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Date 8th March, 2022

To,

The Special Chief Secretary to the Government,
Environment, Forests, Science & Technology Department,
Telangana State Secretariat, Hyderabad.

Subject: Diversion of 1.1509 Ha of Forest land in Gollaguda RF of Nalgonda Division for Construction of Permanent Helipad adjoining potti Sriramulu Telugu Vishwa Vidyalayam University and District Collectorate office in Nalgonda District in favour of Engineer-1n-Chief (R&B) NH, Building & CRF, Errumanzil, Hyderabad- Reg.

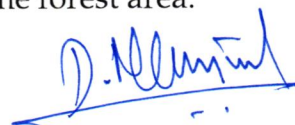
Sir,

Please refer to the State Government's letter Nos. 507/For.I(1)/2022 dated 12.02.2022 & 507/For.I(1)/2022 dated 26.02.2022 and online proposal No. FP/TG/Others/151863/2022 seeking prior approval of the Central Government for diversion of forest land in accordance with Section '2' of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for the above mentioned project.

After careful consideration of the proposal of the State Government, I am directed to convey the Central Government's in principle approval (**Stage-I**) under Section '2' of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for diversion of 1.1509 Ha of Forest land in Gollaguda RF of Nalgonda Division for Construction of Permanent Helipad adjoining potti Sriramulu Telugu Vishwa Vidyalayam university and District Collectorate office in Nalgonda District in favour of Engineer-1n-Chief (R&B) NH, Building & CRF, Errumanzil, Hyderabad, subject to the following conditions:-

- (i) Legal status of the diverted forest land shall remain as Forest.
- (ii) The State Government reported that the proposed forest area is a CA land received under the other diverted forest proposal. However, the State Government has not reported whether the said area has been declared as RF/ PF. Hence, the State Government shall furnish the status of its notification to the IRO along with the compliance report.
- (iii) Demarcation of the forest area proposed for diversion shall be carried out by erecting 4 feet high cement concrete pillars duly numbered at an interval of 20 meters at the cost of the User Agency;

- (iv) The State Forest Department shall carryout proposed works like protection, SMC works etc. in the non forest area identified over an extent of **1.21 ha** in Sy.No.237, Chityala village, Adavidevulapally mandal of Nalgonda District, at the cost of the User Agency.
- (v) The State Forest Department shall carryout Compensatory Afforestation and its maintenance over identified degraded forest area over an extent of **1.1509 ha** in Compt No 50, Dilawarpur RF, Miryalaguda Range at the cost of the User Agency.
- (vi) Identified CA areas (NFL, DFL) and CA scheme shall not be changed without prior approval of the Central Government.
- (vii) The entire non-forest land identified in Sy.No.237, Chityala village, Adavidevulapally mandal of Nalgonda District for CA purpose shall be transferred and mutated in the name of Forest Department and same shall be notified as RF/PF prior to Stage-II approval. A copy of the original notification declaring the non-forest land under Section 4 or Section 29 of the Indian Forest Act, 1927, or under the relevant section of the State Forest Act, shall be submitted along with the compliance report.
- (viii) The State Government shall charge the Net Present Value of the diverted forest land measuring **1.1509 ha (as per the correct density and eco class)** from the User Agency as per the orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court dated 28.03.2008 and 09.05.2008 in IA Nos.826 in 566 with related IA's in Writ Petition (Civil) No.202/1995 and Ministry's guideline No. 5-3/2011-FC(Vol-I) dated 06.01.2022 and clarification issued vide letter dated 19.01.2022.
- (ix) 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 the User Agency. The User Agency shall furnish an undertaking to this effect.
- (x) All the funds received from the User Agency under the project shall be transferred/ deposited to CAMPA fund only through e-portal (<https://parivesh.nic.in/>).
- (xi) The dug out material / overburden shall be dumped outside the forest area. Storage of any material shall not be done in the forest area.
- (xii) No labour camp shall be established inside the forest area.



- (xiii) The trees shall be felled under strict supervision of DFO concerned.
- (xiv) Disturbance shall be kept minimum to the nearby forest area and it shall be the responsibility of the User Agency to ensure that the labourers & staff engaged in execution of work do not destruct nearby forest flora & fauna.
- (xv) The total forest area utilized for the project shall not exceed **1.1509 ha** and the forest area diverted shall not be used for any purpose other than those shown in the diversion proposal. The User Agency shall furnish an undertaking to this effect.
- (xvi) The forest land proposed for diversion shall under no circumstances be transferred or sublet to any other agency, department or person without prior approval of the Central Government.
- (xvii) The User Agency and the State Government shall ensure compliance to provisions of the all Acts, Rules, Regulations and Guidelines, for the time being in force, as applicable to the project.
- (xviii) Any other conditions that the Central Government or Regional Officer (Central) of Integrated Regional Office, Hyderabad may impose from time to time in the interest of afforestation, conservation and management of flora and fauna in the area, shall be complied by the User Agency;
- (xix) Violation of any of these conditions will amount to violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and action would be taken as per the prevailing Act/Rules/ MoEF&CC Guideline.
- (xx) The compliance report shall be uploaded on eportal (<https://parivesh.nic.in/>).

After receipt of the compliance report on above mentioned conditions, the proposal will be considered for final approval. This in-principle approval shall be valid for a period of 5 years from the date of issue of this letter. In the event of non-compliance of the above conditions, this in-principle approval shall automatically stand revoked after 5 years.

Yours faithfully,


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Deputy Inspector General of Forests (Central)

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