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To

The Additional Director General of Forests (Central),  
Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change,  
Eastern Regional Office, A/3, Chandrasekharapur,  
Bhubaneswar-751023

**Sub: Proposal for diversion of 24.424 ha of Forest Land for construction/laying of LILO of both Circuit of Rourkela – Raigarh 400 KV/DC Transmission Line (2<sup>nd</sup> Line) from existing 765/400 KV Pooling Sub-Station at Kenapali, Sundargarh to existing 400 KV D/C Rourkela – Raigarh Transmission Line at village Majhapara by M/s Power Grid Corporation of India Limited. (Proposal No.FP/OR/TRANS/22467/ 2016 and State Sl. No. 099/2016 dt.28.11.2016) – Submission of Stage-I compliance.**

Sir,

In inviting reference to the above mentioned subject, this is to inform that Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Eastern Regional Office, Bhubaneswar have accorded Stage-I approval vide their Letter No. F. No. 5-ORC320/2017-BHU, Dtd. 04.08.2017 for diversion of 24.424 ha of Forest Land for construction/laying of LILO of both Circuit of Rourkela – Raigarh 400 KV/DC Transmission Line (2<sup>nd</sup> Line) from existing 765/400 KV Pooling Sub-Station at Kenapali, sundargarh to existing 400 KV D/C Rourkela – Raigarh Transmission Line at Village Majhapara by M/s Power Grid Corporation of India Limited subject to fulfilment of 23 (Twenty three) nos of conditions stipulated therein. Further, Government in F&E Department have imposed 3 (three) nos of additional conditions. The User Agency has complied all the conditions imposed by Govt. of India, MoEF & CC, ERO, Bhubaneswar as well as State Government. In this regard the point-wise compliance as received from the RCCF, Rourkela Circle vide his memo no. 1185 dated 18.05.2019 are furnished below:-

**Condition No.(i) Legal Status of forest land proposed for diversion shall remain unchanged.**

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the above, the user agency has furnished an undertaking that the legal status of forest land proposed for diversion shall remain unchanged. The undertaking furnished by the user agency is enclosed at **Annexure-1(A)**.

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Condition No.(ii) The State Government shall charge the Net Present Value (NPV) of the Forest area proposed to be diverted under this proposal from the user agency 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 guidelines issued by this ministry vide its letter No. 5-3/2007-FC dated 05.02.2009 in this regard. While conveying the compliance of this condition, mention be made of the Eco-class and density of forest for which NPV has been charged.

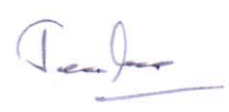
**Compliance:-** In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that the user agency has deposited Rs.1,52,89,424/- (Rupees one crore fifty-two lakhs eighty-nine thousand four hundred twenty-four) only towards the Net Present Value(NPV) (Rs.6,26,000/- per ha X 24.424 ha) involving forest area of 24.424 ha @ Rs.6,26,000/- per ha (Eco-Value Class III & canopy density below 0.4) through online portal in the account of Ad-hoc CAMPA vide UTR No. SBIN617239517740 on 27.08.2017 in ORISSA CAMPA A/C 15082116224672016826, Corporation Bank, FCS Bangalore/CORP0000633. The copy of receipt in support of the aforesaid payment submitted by the DFO, Sundargarh Division is enclosed as **Annexure-2**.

Condition No.(iii) At the time of payment of the Net Present Value (NPV) at the present 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.

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the above, the DFO Sundargarh Division has reported that the user agency has furnished an undertaking to pay the additional amount of Net Present Value, if so determined, as per the final decision of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India for the forest area to be diverted under this proposal which is enclosed as **Annexure-1(B)**.

Condition No.(iv) Compensatory afforestation over 48.848 ha of degraded forest land identified in Palsani Dongar RF of Padampur Range under Bargarh Forest Division against the area of forest land proposed to be diverted shall be raised and maintained by the State Forest Department at the cost of the User Agency.

