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Dated:13.06.2025

No.M1/MNG/NMDC/ML No.1111/2018-19(159.01 ha)

✓ To,

Executive Director, M/s. NMDC Limited, Donimalai Township, Sandur Taluk, Ballari

Sir,

Sub: Diversion of 159.01 hectare of forest in Swamymalai Forest Block, Sandur South Range, Sandur Taluk, Ballari District in respect remaining forest area within Mining Lease ML No.1111 in favour of M/s. NMDC Limited, Donimalai-Reg.,

Ref: 1) Letter No.FEE 01 FFM 2020(e) Dt.05.07.2023 of the Government of Karnataka

- 2) Letter No. KFD/HOFF/A5-1(MNG)/57/2019-FC Dt. 27.09.2023 of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Forest Conservation), Bangalore
- 3) Letter No.M1/MNG/Road/ML No.1111/CR/2016-17/430 Dt.30.10.2023 of the Chief Conservator of Forests, Ballari Circle, Ballari.
- 4) This office even number letter dated: 03.11.2023.
- 5) Your letter dated: 11.03.2024.

With reference to the above subject, the Government of Karnataka has sought additional information regarding diversion of 159.01 hectare of forest in Swamymalai Forest Block, Sandur South Range, Sandur Taluk, Ballari District in respect remaining forest area within Mining Lease ML No.1111 in favour of M/s. NMDC Limited, Donimalai vide letter under Ref(1). Accordingly, you have submitted information vide letter under Ref(5).

Upon verification of Part-I of Form-A of this proposal [which is submitted by you through Parivesh portal], the following observations are made.

- 1) As per your request letter dated: 11.03.2024, you have reduced the extent to 101.52 Ha from 159.01 Ha. This reduced extent (i.e.101.52 Ha) needs to be updated in Part-I of Form-A in Parivesh Portal.
- 2) It is observed in Point No. L(i), L(ii) & L(iii) of Part-I of Form-A, you have mentioned as 'Not applicable'. You are directed to indicate the CA land.

Yours faithfully,

Deputy Conservator of Forests, Ballari Division, Ballari