OFFICE OF THE DIVISIONAL FOREST OFFICER; ANGUL DIVISION: ANGUL. 05-8-23

Memo No. 45 86 /243/DRP/2023/Dated. 5.8.23

To

The General Manager, Bhubaneswari Area, At/PO- Dera Colliery, Talcher, Angul-759103

Sub: -

Proposal for seeking prior approval of the Central Government under Section 2(ii) of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for non-forestry use of 20.383 Ha. of forest land in favour of the Mahanadi Coalfields limited for continuation of mining operation at Bhubaneswari OCP within Mining Lease area over 658.724 ha. under Angul Forest Division in Angul District.

Ref: -

- 1. Proposal No. FP/OR/MIN/155017/2022.
- 2. File No. 8-18/2002-FC(VoL) dt. 04.07.2023 of GoI, MoEF & CC.
- 3. Memo No. 2829 dt. 21.07.2023 of RCCF, Angul.
- 4. This office letter No.4488 dtd. 31.07.2023.
- 5. Your letter No. 262 dt. 21.07.2023.

With reference to the above cited memo No. on the captioned subject, it is to inform that the Govt. of India, MoEF & CC has raised EDS vide letter under reference (2), for which you were requested to submit the point wise full compliance report vide this office memo No. under reference (4).

In view of the above, you have submitted the point wise compliance report to this office vide your letter No. under reference (5).

On scrutiny of the above compliance report and as discussed in the meeting on 04.08.2023 the shortcomings is noted below.

Ref. Sl No. x Clarification regarding discrepancy in land use pattern as per the revised mining plan and as per the State Government forwarding letter has been submitted.

> Modified, approved mining plan shall be submitted as per the clarification/justification provided.

Ref. Sl No. xii Copy of earlier approved mining plan has been submitted but details of changes made in mining plan are not submitted as required by the EDS SI No. (xii).

Hence, you are requested to submit the revise compliance report along with KML file in 4 sets as per the observation made by the GoI, MoEF & CC for onward transmission to the higher quarters.

information and necessary action.

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Copy forwarded to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Forest Diversion & Nodal Officer FC Act O/O the PCCF Odisha, Bhubaneswar for kind information and necessary action.

Divisional Forest Officer Angul Division.

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Angul Division