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## STATE FOREST HEADQUARTERS OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL CHIEF CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS, ODISHA, BHUBANESWAR

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October, 2020

From

Jitendra Kumar, IFS Principal CCF (FD & NO, FC Act), O/o the PCCF, Odisha, Bhubaneswar, Odisha.

To

The Assistant Inspector General of Forests (FC), Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change (F.C. Division), Indira Paryavaran Bhawan, Aliganj, Jor Bagh Road, New Delhi-110003.

Sub: Proposal for according permission for use of 7.540 ha of forest land within total PL granted area of 242.265 ha in PL Block No. I (Chromite) located in village Kalarangiatta, Ransol, Mahulkhal & Forest Block No.27 under Sukinda Tahasil of Jajpur District (Within jurisdiction of Cuttack Forest Division) Odisha for undertaking exploratory drilling of 122 no. of boreholes of 4" dia (122 nos. of boreholes @ 0.02 ha. each totaling 2.44 ha and 5.100 ha for construction of road) by M/S OMC Ltd.

Sir,

In inviting reference to the above mentioned subject, this is to inform that Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, New Delhi have accorded Stage-I approval vide their Letter No. F. No.8-51/2018-FC dated 17.09.2018 for according permission for use of 7.540 ha of forest land within total PL granted area of 242.265 ha in PL Block No. I (Chromite) located in village Kalarangiatta, Ransol, Mahulkhal & Forest Block No.27 under Sukinda Tahasil of Jajpur District (Within jurisdiction of Cuttack Forest Division) Odisha for undertaking exploratory drilling of 122 no. of boreholes of 4" dia (122 nos. of boreholes @ 0.02 ha. each totaling 2.44 ha and 5.100 ha for construction of road) by M/S OMC Ltd. subject to fulfillment of Twenty six (26) nos. of conditions stipulated therein. The User Agency has complied all the conditions imposed by Govt. of India, New Delhi as well as State Government. The point wise compliance basing on the report of the Regional Chief Conservator of Forests, Angul Circle are as follows:-

Condition No. (i) The user Agency shall complete the exploration work within 2 years.

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the user agency has furnished an undertaking that the exploration work shall be completed within a period of 2 years which is enclosed as Sl. No. 1 of

Annexure-UT/1.

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<u>Sondition No. (ii)</u> The State Govt. shall calculate compensatory levies & NPV for the prospecting proposal as per MoEF & CC guidelines No 5-3 /2007-FC dated 09/05/2018. The amount shall be deposited in Adhoc CAMPA account prior to Stage-II approval.

<u>Compliance:</u> In compliance to the above, RCCF Angul Circle has reported that the proposal for diversion of 7.540 ha of forest land pertaining to PL Blcok No.I over total area of 242.265 ha comprising of 239.709 ha of forest land and 2.556 ha of non-forest land under Sukinda Tahasil of Jajpur District for undertaking exploratory drilling of 122 nos. of boreholes @ 4" dia (122 boreholes @ 0.02 ha each & 5.10 ha for construction of road) by M/s OMC Ltd.

The DFO Cuttack Division vide his letter No.9669 dated 31.10.2018 had raised demand on User Agency to deposit Rs.47,20,040/- towards cost of NPV through e-portal of MoEF & CC, The details of which is furnished below:

Forest Area	Density	Eco-Value	Rate of NPV	NPV amount
(in ha)		Class	per ha (in Rs.)	(in Rs.)
7.540	Less than 0.4	III	6,26,000/-	47,20,040/-

The User Agency has deposited a sum of Rs.47,20,040/- towards NPV in the Ad-hoc CAMPA account through e-portal of MoEF & CC in ORRISA CAMPA A/c No.150827340000558 (IFSC Code:CORP000371) of Corporation Bank, Lodhi Complex Branch, Lodhi Road, New Delhi vide UTR No.ANDBH18324206119 dated 20.11.2018. The demand letter of DFO Cuttack Division and the receipt in support of payment is enclosed as Annexure-I A.

