

O/o The Executive Engineer (Ele.)
B'lore Major Works (S) Division,
A.R. Circle Bengaluru -09.

Date: - 19/02/2021

Sir,

Ref:

1. Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Regional Office (Southern Zone), Bengaluru letter F.No.4KRB-1268/2020-BAN/883 dated: 19.11.2020.
2. Government of Karnataka Letter No., FEE 73 FLL 2020 (e) dated: 09.12.2020.
3. Letter No. E-office File No. KFD/HoFF/A5-4(GFL)/87/2019-FC dated: 17/18-12-2020 of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Forest Conservation) and Nodal Officer (FCA).
4. Demand Notice Letter No.: No.A7.Land.Lease KPTCL.CR-76/2019-20/2375 Dated: 29.12.2020.
5. No.A7.Land.Lease KPTCL.CR-76/2019-20/2748 Dated: 04.02.2021.

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With reference to the above subject, I wish to bring your kind notice that the demand notice has been already uploaded and the condition wise compliance as per letter under ref (1) as here as are follows.

A: Conditions which need to be complied prior to handing over of forest land by the State Forest Department.

Sl. No	Conditions	Compliance of KPTCL
1.	The user agency has transferred online, the Net Present Value (NPV) of the forest land being diverted under this proposal, as per the orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India dated 28.03.2008, 24.04.2008 and 09.05.2008 in Writ Petition (Civil) No.202/1995 and the guidelines issued by this Ministry vide its letter No.5-3/2007-FC dated 05.02.2009. The requisite funds has been transferred through online portal into CAMPA account of the State Government as per the Demand Note issued by Deputy Conservator of Forest Urban division Bangalore vide No. A7.Land.LeaseKPTCL.CR-76/2019-20/2375 dated: 29.12.2020.	The Net Present Value as determined by D.C.F, Bangalore Urban is deposited with the Government. NPV amount is Rs. 5,95,952/- has been deposited through e-payment in web portal- www.parivesh.nic.in as per Demand Notice of Deputy Conservator of forests, Bangalore Urban Division, Bangalore vide Challan Application No. 6441479527 and MoEF/Sg File No. F.NO.4-KRB1268/2020-BAN dated: 04.02.2021. Copy of Challan enclosed as Annexure-I .
2.	The cost of raising plantation of ten times the number of trees to be felled shall be realized from the user agency. The location of the area identified for raising the plantation shall be furnished.	An amount of Rs. 36,60,000/- towards cost of raising plantation of ten times the number of trees to be felled has been deposited through e-payment in Web portal- www.parivesh.nic.in as per Demand Notice of Deputy Conservator of forests, Bangalore Urban Division, Bangalore vide Challan Application No. 6441479527 and MoEF/Sg File No. F.NO.4-KRB1268/2020-BAN dated: 04.02.2021. Copy of Challan enclosed as (Annexure-I) .
3.	All the funds received from the user agency under the project shall be transferred/deposited in CAMPA account only through e-portal (https://parivesh.nic.in/). Amount deposited through other mode will not be accepted as compliance of the Stage-I clearance.	Not applicable to user agency.
4.	The compliance report shall be uploaded on e-portal (https://parivesh.nic.in/).	The compliance report is uploaded on e-portal (https://parivesh.nic.in/).

	The complete compliance of the FRA, 2006 shall be ensured by way of prescribed certificate from the concerned District.	Will be obtain from District Collector, Bengaluru Urban.
6.	The boundary of the diverted forest land shall be demarcated on ground at the project cost, by erecting four feet high reinforced cement concrete pillars, each inscribed with its serial number, distance from pillar to pillar and GPS coordinates.	Since the project is heightening of existing electrical EHV power transmission line. The required area for foundations below the ground only will be utilized and is only a small extent of area.
7.	The user agency in consultation with the State Forest Department shall prepare a detailed scheme for creation and maintenance of plantation of dwarf species (preferably medicinal plants) in right of way under the transmission line for execution of the said scheme to the State Forest Department.	The advice from the state forest department will be complied.
8.	Violation of any of these conditions will amount to violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and action would be taken as prescribed in para 1.21 of Chapter 1 of the Handbook of comprehensive guidelines of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 as issues by this Ministry's letter No. 5-2/2017-FC dated: 28.03.2019.	The KPTCL undertakes to abide for this condition.

