

OFFICE OF THEPRINCIPAL CHIEF CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS, ODISHA, BHUBANESWAR

Memo No. 10759 /9F (MG)-89/2015 Dated, Bhubaneswar the 17th May, 2018

To

The Divisional Forest Officer, Kalahandi (South) Forest Division

Sub:- Site specific compensatory afforestation scheme over 329.7743 ha non-forest Government land allotted in village Khamarpadar under TH, Rampur Tahasil in Kalahandi District against Gandhamardan Block-A Iron ore mining lease in Keonjhar District of M/s OMC Ltd.-Submission of revised CA scheme regarding.

Ref:- Your Memo No.4814 dt.08.12.2017 and this office Memo No.3478 dt.20.02.2018.

With reference to the above cited memos on the captioned subject, as desired by the State Government vide Letter No.6354 dt.19.03.2018 (copy enclosed), you are instructed to submit the background of furnishing the revised compensatory afforestation scheme over 329.7743 ha without any communication of any observation from MoEF & CC or State Government regarding the matter. As per result of Decision Support System (DSS) out of 329.7743 ha of compensatory afforestation land, 177.067 ha is covered by moderately dense forest, you have proposed to take up 193.1723 ha as bald hill plantation with target to plant 1600 seedlings per ha and 77.7430 ha ANR with gap to plant 400 seedlings per ha and 58.8590 ha ANR with gap to plant 800 seedlings per ha. This should be justified.

Your reply should reach this office within 15 days.

Encl: As above

Principal Chief Conservator of Forests

Odisha

Memo No. 10760 /Dt. 17-05-18

Copy forwarded to the Regional Chief Conservator of Forests, Rourkela/ Bhawanipatna Circle for information and necessary action to his address.

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Government of Odisha Forest and Environment Department

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From:

Sri Debidutta Biswal, IFS Special Secretary to Government

To

The PCCF, Odisha

Sub: Site specific compensatory afforestation scheme over 329.7743 ha non-forest Govt. land allotted in village Khamarpadar under TH. Rampur Tahasil in Kalahandi district against Gandhamardan Block-A Iron ore mining lease in Keonjhar district of M/s OMC Ltd. – Submission of revised CA scheme regarding.

Ref: Letter No. 3476 dt.20.02.2018 of the PCCF, Odisha.

Sir

In inviting reference to the above referred letter on the subject cited above, I am directed to say that CA scheme for the diversion of 401.7824 ha of forest land pertaining to iron ore mining in Gandhamardan (Block-A) has already been sent to Ministry vide this department letter No.6513 dt.07.04.2016 for consideration. No communication from MoEF&CC has been received on the CA Scheme attached to the DP. Moreover no reference has been made in your instant letter necessitating submission revise CA Scheme.

Therefore you are requested to furnish the background of furnishing the revised CA scheme over 329.7743 ha to this department urgently for further action at this end.

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Yours faithfully,

17/3/18

Special Secretary to Government

Memo No. 6355 /F&E Date 19.03.18

Copy forwarded to the Managing Director, M/s OMC Ltd., OMC House, Bhubaneswar for information and necessary action.

Special Secretary to Government