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From
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To
The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests
(Head of Forest Force),
Panagal Maaligai,
No.1, Jeenis Salai, Saidapet,
Chennai - 600 015.

Sir,

Sub: Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 – Coimbatore Circle / Nilgiris Forest Division - Proposal for diversion of 0.03 ha. of forest land in Pakkasuranmalai area in Nilgiris Forest Division for erection of telecommunication tower in Pakkasuran malai area in the Nilgiris District - Online submission of proposal by the user agency - Defects / Shortcomings pointed out by PCCF – Shortcomings rectified and further details submission of - Regarding.

Ref: 1) Reliance Jio Infocomm Limited Forest Clearance Online Proposal No.FP/TN/Others/33940/2018, dt.30.05.18.
2) Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Forest Force), Chennai Ref.No.TS3/30939/2018, Dated 26.07.18.

With reference to the above subject I submit that the defects and shortcomings pointed out vide Principal Chief Conservator of Forests reference (2) cited are rectified submitted as follows:

- (1) (i) The proposed area will be utilized only for telecommunication tower erection with a small power supply room underneath of the tower.
- (ii) The power supply room and compound wall for protecting the materials inside tower campus other than tower are the permanent structure will be constructing for a permission period of 20 years.
- (iii) The 3 Phase power line is already available at a distance of 20 meter from the proposed area for tower, presently power supply has taken from that line for existing BSNL tower, which situated nearby proposed Reliance Jio Telecommunication Tower area.
- (iv) No OFC has to be laid from the roadside. The available footpath (700 meter x 3 feet) within tea plantation area only to be utilized for carrying the materials and further maintenance works. The microwave technology is going to connect the telecommunication tower to the intercity fiber route, which is available 11.6 km away from the tower area.

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- (2) The name of forestland that lies in the 0.03 ha. was in Pakkasuran malai (Kallar R.F.). The detail uploaded in the online.
- (3) 0.03 ha. of land is required in the Pakkasuran malai village area for this project. The detail uploaded in the village wise forestland requirement format (B-2.3.) in the online.
- (4) The revised details of component wise break-up details like length and width of the project area is uploaded as called for (B-2.3.) in the format in online.
- (5) The proposed area for erection of telecommunication tower in the Pakkasuran malai area is situating in the Kallar R.F. The area is within the TANTEA Plantation area, which is not come under protected area. The details revised in the online proposal. Hence, it is consider that getting approval from the Standing Committee of National Board for Wildlife for this project is not necessary.
- (6)&(7). We wish to state that regarding District Collector's certificates for completion process for settlement rights under Forest Rights Act, 2006 and no suitable and alternate non-forestland availability, we had applied to District Collector to get the certificates. We have uploaded an undertaking relating to those certificates online.

This is for favour of kind consideration.

Authorized Signatory,
M/s Reliance Jio Infocomm Limited,
Mylapore, Chennai-4.