F. No. 8-75/2016-FC

Government of India

Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change (Forest Conservation Divisioin)

Indira Paryavaran Bhawan, Aliganj, Jor Bagh Road, New Delhi: 1100 03, Dated: 23rd December, 2016

To

The Addl. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (C),

Ministry of Environment & Forests, Regional Office (Eastern Central Zone), Bunglow No. A-2, Syamali Colony, Ranchi – 834002.

Sub.: Application of M/s. Rungta Mines Limited seeking approval of MoEF & CC under section 2 (iii) of Forest conservation Act, 1980 over 350.50 ha of forest land for Kodalibad Iron & Manganese Mines in Saranda Forest Division of West Singhbhum District in Jharkhand. -reg.,

Sir,

I am directed to refer to the State Government of Jharkhand's letter No. No. VAN BHOOMI-30/2016-5715 dated 21.12.2016 on the above mentioned subject seeking prior approval of the central Government in accordance with section-2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, and to request that the Regional Office (Eastern Central Zone), Ranchi of this Ministry may kindly inspect the forest land proposed for diversion and submit a report to this Ministry, at the earliest.

Yours faithfully,

(Rajagopal Prashant)

Assistant Inspector General of Forests (FC)

Copy to:-

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

2. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Government of Jharkhand, Ranchi.

3. The Nodal Officer, FCA O/o PCCF, Forest Department, Government of Jharkhand, Ranchi.

4. User Agency.

5. Monitoring Cell, FC Division, MoEF, New Delhi.

6. Guard File.

(Rajagopal Prashant)

Assistant Inspector General of Forests (EC)

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