

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

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Dated: 8th February, 2021

To

The Principal Secretary (Forests),
Government of Odisha,
Bhubaneswar

Sub: Proposal seeking prior approval under the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for non-forestry use of 86.479 ha of forest land, comprising of 85.175 ha of fresh forest land and 1.304 ha re-diversion of Forest land (which is a part of 11.912 ha forest land, granted Stage-II approval by ERO, MoEF&CC on 29.05.2020) in favour of M/s Odisha Mining Corporation Limited for construction of overhead piped conveyor belt from Kurmitar ML Boundary to proposed Railway Siding in Tahsil Lahunipara, District Sundergarh (Odisha) – reg.

Corrigendum

Sir,

I am directed to refer to this Ministry's letter of even number dated 4.02.2021 on the above subject conveying 'in-principle approval under the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and to say that forest area **appeared as 162.394 ha** in condition no. A(2) of the Stage-I approval dated 4.02.2021 **may kindly be read as 85.175 ha.**

Yours faithfully,

Sd/-

(Sandeep Sharma)

Assistant Inspector General of Forests

Copy to:

1. The Principal Chief Conservator Forests, Government of Odisha, Bhubaneswar
2. Regional Officer, Integrated Regional Office of the MoEF&CC at Bhubaneswar
3. The Nodal Officer (FCA), O/o the PCCF, Government of Odisha, Bhubaneswar
4. User Agency
5. Monitoring Cell of FC Division, MoEF&CC

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