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BHARAT SANCHAR NIGAM LIMITED
(A Govt. of India Enterprise)

To

The District Forest Officer,
Theni Forest Division,
Theni.

DET/OFC/DN/MA/Forest Permission/22-23/ 4 dtd at Madurai the 01.02.2023


Sub;- Forests- Forest (Conservation) Act 1980 – SMTR, Madurai / Theni Forest Division- Diversion of forest land for laying of OFC in Valkaradu RF, Paramasivan Kovil Karadu RF ,Ammapuram Bit 1&2, Pinnathevanpatti RL- Cable lies in forest region for about 1800 meters proposal submission by the user agency ie. Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited (BSNL) Madurai : – Reg

Ref: C No. 2265/2018/D dated 06.01.2023

Vide letter under reference it is requested to revise and resubmit the proposal in PARIVESH portal since there is no detail about the requirement of depth for laying of underground Optical fiber cable.

In this regard it is hereby submitted that normally the depth requirement for laying of Optical Fiber Cable is 1.65 M but in the above areas where the cable is proposed to be laid is rock influenced areas and nearer to Hillocks the depth could be achieved is less than 1 M. Hence the width of the trench 0.25 M is enough to lay the proposed Optical Fiber Cable.

It is hereby submitted that the proposal may please be considered and approval may kindly be issued at the earliest to lay the OFC at the earliest please.


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Madurai for Kind information