# No. J-11015/86/2004-IA.II (M) Government of India Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change Impact Assessment Division

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Dated: 07 February, 2017

TO

M/s TATA Steel Limited

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#### Corrigendum

Sub: Expansion of Joda West Manganese Mines (0.45 LTPA to 1.80 LTPA) of M/s Tata Steel Limited, located in villages Joda, Bichakundi, Kamanjoda, Banspani, and Bhuyan Roida, Tehsil Barbil, District, Keonjhar, Odisha-Corrigendum in Environmental Clearance

Sir,

This is in continuation to Environmental Clearance issued by the Ministry vide letter of even no. dated 13th September, 2005 and further reference to your letter dated 26<sup>th</sup> July,2016 requesting for corrigendum of Environmental Clearance with regard to change the name of Mineral from **Iron ore to Manganese ore**.

2. The MoEF&CC has accorded the EC to M/s Tata Steel Limited on 13<sup>th</sup> September 2005 for Expansion of Joda West Manganese Mines (0.45 LTPA to 1.80 LTPA). The Project Proponent has requested to issue the corrigendum in Environmental Clearance w.r.t. name of Mineral change i.e. inadvertent typographical error on the first page, second paragraph of the EC in which wrongly mentioned as "enhanced production of Iron Ore from 0.45 LTPA to 1.80 LTPA involving a lease area of 1437.71 ha".

3. Your request has been examined in the Ministry. Based on the information furnished, it is noted that it is a typographical error and the undersigned is hereby directed to say that the name of the mineral is **Manganese Ore** and paragraph 2 of EC letter may be read as,

## Existing paragraph 2 of EC letter dated 13<sup>th</sup> September, 2005

The Ministry of Environment and Forests hereby accord environmental clearance to the above mentioned Joda West manganese Mine of M/s The Tata Iron and Steel Co. Ltd. to enhance production of Iron Ore from 0.45 LTPA to 1.80LTPA involving a lease area of 1437.71 ha provisions of under the Assessment environmental **Impact** 1994, and amendments Notification, thereto subject to strict compliance of the terms and conditions mentioned below:

# May be read paragraph 2 of EC letter dated 13<sup>th</sup> September, 2005 as below

The Ministry of Environment and Forests hereby accord environmental clearance to the above mentioned Joda West manganese Mine of M/s The Tata Iron and Steel Co. Ltd. to enhance production of Manganese Ore from 0.45 LTPA to 1.80LTPA involving a lease area of 1437.71 ha under the provisions of the environmental Impact Assessment Notification, 1994, and amendments thereto subject to strict compliance of the terms and conditions mentioned below:

- 4. All other terms and conditions mentioned in this Ministry's letter of even no dated 13.09.2005 shall remain the same.
- 5. This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

Yours faithfully

(Surendra Kumar)
Director (S)

### Copy to:

- 1) **The Secretary**, Ministry of Mines, Government of India, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 2) **The Secretary**, Department of Environment, Government of Odisha, Secretariat, Bhubaneswar.
- 3) **The Secretary**, Department of Mines and Geology, Government of Odisha, Secretariat, Bhubaneswar.
- 4) **The Secretary**, Department of Forests, Government of Odisha, Secretariat, Bhubaneswar.

- 5) **The Chairman**, Central Pollution Control Board, Parivesh Bhawan, CBD-cum-Office Complex, East Arjun Nagar, Delhi-110032.
- 6) The Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Regional Office (EZ), Ministry of Environment and Forests, A-3 Chandra shekharpur, Bhubaneshwar-751023.
- 7) **The Chairman**, Odisha State Pollution Control Board, Parivesh Bhawan, A/118 Nilakantha Nagar, Unit-VIII, Bhubaneshwar-751012.
- 8) **The Controller General**, Indian Bureau of Mines, Indira Bhavan, Civil Lines, Nagpur-440 001.
- 9) **The Member Secretary**, Central Ground Water Authority, A2, W3 Curzon Road Barracks, K.G. Marg, New Delhi-110001.
- 10) The District Collector, District Keonjhar, State of Odisha.
- 11) Guard File.
- 12) MoEF&CC website.

(Surendra Kumar)

Director (S)