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Office of the Chief Conservator of Forests, Ballari Circle, Bllari. Dated:31-12-2021.

To,

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Forest Conservation) and Nodal Officer(FCA), Aranya Bhavan, Bengaluru.

Sir,

Sub:-Diversion of 12.4724 hectare of Forest land in Ramanamalai (RM) Block Forest (6.6978 ha) and Swamimalai (SM) Block Forest (5.7746 ha), Near Dharmapura Village, Sandur Taluk, Ballari District for establishing Closed Pipe Conveyor System from Ramanadurga Iron Ore Mine (RIOM) ML No.2141) in favour of M/s. Sri. Kumaraswamy Mineral Exports Private Limited Ballari –Reg. [Proposal No.FP/KA/MIN/39394/2019 (FORM-A)]

Ref:-1)Government of India, MoEF & CC(Forest Conservation Division), New Delhi, letter No.4-KRC040/2004-BAN dated: 12-08-2021.

2)Your letter No.KFD:HoFF:A5-1(MNG):30/2019-FC dated: 17-08-2021. Addressed to this office and copy marked to DCF, Ballari.

3)This office letter of even No.dated:02-09-2021. (sought for additional information /documents)

4)Letter No.M1/MNG/SKME/Conveyor belt/2019-20 dated: 07-12-2021 of the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Ballari Division, Ballari. (replies submitted).

In light of the directions issued by your goodself in the letter (2) cited above and having called for the additional information /documents by the Government of India, MoEF & CC, New Delhi, in its letter (1) cited above in respect of diversion of 12.4724 hectare of forest land in Ramanamalai (RM) Block Forest (6.6978 ha) and Swamimalai (SM) Block Forest (5.7746 ha), near Dharmapura village, Sandur Taluk, Ballari District for establishing Closed Pipe Conveyor System from Ramanadurga Iron Ore Mine (RIOM) ML No.2141) in favour of M/s Sri. Kumaraswamy Mineral Exports Private Limited Ballari.

Accordingly, the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Ballari Division, Ballari was directed to submit the information /documents to the observations made therein duly obtaining the same from the user agency vide this office letter cited under reference (3) above. Further, the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Ballari Division, Ballari in his letter (4) has submitted the required

information /documents to the observations as noticed in the letter (1) cited above after obtaining from the user agency for taking further course of action in the matter.

While agreeing with (i) (ii) and (iii) points as raised by Government of India, but the user agency has to give commitment for point (iv) to implement the SMC works in term of detailed project. Hence, I am submitting herewith the information /documents for your kind perusal and further needful action in the matter.

Yours faithfully,

Chief Conservator of Forests, Ballari Circle, Ballari.