Government of Meghalaya

Office of the Divisional Forest Officer

East & North Garo Hills (T) Division, Williamnagar

No.B/19/I/A/1738-39

Dated Williamnagar, the 08th April., 2022

To,

Sh. Ravinder Kumar Dhiman, Sr Manager, Telesonic Networks Ltd Bharti House, six mile, Khanapara, Guwahati email: chibajay1977@gmail.com

Sub: FCA – Diversion of 0.40458 Ha of Forest land for Laying of Underground Fibre Cable at Songsak RF and Rongrenggre RF by Telesonic Networks Ltd – reg.

Ref: GoM Notification No.FOR.26/2021/87 dt 22.03.2022

Sir,

With reference to the FCA Proposal No. FP/ML/OFC/143459/2021 for Diversion of 0.40458 Ha of Forest land for Laying of Underground Fibre Cable at Songsak RF and Rongrenggre RF, it is to enclose herewith the Government of Meghalaya Notification under reference according Stage-I Approval for diversion of Forest Land for Laying of Underground Fibre Cable along the Road inside Songsak RF and Rongrenggre RF subject to the conditions mentioned in the notification.

In this regard, you are requested to submit the compliance for all the conditions mentioned in the Government of Meghalaya Notification under reference and the conditions mentioned in this letter in order to process the final approval of the above-mentioned project.

- 1. The Legal Status of the Forest land shall remain unchanged.
- 2. The user agency shall make deposit of the Net Present Value and Compensatory Afforestation as mentioned in the table below and submit the proof of payment to the office of undersigned.

Component	Amount	Mode of Payment	Remarks
Net Present Value (NPV)	NIL	Through e-portal (https://parivesh.nic.in)	Estimates enclosed herewith
Compensatory Afforestation (CA)	Rs. 9,63,188/-		

- 3. The user agency shall submit an undertaking stating that additional amount of NPV and CA of the diverted forest land, if any becoming due after finalization of the same shall be paid.
- 4. The user agency shall submit an undertaking that no trees will be felled while implementing the project.
- 5. The user agency shall submit a copy of Environmental Clearance obtained under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 or undertaking regarding non-applicability of Environmental Clearance for the project.

- 6. The user agency shall submit an undertaking that no labour camp will be established inside the forest land and sufficient quantity of firewood, preferably an alternate fuel shall be provided by the user agency to the labourers while implementing the project.
- 7. The user agency shall submit an undertaking that no Stone boulder, Earth, Sand or any Minor minerals or Forest produce will be extracted/transported/utilised from the Forest Land.
- 8. The user agency shall submit an undertaking that proper drainage and retaining wall will be made for stabilization of the slope.
- 9. The user agency shall submit an undertaking that the Forest land will not be used for any other purpose other than specified in the proposal and under no circumstances be transferred to any other agency, department or a person.
- 10. The user agency shall not make any additional or new path inside the reserve forest for transportation of men and materials.
- 11. The user agency shall obtain a prior permission from the Divisional Forest Officer before carrying out any repair works.
- 12. The user agency shall submit the compliance report on the above-mentioned points and all the conditions stipulated in the Stage-I approval under reference within 30 days and the same shall be uploaded on e-portal (https://parivesh.nic.in).

This is for your kind information and necessary action.

Encl: As stated above

Yours faithfully

Divisional Forest Officer,
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Copy To:

- 1. The Chief Conservator of Forests (FC Act), Meghalaya, Shillong for kind information
- 2. The Conservator of Forests (WL & T), Garo Hills Circle, Tura for information.

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Copy To:

The Deputy Conservator of Forests (FC Act), Meghalaya, Shillong for kind information and this has reference to your letter noMFG.22/562/17335 dt 28.03.2022

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