

## **GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA**

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Karnataka Government Secretariat Multistoried Buildings, Bengaluru, Date: 30/12/2021

From:

The Additional Chief Secretary to Government,

Forest, Ecology and Environment Department, Bengaluru-560001.

To:

The Secretary to Government of India,

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

Sir,

Sub: Proposal for diversion of 75.92 hectare of forest land (near ML No. 2396 of NMDC) in Donimalai (DM) Forest Block, Sandur Taluk, Ballari District, for construction of new Screening Plant-II, Two Tailing dams (I & II) and laying of Water Pipeline in favour of NMDC Limited, Donimalai Township, Sandur Taluk, Ballari District.

**Ref:** 1. Your Office letter No:F.No.8-17-2021-FC, Dated:06/08/2021.

2. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Bengaluru's letter No:KFD/HOFF/A5-1/(MNG)/31/2019-FC, Dated: 23/12/2021.

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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

(S.SRINIVASA)

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.