Office of the Chief Conservator of Forests, Ballari Circle, Ballari. Dated:23-08-2021.

To,

The Deputy Conservator of Forests, Ballari Division, Ballari.

Sub:-Proposal for diversion of 75.92 ha forest land (near M.L.No.2396 of NMDC) in Donimalai (DM) forest block, Sandur, Taluk Ballari District for construction of new Screening Plant-II, Two Tailing Dams(I & II) and laying of Water pipeline in favour of M/s National Mineral Development Corporation Limited, Donimalai Township, Sandur – reg. FC Online application No.FP/KA/OTHERS/14576/2015.

Ref:-1)Letter No.F.No.8-17/2021-FC dated:06-08-2021 (sought for additional information) of the Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change(Forest Conservation Division), New Delhi.

2)Letter No.A5(1):MNG:CR-15/2015-16 dated:10-08-2021 of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests(Forest Conservation) and Nodal Officer(FCA), Bengaluru, addressed to this office & copy marked to DCF, Ballari & user agency.

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests(Forest Conservation) and Nodal Officer(FCA), Bengaluru, in his aforesaid letter has raised query and to furnish the required information / documents on the **thirteen points** as mentioned therein, in respect of diversion of 75.92 ha forest land (near M.L.No.2396 of NMDC) in Donimalai (DM) forest block, Sandur, Taluk Ballari District for construction of new Screening Plant-II, Two Tailing Dams(I & II) and laying of Water pipeline in favour of M/s National Mineral Development Corporation Limited, Donimalai Township, Sandur for further processing of the proposal for stage-I approval.

Therefore, you are hereby directed to go through the thirteen points as raised therein and furnish the required information / documents in hard copy (4 ink-signed sets to this office) duly obtaining the same from the user agency for onward submission of the same alongwith the specific opinion at the earliest. The FC web portal link has already been transferred to you for taking further necessary action in the matter.

Sd/-Chief Conservator of Forests, Ballari Circle, Ballari.

1) Copy submitted to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests(Forest Conservation) and Nodal Officer(FCA), Bangalore for kind information.

2) Copy to M/s NMDC Ltd., Donimalai, Sandur, Ballari District for information.

Chief Conservator of Forest Ballari Circle, Ballari.