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that an area to the extent of 48.848 ha (2 X 24.424 ha of diverted forest land) of degraded forest land has been identified in Palsani RF (Palsani Dongar RF) of Padampur Range under Bargarh Forest Division against diversion of 24.424 ha of forest land for raising Compensatory Afforestation. The DFO, Bargarh Forest Division has prepared a CA Scheme to take up ANR with gap plantation @ 400 plants per ha which has been technically approved by the Additional PCCF (FD & NO, FC Act) for Rs. 45,40,200/- (excluding the cost of infrastructure of Rs 10,00,000/- to be provided in kind to the DFO, Bargarh Forest Division) at wage rate of Rs. 200/- per MD.



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The CA Scheme has been revised @ Rs 224.30 per MD which has been technically approved by the Additional PCCF (FD & NO, FC Act) for Rs. 47,82,500/- (excluding the cost of infrastructure of Rs 10,00,000/- to be provided in kind to the DFO, Bargarh Forest Division).

The CA Scheme has been further revised @ **Rs 280/- per MD** which has been technically approved by the Additional PCCF (FD & NO, FC Act) for **Rs. 52,76,400/- (excluding the cost of infrastructure of Rs 10,00,000/- to be provided in kind to the DFO, Bargarh Forest Division)**. A copy of the said CA Scheme alongwith the financial outlay is enclosed as **Annexure 3**. The shape and KML file is enclosed in CD form.

In this connection, it is pertinent to mention that the user agency has deposited **Rs. 52,76,400/-** towards the compensatory afforestation in two phases. In the first phase, the user agency has deposited **Rs 45,40,200/-** (Forty five lakhs forty thousand and two hundred only) @ Rs 200/- per manday (**excluding the cost of infrastructure of Rs 10,00,000/- to be provided in kind to the DFO, Bargarh Forest Division**) through online portal in the account of Ad-hoc CAMPA vide **UTR No. SBIN617249740294 dated 05.09.2017** in ORISSA CAMPA A/C 15082116224672016971 of CORPORATION BANK/ FCS BANGALORE/ CORP0000633. The copy of receipt in support of the aforesaid payment submitted by the DFO, Sundargarh Division is enclosed as **Annexure-3A**.

In the second phase, the user agency has deposited **Rs 17,77,219/-** which includes the differential CA cost of **Rs 7,36,200/-** (Rupees seven lakhs thirty six thousand and two hundred) only [i.e., cost of CA of **Rs 52,76,400/- @ Rs 280/- per MD (excluding the cost of infrastructure of Rs 10,00,000/-)** – cost of CA of **Rs 45,40,200/- @ Rs.200/- per MD (excluding the cost of infrastructure of Rs 10,00,000/-)**] through online portal in the account of Ad-hoc CAMPA vide **Transaction Reference No. CMS1073602076 dated 18.03.2019** in ORISSA CAMPA A/C 150826422467405, Corporation Bank, Lodhi Complex Branch, Block-11, CGO Complex, Phase-I, Lodhi Road, New Delhi/CORP0000371. The copy of receipt in support of the aforesaid payment submitted by the DFO, Sundargarh Division is enclosed as **Annexure-3B**.

***Condition No.(v) The State Govt. has proposed plantation of 19,539 number of trees over 48.84 ha of degraded forest land. However, 24,424 number of trees @ 1000 trees per ha shall be planted against diversion of 24.424 ha of forest land. Hence, the State Govt. shall identify additional degraded forest land for plantation of balance 4885 number trees.***

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that an area of 12.213 ha of additional degraded forest land has been identified in Lamdunguri PRF of Kolabira Range under Jharsuguda Forest Division to take up ANR with gap plantation @ 400 plants per ha to accommodate balance 4885 nos. of plants [ 24,424 plants (24.424 ha X 1000 Plants per ha) – 19,539 plants (48.848 ha X 400 plants per ha)]. The DFO, Jharsuguda Forest

Division has prepared the additional CA Scheme thereof which has been technically approved by the Additional PCCF (FD & NO, FC Act) for **Rs. 11,98,500/-** at wage rate of Rs. 213.50/- per MD.

The additional CA Scheme has been revised @ Rs 224.30 per MD which has been technically approved by the Additional PCCF (FD & NO, FC Act) for **Rs. 12,50,500/-**.

