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Memo No.: WBPDCL/Director (Mining)/ 1589

Dated: 27.06.2023

To, The Divisional Forest Officer, Bankura (North) Division Machantala, P.O & District-Bankura PIN-722101(West Bengal)

Sub: Diversion of 338.74 Ha forest land for Non-forest purpose w.r.t. Barjora (North) Coal Mine of The West Bengal Power Development Corporation Limited.

Ref: Proposal no.-FP/WB/MIN/43000/2019_Compliance of query raised through EDS, dated 26/06/2023

Sir,

This is with reference to the subject cited above. Compliance towards the query raised by DFO, Bankura North division are compiled as below.

Query: In view of revised report with respect to Seulibari-165 Mouza under Kangsabati North Division communicated on 15.06.23, the U/A is requested to modify the details of proposed CA land.

Compliance: Land amounting 8.32 Ha have been identified afresh for compensatory afforestation purpose locating Baikunthapur forest division, Dist.-Jalpaiguri in the state of West Bengal. Therefore additional CA land (8.32 Ha) availability, suitability, Revenue village sheet highlighting identified plots. Geo-Referenced maps & patches delineated on Topo-sheet have been uploaded in PARIVESH portal.

This is for your kind information & necessary action.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

2023

(Chanchal Goswami) Director (Mining), WBPDCL.

CHANCHAL GOSWAMI DIRECTOR (MINING) 8 OWNER OF THE MINE WBPDCL

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GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL DIRECTORATE OF FORESTS OFFICE OF THE DIVISIONAL FORESTS OFFICER BAIKUNTHAPUR DIVISION SOUTH SANTINAGAR (JABRAVITA), P.O. DABGRAM DIST. JALPAIGURI, PIN – 734004. <u>Email: dfobaik-wb@nic.in</u>



<u>No. : 1471/2-23</u>

Dated: 23 .06.2023

- To : The Chief Conservator of Forests, Forest Conservation Act
- Sub : "Verification report of land having plot no. 34, JL No, 01, Sheet No. 02, Mouza Paschim Totgaon, Jalpaiguri for Issuance of Suitability certificate for 9.11 Ha (22.52 acre) for Compensatory Afforestation in favour of Barjora (North) Coal Mine Bakura Under West Bengal Power development Corporation Limited (WBPDCL)"
- Ref : 1) Special Secretary, Govt of West Bengal and chief Vigilance officer ,letter no COVCL 06110002/233 DT 19.06.2023
 2) CCF/FCA O.O. 2676/L & LT/2L-1(2)/06 DT 19.06.2023

Sir,

As per the field verification report of ADFO-II, Baikunthapur Division and Range Officer Targhera Range total 8.32 Ha (20.58 Acre) out of 9.11 Ha (22.52 Acre) is suitable for compensatory Afforestation under mouza –Paschim Totgaon, JL No. 01, Sheet No.02, Plot No. 34.

This is for your kind information and necessary action.

Enclosure : i. Copy of Report of ADFO-II, Baikunthapur Division.

ii. Copy of report of Range Officer, Targhera Range

Divisional Forest Officer Baikunthapur Division

Dated: 23 .06.2023

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Copy to The CCF, Northern Circle, West Bengal

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Sir,

- As directed by DFO, Baikunthapur Division, I visited the field along with Range Officer in the above mentioned area and found the following facts;
 - 1) The Proposed land is riverine along Teesta river with jhora.
 - 2) The portion of the proposed land, requires Soil work with manure and good earth for survival of the planted seedlings and for better growth.
- 3) During dry spell watering to seedlings is highly required as the soil is sandy.
- 4) The Proposed land is contiguous with the other CA land which has already been transferred to Forest Dept. by BLLRO Malbazar.
- 5) There is no demarcation of the said area, hence later it requires.
- 6) Some trees like Chatian, Simul ,Khair etc having mid girth 30-40 cm and height 6-8 mtr are standing sparsely in the proposed area .
- 1) The schedule of land which is proposed for compensatory Afforestation is as below with remarks;

Mouza and JL no	Sheet no	LR plot no	Proposed Area (acre)	(in	Final Area (in	Proposed area (in Ha)	Final Area (Ha)	Remarks
					acre)			
Pachim Totgaon Jl no-1	1	34	22.52		20.58	9.11	8.32	i. Vacant & free from all encumbrance .
								ii. Suitable 8.32 Ha out of proposed area for plantation.

