Ministry of Coal, Government of India.

4) in the reference 6th read above, the Ministry of Coal, Government of India, have conveyed their prior approval for grant of 2nd Renewal of Mining Lease for extraction of Coal over a reduced extent of 5158 Hectares involving 1466 Hectares of forest land and 3692 Hectares of non-forest land in Kothagudem Mandal, Khammam District, for a further period of 20 years from 27.04.2009 to 26.04.2029 under section 5(1) (b) and also in relaxation under Section 6(1) (b) of M.M. (D&R) Act, 1957 since the total area of the Mining Lease granted so far exceeds 10 Sq, Kms. in the interest of development of the minerals.

5) Government, after careful examination of the matter, hereby grant the 2nd Renewal of Mining Lease for extraction of Coal over a reduced extent of 5158 Hectares involving 1466 Hectares of forest land and 3692 Hectares of non-forest land in Kothagudem Mandal, Khammam District, for a further period of 20 years from 27.04.2009 to 26.04.2029, in favour of M/s Singareni Collieries Company Limited subject to satisfaction of terms and conditions laid down in MM(D&R) Act, 1957 and M.C.Rules, 1960, subject to submission of Consent for Establishment from Andhra Pradesh Pollution Control Board, Environmental clearance from Ministry of Environment & Forests under Environment Impact Assessment as per S.O.No.1533, dt.14-09-2006 and also Forest Clearance under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 by Ministry of Environment & Forests before execution of lease deed and also subject to the satisfying conditions in Form-K prescribed under the M.C. Rules, 1960 and to the additional conditions specified in the Appendix to this order.

6) The rates of royalty, dead rent, surface rent & water charges and cess shall be collectable as follows or as revised by Government from time to time

I. Rates of royalty:

COAL:

A. Coal produced in all States and Union Territories except the State of West Bengal.

(1) Royalty on Coal:

The rates of royalty, which shall be a combination of specific and ad valorem rates of royalty which shall be as follows:

$$R(\text{Royalty Rupees/tonnes}) = a + bP$$

Where 'P' (price) shall mean basic pithead price of ROM (run-of-mine) coal and lignite as reflected in the invoice, excluding taxes, levies and other charges and the values of 'a' (fixed component) and 'b' (variable or ad-valorem component) would be as follows:

Group	Grade of coal	Royalty on coal in Rupees per tonne
Group-I	Steel Gr.-I	a=Rs.180.00
	Steel Gr.II	b=5 per cent
	Washery-I	i.e. Rs.180+5 per cent where 'P' (price) shall
	Direct Feed	mean basic pithead price of ROM (run-of-mine) coal and lignite as reflected in the invoice, excluding taxes, levies and other charges.
Group-II	Washery-II	A=Rs.130.00
	Washery-III	b=5 per cent
	Semi Coking Gr.I	i.e. Rs.130+5 per cent where 'P' (price) shall
	Semi Coking Gr.II	mean basic pithead price of ROM (run-of-mine) coal and lignite as reflected in the invoice, excluding taxes, levies and other charges.
	Grade-A	
Group-III	Grade-B	
	Washery-IV	a=Rs.90.00
Group-IV	Grade-C	b=5 per cent
		i.e. Rs.90+5 per cent where 'P' (price) shall mean basic pithead price of ROM (run-of-mine) coal and lignite as reflected in the invoice, excluding taxes, levies and other charges.
Group-V	Grade-D	a=Rs.70.00
	Grade-E	b=5 per cent
Group-V		i.e. Rs.70+5 per cent where 'P' (price) shall mean basic pithead price of ROM (run-of-mine) coal and lignite as reflected in the invoice, excluding taxes, levies and other charges.
	Grade-F	a=Rs.55.00
Group-V	Grade-G	b=5 per cent
		i.e. Rs.55+5 per cent where 'P' (price) shall mean basic pithead price of ROM (run-of-mine) coal and lignite as reflected in the Invoice, excluding taxes, levies and other charges.

II. Dead rent:		Rates of dead rent in rupees per hectare per annum or as revised by Government from time to time
First Two years of lease		3 rd year onwards
100/-		400/-

III. Surface rent & water charges and also Cess	As fixed by the Government from time to time
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- 7) The grantee should pay a deposit of Rs.10,000/- as prescribed under Rule 32 of the Mineral Concession Rules, 1960 before the lease is actually executed.
- 8) The grantee should execute the lease deed within the time limit specified in Rule 31 of Mineral Concession Rules, 1960.
- 9) The terms and conditions referred to in paras 5-6 of this order are subject to such further modifications, additions and alterations as may be ordered before the lease deed is executed.
- 10) The Director of Mines and Geology shall take necessary further action for the execution of the lease deed after satisfying himself that the grantee fulfils all the required provisions of the amended Act and Rules. As soon as the deed is executed, the date of such execution should be reported to the Government.

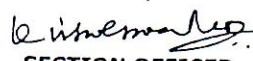
Note:- The grant is liable for cancellation, should it be found that at a later date that it was grossly inequitable or was made under a mistake of fact or owing to misrepresentation or fraud or in excess of authority.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**Y. SRILAKSHMI
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To
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The Director General, Mines Safety, Dhanbad, Bihar.
The Regional Controller of Mines, Koti, Hyderabad.
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