In pursuance to guideline issued by Government of India, MoEF & CC vide letter No.8-51/2018-FC dated 11.03.2020, the DFO Cuttack Division vide his letter No.4471 dated 09.04.2020 has raised demand on User Agency to deposit balance NPV of Rs.27,82,852/-(Rs.75,02,892 - Rs.47,20,040) through e-portal of MoEF & CC. The details of which is furnished below:

Total forest area in Chrome Block-I	Canopy density	Eco-Value Class	Rate of NPV per ha (in Rs.)	NPV due @ 5% of total NPV (in Rs.)	NPV already paid by UA (in Rs.)	Balance amount of NPV (in Rs.)
239.709	Less than 0.4	III	6,26,000	75,02,892	47,20,040	27,82,852

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The User Agency has deposited a sum of Rs.27,82,852/- towards NPV in the Ad-hoc CAMPA account through e-portal of MoEF & CC in ORRISA CAMPA A/c No.150827340000397 (IFSC Code: CORP0000371) of Corporation Bank, Lodhi Complex Branch, Lodhi Road, New Delhi vide UTR No.ANDBH20118748209 dated 27.04.2020. The demand letter of DFO Cuttack Division and the receipt in support of payment is enclosed as Annexure-I B.

Thus, the User Agency has deposited a total amount of **Rs.75,02,892/-** (Rs. 47,20,040/- (+) Rs. 27,82,852/-) towards cost of NPV relating to this project.

All the funds received from the User Agency have been transferred to Ad-hoc CAMPA through online portal of Adhoc-CAMPA account. The details of the following amounts deposited by the User Agency is furnished below:

SI No.	Type of deposit {NPV /CA /IWMP Others (specify)}	Whether by RTGS/D D/NEFT (Specify)	UTR/DD No.	Amount deposited (Rs.)	Date of deposit	Name of Bank from which amount transferred to account CAF	Bank Account of CAF managed by CAMPA in which fund deposited	Deposited with
1.	NPV	Online	ANDBH18324 206119	47,20,040/-	20.11.2018	Andhra Bank, OMC Campus Branch, Bhubaneswar	ORRISA CAMPA A/c No. 15082734000 0558 of Corporation Bank, Lodhi Complex Branch, Lodhi Road, New Delhi	Ad-hoc CAMPA
2.	NPV	Online	ANDBH20118 748209	27,82,85 <b>2   -</b>	27.04.2020	Andhra Bank, OMC Campus Branch, Bhubaneswar	ORRISA CAMPA A/c No. 15082734000 397 of Corporation Bank, Lodhi Complex Branch, Lodhi Road, New Delhi	Ad-hoc CAMPA
3.	CA	Online	ANDBH19099 482093	25,07,900/-	09.04.2019	Andhra Bank, OMC Campus Branch, Bhubaneswar	ORRISA CAMPA A/c No. 15082734000 0262 of Corporation Bank, Lodhi Complex Branch, Lodhi Road, New Delhi	Ad-hoc CAMPA

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4.	Differential CA	Online	ANDBN19237 880037	47,100/-	30.08.2019	Andhra Bank, OMC Campus Branch, Bhubaneswar	ORRISA CAMPA A/c No. 15082734000 0607 of Corporation Bank, Lodhi Complex Branch, Lodhi Road, New Delhi	Ad-hoc CAMPA
5.	Differential CA	Online	ANDBN20250 074457	86,600/-	14.08.2020	Andhra Bank, OMC Campus Branch, Bhubaneswar	ORRISA CAMPA A/c No. 15082734000 0340 of Corporation Bank, Lodhi Complex Branch, Lodhi Road, New Delhi	Ad-hoc CAMPA

The details of funds deposited by the user agency through online portal of Adhoc CAMPA in prescribed format duly signed by DFO, Cuttack Forest Division and countersigned by PCCF (FD &NO, FC Act) is enclosed as **Annexure-I C**.

<u>Condition No. (iii)</u> Permission granted for prospecting under the provisions of FCA, 1980, shall not confer any right of User Agency to get permission for extraction of mineral & diversion of Forest land under Section 2(ii) of FCA 1980.

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the user agency has furnished an undertaking that the Permission granted for prospecting under the provisions of FCA, 1980, shall not confer any right of User Agency to get permission for extraction of mineral & diversion of Forest land under Section 2(ii) of FCA 1980, which is enclosed as Sl. No. 2 of Annexure-UT/1.

