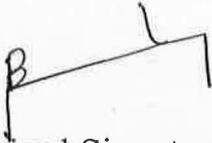




Since, the proposed area to lay the downhill pipe conveyer involves forestland at **Ittanahalli Village**, an online application for the proposed area of diversion was put up to Nodal Officer and the same has been accepted after scrutiny and further instructions were received through email to submit hard copy of the proposal at the Office of Deputy Conservator of Forests, Ballari and the Deputy Commissioner, Ballari. Therefore, we are submitting forest diversion application for the downhill pipe conveyer over 0.604 ha.

The hard copy of the proposal has been submitted to the office of DC and the same is herewith attached for your kind attention. Therefore, we request you to kindly consider the proposal and recommend accordingly.

Yours Faithfully,



Authorized Signatory

For M/S. JSW Steel Ltd.

Attachments:

1. Hard Copy of the proposal accepted online:  
FP/KA/OTHERS/27706/2017



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## Request Letter

To,  
The Deputy Commissioner  
Office of Deputy Commissioner  
Ballari, Karnataka.

Date 07.09.2017

**Subject:** Request for issuance of Certificate (**Form I**) under Scheduled Tribes and other Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006 for the proposed diversion of forestland over an extent of **0.604 ha.** of forestland proposed for **Downhill Pipe Conveyor for Bhadra Iron Ore Mine ML No.2365 & Tunga Iron Ore Mine ML No. 2366 of M/s. JSW Steel Ltd.,** D.M. Block, Sandur South Range, **Ittanahalli Village,** Sandur Taluk, Ballari District, Karnataka.

### Reference:

1. Acceptance of forest diversion proposal submitted online (**FP/KA/OTHERS/27706/2017**).
2. Acknowledgement copy of submission of hard copy of Proposal to Deputy Conservator of Forest, Ballari vide letter no. JSW/MINES/FC/DHPC2365-66/1

Respected Sir,

M/s. JSW Steel Ltd. has been declared as the "Preferred Bidder" for five 'C category Mines' in an E-Auction process conducted in accordance with the Mines (Auction) Rules, 2015. In addition to that, the Successful Bidder letter has been obtained for all five mines after submission of mining plan & second upfront payment of performance security.

The Forest clearance for Tunga Iron Ore Mine ML No. 2366 has been transferred & approved by MoEFCC, Govt. of India (vide letter no. F.No. 8-112/200-FC dated 18.08.2017) and approval of the same for Bhadra Iron Ore ML No. 2365 is in process (FP/KA/MIN/25219/2017)

We have proposed to adopt a very environment friendly and a cost effective mode of transporting the material from the mine head to the JSW Steel Plant at Toranagallu. We have planned to install the Pipe Conveyor leading to our steel plant, which will be facilitated, by a number of Downhill

Pipe Conveyor from the Mine heads of JSW Mining Leases. One of the Downhill Pipe Conveyor has been planned to be laid down from Tunga Iron Ore Mine ML No. 2366 & Bhadra Iron Ore Mine ML No. 2365 to Sy. No 121 in Bannihatti Village.

Since, the proposed area to lay the downhill pipe conveyor involves forestland at **Ittanahalli Village**, an online application for the proposed area of diversion was put up to Nodal Officer and the same has been accepted after scrutiny and further instructions were received through email to submit hard copy of the proposal at the Office of Deputy Conservator of Forests, Ballari and the Deputy Commissioner, Ballari. Therefore, we are submitting forest diversion application for the downhill pipe conveyor over 0.604 ha.

The hard copy of the proposal has been submitted to the DCF vide letter no. **JSW/MINES/FC/DHPC2365-66/1** and the copy of the same is herewith attached for your kind attention requesting for the issuance of Certificate (**Form I**) under the Scheduled Tribes & Other Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights Act), 2006 for diversion of **0.604 ha.** of forestland for downhill pipe conveyor in **Ittanahalli Village**, Donimalai Block, Sandur South Range, Sandur Taluk, Ballari District, Karnataka.

Therefore, we request you to kindly consider the proposal and recommend accordingly to the concerned authority for early initiation of the process required for issuance of the Certificate (**Form I**) under the Scheduled Tribes & Other Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006. The map of the proposed transmission line is attached in three sets.

Yours Faithfully,



Authorized Signatory

For M/S. JSW Steel Ltd.

Attachments:

1. Hard Copy of the proposal accepted online:  
FP/KA/OTHERS/27706/2017
2. Acknowledgement copy of submission of hard copy of Proposal to Deputy Conservator of Forest, Ballari vide letter no. **JSW/MINES/FC/DHPC2365-66/1**