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To

DH. 21.07.2016

Divisional Forest Officer, Keonjhar Forest Division, Keonjhar,Odisha.

Sub.:-

Forest Diversion over 63.30 ha of Non-forest land recorded as forest as on 25.10.1980 within the mining lease area over 767.284 ha in village Nuagaon, Guali etc. under Barbil Tahasil of Keonjhar District, Odisha.

(Proposal No. FP/OR/MIN/18827/2016, St. Sl No. - OR-024/2016)

Ref.:-

Your office letter No. 2641/ Mining, Dt.08/04/2016.

Sir,

With reference to above cited letter on the captioned subject, we are furnishing herewith the compliance to the discrepancies noticed by you in the diversion proposal for 63.30 ha of non-forest land recorded as forest as on 25.10.1980 and resubmitting duly rectified for processing of the said diversion proposal. The point wise details are as follows:-

UNDERTAKING / CERTIFICATES

1. Payment towards Additional NPV, if so determined as per final decision of Hon'ble Supreme court of India.

We have already paid the NPV for the entire forest land of the lease and we have furnished an undertaking towards payments of additional NPV if any as per final decision of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India, is enclosed as **Annexure-XI**.

2. Certificate towards payment of NPV in respect of all other mines/ projects of the lessee situated in Keonjhar district and State of Odisha.

There are four nos. of mines of the Lessee in Odisha state and the NPV has already been deposited for all the mines as per the demand by Divisional Forest Officers, for entire forest land involved in the leases. The certificate in lieu of this is enclosed as **Annexure -XIV**.

3. Certificate under FRA-2006 in respect of forest land.

We have submitted the application for FRA-2006 before the Collector, Keonjhar vide our letter No.KJSA/NM/Collector/916 dt.21.04.2016 and is in process. The copy of letter is enclosed as **Annexure-XVI**.

4. Compliance as regards violation committed during ML, if applicable.

The compliance report to the observations is enclosed as Annexure-XIII(C).



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5. Certificate as regards Status of land (Forest and Non-forest) as on 25.10.1980.

Certificate as regards Status of land as on 25.10.1980 issued by the Tahsildar, Barbil is enclosed as **AnnexureXV** -

6. Detailed break up of forest land with specific mention of Extent of forest land located in safety zone, if any

Detail break up of forest land located in safety zone is mentioned in Safety zone plan enclosed as ${\bf Plate\ No.VII}$.

7. Pending Court Matter if any.

An undertaking in lieu of this is enclosed as Annexure-XI.

AUTHENTICATED MAPS AND DOCUMENTS

1. SOI Topo sheet (1:50000) showing forest land required for diversion and boundary of adjacent forest area.

SOI Topo Sheet (1:50000) No. 73G/5 showing forest land required for diversion and boundary of adjacent forest area is authenticated by authority Forest, Mining & Revenue department is enclosed as **Plate No.- I**.

2. Original lease plan.

Original Granted lease plan over 767.284 ha signed by Collector, Keonjhar is enclosed as **Plate No. III**.

3. Lease plan as per RML application.

Lease plan as per $2^{nd}RML$ area showing forest and non forest land is enclosed as **Plate No.III (A).**

4. Approved land use plan under FC Act, 1980 during ML.

On an application over 476.205 ha of forest land for diversion, the MoEF, Govt. of India has approved the forest clearance over 371.192 ha of forest land for diversion vide letter No. 8-17/2001-FC, dtd. 22.04.2004. No specific approved land use plan was attached with the approval letter by MoEF, Govt. of India. However copy of proposed land use plan for this project authenticated by authority of Forest, Mining & Revenue department is enclosed as **Plate No. IV**.



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5. Present land use plan.

Authenticated Present Land use plan (Existing Land use Plan) is enclosed as **Plate** No. V.

6. Proposed land use plan.

Authenticated Proposed Land use plan is enclosed as Plate No. -VI.

7. Safety zone plan.

Authenticated Safety zone plan is enclosed as Plate No. - VII.

