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From

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 O/o the PCCF & HoFF, Odisha, Bhubaneswar

To

The Deputy Director General of Forests (Central)
 Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change
 Regional Office, A/3, Chandrasekharpur
 Bhubaneswar-751023

Sub: Diversion of 12.728 ha of forest land for laying of Tailing and Water Pipeline, Power and Communication cables from Beneficiation plant at Dubuna under Barbil Tahasil to proposed tailing pond site at village Sankari under Banspal of Keonjhar District by M/s Arcelor Mittal Nippon Steel India Ltd (Formerly Known as M/s Essar Steel India Ltd.) — Stage-I compliance regarding.

Ref:- Letter No. 5-ORC481/2021-BHU dated 28.12.2021 of Deputy Inspector General of Forests (C), Govt. of India, MoEF&CC, IRO, Bhubaneswar.

Sir,

In inviting a reference to the above mentioned subject, this is to inform that Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, IRO, Bhubaneswar has accorded Stage-I/In-principle approval vide letter No. 5-ORC481/2021-BHU dated 28.12.2021 of Deputy Inspector General of Forests (C), Govt. of India, MoEF&CC, IRO, Bhubaneswar for diversion of 12.728 ha of forest land for laying of Tailing and Water Pipeline, Power and Communication cables from Beneficiation plant at Dubuna under Barbil Tahasil to proposed tailing pond site at village Sankari under Banspal of Keonjhar District by M/s Arcelor Mittal Nippon Steel India Ltd (Formerly Known as M/s Essar Steel India Ltd.) under Section 2 (ii) of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 subject to fulfillment of 10 (ten) nos. of conditions prior to handing over of forest land by the State Forest Department and 19 (nineteen) nos. of conditions after handing over of forest land to the User Agency

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by the State Forest Department. The point wise compliance basing on the report of the DFO, Keonjhar Forest Division and RCCF, Rourkela Circle are as follows:-

A: Conditions which need to be complied prior to handing over of forest land by the State Forest Department.

Condition No.(i): The user agency shall transfer online, the Net Present Value (NPV) of 12.728 ha forest land being diverted under this proposal, as per the Orders of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India dated 28.03.2008, 24.04.2008 and 09.05.2008 in Writ Petition (Civil) No.202/1995 and the guidelines issued by this Ministry vide its letter No.5-3/2007-FC dated 05.02.2009. The requisite funds shall be transferred through online portal in CAMPA account of the State concerned.

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that the user agency was demanded vide DFO, Keonjhar Forest division letter No. 765/Mining dated 01.02.2022 to deposit Rs.1,19,51,592/- (Rupees One Crore Nineteen Lakh Fifty One Thousand Five Hundred and Ninety Two Only) towards NPV of 12.728 ha of forest land @ Rs.9,39,000/- per ha (Eco-Value Class-I, Canopy density 0.5). The user agency has transferred an amount of Rs. 2,70,70,692/- which includes the demanded amount of NPV Rs.1,19,51,592/-in Orissa CAMPA Account through RTGS vide UTR No.SBINR52022022569188491 dated 25.02.2022.

The copy of the demand letter of the DFO, Keonjhar and RTGS receipt in support of proof of the deposit made by AMNSIL (M/s Arcelor Mittal Nippon Steel India Ltd) are enclosed as **Annexure-I**.

Condition No.(ii): The identified non forest land of 12.728 ha for raising compensatory afforestation shall be transferred and mutated in the name of Forest Department and notified as RF/ PF prior to Stage-II approval.

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that for raising of compensatory afforestation, non-forest Govt. land of 12.728 ha has been identified in Vill- Podadihi under Bansapal Tahasil of Keonjhar District. The CA land so allotted has been transferred and mutated in favour of the State Forest Department as per the RoR issued by the Tahasildar, Bansapal vide his letter No.3334 dated 19.12.2022. The said land has been declared as Podadihi Protected Forest under Section 33 of the Orissa Forest Act, 1972 (Orissa Act 14 of 72) vide Notification No.24357/FE&CC dated 22.11.2023.

The copies of the RoR & PF Notification are enclosed as **Annexure-II & IIA**.

Condition No.(iii): The land identified for the purpose of Compensatory Afforestation /Addl. C.A. shall be clearly depicted on a Survey of India Topo sheet of 1: 50,000 scale.

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that the land identified for the purpose of Compensatory Afforestation in village Podadihi under Bansapal Tahasil /Addl. C.A. in Renda PRF have been depicted on Survey of India Topo sheet No.F45N6 and F45N7 respectively of 1: 50,000 scale. The copy of the maps are enclosed as **Annexure-III & IIIA**.

