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No.: Desk-17/Nodal/Nagpur/ID-12825/1418 /2022-23 Nagpur – 440 001, Dated: - 06 09 12022

To,

The Chief Conservator of Forests (T), Nagpur

Sub:- Proposal for diversion of 99.95 ha. protected forest land for Manganese Ore Mining and allied works in Guguldoh Block in Nagpur District of State of Maharashtra (FP/MH/MIN/42236/2016).

Ref:- Your office letter No. Desk-10/Land/C.R.870/718, dated 01/08/2022

The Chief Conservator of Forests (T), Nagpur vide letter dated 01/08/2022 has submitted revised proposal for diversion of 99.95 ha. protected forest land for Manganese Ore Mining and allied works in Guguldoh Block in Nagpur District of State of Maharashtra. Following discrepancies has been observed in the said proposal:-

- 1) Singed Copy of the Area statement should be submitted by the DCF, Nagpur.
- 2) The authenticated and approved Mining Plan not submitted in the proposal.
- 3) As per the recommendations of the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Nagpur Forest Division to be complied as mentioned below:-
 - 1) Technical study by WII and
 - 2) Clearance under section 38 (O) (1), (g) of Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972.
- 4) Exact tree felling should to be shown in online part-II. The same correction to be necessary.
- 5) The PCCF (WL) vide letter note dated 21/12/2022 has given remarks SBWL/NBWL is required to the project. Status of the SBWL/NBWL to be needed.
- 6) Lease extension accorded by Government of Maharashtra vide letter dated 21/03/2022. Please see file page no. 35. previous letters regarding lease extension is to be submitted.
- 7) Government of Maharashtra vide letter dated 07/12/2020 & Government of Maharashtra vide Gazette dated 12/01/2018 has mentioned in para no.9 regarding submission of mining proposals. Justification from CCF (T), Nagpur to be needed for submission of new proposals under FCA, 1980.

The above discrepancies should be complied to this office at the earliest.

(Naresh Zurmure)

Addl. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Nodal Officer

Copy to the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Nagpur Forest Division, Nagpur for information & necessary action.

Copy to the President & CEO, Authorized Signatory, Shanti G.D, Ispat & Power Pvt. Ltd. Raipu for information and necessary action.