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Karnataka Government Secretariat Multistoried Buildings, Bengaluru, Date:- 03-07-2023

From:

The Additional Chief Secretary to Government,

Forest, Ecology and Environment Department, Bengaluru-560001.

To:

The Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change,

Indira Paryavaran Bhawan, Jorbagh Road, Aliganj, New Delhi-110003.

Sir,

Sub: Diversion of 15.981 hectare of forest land in RM Block & other villages for approach road, downhill pipeline conveyor and feed & transfer point area for Rama Iron Ore Mine (ML. No. 2621) in favour of M/s JSW Steel Ltd., Vijayanagar Works Ballari District of Karnataka.

Proposal No.:FP/KA/Others/27780.

Ref: 1. Your Office letter No: 8-14/2018-FC(VOL), Dated: 29-05-2023.

2. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (FC), Bengaluru's letter No:KFD/HOFF/A5-1(MNG)/47/2018-FC, Dated: 28-06-2023.

With reference to the above subject, I am directed to invite your kind attention to letter vide referred at (1) above and forwarding herewith the copy of letter vide referred at (2) above along with enclosures submitted by the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Forest Conservation) and Nodal Officer (FCA), Bengaluru for further necessary action.

Yours faithfully

(M. Manjunatha)

Under Secretary to Government

Forest, Ecology and Environment Department (Forest-C)

Copy to:

- 1. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Aranya Bhavana, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru.
- 2 SGF/Spare Copies.