Condition No.(iv): *The KML files of the area to be diverted and the CA/Addl. CA areas shall be uploaded on the e-Green watch portal with all requisite details before issuing working permission towards linear projects or submitting compliance report for seeking Stage-II approval, as the case may be.*

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that the KML files of the area to be diverted and the CA/Addl. CA areas are to be kept in Pendrive and will be uploaded on the e-green watch portal by the DFO, Keonjhar Forest Division before issuing working permission.

Condition No.(v): *The user agency shall transfer the cost of raising and maintaining the compensatory afforestation at the current wage in consultation with State Forest Department in the account of CAMPA of the concerned State through online portal. The Scheme may include appropriate provision for anticipated cost increase for works scheduled for subsequent years.*

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that the user agency was demanded vide DFO Keonjhar Division letter No.763 /Mining dated 01.02.2022 to deposit Rs 1,51,19,100/- (Rupees One Crore Fifty One Lakh Nineteen Thousand One Hundred Only) towards approved CA cost of Rs.1,13,32,200/- (over 12.728 ha non-forest land identified in Vill- Podadihi under Banspal Tahasil) + Addl. CA cost Rs.37,86,900/- (over 12.728 ha Degraded Forest land identified in Renda PRF under Telkoi Tahasil). The user agency has transferred an amount of Rs.2,70,70,692/- in the Orissa CAMPA Account through RTGS vide UTRNo.SBINR52022022569188491 dated 25.02.2022 which includes the demanded amount of Rs. 1,51,19,100/-. Further, the User Agency has deposited differential approved amount of Rs.5,19,200/- (Rupees Five Lakhs Nineteen Thousand and Two Hundred) only towards revised CA (Rs.1,16,63,300 – 1,13,32,200 = Rs.3,31,100/- and ACA (Rs.39,75,000 – Rs.37,86,900 = Rs.1,88,100/-) of CA over 12.728 ha of non-forest land and Addl. CA land over 12.728 ha of degraded forest land @ wage rate of Rs.333/- per manday. The amount deposited vide UTR No.SBINR5202302103136136 dated 10.02.2023.

The copy of the demand letter and RTGS receipt in support of proof of the deposit by the user agency is enclosed herewith as **Annexure-IIIB Series and I (already enclosed)**.

Condition No.(vi): *All the funds received from the user agency under the project shall be transferred/deposited in CAMPA account only through e-portal (<https://parivesh.nic.in/>). Amount deposited through other mode will not be accepted as compliance of the Stage-I clearance.*

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that all the funds (NPV & CA schemes) under this project has been transferred in CAMPA account by the user agency through e-portal (<https://parivesh.nic.in/>).

Both payment for NPV (Rs. 1,19,51,592/-), CA and ACA schemes (Rs.1,51,19,100/-) have been done in a single transaction amounting Rs.2,70,20,692/- vide UTR No. SBINR52022022569188491 dated 25.02.2022 (payment receipt is already enclosed as **Annexure-I**).

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The statement of funds towards deposit of compensatory levies by the user agency in prescribed CAMPA format duly signed by the DFO, Keonjhar Forest Division and countersigned by the PCCF (FD & Nodal Officer, FC Act) is enclosed as **Annexure - IA**.

Condition No.(vii): *The cost of felling of trees shall be deposited by the user agency with the State Forest Department. The user agency shall explore the possibility of successful transplantation of maximum number of trees identified to be felled and shall ensure that any tree felling shall be done only when it is unavoidable and that too under strict supervision of the State Forest Department.*

Compliance-: In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that the user agency will deposit the cost of felling of trees to the State Forest Department. The user agency has identified 134 nos. of suitable trees to be transplanted out of total 1976 nos. of Sound & Un-sound trees (below 90 cm girth) & 33 nos. of trees below 90 cm out of total 481 nos. of Sound & Un-sound trees (below 90 cm girth) within BJP Forest Range enumerated for felling for the above project. The same have been verified by the Asst. Conservator of Forest, I/c Champua Forest Range & Forest Range Officer, BJP Forest Range and submitted to DFO, Keonjhar division vide their Memo No.4341 dated 22.11.2023 & memo 1267 dated 24.11.2023 respectively. Copy of the said letters are enclosed as **Annexure-IV**.

Condition No.(viii): *The compliance report of the Stage-I approval shall be uploaded on e-portal (<https://parivesh.nic.in/>).*

Compliance-: In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that the user agency has uploaded the compliance report of the Stage-I approval on e-portal (<https://parivesh.nic.in/>).

