

**Field inspection of Sri C. Venu Gopala Rao, SFS, Dy.
Conservator of Forests, Nellore Forest Division in Nellore
Range on 6 & 8-10-2018.**

**Diversion of Forest land for "Formation of approach CC road from
Akkacheruvupadu to Nellore-Podalakur Road for road connectivity" in
Ambapuram RF of Nellore Range:**

The user agency has proposed for diversion of 0.75 ha., of forest land in Ambapuram RF of Nellore Range. The Ambapuram RF area was leased out to APFDC Ltd., Nellore for raising of plantations.

The density of vegetation is ranging from 0.50 with Eucalyptus Clonal plantation raised by APFDC Ltd. along the alignment of the proposed road. The details of existing flora and fauna of the proposed area for diversion and the adjacent area is as follows:

Flora: Eucalyptus Spp, Ziziphus caracutta, Ziziphus mauritiana, Maba buxifolia, Acacia Leucopholoea etc.

Fauna: Wild boar, Spotted deer, Rabiit, Reptiles and other Bird species.

As the proposed CC approach road passes through the RF, the following measure in the interest of protection of local eco system and fauna are proposed with the cost of user agency.

- 1) it is proposed to take up Chainlink fencing along the either side of the road and also 250 mts. Length on either side of the road at starting point and ending point in RF.
- 2) Green belt to be created along the chainlink fencing on either side of the road to reduce the pollution.
- 3) Animal passes at two points under the road are proposed for passage of wildlife existing in the RF area.

The proposed area falls under the Eco-class IV with Eco-value of very Dense Forest. The proposed Forest areas does not fall in any archaeological and important monument area. This area does not fall in any National park/Wild life sanctuary. There is no violation to the provision of FC Act, 1980 and Wildlife Act, 1972. The area falls in the Minicipal limits of Nellore Municipal Corporation.


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