OFFICE OFTHE DIVISIONAL FOREST OFFICER: CUTTACK FOREST DIVISION AT:- GHATAKULA, NUAPADA, CUTTAK 753010 Tel:- 0671-2340443 FAX:- 0671-2347611 Email:- dfo.cuttackforest division@yahoo.com

Memo No <u>8467</u>/5F(Misc.) Dated. Cuttack the <u>68</u> th Nov, 2017

The Executive Director, M/s OMC Ltd. OMC House, Bhubane3war-751001.

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To

Proposal for diversion of 7.540 ha. of forest land pertaining to PL Block No-I in vihage Kalarangiatta, Ransol, Mahulkhal & Forest Block No.27 under Sukinda Tahasil of Jajpur District for undertaking exploratory drilling of 122 no. of boreholes of 4" dia (122 nos of boreholes @0.02 ha. each & 5100 ha. for construction of road) by M/s Odisha Mining Corporation Ltd. for prospecting of minerals.

Ref :-

Memo No.21948 dt.11.10.2017 of the Addl. PCCF, Forest Diversion & Nodal Officer. FC Act and Memo No.4968 dt.18.10.2017 of the RCCF, Angul Circle: Angul.

With reference to the letter cited above on the captioned subject, this is to inform that the Addl. PCCF, Forest Diversion & Nodal Officer, FC Act while examining your proposal has raised the following objection as detailed below:-

- Compensatory Afforestation scheme has not been submitted in lieu of diversion of 5.1 Ha. of forest land.
- 2. Non-forest land for Communicatory Afforestation has not been identified.
- 3. Enumeration of trees standing over the forest land has not been conducted.
- 4. Undertaking to pay the cost of raising and maintenance of Compensatory Afforestation over the identified land.

In view of the above it is requested to comply the above deficiencies/ objection for further processing of diversion proposal and re-submission.

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Copy forwarded to the Range Officer, Sukinda Range for information and necessary action. He is requested to render necessary co-operation for enumeration of tree growth standing over the 5.1 has therest land in P.L Block No-1.

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