

**GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA**

No. FEE 63 FFM 2016

Karnataka Government Secretariat,  
M.S.Building,  
Bangalore, Dated:02.01.2017.**From:**Additional Chief Secretary to Government,  
Forest, Ecology and Environment Department,  
M.S.Building, Bangalore.**TIME LIMIT****To:**The Secretary to Government of India,  
Ministry of Environment & Forest,  
Government of India, Paryavana Bhavan,  
CGO Complex, Lodi Road,  
New Delhi – 110003.

Sir,

**Sub:** Application for approval under Section of 2(iii) of forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for signing of lease agreement to an extent of 60.00 ha. of forest land for mining in Hombalagatta & Gollarahalli village C.N.Halli Taluk, Tumkur District in favour of Smt. Prema Channappa, Davanagere.

- Ref:**
1. Letter No: A5(1).MNG.CR.18/2016-17 dated: 28.12.2016 Principle Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Bengaluru.
  2. Letter F.No: 8-31/2016-FC dated: 16 & 17-11-2016 of the Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, New Delhi.
  3. Online Proposal No: FP/KA/MIN/22521/2016 dated: 02.11.2016 of Smt. Prema Channappa, Davanagere.

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With reference to the subject above, The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HOFF) Bengaluru has submitted a proposal vide their letter No: A5(1).MNG.CR.18/2016-17 dated: 28.12.2016 seeking approval of Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Government of India for approval under Section of 2(iii) of forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for signing of lease agreement to an extent of 60.00 ha. of forest land for mining in Hombalagatta & Gollarahalli village C.N.Halli Taluk, Tumkur District in favour of Smt. Prema Channappa, Davanagere reg:

In the circumstances, I request you to kindly communicate the approval of Government of India under section 2 (iii) of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for

approval under Section of 2(iii) of forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for signing of lease agreement to an extent of 60.00 hectares of forest land for mining in Hombalagatta & Gollarahalli village C.N.Halli Taluk, Tumkur District in favour of Smt. Prema Channappa, Davanagere subject to the directions of the Hon'ble High Court of Karnataka dt: 14.12.2016 in the order in W.P. No: 45745/2015. Copies of the proposal and letters cited under reference together with the judgment dt: 14.12.2016 are enclosed herewith for reference and further needful action in the matter.

Yours faithfully,

*L. Sharada* 02/1/17  
(L. Sharada)

Under Secretary to Government,  
Forest, Ecology and Environment Department.

Copy to:

1. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HOEF) Aranya Bhavan, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru.
2. Secretary, C & I Dept Vikasa soudha Bengaluru
3. Smt. Prema Channappa, Davanagere.