The additional CA Scheme has been further revised @ **Rs 280/- per MD** which has been technically approved by the Additional PCCF (FD & NO, FC Act) for **Rs. 15,67,200/-** (Rupees fifteen lakhs sixty seven thousand and two hundred) only. A copy of the said CA Scheme alongwith the financial outlay is enclosed as **Annexure 4**. The shape and KML file is enclosed in CD form.

In this connection, it is pertinent to mention that the user agency has deposited **Rs. 15,67,200/-** towards the additional compensatory afforestation in two phases.

In the first phase, the user agency has deposited **Rs 11,98,500/-** (Eleven lakhs ninety eight thousand and five hundred only) @ Rs 213.50/- per manday through online portal in the account of Ad-hoc CAMPA vide **UTR No. SBIN718075404352 dated 16.03.2018** in ORISSA CAMPA A/C 150826422467019 of CORPORATION BANK/ FCS BANGALORE/ CORP0000633. The copy of receipt in support of the aforesaid payment submitted by the DFO, Sundargarh Division is enclosed as **Annexure-4A**.

In the second phase, the user agency has deposited **Rs 17,77,219/-** which includes the differential CA cost of **Rs 3,68,700/-** (Rupees three lakhs sixty eight thousand and seven hundred) only [i.e., cost of CA of **Rs 15,67,200/-** @ Rs 280/- per MD – cost of CA of **Rs 11,98,500/-** @ Rs.213.50/- per MD] through online portal in the account of Ad-hoc CAMPA vide **Transaction Reference No. CMS1073602076 dated 18.03.2019** in ORISSA CAMPA A/C **150826422467405**, Corporation Bank, Lodhi Complex Branch, Block-11, CGO Complex, Phase-I, Lodhi Road, New Delhi/CORP0000371. The copy of receipt in support of the aforesaid payment submitted by the DFO, Sundargarh Division is enclosed as **Annexure-3B**.

***Condition No.(vi) The State Govt. shall modify the C.A. scheme accordingly and shall also include other measures like soil and moisture conservation, Check dam, etc.***

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that both the CA Schemes have been modified accordingly with focus on provision of soil moisture conservation measures like LBCD etc.

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**Condition No.(vii)** *The number of trees actually to be felled out of 4,400 number of enumerated trees shall be furnished before Stage-II approval.*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the above, the user agency has furnished a fresh list of trees coming in the forest patches of the corridor of the said transmission line which are to be cut and felled. According to the list, out of 4,400 nos. of trees enumerated in forest land, 1614 nos. are required to be felled and 186 nos. are required to be lopped in forest land. Details of trees to be felled/ lopped in forest land are enclosed at **Annexure-5 series.**

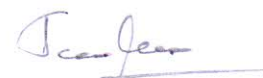
**Condition No.(viii)** *The user agency shall transfer the cost of raising and maintaining the Compensatory afforestation for 10 years at the current wage rate to the State Forest Department.*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that an extent of 48.848 ha of degraded forest land has been identified in Palsani RF (Palsani Dongar RF) of Padampur Range under Bargarh Forest Division for raising Compensatory Afforestation. The DFO, Bargarh Forest Division has prepared a CA Scheme to take up ANR with gap plantation @ 400 plants per ha with provision of 10 years maintenance of plantation which has been technically approved by the Additional PCCF (FD & NO, FC Act) for Rs. 45,40,200/- (excluding the cost of infrastructure of Rs 10,00,000/- to be provided in kind to the DFO, Bargarh Forest Division) at wage rate of Rs. 200/- per MD.

The CA Scheme has been revised @ Rs 224.30 per MD with provision of 10 years maintenance of plantation which has been technically approved by the Additional PCCF (FD & NO, FC Act) for Rs. 47,82,500/- (excluding the cost of infrastructure of Rs 10,00,000/- to be provided in kind to the DFO, Bargarh Forest Division).