It is kindly noted that the above facts of the land may be taken into consideration while preparing estimates and other matters are dealt.

Asstt. Divisional Forest Officer Baikunthapur Division

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GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL DIRECTROATE OF FORESTS OFFICE OF THE FOREST RANGE OFFICER TARGHERA RANGE

No. 335 / TG - 13

Dated: - 22 / 06 /2023

To The Divisional Forest officer Baikunthapur Division, Siliguri

Sub : Application for **Issuance of Suitability certificate for 9.11 Ha(22.52 acre)** of CA (Compensatory Afforestation) land in Mouza Pachim Totgaon ,JL-01 in favour of Barjora (North) Coal Mine Bakura Under West Bengal Power development Corporation Limited (WBPDCL)

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2) CCF/FCA O.O. 2676/L & LT/2L-1(2)/06 DT 19.06.2023

Respected Sir,

With reference to above mentioned subject undersigned would like to invite your kind attention towards certain facts regarding Suitability certificate for **9.11 Ha(22.52 acre)** of CA (Compensatory Afforestation) land in Mouza Pachim Totgaon ,JL-01 in favour of Barjora (North) Coal Mine,bakura Under West Bengal Power development Corporation Limited (WBPDCL) are as follows :

- 1) Proposed land is in riverine area along with Teesta river bed with jhora.
- 2) West side of the Proposed land, Soil work is highly require with manure . So extra soil from out side including labour ,transportation must be include in creation work estimate for healthy plantation.
- 3) Proposed land is sharing common boundary with Gangaramchak CA land which has already been transferred to Forest Dept.at eastern side .
- 4) The access is very difficult owing to tributaries and proposed land is far way from main road and also don't have any approach road at present.
- 5) However, during dry spell watering to seedlings is highly required so installation of water distribution machine and labour component must be included at estimate of plantation creation.

- 6) Providing land schedule and quantum of the land had been changed only after field verification.
- 7) The schedule of which is enclosed below for Compensatory Afforestation purpose:

Mouza and JL	Sheet no	LR plot	Proposed Area (in	Final Area (in	Proposed area (in Ha)	Final Area (Ha)	Remarks
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Pachim Totgaon Jl no-1	1	34	22.52	20.58	9.11	8.32	Vacant & free from all encumbrance. It is opined that proposed land <u>8.32</u> <u>ha (20.58 ha)</u> is suitable.

