

## GOVERNMENT OF GOA PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

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To, The Dy. Conservator of Forests, South Goa Division, Margao- Goa.

> Diversion of 0.6156ha. of forest land in Survey No. 19 of Cola Sub:

Village & Survey No. 29 of @udem Village for construction of road from Poppaidando to Khedem in favour of Executive

Engineer, WD XXV(R), Fatorda, Margao Goa.

Ref : F. No. 4-GOB1226/2020-BAN/157 dt : 05/06/2020

Sir,

With reference to above subject, work for the construction of road from Poppaidando to Khedem was awarded to M/S Thasma Construction Vide W/O No. 13/1/2015-16/PWD-25/Accts/887 dt: 13/01/2016 and work was started accordingly. The proposed road length of 1.60km out of which 437mtr. falls within forest area, balance road falls within private land and owner allowed to execute the work.

The concerned Assistant Engineer of this Division along with concerned Junior Engineer visited site on 13/11/2018 and reported that, instruction where given to agency not to enter and start any kind of activities in forest land. Inspite of so many time verbal instructions agency started the work of leveling without informing Engineer incharge. The Assistant Engineer sent a letter to agency Vide PWD/WD XXV/SD III/Adm-W/257/2018-19 dt:13/11/2018 (Copy of letter enclosed).

Hence it shows clear negligence of agency to whom work was entrusted without bringing fact/knowledge of Sub-Div. incharge. Hence, you may impose necessary penalty to recover the damages/losses if any from agency, M/S Thasma construction, Navelim, Margao.

Yours faithfully,

EXECUTIVE MYGINEER-XXV

Copy to:-The Assistant Engineer, SD III/ WDXXV(R), PWD, Canacona-Goa.

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