

No: CPM/II/RVNL/WAT/Forest Land/PKG-3&4/

Date: 02.02.2021

To
 The Divisional Forest Officer
 Government of Odisha,
 Rayagada,
 Odisha.

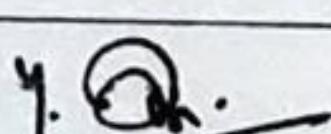
Sub: Compliance to the observations for Proposal for diversion of forest land 5.858 ha. for construction of 3rd railway line between Vizianagaram to Titlagarh under East Coast Railway by RVNL.

Ref: 1. FP/OR/RAIL/35352/2018 dated: 24.08.2018.
 2. Your office Memo No: 471/4F(Misc)1638/2020 dated 24.01.2021.

The proposal for diversion of forest land for an area of 5.858 ha. has been processed vide proposal number mentioned in reference above. After DGPS survey for CFA land and along with scheme the proposal resubmitted by this office on 15.01.2021 and the same was forwarded to RCCF/KRPU from your office.

RCCF/KRPU has pointed out some discrepancies which were intimated by you vide letter under ref (2) above. Compliance to the discrepancies and compliance against each furnished below.

Sl. No.	Discrepancy/Observation	Compliance
1	Authorization Letter to deal with the proposal has not been furnished.	Authorisation letter now submitted and enclosed.
2	The breakup of Non-Forest land uploaded in the Parivesh Portal at Part-I has been reported as 23.7277 Ha but at other place the same has been reported as 24.168Ha which may be clarified.	While uploading the proposal in Parivesh Portal there was a typographical error in the area of Non-forest land and it was shown wrongly as 24.168Ha instead of 23.7277Ha. In the initial stages the area of Non-Forest land is purely based on the available/approved L-Sections. During the course of time between 24.08.2018 to 15.01.2021, the final land acquisition process is in final stage and grama sabha also completed. As per the Revenue records and the area for which Grama Sabha done the Non-Forest Land area comes to 23.878 Ha. Necessary efforts were made to rectify the same in the Parivesh Portal but the same could not be edited. The area of 23.878Ha is also matching as per the Hal-Sabik submitted by Tahasildar/Muniguda, Bissumcuttak, Kolnara and Rayagada.
3	The forest area proposed to be diverted is revenue forest. The maps relating to forest area proposed to be diverted have not been authenticated by the concerned Tahasildars	Authentication of Tahasildars have been obtained as advised.
4	A detailed note of the project has not been furnished in the proposal.	A detailed note has been prepared now and furnished.
5	The Undertaking to pay the cost of Compensatory afforestation countersigned by the DFO has not been furnished	Undertaking now enclosed as advised.

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6	Abstract of trees enumerated has not been furnished.	Abstract of trees enumerated now furnished.
7	There are so many mistakes found in the scheme of Compensatory afforestation while calculating the total financial outlay of the scheme. The data of revised C.A scheme is to be re-uploaded/edited in Parivesh Portal in Part-II accordingly.	CA scheme has been corrected and revised to Rs.84.51 Lakhs from existing 77.33 lakhs and will be updated by Nodal Officer in Part-II as advised.
8	The details of land identified for Compensatory afforestation should be uploaded at point No. 13(i) of part-II portion of application through online portal instead of uploading the patch wise forest area proposed to be diverted for the project.	Pertaining to Nodal Officer.

in view of the above it is requested to consider the above clarifications and the proposal may please be processed accordingly.

This is for your information and further necessary action please.

(Y.Srinivasu)
 AGM/Proj/RVNL/WAT

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 2. Dy.CE/Con/E.Co.Railway/WAT for information please.