Government of India Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change (Forest Conservation Division)

Indira Paryavaran Bhawan Aliganj, Jor Bagh Road New Delhi-110 003 Dated: 23rd February, 2022

To,

The Regional Officer (Central), Integrated Regional Office, Ranchi

Sub: Diversion of 1026.438 ha of forest land for coal mining Pakribarwadih Project in favour of M/s NTPC Ltd. in Hazaribag West Forest Division in Hazaribag District of Jharkhand-reg.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to the Ministry's letter of even number dated 03.09.2019 (copy enclosed) on above subject wherein IRO, Ranchi was requested to take appropriate action as per provisions of Ministry's guidelines given under para 1.21 (iii) of Handbook of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 on reported or partial compliance of conditions stipulated in the approval granted under the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 to proposal.

In view of above, the IRO Office, Ranchi is requested to furnish Action Taken Report (ATR) in the matter for further needful action in the Ministry.

Yours faithfully (Charan Jeet Singh) Scientist 'D'

Copy to:

- 1. The Principal Secretary (Forests), Government of Jharkhand, Ranchi.
- 2. The PCCF, Government of Jharkhand, Ranchi.
- 3. The Addl. PCCF—cum-Nodal Officer (FCA), Government of Jharkhand, Ranchi.
- 4. User Agency.
- 5. Monitoring Cell, FC Division, MoEF&CC, New Delhi.
- 6. Guard File

F. No. 8-56/2009-FC

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Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change (Forest Conservation Division)

Indira Paryavaran Bhawan Aliganj, Jor Bagh Road New Delhi-110 003 Dated: 3-7 September, 2019

To,

The Deputy Director General (Central), Regional Office, Ranchi.

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Sir.

I am directed to refer to the Regional Office, Ranchi's letter no. 5-JHA104/2009-BHU/3277 dated 09.07.2019 wherein informed that some of the conditions of FC approval (Stage-I and Stage-II) were partially complied/ or where the project proponent has to take actions for complete compliance.

In view of above, the Regional Office, Ranchi is requested to take appropriate action in this matter as per provisions of Ministry's guidelines given under para 1.21 (iii) of Handbook of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for further consideration in this Ministry.

Yours faithfully

(Sandeep Sharma)

Assistant Inspector General of Forests (FC)

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