

Field Inspection Note of Sri. Ch. Ganga Reddy, Dy.CF., District Forest Officer, Mahabubnagar on 04/07/2019 at Kotakonda Forest Block in Compt. No. 397, 398, 400 & 408 of Narayanpet & Dhanwada Sections of Narayanpet Range & on 04/07/2019 at Pursampally Forest Block in Compt. No. 156 of Marikal Section of Mohammadabad Range of Mahabubnagar District.

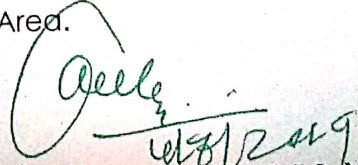
On 04/07/2019 proceeded and inspected the area proposed for diversion of **0.2555 Ha** of Forest-Land in **Compt. No. 397, 398, 400 & 408** of **Kotakonda Forest Block area** of Narayanpet & Dhanwada Section of Narayanpet Range and on 04/07/2019 **0.0859 Ha** of Forest land in **Compt. No. 156** of **Pursampally Forest Block** of Mohammadabad Range, Mahabubnagar Forest Division for **laying of Optical Fibre Cable along the road** and within the existing Right of way in favour of **M/s. Reliance Jio Infocomm Ltd.**, is transacted and observed that:

The total Forest Area in **Compt. No. 397, 398, 400 & 408** of **Kotakonda Reserve Forest** is **1110.54 Ha**, **Compt. No. 156** of **Pursampally Reserve Forest** is **154.590 Ha**. The Forest Area of this Compartments Area is degraded area and having only bushy and miscellaneous growth. The canopy density is about **0.20**. There are no Trees falling in the proposed area for **laying of Optical Fibre Cable along the road** and within the existing Right of way, in the proposed areas of Kotakonda & Pursampally Reserve Forests. There are no rare / endangered / unique species of flora and fauna in this proposed area and also there are no protected archaeological / heritage site/defence establishment.

The degraded Forest area diverted for this purpose is only **0.3414 Ha**. The area proposed for **laying of Optical Fibre Cable along the road** Passing through the Naryanpet, Dhanwada sections of Kotakonda Reserve Forest Block in Narayanpet Range & Marikal Section of Pursampally Reserve Forest Block in Mohammadabad Range of Mahabubnagar District, in favour of **M/s. Reliance Jio Infocomm Ltd.**, also provides internet connectivity from Villages to Mandals, and Mandals to District Head Quarters.

There are no rare / endangered / unique species of flora and fauna in this proposed area and also there are no protected archaeological / heritage site/defence establishment. Etc.,

Hence, it is recommended to divert the Forest Area.


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