

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

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Dated: 12th April, 2021

To,

The Principal Secretary (Forests),
Department of Forest and Environment,
Government of Madhya Pradesh,
Bhopal.

Subject: Proposal for diversion of 382.131 hectares of forest land for Bunder Diamond Mining Project in favour of M/s Essel Mining & Industries Limited, District Chhatarpur, State of Madhya Pradesh (Online proposal No. FP/MP/MIN/45288/2020) - regarding.

Madam/Sir,

I am directed to refer to the Addl. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests Government of Madhya Pradesh letter no. F-1/622/2021/10-11/874 dated 08.03.2021 on the above mentioned subject seeking prior approval of the Central Government under Section-2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and to request that the Integrated Regional Office, Bhopal of this Ministry may kindly inspect the forest land proposed for diversion as well as CA sites and submit a status report to this Ministry, at the earliest.

Yours faithfully,


(Shrawan Kumar Verma)

Dy. Inspector General of Forests

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1. The PCCF & HoFF, Department of Environment and Forest, Government of Madhya Pradesh, Bhopal.
2. The Regional Officer (Central), Integrated Regional Office, MoEF&CC, Bhopal.
3. The Nodal Officer, FCA, Department of Environment and Forest, Government of Madhya Pradesh, Bhopal.
4. User Agency.
5. Monitoring Cell, FC Division, MoEF & CC, New Delhi, for uploading on PARIVESH portal.