The CA Scheme has been further revised @ **Rs 280/- per MD** with provision of 10 years of maintenance of plantation which has been technically approved by the Additional PCCF (FD & NO, FC Act) for **Rs. 52,76,400/- (excluding the cost of infrastructure of Rs 10,00,000/- to be provided in kind to the DFO, Bargarh Forest Division).** A copy of the said CA Scheme alongwith the financial outlay is enclosed as **Annexure 3.**

In this connection, it is pertinent to mention that the user agency has deposited **Rs. 52,76,400/-** towards the compensatory afforestation in two phases. In the first phase, the user agency has deposited **Rs 45,40,200/-** (Forty five lakhs forty thousand and two hundred only) @ Rs 200/- per manday (**excluding the cost of infrastructure of Rs 10,00,000/- to be provided in kind to the DFO, Bargarh Forest Division**) through online portal in the account of Ad-hoc CAMPA vide **UTR No. SBIN617249740294 dated 05.09.2017** in ORISSA CAMPA A/C 15082116224672016971 of CORPORATION BANK/ FCS BANGALORE/ CORP0000633. The copy of receipt in support of the aforesaid payment submitted by the DFO, Sundargarh Division is enclosed as **Annexure-3A.**



In the second phase, the user agency has deposited **Rs 17,77,219/-** which includes the differential CA cost of **Rs 7,36,200/-** (Rupees seven lakhs thirty six thousand and two hundred) only [i.e., cost of CA of **Rs 52,76,400/- @ Rs 280/- per MD (excluding the cost of infrastructure of Rs 10,00,000/-)** – cost of CA of **Rs 45,40,200/- @ Rs.200/- per MD (excluding the cost of infrastructure of Rs 10,00,000/-)**] through online portal in the account of Ad-hoc CAMPA vide **Transaction Reference No. CMS1073602076 dated 18.03.2019** in ORISSA CAMPA A/C 150826422467405, Corporation Bank, Lodhi Complex, New Delhi/CORP0000371. The copy of receipt in support of the aforesaid payment submitted by the DFO, Sundargarh Division is enclosed as **Annexure-3B**.

Further, an extent of 12.213 ha of additional degraded forest land has been identified in Lamdunguri PRF of Kolabira Range under Jharsuguda Forest Division to take up ANR with gap plantation @ 400 plants per ha to accommodate balance 4885 nos. of plants [24,424 Plants (24.424 ha X 400 plants / ha) – 19,539 plants (48.848 ha X 400 plants per ha)]. The DFO, Jharsuguda Forest Division has prepared an additional CA Scheme to take up ANR with gap plantation @ 400 plants per ha over 2.213 ha with provision of 10 years maintenance of plantation which has been technically approved by the Additional PCCF (FD & NO, FC Act) for **Rs. 11,98,500/-** at wage rate of Rs. 213.50/- per MD.

The additional CA Scheme has been revised @ Rs 224.30 per MD which has been technically approved by the Additional PCCF (FD & NO, FC Act) for **Rs. 12,50,500/-**.

The additional CA Scheme has been further revised @ **Rs 280/- per MD** with provision of 10 years maintenance and has been technically approved by the Additional PCCF (FD & NO, FC Act) for **Rs. 15,67,200/-** (Rupees fifteen lakhs sixty seven thousand and two hundred) only. A copy of the said CA Scheme alongwith the financial outlay is enclosed as **Annexure 4**.

In this connection, it is pertinent to mention that the user agency has deposited **Rs. 15,67,200/-** towards the compensatory afforestation in two phases. In the first phase, the user agency has deposited **Rs 11,98,500/-** (Eleven lakhs ninety eight thousand and five hundred only) @ Rs 213.50/- per manday through online portal in the account of Ad-hoc CAMPA vide **UTR No. SBIN718075404352 dated 16.03.2018** in ORISSA CAMPA A/C 150826422467019 of CORPORATION BANK/ FCS BANGALORE/ CORP0000633. The copy of receipt in support of the aforesaid payment submitted by the DFO, Sundargarh Division is enclosed as **Annexure-4A**.

