


INSPECTION REPORT OF CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS, SHIMOGA
CIRCLE

I have inspected the project site i.e., for the diversion of 3.4906 Ha of Kanagalkoppa MF for re-diversion and change in land for 220 KV Transmission line work of Upper Bhadra Project, Package-I diverted forest land of Upper Tunga Project of Kanagalkoppa village Sy no. 20, 59, 60, 58, 69, 55, 56 of Kanagalkoppa Minor forest and Upper Tunga Project diverted area of Mandagadde Range along with User Agency and Deputy Conservator of forest, Shimoga division and Range forest officer, Mandagadde Range, on :02.12.2020

The project is found to be essential for water supply to the Central part of Karnataka, since the project will facilitate drip irrigation and drinking water for nearly 4 districts of the state. Hence the proposal submitted by the user agency may be approved.

Date: 04.12.2020


Conservator of Forests,
Shimoga Circle, Shimoga.



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No. B4/ Land /FC/GL-14451/2019-20 (227)

(Attachments 8 books)

Dated : 30-11-2020

To

The Conservator of Forests,
Shimoga Circle,
Shimoga.



Sir.

- Sub:- Submission of hardcopy for the proposal of Rediversion and change in land use of 7.53 Ha forest land for 220KV transmission line work of Upper Bhadra Project, Package-1 from the diverted forest land of Upper Tunga Project
- Ref: 1. Your office Letter No: A11/FC/220KV/Kanagalakoppa/GL-83/2020-21 dated: 22-05-220
2. Executive Engineer, VJNL, UBP Division-02, B.R.Project office letter No: VKNL/UBP,Division-02/BRP/PB-2/2019-20 dated: 09-01-2020
3. This office letter dated: 28/05/2020

With reference to the above subject, as per the proposal received vide ref (2) from the Executive Engineer, VJNL, UBP Division-02, B.R.Project regarding "Rediversion and change in land use of 7.53 Ha forest land for 220KV transmission line work of Upper Bhadra Project, Package-1 from the diverted forest land of Upper Tunga Project", the proposed rediversion site has been inspected along with the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Thirthalli Subdivision, Thirthalli and Concerned Range Forest officer on dated: 14-09-2020. Earlier, Sy No: 20,59,60,58 and 69 of Kanagalakoppa village were considered as Non Forest land in the proposal. During Site inspection, it has been instructed the User Agency to consider the proposed extent in said Sy No's as Forest land as per the Stage-II clearance of Primary project. Now, the User Agency has submitted the modified proposal to the extent of 3.4906 Ha in Kanagalakoppa village.

The User Agency has requested to redivert an extent of 3.4906 Ha of forest land from Upper Tunga Project to Upper Bhadra Project for construction of 220 Kv Transmission line corridor in the Sy No: 20, 59, 60, 58, 69, 55 and 56 of Kanagalakoppa Village of Thirthahalli taluk, Shivamogga District. Earlier an extent of 449.55 Ha of Forest land was diverted to Upper Tunga Project for construction of Upper Tunga Reservoir. User Agency has taken a consent letter from the Primary User agency (Executive Engineer, KNNL, Upper Tunga Project Division, Shivamogga) for taking up the proposed project in the diverted forest land. During site inspection, it is observed that the proposed project is compatible with the primary project.

The proposal is essential for drinking water scheme and Drip irrigation in the central part of the state, Hence the proposal may be considered for approval. The Site inspection report and recommendation letter have been hereby submitted for kind perusal and necessary action.

Yours faithfully



Deputy Conservator of Forests
Shimoga Division, Shimoga.



Forest Department

Office of the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga Circle, Shimoga

No:A11/FC/220 KV/Kanagalkoppa/GL-83/2020-21

Dated:04.12.2020

Enclosed: 7 set booklet

To,

The Principal Chief conservator of Forests,
Forest Conservation,
Aranya Bhavan,
Bangalore.

Sir,

Sub: Re-Diversion and change in land use of 3.4906 Ha forest land for 220 KV Transmission line work of Upper Bhadra Project package-I from diverted forest land of Upper Tunga Project area and Kanagalkoppa MF (Thirthahalli Taluk, Kanagalkoppa Sy No. 20, 59, 60, 58, 69, 55 and 56)

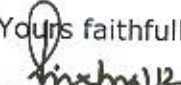
Ref: 1. Deputy Conservator of Forests, Shimoga Division Shimoga letter no: B4/Land/FC/GL-14451/2019-20 (227)
Dated:30.11.2020

2. This office even letter no. dated: 30.07.2020, 22.05.2020

With reference to the above subject, as per the ref(1) Deputy Conservator of forest, Shimoga Division has submitted the proposal of Re-Diversion and change in land use of 3.4906 Ha forest land for 220 KV Transmission line work of Upper Bhadra Project package-I from diverted forest land of Upper Tunga Project and Kanagalkoppa Minor forest(Thirthahalli Taluk, Kanagalkoppa Sy No. 20, 59, 60, 58, 69, 55 and 56).

The proposal recommended by the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Shimoga Division is accepted and approved and submitted for your kind perusal.

Yours faithfully,


Conservator of forest,
Shimoga Circle, Shimoga