



**STATE FOREST HEADQUARTERS**  
**OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL CHIEF CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS, ODISHA,**  
**BHUBANESWAR**

Memo No. **17388** /9F (MG)-77/2017  
Dated, Bhubaneswar the **31st** July, 2017

To

The Divisional Forest Officer,  
Dhenkanal Forest Division.

Sub: Proposal for diversion of 160.838 ha of non-forest land recorded as forest as on 25.10.1980 involved in the mining lease over 403.3238 ha of Katamati Iron Ore Mines of M/s Tata Steel Limited in Keonjhar District, Odisha – Furnishing of CA Scheme regarding.

On scrutiny of the KML file of CA land furnished by you through DSS Portal, it was found that out of 160.841 ha of non-forest CA land identified in village Kerajodi under Kankadahad Tahasil of K.Nagar East Range under Dhenkanal Forest Division, 56 ha came under Moderately Dense Forest Category, 90 ha under Open Forest Category and 13 ha as non-forest land. Hence, block plantation @ 1600 seedlings/ha can be taken up on only 103 ha ( 90 ha + 13 ha) of degraded forest land, thereby accommodating 1,64,800 nos of seedlings. But you have proposed to raise block plantation over the entire 160.841 ha, which is not feasible.

The CA land is however accepted. But you are requested to recast the plantation components in the scheme as mentioned below and resubmit the same for processing the proposal further.

- 1) Block (bald hill) plantation for 103.00 ha
- 2) ANR without gap plantation for the rest of the areas.

This is Urgent.

**Encl:- CA Scheme (in 4sets)**

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