In the second phase, the user agency has deposited **Rs 17,77,219/-** which includes the differential CA cost of **Rs 3,68,700/-** (Rupees three lakhs sixty eight thousand and seven hundred) only [i.e., cost of CA of **Rs 15,67,200/- @ Rs 280/- per MD** – cost of CA of **Rs 11,98,500/- @ Rs.213.50/- per MD**] through online portal in the account of Ad-hoc

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CAMPA vide Transaction Reference No. CMS1073602076 dated 18.03.2019 in ORISSA  
CAMPA A/C 150826422467405, Corporation Bank, Lodhi Complex, New  
Delhi/CORP0000371. The copy of receipt in support of the aforesaid payment submitted by the  
DFO, Sundargarh Division is enclosed as Annexure-3B.

**Condition No.(ix)** All the funds received from the user agency under the project shall be transferred online to the Ad-hoc CAMPA in the Saving bank Account pertaining to the state concerned.

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the above, all the funds deposited under this projects have been transferred on line to the Ad-hoc CAMPA in the saving account using E-Payment Module through web portal of Ministry of Environment & Forests. The details of all the payments furnished by the DFO, Sundargarh Division are as follows:-

Sl. No.	Type of deposit (NPV/CA/ IWMP /Others) (Specify)	Whether by RTGS/ DD/ NEFT (Specify)	UTR/ DD No.	Amount deposited (in Rs.)	Date of deposited	Name of Bank from which amount transferred to account CAF	Bank Account of CAF managed by CAMPA in which fund deposited	Deposited with
1	NPV	Online	SBIN61723951 7740	1,52,89,424/-	27.08.2017	SBI, Sahid Nagar, BBSR	Corporation Bank, FCS Bangaluru	Adhoc-CAMPA
2	CA	Online	SBIN61724974 0294	45,40,200/-	05.09.2017	SBI, Sahid Nagar, BBSR	Corporation Bank, FCS Bangaluru	Adhoc-CAMPA
3	Differential CA	Online	CMS10736020 76	7,36,200/- Part of deposit of Rs.17,77,219/-	18.03.2019	ICICI Bank, Chandra sekharapur BBSR	Corporation Bank, FCS Bangaluru	Adhoc-CAMPA
4	Additional CA	Online	SBIN71807540 4352	11,98,500/-	16.03.2018	SBI, Sahid Nagar, BBSR	Corporation Bank, FCS Bangaluru	Adhoc-CAMPA
5	Differential Additional CA	Online	CMS10736020 76	3,68,700/- Part of deposit of Rs.17,77,219/-	18.03.2019	ICICI Bank, Chandra sekharapur BBSR	Corporation Bank, FCS Bangaluru	Adhoc-CAMPA
6	Dwarf Plantation Scheme	Online	SBIN41725604 3688	54,36,026/-	13.09.2017	SBI, Sahid Nagar, BBSR	Corporation Bank, FCS Bangaluru	Adhoc-CAMPA
7	Differential cost of Dwarf Plantation Scheme	Online	SBIN71830335 2358 30.10.2018	3,59,985/-	30.10.2018	SBI, Sahid Nagar, BBSR	Corporation Bank, Lodhi Road, New Delhi	Adhoc-CAMPA
8	Differential cost of Dwarf Plantation Scheme	Online	CMS10736020 76	6,72,319/- Part of deposit of Rs.17,77,219/-	18.03.2019	ICICI Bank, Chandra sekharapur BBSR	Corporation Bank, Lodhi Road, New Delhi	Adhoc-CAMPA

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The details of funds deposited in Adhoc-CAMPA in the prescribed format duly countersigned by the DFO, Sundargarh division and Addl.PCCF (FD & NO, FC Act) is enclosed as **Annexure-6**.

**Condition No.(x)** *The royalty of trees need not be demanded from the user agency as per Ministry's letter No. 13-20/2015-CAMPA dated 09.06.2016.*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that neither the royalty of trees has been demanded by the DFO, Sundargarh division nor any amount for the same has been deposited by the user agency.

**Condition No.(xi)** *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 and 19.11.2014.*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the above, the User Agency has furnished an undertaking to this effect for carrying out the instruction in this regard, which is enclosed as **Annexure- 1(C)**.