<u>Condition No. (iv)</u> Existing path & roads only will be used by the User Agency for the purpose of prospecting activities. In addition to existing paths & forest road, User Agency is allowed to use 5.10 Ha. of forest land for construction of temporary path. The temporary path construction shall not involve any tree cutting & same shall be restored to original land use after the work of exploration is accomplished.

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the user agency has furnished an undertaking that the existing path & roads only will be used by them for the purpose of prospecting activities in addition to 5.100 Ha. of forest land for construction of temporary path and the construction of temporary path shall not involve any tree cutting & same shall be restored to original land use after the work of exploration is accomplished, which is enclosed as Sl. No. 3 of Annexure-UT/1.



Condition No. (v) User Agency shall provide 5.100 Ha. of Non-Forest land for CA. The same shall be mutated & transferred in favour of forest department prior to Stage-II approval. State Forest Department shall certify that the land is suitable for plantation & free from encroachment. CA scheme shall be prepared and submitted accordingly along with the shape files.

Compliance: In compliance to the above, the RCCF Angul Circle has reported that an area of 5.100 ha of non-forest Government land has been identified in village Tala-Ambapadar under Thuamul-Rampur Tahasil of Thuamul-Rampur (North) Range under Kalahandi South Forest Division in lieu of 5.100 ha of forest land being proposed to be used for the purpose of construction of road to facilitate movement of machinery and equipment for carrying out prospecting. The land schedule of compensatory afforestation land allotted by the Kalahandi District Revenue Administration is as under:-

the	Name of the Division		Name of the Village		Plot No.	Kisam	Area (in ha)
Kalahandi	Kalahandi	Thuamul-	Tala-	51	61	Dangar	3.31
	South	Rampur	Ambapadar	(AAA)	62	Dangar	1.79
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The land schedule for identified non-forest land for compensatory afforestation has been duly authenticated by Tahasildar Thuamul-Rampur. The DFO Kalahandi South Forest Division has furnished the land suitability certificate on the map of the non-forest land in the Sheet No.3 of mouza Tala-Ambapadar. The Tahasildar Thuamul-Rampur and DFO Kalahandi South Division have certified that the identified land is free from encroachment and encumbrance and not covered under DLC report which is furnished in the Sheet No.3 of mouza Tala-Ambapadar (Copy of map enclosed as **Annexure-II**. The Shape file of Compensatory afforestation land in CD form is also enclosed with the compliance.

An extent of 5.10 ha of non-forest land in village Tala-Ambapadar under Thuamul-Rampur Tahasil of Kalahandi (South) Forest Division in Kalahandi District allotted for Compensatory Afforestation has been transferred and mutated in favour of the State Forest Department vide Khata No.53/1. The copy of the RoR is enclosed as **Annexure-III A.** 

Further, the Draft Notification Proposal for declaration of non-forest Government land measuring 5.10 ha in village Tala-Ambapadar of Thuamul-Rampur Tahasil of Kalahandi District as 'Protected Forest' under Section-33 of OFA, 1972 has been transmitted to Government of Odisha, Forest & Environment Department vide this office Letter No.12411 dated 29.06.2020 which is enclosed as **Annexure-III B.** 

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A compensatory afforestation scheme has been prepared by DFO Kalahandi South Division in which it has been proposed to take up Bald Hill Plantation over 5.10 ha @ 1600 plants/ha with 10 years maintenance alongwith barbed wire fencing around the plantation. The compensatory afforestation scheme has been technically approved by Addl. PCCF (FD & NO, FC Act) with a total financial outlay of Rs.25,07,900/- (Rupees Twenty five lakh seven thousand nine hundred) only at the wage rate of Rs.280/- per manday (Copy enclosed as Annexure-II A). Again, owing to revision of wage rate, the financial outlay of the CA scheme has been technically approved by Addl. PCCF (FD & NO, FC Act) with a total financial outlay of Rs.25,55,000/- (Rupees Twenty five lakh fifty five thousand) only at the wage rate of Rs.286.30 per manday (Copy enclosed as Annexure-II B).

Further, owing to revision of wage rate, the financial outlay of the CA scheme has been technically approved by PCCF (FD & NO, FC Act) with a total financial outlay of Rs.26,41,600/- (Rupees Twenty six lakh forty one thousand six hundred) only at current wage rate of Rs.298/- per manday (Copy enclosed as Annexure-II C).