Condition No.(ix): *The complete compliance of the FRA, 2006 shall be ensured by way of prescribed certificates from the concerned District Collector.*

Compliance-: In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that the Collector, Keonjhar District has issued the FRA Certificate vide letter No. 1521/Rev. dated 26.08.2021 over 12.728 ha of forest land in favour of M/s ESSAR Steel India Ltd which is enclosed as **Annexure-V**.

Condition No.(x): *The boundary of the proposed forest land for diversion, shall be demarcated on ground at the project cost, by erecting four feet high reinforced cement concrete pillars, each inscribed with its serial number, distance from pillar to pillar and GPS co-ordinates.*

Compliance-: In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that the user agency has demarcated the forest land proposed for diversion by erecting four feet high reinforced cement concrete pillars, each inscribed with its serial number, distance from pillar to pillar and GPS co-ordinates. The photo copies of the same are enclosed as **Annexure-VI Series**.

B: Conditions which need to be strictly complied on field after handing over of forest land to user agency by the State Forest Department but the compliance in form of undertaking shall be submitted prior to Stage-II approval.

Condition No.(i): *Legal status of forest land proposed for diversion shall remain unchanged.*

Compliance-: In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that the user agency has furnished an undertaking duly countersigned by the DFO, Keonjhar Forest Division that

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Legal status of forest land proposed for diversion shall remain unchanged, is enclosed at Sl. No.1 of **Annexure-VII.**

Condition No.(ii): *Compensatory afforestation shall be raised over 12.728 ha of non-forest land identified in Plot No. 503(P), 504(P) and 505(P) of Khata No.67 (AAA) of village Podadihi of BanspalTahasil under Keonjhar District within three years from the date of Stage-II clearance and maintained thereafter by the State Forest Department, at the cost of user agency.*

Compliance-: In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that the Compensatory Afforestation shall be raised over 12.728 ha of non-forest land identified in Plot number 503(P), 504(P) and 505(P) of Khata No.67 (AAA) of village Podadihi of Banspal Tahasil under Keonjhar District within three years from the date of Stage-II clearance / placement of funds from CAMPA and maintained thereafter for ten years at the approved cost by the State Forest Department.

Condition No.(iii): *Addl. Compensatory afforestation shall be raised over 12.728 ha of degraded forest land identified in Renda PRF under Telkoi Range of Keonjhar Forest Division within three years from the date of Stage-II Clearance and maintained thereafter by the State Forest Department, at the cost of user agency.*

Compliance-: In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that the Addl. Compensatory afforestation shall be raised over 12.728 ha of degraded forest land identified in Renda RF under Telkoi Range within three years from the date of Stage-II clearance and maintained thereafter for ten years at the approved cost by the State Forest Department.

Condition No.(iv): *The species to be planted in the CA/Addl. CA scheme shall be of native species of the area avoiding Teak and exotic species. At least 18 month old seedlings should be planted. Intensive monitoring of the plantation needs to be done and documented using Geo tagging so that the increase of canopy density and survival and growth of plantation can be evaluated at regular intervals.*

Compliance-: In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that the native species to be planted in the CA / Addl. CA scheme that:- Syzygiumcumini (Jammu), Adina cordifolia (Kuruma), Anogeissus latifolia (Dhaura), Acacia catechu (Khair), Dalbergia sissoo (Sissoo), Azadirachta indica (Neem), Gmelina arborea (Ghambar), Terminalia belerica (Bahada), Terminalia chebula (Harida), Pongamia pinnata (Karanja), Embillica officinalis (Amla), Shaorea robusta (Sal) etc. Teak and exotic species have been completely avoided in the prepared CA / ACA Schemes. 18 months old seedlings will be planted and documentation will be made by using Geo tagging in regular interval so as to evaluate the canopy density and survival growth of plantation. The approved CA / ACA schemes are enclosed for reference as **Annexure-VIII A & B.**

Condition No.(v): *At the time of payment of Net Present Value (NPV) at the then prevailing rate, the user agency shall furnish an undertaking to pay the additional amount of NPV, if so determined, as per the final decision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.*

Compliance-: In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that the user agency has furnished an undertaking duly countersigned by the DFO, Keonjhar Forest Division to pay the additional amount of NPV, if so determined, as per the final decision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India, is enclosed at Sl. No.2 of **Annexure-VII.**

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Condition No.(vi): *As proposed by the State Govt. the tailing and water pipelines, power and communication cables shall be laid 1.0 metre below the ground and after lying down of the pipeline the ground will be levelled.*

Compliance-: In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that the user agency has furnished an undertaking duly countersigned by the DFO, Keonjhar Forest Division that as proposed by the State Govt. the tailing and water pipelines, power and communication cables shall be laid 1.0 metre below the ground and after lying down of the pipeline the ground will be levelled, is enclosed at Sl. No.3 of **Annexure-VII**.