**Condition No.(xii)** *The User agency in consultation with the State Forest Department shall prepare a detailed scheme for Creation and Maintenance of Plantation of local dwarf species (preferably zyziphus species) in Right of Way under the Transmission line, and provide Funds for execution of the said Scheme by State Forest Department.*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the above, a detailed scheme for creation and maintenance of plantation of dwarf species (preferably zyziphus species) in right of way under the transmission line has been prepared and technically approved @ Rs 200/- per manday by the RCCF, Rourkela Circle for **Rs 54,36,026/-** . The financial outlay of the said scheme was revised @ Rs 224.30 per manday and technically approved by the RCCF, Rourkela Circle for **Rs 57,96,011/-**. Further, the financial outlay of the said scheme was revised @ Rs 280/- per manday and technically approved by the RCCF, Rourkela Circle for **Rs 64,68,330/-** . A copy of the said scheme is enclosed as **Annexure-7**.

In this connection, it is pertinent to mention that the user agency has deposited **Rs. 64,68,330/-** towards the *Creation and Maintenance of Plantation of local dwarf species (preferably zyziphus species)* in three phases. In the first phase, the user agency has deposited **Rs 54,36,026** (Fifty four lakhs thirty six thousand and twenty six only) @ Rs 200/- per manday through online portal in the account of Ad-hoc CAMPA vide **UTR No. SBIN417256043688 dated 13.09.2017** in ORISSA CAMPA A/C 15082116224672016669 of CORPORATION BANK/ FCS BANGALORE/ CORP0000633. The copy of receipt in support of the aforesaid payment submitted by the DFO, Sundargarh Division is enclosed as **Annexure-7A**.

In the second phase, the user agency has deposited the differential cost of **Rs 3,59,985/-** (Rupees three lakhs fifty nine thousand nine hundred eighty five) only [i.e., cost of Dwarf Plantation of **Rs 57,96,011/-** @ Rs 224.30/- per MD – cost of Dwarf plantation of **Rs 54,36,026/-** @ Rs.200/- per MD] through online portal in the account of Ad-hoc CAMPA

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vide UTR No. SBIN718303352358 on 30.10.2018 in ORISSA CAMPA A/C 150826422467476, Corporation Bank, Lodhi Complex, New Delhi/CORP0000371. The copy of receipt in support of the aforesaid payment submitted by the DFO, Sundargarh Division is enclosed as **Annexure-7B**.

In the third phase, the user agency has deposited **Rs 17,77,219/-** which includes the differential cost of Dwarf Plantation of **Rs 6,72,319/-** (Rupees six lakhs seventy two thousand and three hundred nineteen) only [i.e., cost of Dwarf Plantation of **Rs 64,68,330/- @ Rs 280/-** per MD – cost of dwarf Plantation of **Rs 57,96,011/- @ Rs.224.30/-** per MD] through online portal in the account of Ad-hoc CAMPA vide **Transaction Reference No. CMS1073602076 dated 18.03.2019** in ORISSA CAMPA A/C 150826422467405, Corporation Bank, Lodhi Complex, New Delhi/CORP0000371. The copy of receipt in support of the aforesaid payment submitted by the DFO, Sundargarh Division is enclosed as **Annexure-3B**.

***Condition No.(xiii)** The Boundary of the Forest land proposed to be diverted shall be demarcated on the ground at the project cost, by erecting four feet high reinforced cement concrete pillars, each inscribed with its serial number, DGPS coordinates, distance from adjoining pillars etc. as Ministry's letter No. 13-20/2015-Campa dated 09.06.2016, the cost of expenditure like boundary walls, stone pillars, demarcation charge, charges for felling of trees and their transportation to depots shall be deposited with DFO concerned and the work should be undertaken departmentally in order to ensure that the task of erection of boundary walls, stone pillars, demarcation charges etc. are undertaken faithfully and in the best interest of the forests before the diversion and handing over of the forest land takes place. The work on these items should be completed within 6 months from the grant of final approval to diversion of forest land*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the above, the RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that user agency has furnished an undertaking to this effect that the boundary of the forest land proposed to be diverted has been demarcated on ground at the project cost by erecting 4ft high reinforced cement concrete pillars each inscribed with its serial number, forward and back bearing and distance from pillar to pillar which is enclosed as **Annexure-1(D)**. The DGPS map along with soft copy in shape file has already been submitted with the Forest Diversion Proposal.