Condition No. (vi) The amount of CA scheme shall be deposited online in the Adhoc CAMPA account. Thus, the User Agency shall transfer the cost of raising and maintaining the compensatory affrorestation at the current wage rate in consultation with State Forest Department in the account of Ad-hoc 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 Angul Circle has reported that a compensatory afforestation scheme has been prepared by DFO Kalahandi South Division in which it has been proposed to take up Bald Hill Plantation over 5.10 ha @ 1600 plants/ha with 10 years maintenance alongwith barbed wire fencing around the plantation. The compensatory afforestation scheme has been technically approved by Addl. PCCF (FD & NO, FC Act) with a total financial outlay of Rs.25,07,900/- (Rupees Twenty five lakh seven thousand nine hundred) only at the wage rate of Rs.280/- per manday. Again, owing to revision of wage rate, the financial outlay of the CA scheme has been technically approved by Addl. PCCF (FD & NO, FC Act) with a total financial outlay of Rs.25,55,000/- (Rupees Twenty five lakh fifty five thousand) only at the wage rate of Rs.286.30 per manday.

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In this context, it is pertinent to mention that the User Agency has deposited Rs.26,41,600/- (Rs.25,07,900 + Rs.47,100 + Rs.86,600) towards cost of CA through e-portal of MoEF & CC in three phases.

In the first phase, the User Agency has deposited Rs.25,07,900/- towards the cost of CA in Ad-hoc CAMPA Account No.150827340000262 in Corporation Bank, Lodhi Complex Branch, Lodhi Road, New Delhi vide UTR No.ANDBH19099482093 dt.09.04.2019. The copy of the demand letter of DFO and receipt towards payment is enclosed as Annexure-II D.

In the second phase, the User Agency has deposited Rs.47,100/- towards differential CA (cost of CA Rs.25,55,000/- @ Rs.286.30 per MD – cost of CA of Rs.25,07,900/- @ Rs.280/- per MD) in Ad-hoc CAMPA Account No.150827340000607 in Corporation Bank, Lodhi Complex Branch, Lodhi Road, New Delhi vide UTR No.ANDBN19237880037 dt.30.08.2019. The copy of the demand letter of DFO and receipt towards payment is enclosed as Annexure-II E.

In the third phase, the User Agency has deposited Rs.86,600/- towards differential CA (cost of CA Rs.26,41,600/- @ Rs.298/- per MD – cost of CA of Rs.25,55,000/- @ Rs.286.30 per MD) in Ad-hoc CAMPA Account No.150827340000340 in Corporation Bank, Lodhi Complex Branch, Lodhi Road, New Delhi vide UTR No.ANDBN20250074457 dt.14.08.2020. The copy of the demand letter of DFO and receipt towards payment is enclosed as Annexure-II F.

Thus, the User Agency has deposited a total amount of **Rs.26,41,600**/- (Rs.25,07,900 + Rs.47,100 + Rs.86,600) towards cost of Compensatory Afforestation.

Further, the scheme has a provision of 20% escalation cost for anticipated cost increase for works scheduled for subsequent years.

<u>Condition No. (vii)</u> User agency shall seek permission of DFO, Cuttack Forest Division before entering into the forest area.

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the User Agency has furnished an undertaking to seek permission of DFO, Cuttack Forest Division before entering into the forest area which is enclosed as Sl.No.4 of Annexure-UT/1.

<u>Condition No. (viii)</u> Each bore-hole shall be dug with prior permission of the DFO, Cuttack Forest Division.

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the User Agency has furnished an undertaking that, each bore-hole will be dug with prior permission of the DFO, Cuttack Forest Division, which is enclosed as Sl.No.5 of Annexure-UT/1.

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<u>Condition No. (ix)</u> Proper plugging of boreholes shall be made after exploration activities are complete.

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the User Agency has furnished an undertaking that, proper plugging of boreholes will be made after exploration activities are completed, which is enclosed as Sl.No.6 of Annexure-UT/1.

<u>Condition No. (x)</u> No tree felling shall be undertaken for exploration activities. Project activities shall be restricted to clearing of bushes and lopping of tree branches if any for the purpose of site preparation.

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the user agency has furnished an undertaking not to fell any trees for exploration activities and the project activities will be restricted to clearing of bushes and lopping of tree branches if any for the purpose of site preparation, which is enclosed as SI. No. 7 of Annexure-UT/1.

