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Letter No-

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To,

General Manager,
Central Coalfields Limited (CCL)
Churi-Benti UG Project,
N.K. Area, Dakra-829210

Sub:- Regarding diversion of 215.33 Ha of Forest land out of 281.17 Ha towards Churi-Benti underground project in Ranchi Forest department (FP/JH/MIN/23021/2016)

Ref:- Diversion of 312.76 Ha of forest land (302.49 Ha for underground mining and 10.26 Ha for surface use) in favour of M/S Central Coalfields Limited (CCL) in Churi PF of Ranchi East Forest Division in Ranchi district of Jharkhand (Stage – II vide letter no F.No. 8-49/2008-FC dated 12th Oct, 2010)

Sir,

This is with reference to the aforementioned letters regarding the Proposal No. FP/JH/MIN/23021/2016 for diversion of 281.17 Ha (including 215.33 Ha of forest land in Ranchi Forest division). It is pertinent to mention that this present proposal is extension of the existing mine which was diverted for 312.76 Ha in the year 2010. However, the compliance of a few Stage I & II conditions imposed for this project is yet to be complied. Especially the condition no 3 of stage I conditions imposed vide MoEF (FC division) letter no F.No 8-49/2008-FC dated 23rd Feb, 2009.

“3. Following activities shall be undertaken by the State Forest Department at the project cost :

- i. Proper mitigative measures to minimize soil erosion and choking of streams shall be prepared and implemented.
- ii. Planting of adequate drought hardy plant species and sowing of seeds to arrest soil erosion.
- iii. Construction of check dams, retention/toe walls to arrest sliding down of the excavated material along the contour. ”

The activities mentioned in this condition have to be under taken by forest department at Project Cost. This is a part of the Compensatory levies and has to be deposited in the CAMPA account.

So, kindly deposit the amount against the demand raised by DFO, Ranchi forest division at the earliest. And also the compliance of other important conditions laid down by MoEF in stage – I and stage – II approvals.

The existing proposal for diversion of the 215.33 Ha. will be considered only after the requisite compliance is done.

Sd/-

Conservator of Forest,
Territorial Circle, Ranchi

Memo :- 33 Dated :- 13/07/25

Copy forwarded to Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forest, Ranchi Region, Ranchi / Divisional Forest Officer, Ranchi Forest Division, Ranchi for information & Necessary action.


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