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दक्षिणी क्षेत्र पारेषण प्रणाली-I / Southern Region Transmission System-I

Ref.No: POWERGRID/SR-I/GM/NOFN/BBNL/2017/ NOFN-0-440 Dated : 12.07.2017

The District Forest Officer,
Vikarabad, RR Dist.

Sir,

Sub:- Diversion of forest land for underground laying of Optical Fibre cable- Furnishing of required declaration regarding non-felling of trees en-route- Reg.

Ref. No : 1. Ref. No 6973/2016/FCA-1 dated 20.04.2017
2. Ref. No 6711/2015/FCA-1/TS dated 25.08.2015

Kindly refer to the above cited letters mentioned at Ref. No 1 &2. The forest proposals have been submitted for the diversion of forest land for laying Optical Fibre Cable along the road and within the existing Right of Way for the implementation of Government of India's prestigious Bharat-Net Project, which envisages to provide internet facility to all the Gram Panchayats..

The Executing Agency viz. M/s PGCIL, has already completed the field survey along with the Range and Beat Officers in the respective locations.

In this connection we hereby undertake to-declare that the alignment of Optical Fibre Cable laying will be done in such a way that no tree felling will be involved and the work will be fully supervised by the experienced personnel of PGCIL.

This being a project of national importance with stiff targets for commissioning of internet facility at Gram Panchayats, the project is strictly monitored by the Ministry of Communications (MoC), Government of India at the highest level.

Hence it is requested to kindly forward the field inspection reports which are already field inspection is completed for the Vikarabad Division to the office of Principal Chief Conservator of Forest for enabling us to get the forest clearance.

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely,

(V.R. RAO)
Dy. General Manager (NOFN)

Countersigned by

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