<u>Condition No. (xi)</u> Existing path and roads only will be used by the user agency for the purpose of prospecting activities in addition to 5.100 ha of forest land to be used for this purpose in the ML area.

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the user agency has furnished an undertaking that the existing path and roads only will used for the purpose of prospecting activities in addition to 5.100 ha of forest land to be used for this purpose in the ML area which is enclosed at Sl. No. 3 of Annexure-UT/1.

<u>Condition No. (xii)</u> Drilling of boreholes will be limited to 122 no. with diameter of 4" within forest land.

*Compliance:*- In compliance to the above, the user agency has furnished an undertaking that the drilling of boreholes will be limited to 122 no. with diameter of 4" within forest land, which is enclosed as Sl. No.8 of Annexure-UT/1.

Condition No. (xiii) No labour camp shall be established on the forest land.

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the user agency has furnished an undertaking that no labour camp shall be established on the forest land, which is enclosed as SI. No.9 of Annexure-UT/1.

Condition No. (xiv) No work shall be allowed after sunset.

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the User Agency has furnished an undertaking that, no work will be allowed after sunset, which is enclosed as Sl. No.10 of Annexure-UT/1.

<u>Condition No. (xv)</u> No other construction activities shall be done by the user agency on forest land.

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the user agency has furnished an undertaking that no other construction activity shall be taken up in the forest area, which is enclosed as Sl. No.11 of Annexure-UT/1.

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<u>Condition No. (xvi)</u> User agency shall report the progress of drilling work to the DFO, Cuttack and also furnish detailed report thereof on completion of the project.

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the user agency has furnished an undertaking that the progress of drilling work will be reported to the DFO, Cuttack and also furnish detailed report thereof on completion of the project, which is enclosed as Sl. No.12 of Annexure-UT/1.

<u>Condition No. (xvii)</u> Adequate measures shall be taken by the user agency to ensure that prospecting activities do not harm the wildlife in the area. Any damage done in this context shall be compensated by the user agency as per assessment by the DFO, Cuttack.

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the user agency has furnished an undertaking that adequate measures shall be taken to ensure that prospecting activities do not harm the wildlife in the area and any damage done in this context shall be compensated by the user agency as per assessment by the DFO, Cuttack. prospecting which is enclosed as SI. No.13 of Annexure-UT/1.

<u>Condition No. (xviii)</u> The user agency shall be responsible for any loss to the flora and fauna in the surrounding. Any damage done in this regard shall be compensated by the user agency from the project cost as per assessment of the DFO, Cuttack.

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the User Agency has furnished an undertaking that they shall be responsible for any loss to the flora and fauna in the surrounding and any damage done in this regard shall be compensated by the user agency from the project cost as per assessment of the DFO, Cuttack which is enclosed as Sl. No.14 of Annexure-UT/1.

<u>Condition No. (xix)</u> Instant permission of Govt. of India for prospecting in forest area, if accorded, would not confer any rights on the user agency to obtain diversion of forest land for mining of chromite from this area in future.

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the User Agency has furnished an undertaking that instant permission of Govt. of India for prospecting in forest area, if accorded, would not confer any rights on the user agency to obtain diversion of forest land for mining of chromite from this area in future, which is enclosed as Sl. No. 15 of Annexure-UT/1.

<u>Condition No. (xx)</u> In case, rights over forest land proposed to be used for prospecting purpose, has already been settled in favour of eligible claimants as per provisions of the Forest Rights Act, 2006, the claimants shall either be compensated appropriately or location of boreholes be suitably re-located.

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the above, Certificate from Collector under Forest Rights Act, 2006, is exempted for undertaking exploration activities as per guideline F.No.11-96/2009-FC dt. 04.07.2014 of MoEF & CC. (**Annexure-IV**).

However, the User Agency has furnished an undertaking to compensate appropriately in favour of the claimants if having any right over the proposed forest land to be utilized for prospecting or location of boreholes be suitably re-located which is enclosed as Sl. No.16 of Annexure-UT/1.

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<u>Condition No. (xxi)</u> DFO, Cuttack Forest Division may impose any other condition for protection and conservation of the flora and fauna in the forest area.

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the user agency has furnished an undertaking that the DFO, Cuttack Forest Division may impose any other condition for protection and conservation of the flora and fauna in the forest area which is enclosed as Sl. No. 17 of Annexure-UT/1.

