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To

The Additional Chief Secretary to Government of Karnataka,
Forest, Ecology & Environment Department,
M.S. Building, Dr. Ambedkar Veedhi,
Bangalore – 560 001.

Subject: Diversion of 0.0824 ha. of forest land in Sy.No. 121, Subramanya village, Subramanya Reserve Forest, Panja Hobli, Sulya Taluk, Dakshina Kannada District for laying of pipeline to provide the drinking water to Sri Subramanya Matha, Subramanya – reg.

Sir,

Please refer to the State Government's letter No.FEE 01 FLL 2019 dated 06/03/2019, 13/03/2019 and 10/07/2019 seeking prior approval of the Central Government in accordance with Section'2' of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 in respect of the above project. The in-principle (Stage-I) approval to the project was accorded by the Central Government vide letter of even number dated 23rd July, 2019. The State Government vide letter No. FEE 01 FLL 2019 dated 16/01/2020 has reported compliance to the conditions stipulated by the Central Government in the in-principle approval.

After careful consideration of the proposal of the State Government, I am directed to convey Central Government's approval (**Stage-II**) under Section'2' of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for diversion of 0.0824 ha. of forest land in Sy.No. 121, Subramanya village, Subramanya Reserve Forest, Panja Hobli, Sulya Taluk, Dakshina Kannada District for laying of pipeline to provide the drinking water to Sri Subramanya Matha, Subramanya, subject to the following conditions:-

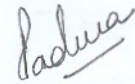
1. The legal status of forest land shall remain unchanged.
2. The boundary of the forest land to be diverted shall be suitably demarcated on ground at the project cost as per the directions of concerned Divisional Forest Officer.
3. The additional amount of the Net Present Value (NPV) of the diverted forest land if any becoming due after revision of the same by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in future, shall be charged by the State Government from User Agency and the same shall be transferred to the designated Adhoc CAMPA Account.
4. The layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without prior approval of Central Government.

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5. No additional or new path will be constructed inside the forest area for transportation of construction materials for execution of the project work.
6. A control valve shall be provided to regulate the flow of water at the point of discharge by the User Agency.
7. The forest area shall be used for the purpose for which it is granted. The total forest area utilized for the project shall not exceed 0.0824 ha.
8. The forest land proposed to be diverted shall under no circumstances be transferred to any other agencies, department or person without prior approval of Government of India.
9. The period of diversion under this approval shall be co-terminus with the period of lease to be granted in favour of the user agency or the project life, whichever is less.
10. Any other condition that the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change may stipulate from time to time in the interest of conservation, protection and development of Forest and Wildlife.

Violation of any of these conditions will amount to violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and action would be taken as per the MoEF&CC Guideline F.No.11-42/2017-FC dated 29/01/2018. The State Government and user agency shall comply the provisions of the all Acts, Rules, Regulations, Guidelines, NGT order & Hon'ble Court Order (s) pertaining to this project, if any, for the time being in force, as applicable to the project.

Yours sincerely,

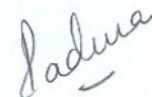


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1. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Forests Department, Govt. of Karnataka, Aranya Bhavan, 18th Cross, Malleswaram, Bangalore – 560 003.
2. The Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests/Nodal Officer (FCA), Office of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Forests Department, Govt. of Karnataka, Aranya Bhavan, 18th Cross, Malleswaram, Bangalore – 560 003.
3. Sri Sri Vidyaprasanna Theertha Swamiji, Shri. Jagadguru Sri Madhwacharya Maha Samsthanam, Shri. Samputa Narasimha Swamy Sri Subrahmanya Matha, Subrahmanya – 574 328.
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