

Government of Karnataka

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Karnataka Government Secretariat Multistoried Buildings, Bengaluru, Date: 15-07-2020

From:

The Additional Chief Secretary to Government,

Forest, Ecology and Environment Department, Bengaluru-560001.

To:

The Deputy Director General of Forests (Central),

Regional Office (Southern Zone), Kendriya Sadan, 4th Floor, E&F Wings, 17th Main, Koramangala, Bengaluru.

Sir,

Sub: Diversion of 12.4724 hectare of forest land [6.6978 hectare in Ramanamalai (RM) Block Forest and 5.7746 hectare in Swamimalai (SM) Block Forestl near Dharmapura village, Sandur Taluk, Ballari Disrict for establishing Closed Pipe Conveyor System from Ramanadurga Iron Ore Mine (RIOM ML No. 2141) in favour of M/s Sri Kumaraswamy Mineral Exports Private Limited, Ballari.

Ref: Letter No. KFD/HOFF/A5-1(MNG)/30/2019-FC, dated: 10-02-2020 of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Forest Force), Bengaluru.

With reference to the above subject, the proposal submitted by the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Bengaluru vide letter referred at above and recommendation of the State Government (Part-V) are herewith enclosed.

I am directed to request you to convey 'in-principle' (Stage-I) approval under Section 2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for diversion of 12.4724 hectare of forest land [6.6978 hectare in Ramanamalai (RM) Block Forest and 5.7746 hectare in Swamimalai (SM) Block Forest] near Dharmapura village, Sandur Taluk, Ballari Disrict to establish Closed Pipe Conveyor System from Ramanadurga Iron Ore Mine (RIOM ML No. 2141) in favour of M/s Sri Kumaraswamy Mineral Exports Private Limited, Ballari by stipulating suitable conditions.

Yours faithfully

(S. Srinivasa)

Forest, Ecology and Environment Department (Forest-C)

Copy to:

Dated!

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Aranya Bhavan, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru-560003.

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Part-V

(To be filled in by the Secretary in charge of Forest Department or by any other authorised officer of the State Government not below the rank of an Under Secretary)

Recommendation of the State Government

Recommended for according 'in-principle' (Stage-I) approval for diversion of 12.4724 hectare of forest land [6.6978 hectare in Ramanamalai (RM) Block Forest and 5.7746 hectare in Swamimalai (SM) Block Forest] near Dharmapura village, Sandur Taluk, Ballari Disrict for establishing Closed Pipe Conveyor System from Ramanadurga Iron Ore Mine (RIOM ML No. 2141) in favour of M/s Sri Kumaraswamy Mineral Exports Private Limited, Ballari subject to pending of RoFR compliance Certificate in the prescribed Form-I (for Linear Projects) and the conditons specified in Annexure-A.

(Adverse comments made by any officer or authority in Part-II or Part-III or Part-IV above should be specifically commented upon)

Signature

Name:

S. SRINIVASA 1570 7/2020

Under Secretary to Government

Forest, Ecology and Environment Department (Forest-C)

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