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No **2379/8-14/OFC/JIO Reliance**

Dated Dowhill the **28/08/2022**.

To :: Sri Ashis Dasgupta,
ROW LEAD, JIO Digital Fibre Private Limited,
Tower - II, 18th Floor, Godrej Water Side Building,
Sector-V, Salt Lake City, Kolkata - 700091.

Through :: The Chief Conservator of Forests, Hill Circle, West Bengal.

Sub :: In-principal (Stage-I) approval of Central Government under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for re-diversion of 0.224 ha of forest land in favour of Reliance Jio Infocom for laying of OFC Cable to rollout of 4G Broad Band Service along the uphill side (RoW) of the existing Hill Cart Road from Sepoydhura to 8th Mile under Kurseong Forest Division of West Bengal (Proposal No. FP/WB/OTHERS/32965/2018) - **Demand Note** - reg.

Ref :: 1. Integrated Regional Office, MoEF & CC, Kolkata File No. IRO/KOL/WB/OFC/145633/2021/403, dated 20.09.2022.
2. APCCF & Nodal Officer, FCA, 1980, WB's No. 6187/L</2M-44/2021, dated 21.09.2022

With reference to the letter no. quoted above, you are hereby requested to deposit the **amount** as per the instruction received from Nodal Officer, FCA, 1980 vide reference 2 cited above against diversion of 0.224 ha of forest land for laying of OFC Cable (RoW) from Sepoydhura to 8th Mile under Kurseong Forest Division

The payment for **Net Present Value (NPV)** and **Compensatory Afforestation (CA)** should be made online through e-portal www.parivesh.nic.in of Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change.

The Details of amount to be paid by the user agency under **NPV** and **CA** is as follows:

Sl. No.	Particulars	Physical (in Ha)	Financial (in Rs.)
01.	Net Present Value (NPV)	0.224	357457.00
02.	Compensatory Afforestation (CA)	0.448	640862.00
Total :-			998319.00

This is for your kind information and needful action.

Enclosed: Estimates

Dr. Harikrishnan P. J. IFS
Divisional Forest Officer
Kurseong Division

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Copy forwarded for information to :-

1. The Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Nodal Officer, FCA, 1980, West Bengal.
2. The Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, North Bengal.
3. The Chief Conservator of Forests, Hill Circle, West Bengal.

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