8. Geological plan.

Geological plan approved by the Regional Controller of Mines, Indian Bureau of Mine, Govt. of India is enclosed as **Plate No. - VIII.**

9. Phase reclamation plan.

Authenticated Proposed Phase reclamation is enclosed as Plate No. - IX and method of reclamation is enclosed as Plate No.IX(A,B & C)

10. Reclamation and Rehabilitation Plan.

Reclamation and Rehabilitation Plan/Scheme in phase wise is enclosed as Annexure -XVII.

11. Patch wise DGPS co-ordinates of the proposed forest land under different category involved in the mining lease.

Only three categories of forest land are involved in the Mining Lease i.e. Revenue Forest, DLC Forest and Non-forest land found forest as on 25.10.1980. Whereas the proposed diversion of forest land over 63.30 ha involves only Non-forest land recorded forest as on 25.10.1980. The authenticated DGPS map with co-ordinates of proposed to be diverted forest land and forest land details is enclosed as **Plate No. – II**.

12. Non-Forest land involved in the instant proposal, if any

Only 1.640 ha. of non-forest land is involved in the instant proposal, which is marked in the Proposed land use plan as **Plate No. VI**.

13. Cost Benefit Analysis of the project.

Cost Benefit Analysis of the project is enclosed as Annexure -XX(A,B & C).



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14. Village wise break up of forest land proposed for diversion.

Five nos. of villages are coming within the proposed diversion area over 63.30 ha are Nuagaon, Topadihi, Kolha-Rudhkela, Barpada and Katesahi is mentioned in the prescribed Para B 2.3 of Part I of Form A.

15. Details of approval obtained/sought for under the Act in respect of the project.

On an application over 476.205 ha of forest land, the MoEF, Govt. of India has granted the forest clearance over the 371.192 ha. vide letter No. 8-17/2001-FC, dtd. 22.04.2004, copy of the same is enclosed as **Annexure – XIII and Plate No.IV.** Further compliance conditions stipulated in Stage I and Stage II approval is also enclosed as **Annexure - XIII(A) & XIII(B) & XIII(C).**

16. Detailed information in the prescribed proforma under Para – A.2.XIII and B.I.I of Part I of Form A.

MoEF, Govt. of India has granted Principle approval on dated 16.04.2002 and Final approval of the said area was obtained vide letter No. 8-17/2001-FC, dtd. 22.04.2004.

17. Details of land identified for CA with DGPS co-ordinates of the identified site.

Non-Forest land for Compensatory Afforestation over 63.30 ha. in village Phuljhar under Bansapal Tahasil(Earlier Telkoi Tahasil) of Keonjhar district has been identified out of the total land of 76.29874 ha allotted in favour of this Nuagaon Iron Mines of Sri Kamaljeet Singh Ahluwalia by the Collector, Keonjhar, copy of the same is enclosed as **Annexure – XXI(A)**. For that suitability certificate certified by officials of Revenue and Forest dept. is enclosed as **Annexure – XXI(B)**. Map showing the non-forest land with GPS reading of the pillars (**Plate No. – X)** and Topomap showing the allotted area is enclosed as **Plate No. X (A)**.

18. Revised proposed forest land use plan in compliance with Para 4.5 of FC Act Guideline.

The proposed area for diversion was non-forest earlier, for that we have already used for different mining and ancillary activities like, mining, dumping, road, sub-grade ore stack yard, weigh bridge, store room, office & camp, beneficiation plant, crusher with stacking. Now after finding the said area recorded as forest as on 25.10.1980, we have applied to regularise the existing land use pattern.



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19. Check list in prescribed format.

The check list in prescribed format is enclosed.

This is for your information and necessary action.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

For Kamaljeet Singh Ahluwalia

For MIS. KAMALJEET SINGH AHLUWALIA

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(Authorized Signatory)

Encl: As above

N.B. - Six sets of hard copies in complete documents is also submitted to your good office for your needful action.