

To,
The Deputy Conservator of Forests,
Ballari Division, Ballari.

Sub:-Diversion of 43.58 ha of forest land in Ramanamalai (RM) Block Forest near Ramghad village, Sandur taluk, Ballari district for Dharmapura Iron Ore Mine ML.No.2239 (erstwhile lessee M/s Zeenath Transport Company) in favour of M/s JSW Steel Limited, Sandur taluk, Ballari district(the successful bidder in e-auction).

Proposal No.FP/KA/MIN/44852/2020(FORM-A) – reg.

Ref:-1)Letter No.F.No.8-67/1990-FC(Pt.) dated:23-08-2021(sought additional information) of the Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change(Forest Conservation Division), New Delhi.
2)Letter No. KFD:HoFF:A5-1(MNG):06/2020-FC dated:27-09-2021 of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests(Forest Conservation) and Nodal Officer(FCA), Aranya Bhavan, Bengaluru, addressed to this office and copy marked to DCF, Ballari and user agency.

In light of the directions issued by the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests(Forest Conservation) and Nodal Officer(FCA), Bengaluru, in his letter (2) cited above and followed by the letter of the Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change(Forest Conservation Division), New Delhi, in their letter (1) cited above and has directed to submit additional information/ documents on the **two points** as mentioned therein, in respect of diversion of 43.58 ha of forest land in Ramanamalai (RM) Blcok Forest near Ramghad village, Sandur taluk, Ballari district for Dharmapura Iron Ore Mine ML.No.2239 (erstwhile lessee M/s Zeenath Transport Company) in favour of M/s JSW Steel Limited, Sandur taluk, Ballari district(the successful bidder in e-auction).

Therefore, you are hereby directed to go through the two points as raised therein and furnish the additional information/ documents duly obtaining the same from the user agency with your specific opinion for onward submission of the same to the higher authorities for taking further necessary action in the matter. The online link is transferred to you for further necessary action.

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

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1. Copy submitted to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests(Forest Conservation) and Nodal Officer(FCA), Aranya Bhavan, Bengaluru for kind information.
 2. Copy to M/s JSW Steel Ltd., Toranagallu, Sandur Taluk, Ballari District, for information.

Chief Conservator of Forests,
Ballari Circle, Ballari.