

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

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**Dated: As per E-sign**

To,

**The Principal Secretary (Forests),**  
Government of Jharkhand,  
Ranchi.

**Subject: Proposal for prospecting of 402.91 ha of forest land in favour of M/s National Mineral Development Corporation (NMDC) for exploratory drilling for 57 bore holes in Hazaribagh district of Jharkhand State - regarding.**

Madam/Sir,

I am directed to refer to the Government of Jharkhand's letter no. 3/VanBhumi-43/2010-4916/V.P. dated 27.12.2024 on above subject forwarding required information on the compliance of conditions stipulated in the transfer of approval letter dated 15.11.2021 read with letter dated 27.05.2024 and Stage-I approval letter dated 11.04.2013 and to say that following information/documents are required for further process:

- i. In compliance of condition no. (iii) of transfer of approval letter dated 15.11.2021, the State Govt. has not provided the details of NPV (if any) deposited by erstwhile user agency i.e. M/s Rohne Coal Company Private Limited in the prescribed format along with the detail calculation sheet of NPV deposited by M/s NMDC against the instant proposal.
- ii. In compliance of condition no. (v) of Stage-I approval dated 11.04.2013, the user agency has not submitted the duly approved copy of Wildlife Management Plan along with fund deposition details.
- iii. In compliance of condition no. (x) of Stage-I approval dated 11.04.2013, the user agency has not submitted the undertaking.

In view of the above, the State Government is requested to furnish the above mentioned information to this Ministry for further consideration of the proposal for according Final/Stage-II approval.

Yours sincerely,

Signed by

Suneet Bhardwaj

Date: 24-02-2025 16:00:46

(Suneet Bhardwaj)

**Assistant Inspector General of Forests**

**Copy to:**

1. The PCCF (HoFF), Department of Forest, Government of Jharkhand, Ranchi;
2. The Dy. DGF (Central), Regional Office, MoEF&CC, Ranchi;
3. The Nodal Officer, Department of Forest, Government of Jharkhand, Ranchi;
4. User Agency;
5. Monitoring Cell, FC Division, MoEF&CC, New Delhi for uploading on PARIVESH portal.