<u>Condition No. (xxii)</u> Prospecting activities within the PL area shall be subject to having valid lease.

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the above, prospecting license has been granted by State Govt. vide Order no. 2604/SM dt.31.03.2017.The PL has been executed on 20.04.2017 and is valid upto dt.19.04.2020. The copy of the permission letter is enclosed as **Annexure-V**.

Condition No. (xxiii) In case of violations of conditions by the user agency, the permission for prospecting of minerals shall be suspended by the DFO and enquired by the Nodal Officer (FCA) of the State Government and report submitted to the Regional office for appropriate action.

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the User Agency has furnished an undertaking that in case of violations of conditions by the user agency, the permission for prospecting of minerals shall be suspended by the DFO and enquired by the Nodal Officer (FCA) of the State Government and report will be submitted to the Regional office for appropriate action which is enclosed as Sl. No. 18 of Annexure-UT/1.

<u>Condition No. (xxiv)</u> The samples collected during the prospecting shall be used purely for investigation purpose and shall in no case be used for trade or commerce purpose.

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the user agency has furnished an undertaking the samples to be collected during the prospecting will be used purely for investigation purpose and shall in no case be used for trade or commerce purpose, which is enclosed as Sl. No.19 of Annexure-UT/1.

<u>Condition No. (xxv)</u> The State Government and the user agency shall comply with any other condition that the concerned Regional Office of this Ministry may stipulate, from time to time, in the interest of conservation, protection and development of forests & wildlife;

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the user agency has furnished an undertaking that the State Government and the user agency shall comply with any other condition that the concerned Regional Office of this Ministry may stipulate, from time to time, in the interest of conservation, protection and development of forests & wildlife which is enclosed as SI. No.20 of Annexure-UT/1.

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<u>Gendition No. (xxvi)</u> The State Government and user agency shall comply the provisions of the all Act, Rules, Regulations, Guidelines, NGT order & 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 user agency has furnished an undertaking that the State Government and user agency shall comply the provisions of the all Act, Rules, Regulations, Guidelines, NGT order & Hon'ble Court Order (s) pertaining to this project, if any, for the time being in force, as applicable to the project which is enclosed as Sl. No.21 of Annexure-UT/1.

## The Compliance to the conditions stipulated by State Govt. vide letter No. 10F (Con) 79/2018-21182/F&E dt.01.10.2018.

Condition No-(1): District profile of Jajpur District shall be furnished.

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the District profile of Jajpur District is enclosed as Annexure-VI.

In view of the above, the compliance to the conditions imposed by the GoI, MoEF & CC, New Delhi as well as the State Government is sent herewith for according final approval for according permission for use of 7.540 ha of forest land within total PL granted area of 242.265 ha in PL Block No. I (Chromite) located in village Kalarangiatta, Ransol, Mahulkhal & Forest Block No.27 under Sukinda Tahasil of Jajpur District (Within jurisdiction of Cuttack Forest Division) Odisha for undertaking exploratory drilling of 122 no. of boreholes of 4" dia (122 nos. of boreholes @ 0.02 ha. each totaling 2.44 ha and 5.100 ha for construction of road) by M/S OMC Ltd. under Section 2 Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.

Copy along with one set of Stage-I compliance forwarded to the Additional Chief Secretary to Government, Forest & Environment Department, Odisha, Bhubaneswar for information and necessary action with reference to F&E Department letter No.10F(Con) 79/2018-21182/F&E dated 01.10.2018.

Encl: Stage-I Compliance in one set

Principal Chief Conservator of Forests Forest Diversion & Nodal Officer, FC Act

Memo No. 18592 /Dt. 22.11-2020
Copy forwarded to the Regional Chief Conservator of forest, Angul Circle for
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Cuttack Division.
Principal Chief Conservator of Forests
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and necessary action with reference to his Memo No.4841 dt.28.04.2020 and 7869 date 18.08.2020.
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Memo No. 18594 Dt. 22-10-2021 Copy forwarded to the Executive Director, (F&E), Odisha Mining Corporation Ltd., OMC
House, Bhubaneswar - 751001 for information and necessary action.

Principal Chief Conservator of Forests Forest Diversion & Nodal Officer, FC Act