



OFFICE OF THE REGIONAL CHIEF CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS, ROURKELA CIRCLE,
AT/P.O. PANPOSH, ROURKELA-769 004.

Memo No. 2343 /3F(Misc)756/2020

Date: 26.08.2020

To
The Divisional Forest Officer,
Bonai Division.

Sub: Proposal for diversion of 86.479 ha. forest land for construction of overhead conveyor belt from Barsuan Railway Siding to Kurmitar Iron Ore Mines of M/s OMC Ltd. (Proposal No. FP/OR/ Others/44967/2020, State Sl. No. OR-046/2020 dated 19.06.2020)

Ref: Your Memo No.7178 Dtd.17.08.2020.

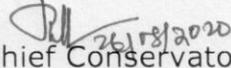
On scrutiny of the above diversion proposal submitted vide your Memo under reference, the following discrepancies are noticed:-

1. The "purpose wise Breakup of the total land" required for the project as given at Page No.22 of DP does not match with the "proposed item wise utilization of forest land" given at page No. 24 of DP.
2. The figures as shown vide Annexure-XXI i.e. the "statement showing details of forest and non-forest area proposed for diversion" do not tally with the figures given under details of RF area and PRF area.
3. The purpose wise utilization of forest area given at page 24/DP should also include No. of pillars to be constructed both in forest & non-forest area along the conveyor corridor to support the conveyor Pipe. It should also include the inspection Path / Road.
4. As a safety hazards, there should be provision for Green Belt on both sides along the length of the conveyor corridor to act as a protective (noise & dust) barrier.
5. Design of the pipe conveyor should be furnished.
6. District Profile should be furnished.
7. The Annexure-XII mentioned at P/15 of the DP is not found to have been enclosed at P/132 of the DP. Similarly Annexure-XIII mentioned at P/15 of the DP is not found to have been enclosed at P/136 of the DP. Thus, all the Annexures mentioned in the DP need to be thoroughly checked and submitted.
8. As stated at page 22/DP, the above proposal also includes 1.993 ha of forest land in respect of Rantha ML of OMC. This area seems to be proposed for diversion towards the conveyor corridor of the instant proposal vide proposal No.FP/OR/MIN/33970/2018 dt.28.01.2018. If it is so, how the same area of 1.993 ha has been again proposed for diversion as fresh area in respect of the instant diversion proposal which may be clarified.
9. Boundary description given vide Annexure-XXXI (Pg.163-169) has not been countersigned by the DFO.
10. All the undertakings furnished by the user Agency should be authenticated by the DFO.

11. As stated in the forwarding letter under Tree enumeration, 7447 nos. of trees above 30 cm girth have been enumerated over the applied forest area of 86.479 ha and all the enumerated trees may be required to be felled due to the above project. The barest minimum no. of trees which will be actually required to be felled should be furnished.

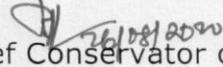
The Diversion Proposal is returned herewith in five sets for resubmission after due compliance with the above observations.

Encl: As above.

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Regional Chief Conservator of Forests,
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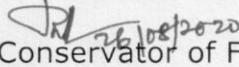
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Copy forwarded to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Forest Diversion & Nodal Officer, FC Act), O/o the Pr.CCF, Odisha for favour of kind information and necessary action with reference to the Memo No. 7179 Dtd.17.08.2020 of DFO, Bonai Division.

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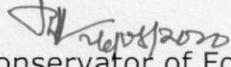
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Copy forwarded to the Addl. General Manager (Geo), Authorized Signatory, OMC Ltd. OMC House, Bhubaneswar-751001 for information and necessary action with reference to the Memo No. 7180 Dtd.17.08.2020 of DFO, Bonai Division.

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Copy forwarded to the Regional Manager, OMC Ltd., At/PO-Koira, Dist-Sundargarh for information and necessary action. with reference to the Memo No. 7181 Dtd.17.08.2020 of DFO, Bonai Division.

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