



GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA

No. FEE 07 FFM 2018

Karnataka Government Secretariat,
M.S.Building,
Bangalore, Dated: 07.03.2018.

From:

Additional Chief Secretary to Government,
Forest, Ecology and Environment Department,
M.S.Building, Bangalore.

To:

The Secretary to Government of India,
Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change,
Government of India, Paryavaran Bhavan,
Aliganj, Jorbagh Road,
New Delhi-110 003.

Sir,

Sub: Preliminary exploration (G-3 stage) of iron ore resource in
131.08 ha. forest land in Blocks 6A/CI 16 MMM 2003 of
Ramanamalai Block, Ballari District by Geological Survey of
India, State Unit Karnataka & Goa, Bengaluru-reg.
Proposal No. FP/KA/MRL/2/2017

With reference to the above subject, I am directed to state that the Principle Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Bengaluru vide their letter no. A5(1)MISC.CR.10/2017-18, dated: 05.01.2018 has submitted a proposal to obtain approval of Government of India under section-2 of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for Preliminary exploration (G-3 stage) of iron ore resource in 131.08 ha. forest land in Blocks 6A/CI 16 MMM 2003 of Ramanamalai Block, Ballari District by Geological Survey of India, State Unit Karnataka & Goa, Bengaluru subject to certain conditions. A copy of the same along with its enclosures, Annexure-A and Form "C" (2sets) is enclosed herewith, which is self explanatory.

In the circumstances, I request you to kindly communicate approval of Government of India under section-2 of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for Preliminary exploration (G-3 stage) of iron ore resource in 131.08 ha. forest land in Blocks 6A/CI 16 MMM 2003 of Ramanamalai Block, Ballari District by Geological Survey of India, State Unit Karnataka & Goa, Bengaluru subject to the conditions appended in Annexure-A.

Yours faithfully,

Narayana 8/3/18.
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Under Secretary to Government,
Forest, Ecology and Environment Department.

Copy to:

1. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests(HoFF), Aranya Bhavan, Bengaluru-560 003.
2. Deputy Director General, Geological Survey of India, Karnataka & Goa, Vasudha Bhavan, Kumaraswamy layout, Bengaluru-560 078.

Part-V

(To be filled in by the Secretary in charge of Forest Department or by any other authorized officer of the State Government not below the rank of an Under Secretary)

Recommendation of the State Government	Recommended for Preliminary exploration (G-3 stage) of iron ore resource in 131.08 ha. forest land in Blocks 6A/CI 16 MMM 2003 of Ramanamalai Block, Ballari District by Geological Survey of India, State Unit Karnataka & Goa, Bengaluru-reg.
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Place: Bengaluru
Date: 21.04.2018

Signature:

Name & Designation:

(S. Narayanappa)
Joint Secretary to Government
Forest, Ecology and Environment Department


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Joint Secretary to Government
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