B: Conditions which need to be strictly complied on field after handing over of forest land to the user agency by the State Forest Department but the compliance in form of undertaking shall be submitted prior to Stage-II approval:

Sl. No.	Particulars	Complied
1.	Legal status of the diverted forest land shall remain unchanged;	The KPTCL undertakes to abide for this condition.
2.	At the time of payment of the Net Present Value (NPV) at the then prevailing rate, the user agency shall furnish an undertaking to pay the additional amount of NPV, if so determined, as per the final decision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.	KPTCL undertakes to pay additional amount of the Net Present Value if it becomes due after revision of the same by the Hon'ble Supreme Court. Undertaking is enclosed at (Annexure-II) .
3.	The period of diversion under this proposal 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.	The period of diversion under this proposal shall be co-terminus with the period of project life.

4.	No labour camp shall be established on the forest land.	The KPTCL undertakes to abide for this condition.
5.	Sufficient firewood, preferably the alternate fuel, shall be provided by the user agency to the labourer after purchasing the same from the State Forest Department or the Forest Development Corporation or any other legal source of alternate fuel.	The KPTCL undertakes to abide for this condition.
6.	The user agency at its cost shall provide bird deflectors, which are to be fixed on upper conductor of transmission line at suitable intervals to avoid bird hits.	The KPTCL undertakes to abide for this condition.
7.	The User Agency shall comply with the guidelines for laying transmission lines through forest areas issued by Ministry vide letter No, 7-25/2012-FC dated 05/05/2014 & 19/11/2014.	The KPTCL undertakes to abide for this condition.
8.	The forest land proposed to be diverted shall under no circumstances be transferred to any other agency, department or person without prior approval of the Central Government;	The diverted forest land will not be transferred to any other agencies, department or person without prior approval of the Central Government;
9.	No damage to the flora and fauna of the adjoining area shall be caused.	The KPTCL undertakes to abide for this condition.
10.	The layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without the prior approval of the Central Government;	The KPTCL undertakes to abide for this condition.
11.	The concerned Divisional Forest Officer, will monitor and take necessary mitigative measures to ensure that there is no adverse impact on the forests in the surrounding area.	Advice of the concerned Divisional Forest Officer will be complied.
12.	The user agency shall ensure that any tree felling shall be done only when it is unavoidable and that too under strict supervision of the State Forest Department.	The KPTCL undertakes to abide for this condition.
13.	The user agency shall submit the annual self-compliance report in respect of the above stated conditions to the State Government and Integrated Regional Office, Bangalore by the end of March every year.	The KPTCL undertakes to abide for this condition.

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The user agency shall comply all the provisions of the all Acts, Rules, Regulations, Guidelines, Hon'ble Court Order (s) and NGT Order (s) pertaining to this project, if any for the time being in force, as applicable to the project.

The KPTCL undertakes to abide for this condition.

Yours faithfully,

Executive Engineer (Ele)
BMWSD, KPTCL,
A.R. Circle, Bangalore-09.

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19/3/21

Copy submitted for kind information to:

1. The Chief Engineer, Electy, Transmission zone, KPTCL, A.R. Circle, Bangalore.
2. The Chief Engineer, BMRCL 3rd Floor, BMTC Complex, K.H Road, Shanthi Nagar, Bangalore.
3. The Superintending Engineer (Ele.), Transmission (Works) Circle, KPTCL, A.R. Circle, Bangalore.
4. The Superintending Engineer, Electy, (PMG), 4th Floor, Kaveri Bhavan, Bangalore.

Copy to: AEE-5/AEE (O)/MF

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED



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O/o The Executive Engineer (Ele.)

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No.EEE/BMWS/AEE-5/JE-5/BMRCL/20-21/5628
ENCL:

Date: 19/02/2021

UNDERTAKING

Project: Diversion of 0.952 hectare of forest land in Uttarahalli Manavarthe (U.M) Kaval Village Sy.No.38, Kenegri-3 Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, Bengaluru Urban District (Bengaluru Urban Division) for Heightening of existing EHV Electrical Power Transmission Lines (two parallel lines) of 66 kV class, in the forest land bearing Sy.No.38 of U.M. Kaval, Kengeri-3 Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk (Proposal No. FP/KA/TRANS/41479/2019).

This is to certify that Karnataka Power Transmission Corporation Limited, Bangalore has paid the net present value of 0.951Ha (9510.12 Sqmtr) of Forest land bearing Sy. No. 38 of U.M.Kaval village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, required for Heightening of existing 66kV B1 & B2 Somanahalli - Subramanyapura overhead lines amounting to Rs. 5,95,952/- and further **undertakes** to pay any additional amount of NPV, if so determined, as per the final decision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.

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19/2/21