***Condition No.(xiv)** The State Forest Department/UA shall submit the surveyed sketch map with location and natural reference point of 48.848 ha of degraded forest land identified in Palsani Dongar RF of Padampur Range under Bargarh Forest Division as proposed for CA and additional degraded forest land to be identified for raising balance 4885 number trees, giving the DGPS reading giving the latitude and longitude and distance between them.*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the above, the DGPS surveyed sketch map of the CA land over 48.848 ha of degraded forest land identified in Palsani Dongar RF in Padampur Range under Bargarh forest division duly countersigned by the DFO, Bargarh division, user agency and authenticated by the ORSAC is enclosed as **Plate-I**. Similarly, the DGPS surveyed sketch map of the additional CA land over 12.213. Ha of Degraded forest land identified in Lamdungri PRF in Kolabira Range under Jharsuguda Forest Division for plantation of

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additional 4885 nos. trees duly countersigned by the DFO, Jharsuguda division, user agency and authenticated by the ORSAC is enclosed as **Plate-IA**.

**Condition No.(xv)** *No labour camp shall be established on the forest land.*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the above, the user agency has furnished an undertaking that no labour camp shall be established on the forest land which is enclosed at **Annexure-1(E)**.

**Condition No.(xvi)** *The User agency shall provide alternate fuel preferably LPG to the labourers and staff working at site so as to avoid any damage and pressure on the adjacent Forest areas.*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the above, the user agency has furnished an undertaking to provide alternate fuel preferably LPG to the labourers and staff working at site so as to avoid any damage and pressure on the adjacent forest areas which is enclosed at **Annexure-1(F)**.

**Condition No.(xvii)** *No additional or new path will be constructed inside the forest area for any activity related to the project work.*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the above, the user agency has furnished an undertaking that, no additional or new path will be constructed inside the forest area for any activity related to the project work which is enclosed at **Annexure-1(G)**.

**Condition No.(xviii)** *Earth or any material shall neither be brought from nor the debris resulting during construction be disposed of in the adjoining forest area by the user agency.*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the above, the user agency has furnished an undertaking that, earth or any material will neither be brought from nor the debris resulting during construction be disposed of in the adjoining forest area which is enclosed at **Annexure-1(H)**.

**Condition No.(xix)** *The user agency while executing works, shall not fell any tree or damage forest growth in the surrounding forest area in any manner.*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the above, the user agency has furnished an undertaking that while executing works, they shall not fell any tree or damage forest growth in the surrounding forest area in any manner which is enclosed at **Annexure-1(I)**.

**Condition No.(xx)** *The forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than specified in the proposal and under no circumstances be transferred to any other user agency, department or person without prior approval of the Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change.*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the above, the user agency has furnished an undertaking that the forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the proposal and under no circumstances be transferred to any other user agency, department or person without prior approval of the Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change which is enclosed at **Annexure-1(J)**.

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Condition No.(xxi) *The state Govt shall complete settlement of Rights, in term of the Scheduled Tribes and Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006 If any, on the forest land to be diverted and submit the documentary evidence as prescribed by this Ministry in its Letter No- 11-9/1998-FC (pt) dated 03.08.2009 read with Letter No. 11-9/1998-FC (pt) dated 05.02.2013 in support thereof.*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the above, the Collector, Sundargarh has issued required certificate in the prescribed format under the Scheduled Tribes and Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006 for 24.426 ha of forest land involved in this project under Sundargarh Forest Division vide his order No.1/3217/2017 dated 04.03.2017 which is enclosed alongwith its enclosures at **Annexure-8 series.**

Condition No.(xxii) *Any other conditions that Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change may stipulate, from time to time, in the interest of conservation, protection and development of forests and wildlife shall be complied by the User agency.*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the above, the user agency has furnished an undertaking that any other conditions that the Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change may stipulate, from time to time, in the interest of conservation, protection and development of forests and wildlife shall be complied which is enclosed at **Annexure-1(K).**

