

## GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM

## OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL CHIEF CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS (WILDLIFE) AND CHIEF WILDLIFE WARDEN, ASSAM::PANJABARI::GUWAHATI-37

Email Id: pccf.wl.assam@gmail.com

No. WL/FG.35/Proposal/Vedanta Ltd./Well Pad No.29/Golaghat Divn.

Date: 30/11/2023

To,

The Sr. Manager-Environment,

M/s Vedanta Limited (Diversion Cairn Oil & Gas),

DLF Phase-2, DLF City, Gurgaon, Haryana-122002

Email Id: dilipkumar.bera@cairnindia.com

Sub: Deposition of 2% Project cost for Human Elephant Conflict Mitigation & Wildlife Conservation purpose against diversion proposal of 4.125 ha forest land for Oil and Gas exploration development and production of well Pad No. 29 in Nambor South Reserved Forest under Golaghat Division in favour of M/s Vedanta Limited and regarding.

Ref: 1. MoEF & CC, Govt of India's letter F.No.3 AS B 106/2022-GHY/4121-22, dated 07.07.2023.(copy enclosed)

2. CCF & Nodal Officer (FC Act) letter No.FG.27/FCA/Proposal/Vedanta Ltd./Well Pad No. 29/Golaghat Divn., dated 19.07.2023 & 04.10.2023.(copy enclosed)

Sir,

Pursuant to the MoEF & CC, Govt of India's letter F.No.3 AS B 106/2022-GHY/4121-22, dated 07.07.2023 (ref. Sl. No.1) granting "In Principle Approval/Stage-I" for diversion proposal of 4.125 ha forest land for Oil and Gas exploration development and production of well Pad No. 29 in Nambor South Reserved Forest under Golaghat Division in favour of M/s Vedanta Limited and with reference to letters quoted under reference Sl. No. 2, it is requested to deposit 2% of the estimated project cost to the account of CAMPA.

(a) Area of forest land proposed for diversion = 4.125 Ha. (b) Estimated cost of the project = Rs. 62,6900,000 = Rs. 1,25,38,000

The Bank Account details are furnished below:

Bank Name: Union Bank of India, Lodhi Complex Branch, New Delhi-110003.

Account No.: 520101263743434 IFS code: UBIN0903710

The above mentioned amount of Rs. 1,25,38,000 /- (Rupees one crore twenty five lakh thirty eight thousand only) may be deposited to the account of CAMPA of the IPA accorded by the ministry for the proposal.

This is for favor of your kind information and early necessary action.

Enclo: As stated above.

Yours faithfully,

(Sandeep Kumar, IFS)
Principal Chief Conservator of Forests,
Wildlife & Chief Wildlife Warden, Assam

## Copy to:

1. Chief Conservator of Forest & Nodal Officer (FC Act) O/o the PCCF & HoFF, Assam, Panjabari, Guwahati-37 for information and necessary action.

2. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forests Force, Assam, Panjabari,

Guwahti-37 for favour of his kind information.

3. Accountant, O/o the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Wildlife & Chief Wildlife Warden, Assam, Panjabari, Guwahati-37 for his information.

> Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Wildlife & Chief Wildlife Warden, Assam

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Letter No. B/62/Vedanta/WP#29/Glt. Divn/2023/48/4

Dated, 07/11/2023.

To,

The Sr. Manager-Environment, M/s Vedanta Limited. (Division Cairn oil &Gas), DLF Phase-2, DLF City, Gurgaon, Haryana-122002.

Sub: Compliance of the conditions laid down in the "In-Principle Approval" for forest diversion proposal of 4.125 Ha. forest land for Oil and Gas exploration development and production of well Pad No. 29 in Nambar South Reserved Forest under Golaghat Division in favour of M/s Vedanta Limited.

Ref: 1.CCF & Nodal Officer, FC. Act. Assam, O/o the PCCF & HoFF, Assam vide letter No.FG.27/FCA/Proposal/Vedanta Ltd /Well Pad No.28/Golaghat Divn. dtd. 29.09.2023. 2.O/o the Conservator of Forests, Eastern Assam Circle vide letter No. FG.24/Diversion Proposal/Vedanta Ltd./Genl/EAC dtd. 04/11/2023.

Sir,

With reference to the subject cited above, I would like to inform you that the Govt. of India, MoEF & CC, Integrated Regional Office, Guwahati- 22 has conveyed the "In Principal Approval" for forest diversion proposal for 4.125 ha. of forest land for Oil & Gas exploration, development and production of Well Pad No. 29 of M/s Vedanta Limited in Nambar South Reserved Forest under Golaghat Division.

In this regard, I would like to request you to transfer/deposit to Compensatory Afforestation fund of Assam State managed by the Ad-hoc CAMPA only through e-portal (https://parivesh.nic.in/). Amount deposited through other mode will not be accepted.

You are also requested to communicate the same along with a list of documents, certificates and undertakings in compliance with the conditions stipulated in the "In Principle Approval" for Final

Approval (Stage -II clearance).

i.	Net present Value @ Rs. 11,16,900/- lakhs per Ha. For 4.125 ha.	11441100 404440p	Rs.	46,07,212.00
ii	Compensatory Afforestation	=	Rs.	70,08,360,00
iii	50% Over Head Cost	=	Rs.	35,04,180.00
	Total		Rs.	1,51,19,752.00

(Rupees One crore, fifty-one lakhs, nineteen thousand, seven hundred and fifty-two) only

Yours Faithfully

Divisional Forest Officer Golaghat Division

Golaghat "

Dated. 07/11/2023.

Memo No. A/62/Vedanta/WP#29/Glt. Divn/2023/ 1035-36 Copy to:

- The Chief Conservator of Forests & Nodal Officer (F.C. Act), O/o the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & head of Forest Force, Assam, Aranya Bhawan, Panjabari, Ghy-37 for favour of his kind information.
- 2. The Conservator of Forest, Eastern Assam Circle, Jorhat for favour of his kind information.

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