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To

The Director,
Laserda_Pacheri Manganese & Iron Block
Unchabali, PO- Bamebari,
Dist.- Keonjhar, Odisha – 758086

Sub: Diversion of forest land over 94.351 ha including 4.261 ha forest Safety Zone in respect of Laserda_Pacheri Manganese & Iron Block by M/s Thriveni Earthmovers Private Limited of Keonjhar District for diversion under Section 2(ii) of FC Act. 1980.

Ref: Proposal No. FP/OR/MIN/149499/2021, St. Sl. No. OR-094/2021.

Sir,

During scrutiny of your above diversion proposal vis-a-vis documents, the following discrepancies have been noticed which need to be rectified and resubmitted for processing of the diversion proposal.

Undertakings/ Certificates to be furnished

1. Payment towards NPV & Additional NPV, if so determined as per final decision of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.
2. Certificate under FRA-2006 in respect for the forest land.
3. Undertaking as regards the policy decision of the State Govt. in Steel & Mines Department their notification bearing No. 37/2004 dated 15.01.2004 regarding grant of mining lease in schedule areas.
4. Pending Court Matters, if any.

Authenticated Maps and documents to be furnished

1. SOI Topo Sheet (1:50000) showing forest land required for diversion and boundary of adjoining forest land.
2. Original Lease plan.
3. Proposed land use plan in respect of applied forest land (reduced area).
4. DGPS map showing patch wise DGPS coordinates of the forest land under different category involved in the mining lease proposed for diversion and DGPS coordinates of all patches of forest land involved in the ML.
5. Cost benefit analysis of the project.
6. Details of approvals obtained/ sought for under the Act in respect of the project.
7. Check list in the prescribed format along with specific information.
8. Status of settlement of rights under the Forest Right Act, 2006 of forest land proposed for diversion should be submitted.
9. The details land schedule of the proposed area should be appended in the diversion proposal duly authenticated by the concerned Tahasildar & Range Officer & User Agency.
10. Whether the proposed forest land is a part of National Park, Wildlife Sanctuary, Biosphere Reserve, Tiger Reserve, Elephant Corridor etc.

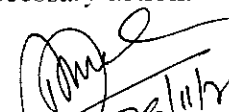
11. Whether any protected archeological / heritage site/ defense establishment or any other important monument is located in the area. If so, the details thereof with NOC from competent authority, if required.
12. It is seen from the Form- A, Part- I in item No. B.2.4 component wise break up that-
Sl. No. 1- mentioned mining along with mines road- 64.368 ha.
Sl. No. 2- waste dump with environmental safe guard like retail- 11.612 ha.
Please mention the forest area required for mining & road separately.
13. In item No 6- it is mentioned that an area of 0.612 ha forest land proposed for office, site service & admin building, camp area. The said item of land use may be diverted to Non-forest land instead of forest, if possible. Also submit the proper justification for locating the proposed construction work in forest land.
14. You have mentioned the project area is not located in schedule area, but it located in schedule area, please rectify the same.
15. The sub-total of the proposed land use is incorrect. the same may be rectify.
16. The area of Safety Zone along the river side is Zero mentioned in the SZ table – 2 as per EC Actguideline 50 mtr along the river side SZ should be maintained & rectify the area of SZ along the river.
17. Original authenticated documents/ maps should be enclosed in the DP.
18. There is no any document as regards ToR/ EC of the said block is enclosed in the DP. The should be deposited.

Yours Faithfully,


26/11/21
Divisional Forest Officer,
Keonjhar Division.

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Copy forwarded to the Range Officer, Barbil Range/ Tahasildar, Barbil Tahasil/ Joint Director of Mines, Joda, Keonjhar for information and necessary action.


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Copy forwarded to the Regional Chief Conservator Forests, Rourkela Circle/ Addl. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Forest Diversion and Nodal Officer, FC Act, O/o the PCCF & HoFF, Odisha, Bhubaneswar for favour of kind information and necessary action.


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