## ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರ GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA

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To,

Conservator of Forests Kanara Circle, Sirsi

**Sub:** Diversion of 0.4928 ha of forest land in Sy No. 215/A/1A of Arav Village in Karwar Taluk, Uttara kannada District (Karwar Forest Division) for establishment of building stone quarry in favour of Sai Ram enterprises, Gaongeri, Majali, Karwar.

Proposal No. FP/KA/QRY/46423/2020

**Ref:** Your office letter No. B2/GFL/CR-4/2021-22/3888 dated 28-02-2024 [reply dated to GOI EDS Query]

With reference to the above subject, your reply is examined in this office and observed that, in response to the GOI EDS Query No.1, you have replied that "Earlier the proposed area is operated for stone quarry for buildings and road works as per temporary quarry permission. The old approach road is existed with 400 meter length and 4 meter width which has been constructed and utilized during the old quarry operation. The same has been included in proposed quarry proposal".

Further, to submit a complete information in this regard to GOK & GOI, the following needs to be clarified.

- 1. Provide the details / documents for temporary quarry permission issued to User Agency to carry out the works related to quarrying and its approach road.
- 2. Period of non-forestry activity for the above-mentioned purpose vide using temporary quarry permission need to specified (*from the date of commencement till halt*).
- 3. Reasons for carrying out the non-forestry activity in the proposed forest land without obtaining FC as per F(C)A, 1980.

In view of the above, you are directed to submit the information / documents / clarifications in regard to the above-mentioned points to this office for further processing of the proposal.

Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Forest Conservation) and Nodal Officer (FCA)

Copy to Deputy Conservator of Forests, Karwar Division for information and necessary action.