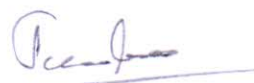
Condition No.(xxiii) *The user agency and the State Government shall ensure the compliances to provisions of the all Acts, Rules, Regulations and Guidelines, for the time being in force, as applicable to the project.*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the above, the user agency has furnished an undertaking that, they will comply the provisions of all Acts, Rules, Regulations and Guidelines for the time being in force, as applicable to the project which is enclosed at **Annexure-1(L).**

**Additional Conditions imposed by the State Govt. in F&E Department vide their Letter No.17193/F&E dated 18.08.2017.**

Condition No. (I):- *User Agency shall take all measures for strengthening/maintaining the Transmission Tower and Transmission line to be Erected/Laid on Forest/Non-Forest land as per CEA norms for elephant corridor and shall comply with such other conditions as may be specified by CWLW, Odisha, so as to ensure that no death of wild animals occur due to electrocution.*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the above, the user agency has furnished an undertaking to take all measure for strengthening / maintaining the transmission Tower and Transmission Line to be erected /laid on Forest/Non-Forest land as per CEA norms for elephant corridor and shall comply with such other condition as may be specified by CWLW, Odisha, so as to ensure ensure that no death of wild animals occur due to electrocution which is enclosed at **Annexure-1(M).**



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Condition No. (2):- Longitude and Latitude of the terminating point of the transmission line project shall be furnished.

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the above, the user agency has furnished necessary document showing latitude and longitude of the terminating point of the transmission line which is enclosed at **Annexure-9 series.**

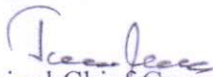
Condition No. (3):- Exact no. of trees to be felled in the alignment in both forest and non-forest stretches of the alignment shall be indicated by the user agency.

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the above, the User Agency has reported that out of 4400 nos. of trees enumerated in forest land, 1614 nos. are required to be felled and 186 nos. are required to be lopped. Further, out of 4718 no. of trees enumerated in non-forest land (523 nos. in Govt. non-forest land + 4195 nos. in Private non-forest land), all the 4718 nos. of trees are required to be felled. The list of trees for felling and pollarding in forest land along with list of trees for felling in non-forest Govt Land and Private land submitted by the user agency are enclosed at **Annexure-5 series.**

In view of the above, the compliance to the conditions imposed by the GoI, MoEF & CC, Eastern Regional Office, Bhubaneswar as well as the State Government are sent herewith for diversion of 24.424 ha of Forest Land for construction/laying of LILO of both Circuits of Rourkela – Raigarh 400 KV/DC Transmission Line (2<sup>nd</sup> Line) from existing 765/400 KV Pooling Sub-Station at Kenapali, Sundargarh to existing 400 KV D/C Rourkela – Raigarh Transmission Line at Village Majhapara by M/s Power Grid Corporation of India Limited under Section 2 of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.

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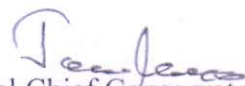
Yours faithfully,

  
Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests  
Forest Diversion & Nodal Officer, FC Act  
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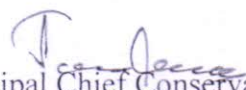
Copy alongwith one set of Stage-I compliance forwarded to the Additional Chief Secretary to Government, Forest & Environment Department, Odisha, Bhubaneswar for information and necessary action with reference to F&E Department letter No.10F(Con)163/2017-17193/F&E dated 18.08.2017.

**Encl: Stage-I Compliance in one set**

  
Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests  
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Copy forwarded to the RCCF, Rourkela Circle for information and necessary action with reference to his memo no. 1185 dated 18.05.2019.

  
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Copy forwarded to the Divisional Forest Officer, Forest Division, Sundargarh Forest Division for information and necessary action with reference to memo no.1186 dated 18.05.2019 of RCCF, Rourkela Circle to his address.

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Copy forwarded to the Chief Manager, Power Grid Corporation of India Limited, 765 KV/400KV Pooling Station, At-Kenapali, Po-Kurga, Dist-Sundargarh, Pin-770002, Odisha for information and necessary action.

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