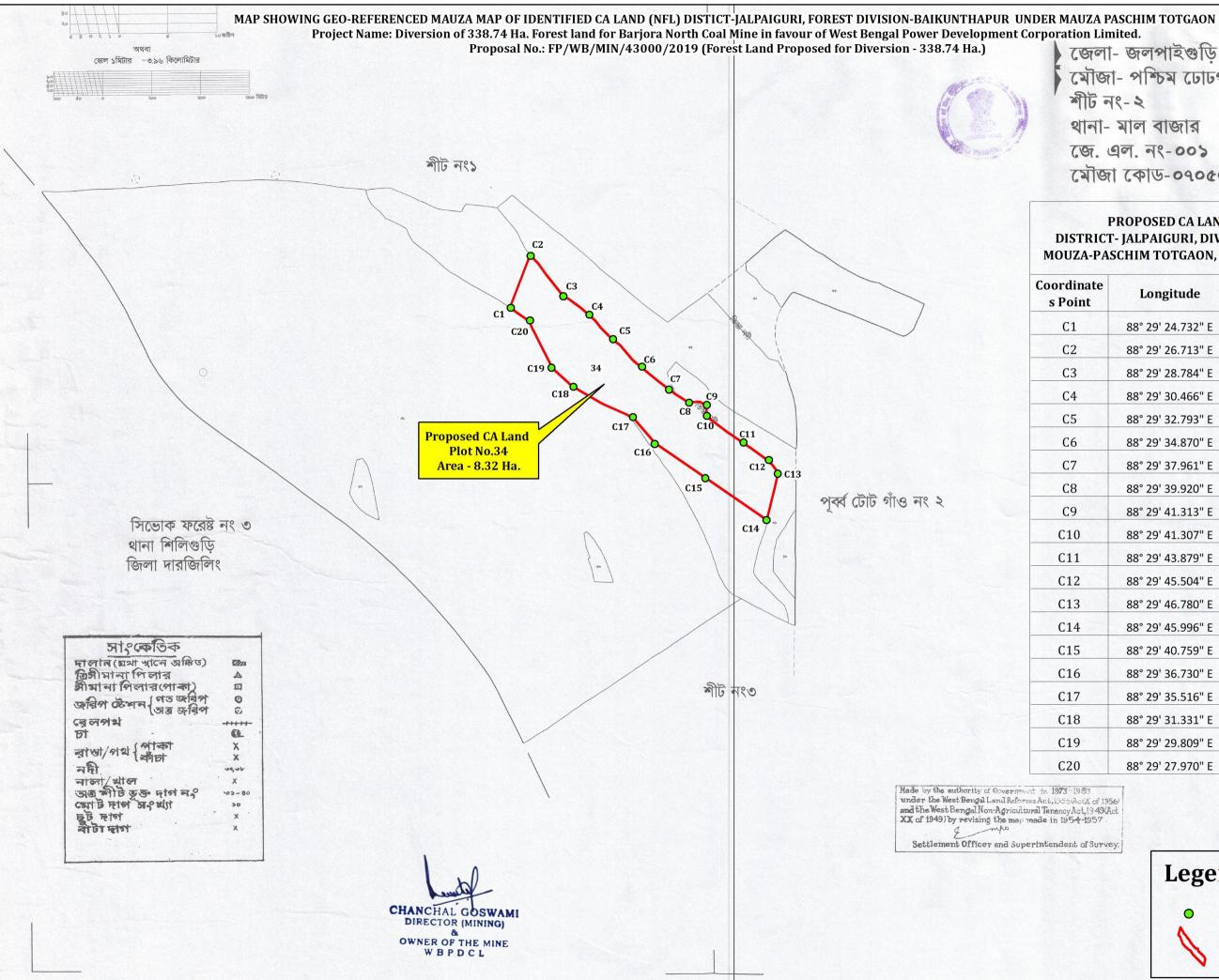
This is for your kind information and necessary action from your end.

Forest Range Officer

Targhera Range

Forest Range Officer Targhera Range

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PROPOSED CA LAND COORDINATES DISTRICT- JALPAIGURI, DIVISION-BAINKUNTHAPUR, MOUZA-PASCHIM TOTGAON, PLOT NO.:34, AREA-8.32 Ha.

te	Longitude	Latitude
	88° 29' 24.732" E	26° 51' 58.252" N
	88° 29' 26.713" E	26° 52' 02.647" N
	88° 29' 28.784" E	26° 52' 00.022" N
	88° 29' 30.466" E	26° 51' 58.165" N
	88° 29' 32.793" E	26° 51' 56.611" N
	88° 29' 34.870" E	26° 51' 54.766" N
	88° 29' 37.961" E	26° 51' 52.369" N
	88° 29' 39.920" E	26° 51' 51.185" N
	88° 29' 41.313" E	26° 51' 50.993" N
	88° 29' 41.307" E	26° 51' 50.304" N
	88° 29' 43.879" E	26° 51' 48.661" N
	88° 29' 45.504" E	26° 51' 47.720" N
	88° 29' 46.780" E	26° 51' 46.540" N
	88° 29' 45.996" E	26° 51' 43.001" N
	88° 29' 40.759" E	26° 51' 46.238" N
	88° 29' 36.730" E	26° 51' 48.728" N
	88° 29' 35.516" E	26° 51' 50.182" N
	88° 29' 31.331" E	26° 51' 52.083" N
	88° 29' 29.809" E	26° 51' 53.285" N
	88° 29' 27.970" E	26° 51' 56.400" N

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CA Land Coordinates

Proposed CA Land

MAP SHOWING 1:50000 SCALE SURVEY OF INDIA TOPOSHEET MAP OF IDENTIFIED CA LAND (NFL) UNDER JALPAIGURI DISTRICT (PASCHIM TOTGAON) Project Name: Diversion of 338.74 Ha. Forest land for Barjora North Coal Mine in favour of West Bengal Power Development Corporation Limited. Proposal No.: FP/WB/MIN/43000/2019 (Forest Land Proposed for Diversion - 338.74 Ha.)

