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GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA

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Office of the  
Deputy Conservator of Forests  
Ballari Division, Ballari



No.M1/MNG/NMDC/M.L.No.1111/2018-19(75.92 Ha)

Dated:18.08.2023

**Additional Demand notice**

Sub: Diversion of 75.92 ha forest land for Construction of Screening Plant, Tailing Dam, Slurry pipeline Corridor & Water Pipeline Corridor at Donimalai of M/s, National Minerals Development Corporation Limited, Donimalai, Sandur, (FC Online Application No. FP/KA/OTHERS/14576/2015) – Reg.

- Ref : 1) Letter No. F.No. 8-17/2021-FC Dt.06.03.2023 of Government of India, Ministry of Environmental, Forest and Climate Change, New Delhi  
2) Government of Karnataka order No. FEE 16 FFM 2021 Dt.18.07.2023  
3) Letter No. KFD/HOFF/A5-1/(MNG)/31/2019-FC Dt. 10.08.2023 of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Forest Conservation), Bengaluru  
4) This office even number letter Dt.31.03.2023, 25.05.2023, 26.06.2023 & 10.08.2023.  
5) Letter No. KFD/HOFF/A5-1/(MNG)/31/2019-FC Dt. 18.08.2023 of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Forest Conservation), Bengaluru.

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With reference to the above subject, the Government of the India, MoEF&CC, New Delhi has accorded Final / Stage-II approval (Forest Clearance) under the provisions of Section-2 of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 (vide File No. 8-17/2021-FC, Dt.10.07.2023), Government of Karnataka (vide Order No. FEE 16 FFM 2021, Bangalore Dt.18.07.2023) has ordered for diversion of 53.67 ha forest land (originally proposed for 75.92 ha) for Construction of Screening Plant, Tailing Dam, Slurry pipeline Corridor & Water Pipeline Corridor at Donimalai of M/s, National Minerals Development Corporation Limited, Donimalai, Sandur vide letter under Ref(1) & (2).

In the light of approval accorded by the Government of India and Government of Karnataka in their orders, the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Forest Conservation), Bengaluru (vide letter No. KFD/HOFF/A5-1/(MNG)/31/2019-FC Dt.10.08.2023) has directed the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Ballari to execute an Agreement with User Agency duly incorporating all the terms and conditions as imposed by the Government of India and Government of Karnataka and standard conditions applicable to FC leases from time to time and further subject to payment of any recoverable balance in compliance of the conditions of Stage-I & Stage-II (final) approvals vide letter under Ref(3).

Further, the User Agency was asked to submit the De-siltation plan as per the condition No. (viii) of Final / Stage-II approval. In this regard, the User Agency has identified water bodies falling 5 kms radius from the propose project site of SP-II and submitted the Detailed Project Report of De-siltation plan. The same has been submitted by the undersigned vide letter Dt.10.08.2023 under Ref(4).

Further to this, the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Forest Conservation), Bengaluru has approved the Plan of De-silting of identified village tanks, water bodies and directed the undersigned to raise the demand notice for the same to the User Agency and also directed to take further necessary action for implementing the same vide letter Dt. 18.08.2023 under Ref(5).

Therefore, the details of amount to be remitted as plan approved for De-silting of the identified village tanks, water bodies is as under;

Sl No	Specific activities	Total amount payable (In Rs.)
1	De-silting of the identified village tanks, water bodies [As per De-silting plan approved by the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Forest Conservation), Bengaluru]	17,53,41,600.00
	<b>Total</b>	<b>17,53,41,600.00</b>

**(Rs. Seventeen Crores Fifty-three Lakhs and forty-one thousand six hundred only)**

**Procedure for payment:** This Demand Notice is to be uploaded on FC web portal ([www.parivesh.nic.in](http://www.parivesh.nic.in)) for acceptance by the Nodal Officer. After acceptance by the Nodal Officer, a Challan should be generated from the web portal for payment to the account mentioned in the Challan and submit the original remittance challan to this office for further action.

This is for your information and necessary action.

  
Deputy Conservator of Forests,  
Bellary Division, Bellary

To,

M/s. National Minerals Development Corporation Limited,  
Donimalai Iron Ore Mine,  
Donimalai Township – 583 118,  
Sandur Taluk, Ballari District.