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Office of the  
Principal Chief Conservator of Forests  
(Head of Forest Force)



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E-232115

Date 09-08-2021

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To,

The Chief Conservator of Forests  
Ballari Circle, Ballari

**Sub:** Proposal for diversion of 100+280 ha of forest land in Bedara Bommanahalli village Sy No.5, Hirekandavadi village Sy No.107, Megalahalli village Sy No.21, Hireguntanuru Hobli, Chitradurga Taluk and Marijogihalli village Sy No.18, B. Durga Hobli, Holakere Taluk in Chitradurga District for mining approach roads and other ancillary purpose in existing BBH Iron Ore Mine (expired ML roads and other ancillary purpose in existing BBH Iron Ore Mine (expired ML No.2346 of M/s Mineral Enterprises Limited) in favour of M/s JSW Steel Limited (New ML No.0014), Vidyanagara, Sandur Taluk, Ballari District (Successful Bidder in e-auction)

[Online Proposal No. FP/KA/MIN/44773/2020]


- Ref:** 1. This office letter of even number dated 12-01-2021 [seeking for Stage-I approval]  
2. Government of Karnataka letter No. FEE 49 FFM 2020(e) dated 12-02-2021 [communicated the Government of India letter]  
3. Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change (Forest Conservation Division), New Delhi letter F.No. F.No. 8-83/1993-FC(Pt.) dated 16-07-2021 [Sought additional information]

The above mentioned proposal seeking Stage-I approval has been submitted by this office vide Ref (1) and by Government of Karnataka vide Ref (2) to the Government of India.

In response, Government of India vide Ref (3) has sought certain information as detailed below.

- The status, details and KML files of the Compensatory Afforestation land which was handed over by the old lessee i.e. M/s Mineral Enterprises Limited.
- The State Government is also requested to fill up the performa for verification of deposits in CAMPA by old lessee (Performa enclosed).

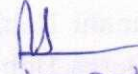
Enclosing herewith a copy of the said letter, you are directed to get the information / documents from the Deputy Conservator of Forests Chitradurga Division and submit the same to this office with your specific opinion on the same.

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

**Copy along with copy of GOI letter communicated to:**

1. The Deputy Conservator of Forests, Chitradurga Division, Chitradurga for information and necessary action.
2. M/s JSW Steel Limited, 6<sup>th</sup> Floor, East Wing, Raheja Towers, M.G. Road, Bengaluru for information.

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Government of India  
Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change  
(Forest Conservation Division)

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Indira Paryavaran Bhawan,  
New Delhi: 1100 03,  
Dated: 16th July, 2021

To,  
The Additional Chief Secretary (Forests),  
Department of Forest, Ecology and Environment,  
Government of Karnataka,  
Bangalore.

**Sub:** Proposal for diversion of 100.282 ha of forest land in Bedara Bommanahalli Village Sy. No.5, Hirekandavadi Village Sy. No.107, Megalahalli Village Sy. No.21, Hireguntanuru Hobli, Chitradurga Taluk and Marijogihalli Village Sy. No. 18, B. Durga Hobli Holalkere Taluk in Chitradurga District for Mining, Approach Roads and other ancillary purpose in existing BBH Iron Ore Mine (expired ML No.2346 of M/s Mineral Enterprises Limited) in favour of M/s JSW Steel Limited (New ML No.0014), Vidyanagara, Sandur Taluk, Ballari District (Successful Bidder in e-auction). (Online proposal No. FP/KA/MIN/44773/2020) .-regarding.

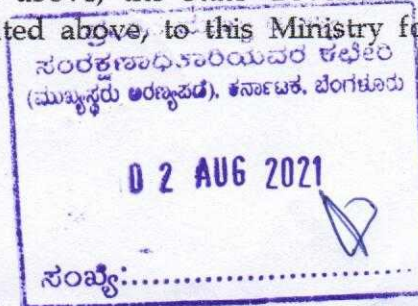
Sir/Madam,

I am directed to refer to the Government of Karnataka's letter No. FEE 11 FFM 2021 (e) dated 29th May, 2021 on the above mentioned subject seeking prior approval of the Central Government in accordance with Section-2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980. Before considering the proposal the State Govt. is requested to kindly provide

- The status, details and KML files of the Compensatory Afforestation land which was handed over by the old lessee i.e. M/s. Mineral Enterprises Limited.
- The State govt. is also requested to fill up the performa for verification of deposits in CAMPA by old lessee (Performa enclosed).

In view of the above, the State Government is requested to submit the information as indicated above, to this Ministry for further consideration of the proposal.

Enclosed: As Above



Yours faithfully,  
Sd/-

(Sandeep Sharma)

Assistant Inspector General of Forests

Copy to:-

- The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Government of Karnataka,

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File No.8-83/1993-FC(Pt.)

- Bangalore.
2. The Nodal Officer, FCA, Forest Department, Government of Karnataka, Bangalore.
  3. The Regional Officer, Integrated Regional Office, Bangalore.
  4. User Agency.
  5. Monitoring Cell, FC Division, MoEF & CC, New Delhi.



# **PROFORMA FOR VERIFICATION OF DEPOSITS IN COMPENSATORY AFFORESTATION FUND**

1.	Name of Regional Office						
2.	State/District/Forest Division to which the proposal relates						
3.	Name of User Agency, nature of proposal						
4.	Nature and category of proposal						
5.	Proposal number						
6.	Extent of forest area involved						
7.	Whether original or extension						
8.	If extension of lease, please clarify if proposal involves additional forest area and if so, specify						
9.	Date of 1 <sup>st</sup> Stage clearance						
10.	Extent of CAMPA charges, head wise viz.:						
	(a) Compensatory Afforestation						
	(b) Additional Compensatory Afforestation						
	(c) Penal Compensatory Afforestation						
	(d) Catchment Area Treatment						
	(e) Wildlife Management Plan						
	(f) Additional charges for diversion of area falling under notified/protected areas						
	(g) Net Present Value						
	(h) Any other charges/levies (Please specify)						
	<b>Total</b>						
11.	Whether payment made through challan or otherwise. In case of online payment, details of challan						
12.	Details of deposits						
S No.	Type of deposit (NPV/CA/ IWMP/ Others (specify))	Whether by RTGS/DD/ NEFT (Specify)	UTR/ DD No.	Amount deposited (Rs.)	Date of deposit	Name of Bank from which amount transferred to account of CAF	Bank Account of CAF managed by CAMPA in which fund deposited

Date:  
Place:

Signature of I/C, Regional Office  
/Nodal Officer of the State