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No.Desk-17/FCA S1/PID 145510/Yavatmal/3096  
Nagpur-440 001, Date: 06/02/2024

To,  
Conservator of Forests (T.),  
Yavatmal

**Sub:** Diversion of 146.996 ha. Forest land integrated Coal Mining Including post mine reclamation in Marki-Mangali II coal block in Yavatmal District of Maharashtra State in favour of M/s Yazdani International Private Limited (Online No.FP/MH/MIN/145510/2021).

**Ref:** Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change, Indira Paryvaran Bhawan, New Delhi, letter No. 8-22/2023-FC, Dt. 02/02/2024.

Please find letter received from Government of India, MoEF&CC Paryvaran Bhawan, New Delhi letter No. 8-22/2023-FC, Dt. 02/02/2024. The Central Government has sought query compliance on 07 points. The Copy of the said letter is enclosed herewith for needful action.

You are therefore requested to submit above shortcomings from the user agency along with required comments in English to this office for consideration of Government of India at the earliest.

**Encl:** As above

(Naresh Zurmure)

Adtl. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests  
& Nodal Officer

*Naresh*  
05/02/24

**Copy for information & necessary action:**

1. The Deputy Conservator of Forests (T), Pandarkawada Forest Division,.
2. General Mahanger Marki-Mangali-II, Yazdani International (P) limited, Wani.

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**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change**  
**(Forest Conservation Division)**

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Indira Paryavaran Bhawan,  
Jor Bag Road, Aliganj,  
New Delhi – 110003

**Dated: 2nd February, 2024**

To,

**The Principal Secretary (Forests),**  
Government of Maharashtra,  
Mumbai.

**Subject: Diversion of 146.996 ha. forest land for Integrated Coal Mining including post mine reclamation in Marki-Mangli II coal block in Yavatmal District of Maharashtra State in favour of M/s Yazdani International Private Limited (Online No. FP/MH/MIN/145510/2021) - reg.**

Madam/Sir,

I am directed to refer to the Government of Maharashtra's letter no. Desk-17/FCA-S1/PID-145510/Yavatmal/2827 dated 01.01.2024 on the above cited subject. In this regard following shortcomings have been observed in the information submitted by the State Govt.:-

- i. The software calculated area of KML file of forest land proposed for diversion is found 144.744 ha instead of 146.996 ha as per the proposal. The KML file of safety zone comprising an area of 2.454 ha forest land has not been submitted. Therefore the State Govt. shall upload the correct KML file including the safety zone and other components.
- ii. The component wise KML files of forest as well as the Non-forest land involved in the project showing the present land use and the landuse upto conceptual stage (post mining) shall be submitted.
- iii. The diversion of a seasonal nallah has been proposed within the mining lease, however the copy of approval /NOC from the concerned State authority has not been submitted.
- iv. The state has mentioned that the proposal may be considered for incentives as applicable. In this regard the state govt is requested to examine the areas proposed for compensatory afforestation and give specific recommendations regarding the eligibility of the area for incentives and the quantum of applicable incentive. State Govt. shall ascertain the requirement of Compensatory Afforestation land in the instant proposal as per the Schedule-II given under Sub-Rule 13 of the Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Rules, 2023.
- v. It has been mentioned that certain areas within the proposed CA land have a canopy density greater than 0.4. In case of such areas a programme for improvement of the forest crop in the proposed shall be submitted as per rules.
- vi. Translated copy of NoC given by the FDCM in the instant proposal has not been provided which shall be submitted.
- vii. The State Govt. has not clarified whether the advice of NTCA in the instant case

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has been taken. or not?

Accordingly, it is requested to furnish the above-mentioned information to this Ministry for further consideration of the proposal.

Yours sincerely,

Signed by

Suneet Bhardwaj

Date: 02-02-2024 15:06:22

Sd/-

(Suneet Bhardwaj)

**Assistant Inspector General of Forests**

**Copy to:**

1. The PCCF (HoFF), Department of Forest, Government of Maharashtra, Nagpur;
2. The Dy. DGF (Central), Regional Office, MoEF&CC, Nagpur;
3. The Nodal Officer (FCA), Department of Forest, Government of Maharashtra, Nagpur;
4. User Agency;
5. Monitoring Cell, FC Division, MoEF & CC, New Delhi for uploading on PARIVESH portal.