

**GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA**  
**FOREST, ENVIRONMENT & CLIMATE CHANGE DEPARTMENT**

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Memo No. 20372 /FE&CC, Date 26.09.23  
FE-DIV-FLD-0028-2023/10F (Cons)-20/2023

Copy of Government of India, MoEF&CC, New Delhi vide Letter No.8-14/2023-FC dtd.20.09.2023 on the matter of proposal for seeking prior approval of the Central Government under Section 2 (ii) of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 in favour of M/s Raga Tradecon Pvt. Ltd for non-forestry use of 66.242 (including 2.09 ha safety zone) ha of forest land for Mining of Iron Ore within Netrabandha Pahar (West) Iron Ore Block in villages Baldihi and Sanua under Bonai Forest Division of Sundargarh District of Odisha forwarded to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & HoFF, Odisha for kind information and necessary action.

*26/9/2023*

OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government

Memo No. 20373 / FE&CC, Date 26.09.23

Copy with copy of enclosure forwarded to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Wildlife) & Chief Wildlife Warden, Odisha/ Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (FD&NO), FC Act, O/o PCCF & HoFF, Odisha for information and necessary action.

*26/9/2023*

OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government

Memo No. 20374 / FE&CC, Date 26.09.23

Copy with copy of enclosure forwarded to the Regional Chief Conservator of Forest, Rourkela Circle/ Divisional Forest Officer, Bonai Forest Division/ Divisional Forest Officer, Rourkela Forest Division for information and necessary action.

*26/9/2023*

OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government

Memo No. 20375 / FE&CC, Date 26.09.23

Copy with copy of enclosure forwarded to the Steel & Mines Department/ Revenue & DM Department/ Director of Mines, Odisha/ Director, Environment-cum-Special Secretary to Government, FE&CC Department/ Collector, Sundargarh for information and necessary action.

*26/9/2023*

OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government

Memo No. 20376 / FE&CC, Date 26.09.23

Copy with copy of enclosure forwarded to M/s Raga Tradecon Pvt. Ltd, 503, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Greenland Apts, BLDG No.3, JB Nagar, Andheri East, Mumbai-400059, Maharashtra/ Vice President, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Shyam Residency, Flat No.101, Near Jharpada Jail, Bhubaneswar-751006 for information and necessary action.

*26/9/2023*

OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government



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

Indira Paryavaran Bhawan  
Jor Bag Road, Aliganj  
New Delhi - 110003.

Dated: September, 2023

To  
The Addl. Chief Secretary (Forests),  
Government of Odisha,  
Bhubaneswar

**Sub: Proposal for seeking prior approval of the Central Government under Section 2 (ii) of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 in favour of M/s Raga Tradecon Pvt. Ltd. for non-forestry use of 66.242 (including 2.09 ha safety zone) ha of forest land for Mining of iron ore within Netrabandha Pahar (West) Iron Ore Block in villages Baldini and Sanua under Bonal Forest Division of Sundargarh District of Odisha (Online proposal No. FP/OR/MIN/153549/2022).**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to the Government of Odisha's letter no. FE-DIV-FLD-0026-2023-5707/FE&CC dated 28.03.2023 on above subject seeking prior approval of the Central Government under Section 2(iii) of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980. The proposal was considered by the Advisory Committee (AC) in its meeting held on 11.09.2023. The detailed minutes of the AC meeting may be accessed on the website of this Ministry: [www.parivesh.nic.in](http://www.parivesh.nic.in).

The AC, after detailed discussion and deliberation, decided that the recommendation made by the in agenda item no. 11 discussed in the AC meeting held on 17.07.2023 will apply **mutatis-mutandis** to the extant proposal.

Yours faithfully,

Signed by

(Dr. Surabhai Rai)

Dy. Inspector General of Forests,  
Date: 20-09-2023 17:20:04

Copy to:

- PCCF (HoFF), Government of Odisha, Bhubaneswar.
- DDGF (Central), Integrated Regional Office of the MoEF&CC at Bhubaneswar.
- APCCF cum Nodal Officer (FCA), Government of Odisha, Bhubaneswar.
- User Agency
- Monitoring Cell of FC Divisions, MoEF&CC, New Delhi.

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