Condition No.(vii): *The user agency shall obtain Environmental Clearance as per the provisions of Environment (Protection) Act, 1980 if applicable.*

Compliance-: In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that as per the Extra Ordinary Gazette Notification of India dated 1st Dec' 2009 from MoEF, New Delhi, Environment Clearance (EC) is not applicable in the instant project as the pipeline system are passing outside the National Park/ Sanctuaries/Coral Reefs, ecological sensitive areas.

Condition No.(viii): *The user agency shall take adequate safety measures for accidental leakage of tailings, water and power cable pipelines.*

Compliance-: In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that the user agency has furnished an undertaking duly countersigned by the DFO, Keonjhar Forest Division that the user agency shall take adequate safety measures for accidental leakage of tailings, water and power cable pipelines, is enclosed at **Sl. No.4 of Annexure-VII**.

Condition No.(ix): *No labour camp shall be established on the forest land and the user agency shall provide fuels preferably alternate fuels to the labourers and the staff working at the site so as to avoid any damage and pressure on the nearby forest areas.*

Compliance-: In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that the user agency has furnished an undertaking duly countersigned by the DFO, Keonjhar Forest Division that no labour camp shall be established on the forest land and the user agency shall provide fuels preferably alternate fuels to the labourers and the staff working at the site so as to avoid any damage and pressure on the nearby forest areas, is enclosed at **Sl. No.5 of Annexure-VII**.

Condition No.(x): *No additional or new path will be constructed inside the forest area for any activity related to the project work.*

Compliance-: The user agency has furnished an undertaking duly countersigned by the DFO, Keonjhar Forest Division to this effect is enclosed at **Sl. No.6 of Annexure-VII**.

Condition No.(xi): *The user agency while executing works, shall not fell any tree or damage forest growth in the surrounding forest area in any manner.*

Compliance-: In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that the user agency has furnished an undertaking duly countersigned by the DFO, Keonjhar Forest Division that

the user agency while executing works, shall not fell any tree or damage forest growth in the surrounding forest area in any manner, is enclosed at **Sl. No.7 of Annexure-VII.**

Condition No.(xii): The layout plan of the proposed forest land shall not be changed without the prior approval of Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change.

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that the user agency has furnished an undertaking duly countersigned by the DFO, Keonjhar Forest Division that the layout plan of the proposed forest land shall not be changed without the prior approval of Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, is enclosed at **Sl. No.8 of Annexure-VII.**

Condition No.(xiii): The forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the proposal.

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that the user agency has furnished an undertaking duly countersigned by the DFO, Keonjhar Forest Division that the forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the proposal, is enclosed at **Sl. No.9 of Annexure-VII.**

Condition No.(xiv): The forest land proposed to be diverted shall under no circumstances be transferred to any other user agency, department or person without the prior approval of Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change.

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that the user agency has furnished an undertaking duly countersigned by the DFO, Keonjhar Forest Division that the forest land proposed to be diverted shall under no circumstances be transferred to any other user agency, department or person without the prior approval of Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, is enclosed at **Sl. No.10 of Annexure-VII.**

Condition No.(xv): No damage to the flora and fauna of the adjoining area shall be caused.

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that the user agency has furnished an undertaking duly countersigned by the DFO, Keonjhar Forest Division that no damage to the flora and fauna of the adjoining area shall be caused, is enclosed at **Sl. No.11 of Annexure-VII.**

Condition No.(xvi): The concerned Divisional Forest Officer, will monitor and take necessary mitigative measures to ensure that there is no adverse impact on the forests in the surrounding area.

