NOTE CONTAINING JUSTIFICATION FOR LOCATING THE PROJECT IN FOREST AREA

Applicant: M/S Jai Baba Patalpuri Stone Mines & Crusher (Pvt.) Limited

Village: Paharpur, Anchal: Gawan, Thana: Gawan, Dist.: Giridih, Jharkhand in

Khata No.:1,2 Plot no.: 16, 18

Area: 12.00 acres

JUSTIFICATIONS:

- 1. The Lease area contains the Stone (Granite and Granite Gneisses), which is suitable for the use as Building Stones and Ballast Stone for Railways.
- 2. The quality of the Stone has been assessed by the RQP as one of the best rocks to be used for such purposes.
- 3. The total Geological Reserve has been estimated as 2384503.54 metric tonnes and the total Mineable Reserve has been estimated as 2104190.02 metric tonnes.
- 4. The Reserve is Site Specific and the same quality as well as the quantity is not available in nearby non forest area. Hence it cannot be shifted to any alternative location.
- 5. The Demand of such quality of the Stone is very high in the area and Giridih District.
- 6. The Applicant has identified Land for Compensatory Afforestation in Giridih district and he has signed Agreement with the Land Owners for the above mentioned purpose.
- 7. The opening of this Stone Mine shall bring a good exchequer to the State in the form of Royalty and other Taxes.
- 8. Also it is to be mentioned that area is very backward with main population of Schedule Tribes who are very poor. The Employment Opportunity in the area is very bad. Hence opening of such projects shall provide employment (direct & indirect) to the local masses.
- 9. The Applicant shall also provide the Health facilities, educational aids, infrastructural development and livelihood under their CSR activities.

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- 10. The opening of this Mine shall not result in the Environmental Loss in any form as the Applicant shall follow all the required Mining Rules as well as the Environmental Policy of the State and the Centre.
- 11. The Ground Water Recharge Plan shall also be implemented.
- 12. The required Environmental Management Plan shall also be submitted. The Proposal may kindly be approved.

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