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OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL CHIEF CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS & HOFF
PLOT NO.GD-2/12, ARANYA BHAWAN, CHANDRASEKHARPUR
BHUBANESWAR-751023

Memo No. 22330 /9F(MG)- 377/2022
Dated, Bhubaneswar, the 03 November, 2022

To

The Regional Chief Conservator of Forests
Angul Circle, Angul

Sub: Diversion of 20.383 ha of forest land for continuation of mining operation at Bhubaneswari OCP of M/s Mahanadi Coalfields Limited (MCL)

Ref: Your Memo No.4218 dated 13.10.2022

In reference to your office memo on the subject cited above, it is to inform you that on scrutiny of the above diversion proposal, the following shortcomings have been noticed:-

- i. Safety Zone plan map.
- ii. Compliance of Stage-II approval accorded during 2004.
- iii. Location map with respect to nearby Protected Areas.
- iv. KML/ Shape file of CA land and proposed land for diversion.
- v. DGPS maps of the Project area at three different villages as mentioned in the diversion proposal.
- vi. Phased Reclamation Plan map of the project.
- vii. One time cost norm has not been followed meticulously.
- viii. DSS analysis certificate in respect of identified CA land with due signature of DFO / RCCF.
- ix. In CA scheme cost for fencing to be prepared on the actual perimeters of the identified CA land.
- x. The documents in the diversion proposal has not properly numbered and placed in random manner.
- xi. No additional demand on CA scheme outlay like additional SMC, EPA and MELD is permissible.

In view of the above, the diversion proposal received in triplicate is returned herewith for necessary compliance and resubmission of the same at the earliest for taking necessary action at this end.

Encl: **Diversion proposal in triplicate**


Conservator of Forests (Nodal)

Memo No. 22331 /Dt. 03.11.2022

Copy forwarded to the Divisional Forest Officer, Angul Forest Division for information & necessary action with reference to Memo No.4219 dated 13.10.2022 of RCCF, Angul Circle to his address.


Conservator of Forests (Nodal)

Memo No. 22332 /Dt. 03.11.2022

Copy forwarded to the General Manager, Bhubaneswari Area, At/Po-Dera Colliery, Talcher, Angul-759103 for information & necessary action with reference to Memo No.4220 dated 13.10.2022 of RCCF, Angul Circle to his address.


Conservator of Forests (Nodal)

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