JIO DIGITAL FIBRE PRIVATE LIMITED

CIN: U64200GJ2018PTC105652

No.89, Radhakrishanan Salai, Mylapore, Chennai 600 004.

To

Date: 22.10.2024

From T.T. Balsamy, State Coordinate Officer, Jio Digital Fibre Private Limited, No.89, Dr. Radhakrishnan Salai Mylapore, Chennai - 600 004.

District Forest Officer Villupuram Forest Division Villupuram.

Sir,

Sub: Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 - Villupuram Forest Circle / Villupuram Forest Division - Proposal for diversion of 0.0825 ha. of forest land in Villupuram Forest Division for laying underground OFC along road side of Kallakuruchi to Thiruvannamalai road section from Samudram to Kulathur road through Kaduvanur and Kanangadu RFs in Villupuram District - Defects / Shortcomings pointed out - Details submission of - Regarding.

Ref: 1) Reliance Jio Infocomm Limited Forest Clearance Online Proposal No. FP/TN/Others/36436/2018, dated 15.10.2018

- 2) Letter from DFO C.No.6063/2022/ D. dated 4.10.2024
- 3) Principal Chief Conservator o Forests, C.No.TS319764-22 date 09.09.2024

We wish to inform you that in response to the concerns raised by the Principal Chief Conservator of Forest in their letter dated 09.09.2024regarding the subject matter and reference number 3, we are providing the following clarifications."

S.No	Essential Details Sough	Reply
1	Whether the proposed project will implemented within existing Right of Way and if so, take further action as para 4.2 of comprehensive guide lines	We would like to inform you that this proposal does not fall within the existing Right of Way. This proposal is solely for diversion purposes." We marked in Survey of India top sheet
2	Whether any tree felling is involved in the project area, if yes, mention the no of trees (Planted or spontaneous) to be filed and orders may bu sought for felling of trees, if necessary	that no tree felling will be required for the implementation of this

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I request you to consider the importance of OFC projects and kindly consider the Forest Clearance proposal and necessary action, please.

Authorized Signatory, M/s Jio Digital Fibre Private Limited, Mylapore, Chennai-4.

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1. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Forest Force), Guindy-Velachery Road, Near Kannigapuram Checkpost, Mylapore, Chennai - 600 032