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No 69 /5F (Forest Diversion) 107/2019

Dated, Cuttack the 03 nd January, 2024.

To

The Authorized Signatory,
Kalarangiatta Chromite Mines,
M/S FACOR Ltd.,
At/Po – Kalarangiatta,
Dist- Jajpur.

Sub:-

Diver of 23.80 of forest land (as per Sabik records as on 25.10.1980) including 2.240ha forest land in safety zone area for Chromite ore mining from their Kalarangiatta Chromite Mines by M/s Ferro Alloys Corporation Ltd. (FACOR) in Cuttack Forest Division coming under jurisdiction of Sukinda Tahasil of Jajpur District, Odisha.

Ref:

1. Your Letter No.106/2023 dt.18.12.2023.
- 2.This office letter no.15 & 19 both dated 02.01.2024.

Sir,

With reference to the letter cited above on the captioned subject, it is to inform you that, you have requested for mining operation in Kalarangiatta Chromite Mines as per Forest Conservation Amendment Act, 2023 called as Van (Samrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhinyam (Amendment-2023) and applicability of Provision available for Section-1(A) (1) (b) thereof. As per Forest Conservation Amendment Act, 2023 Section 4, *After section 1 of the principal Act, the following section shall be inserted, namely:-*

'1A. (1) The following land shall be covered under the provisions of this Act, namely:-

- a) the land that has been declared of notified as a forest in accordance with the provisions of the Indian Forest Act,1927 or under any other law for the time being in force;*

(P.T.O)

- b) *the land that is not covered under clause (a), but has been recorded in Government record as forest, as on or after the 25th October, 1980.*

Provided that the provisions of this clause shall not apply to such land, which has been changed from forest use to use for non-forest purpose on or before the 12th December, 1996 in pursuance of and order, issued by any authority authorized by a State Government or Union territory Administration in that behalf.

Hence, you are requested to provide the land use details along with relevant documents as furnished below.

A. The forest area (Sabik Kissam) 23.80ha of previous lessee i.e., TATA Steel Ltd. as on dt.12.12.1996.

- i. Mining Plan year wise.
- ii. Land use Plan.

Sl No.	Year	Forest Patches as per Sabik record (23.80ha)	Plan area	Achievement	Actual extraction	Remarks

- iii. Satellite Map.
- iv. Land Schedule.

B. The forest area 23.80ha of new lessee i.e., M/s FACOR Ltd. as on 2004.

- i. Mining Plan year wise.
- ii. Land use Plan.

Sl No.	Year	Forest Patches (23.80ha)	Plan area	Achievement	Actual extraction	Remarks

- iii. Satellite Map.
- iv. Land Schedule.

All the relevant documents should be provided for further action at this end.

Yours faithfully,

[Signature]
- 03/1/24
Divisional Forest Officer,
Cuttack Forest Division.