



Government of Karnataka

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No. FEE 11 FFM 2024 (e)

Karnataka Government Secretariat
Multistoried Buildings,
Bengaluru, Date:- 10-06-2025

From:

The Additional Chief Secretary to Government,
Forest, Ecology and Environment Department,
Bengaluru-560001.

To:

The Deputy Director General of Forest (Central),
Integrated Regional Office,
Kendriya Sadan, 4th Floor, E&F Wings,
17th Main, Koramangala, Bengaluru.

Sir,

Sub: Diversion of 22.2887 hectares (Revised from 23.863Ha.) of forest land in Swamymalai Block, Sandur South Range, Sandur Taluka, Ballari District for pipeline Conveyor belt at Subbarayanahalli Iron Ore Mine ML No. 2629 in favour of M/s Karnataka State Mineral Corporation Limited (erstwhile Mysore Minerals Ltd.) Bengaluru

Proposal No.:FP/KA/MIN/48923/2020

Ref: 1. Your Office letter No: F.No.4-KRC1495/2024-BAN/463, Dated:26-11-2024.
2. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (FC), Bengaluru's letter No: KFD/HOFF/A5-1(MNG)/11/2018-FC, Dated: 21-05-2025.

With reference to the above subject, I am directed to invite your kind attention to the query dated: 26-11-2024 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 (HoFF), Bengaluru. are herewith enclosed.

Hence, It is hereby requested to accord '**In-Principle**' (Stage-I) approval under Section 2 of the VAN (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980.for diversion of 22.2887 hectares (Revised from 23.863Ha.) of forest land in Swamymalai Block, Sandur South Range, Sandur Taluka, Ballari District for pipeline Conveyor belt at Subbarayanahalli Iron Ore Mine ML No. 2629 in favour of M/s Karnataka State Mineral Corporation Limited (erstwhile Mysore Minerals Ltd.) Bengaluru

Yours faithfully

B. Shivakumar

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Under Secretary to Government
Forest, Ecology and Environment Department
(Forest-C and Co-ordination)

Copy to:

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