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that the user agency has furnished an undertaking duly countersigned by the DFO, Keonjhar Forest Division that the concerned Divisional Forest Officer, will monitor and take necessary mitigative measures to ensure that there is no adverse impact on the forests in the surrounding area, is enclosed at **Sl. No.12 of Annexure-VII.**

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Condition No.(xvii): *The user agency shall submit annual self-monitoring report on compliance of stipulated conditions to the Nodal Officer (FCA) of the State and concerned Integrated Regional Office of this Ministry by the end of March every year.*

Compliance-: In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that the user agency has furnished an undertaking duly countersigned by the DFO, Keonjhar Forest Division that the user agency shall submit annual self-monitoring report on compliance of stipulated conditions to the Nodal Officer (FCA) of the State and concerned Integrated Regional Office of this Ministry by the end of March every year, is enclosed at **SI No.13 of Annexure-VII.**

Condition No.(xviii): *Any other conditions that the Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change may impose from time to time in the interest of afforestation, conservation and management of flora and fauna in the area shall be complied by the user agency.*

Compliance-: In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that the user agency has furnished an undertaking duly countersigned by the DFO, Keonjhar Forest Division that any other conditions that the Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change may impose from time to time in the interest of afforestation, conservation and management of flora and fauna in the area shall be complied by the user agency, is enclosed at **SI No.14 of Annexure-VII.**

Condition No.(xix): *The State Govt. and user agency shall ensure compliance to provisions of the all Acts, Rules, Regulations, Guidelines, NGT Order (s) & Hon'ble Court Order (s) pertaining to this project, if any, for the time being in force, as applicable to the project.*

Compliance-: In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that the user agency has furnished an undertaking duly countersigned by the DFO, Keonjhar Forest Division that the State Govt. and user agency shall ensure compliance to provisions of the all Acts, Rules, Regulations, Guidelines, NGT Order (s) & Hon'ble Court Order (s) pertaining to this project, if any, for the time being in force, as applicable to the project, is enclosed at **SI No.15 of Annexure-VII.**

3. **Violation of any of these conditions will amount to violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and action would be taken as prescribed in Para 1.2 of Chapter- 1 of the Handbook of comprehensive guidelines of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 as issued by this Ministry 's letter No. 5-2/2017-FC dated 28.03.2019.**

Compliance-: In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that if any violation is noticed in the above stipulated conditions, action will be taken as per para-1.2 of Chapter-I of the Hand Book of comprehensive guideline of FC Act, 1980 issued vide letter No. 5-2/2017-FC dated 28.03.2019 of MoEF & CC, GoI, New Delhi.

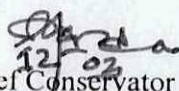
The User Agency has deposited Rs.251.52 Lakhs @ Rs.311/- per manday towards the Site Specific Wildlife Conservation Plan approved by the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, CWLW, Odisha vide UTR No.SBINR52023011927215182 dated 19.01.2023. The copy of the demand letter of the DFO, Keonjhar Division along with the approval letter of the PCCF (WL) & CWLW, Odisha and deposit slip are enclosed as **Annexure-VIII Series.**

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In view of the above, the compliance to the conditions imposed by the Government of India, MoEF & CC, IRO, Bhubaneswar is sent herewith for according final approval diversion of 12.728 ha of forest land for laying of Tailing and Water Pipeline, Power and Communication cables from Beneficiation plant at Dubuna under Barbil Tahasil to proposed tailing pond site at village Sankari under Banspal of Keonjhar District by M/s Arcelor Mittal Nippon Steel India Ltd (Formerly Known as M/s Essar Steel India Ltd.).

Encl: Compliance in one set

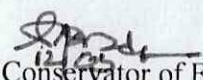
Yours faithfully


Principal Chief Conservator of Forests
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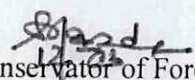
Copy alongwith the compliance report forwarded to the Additional Chief Secretary to Government, Forest, Environment and Climate Change Department, Odisha, Bhubaneswar for favour of kind information and necessary action with reference to Letter No. 5-ORC481/2021-BHU dated 28.12.2021 of Deputy Inspector General of Forests (C), Govt. of India, MoEF&CC, IRO, Bhubaneswar.

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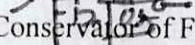
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Copy forwarded to the Regional Chief Conservator of Forests, Rourkela Circle for information and necessary action with reference to his Memo No. 351 dated 01.02.2024.


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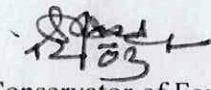
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Copy forwarded to the Divisional Forest Officer, Keonjhar Forest Division for information and necessary action with reference to Memo No. 352 dated 01.02.2024 of RCCF, Rourkela Circle.


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Memo No. 5945 /Dt. 13.03.2024

Copy forwarded to the Authorised Signatory, M/s Arcelor Mittal Nippon Steel India limited (Formerly Essar Steel India Limited), Pellet Plant, Udayabata, Paradeep-754142, Dist-Jagatsinghpur, Odisha for information and necessary action.


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