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No. : B4/Land/FC/CR- /2020-21

Dated : 01-09-2020

To,
The Chief Conservator of Forests,
Bellary Circle,
Bellary.

Sir,

Sub : Diversion of 0.789 Ha. of forest land in Anagodu Sec-4 area in Davanagere Forest Division for Bharamasagara LIS Construction of raising main pipeline [CH-36.225 to 37.55 KM] in favour of the Executive Engineer, Karnataka Neeravari Nigama Ltd., No. 5, Bhadra Canal Division, Davanagere-reg.

- Ref :
1. Proposal No. : FP/KA/Pipeline/44313/2020 of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests [Forest Conservation], Bengaluru. e-mail dated : 29-07-2020.
 2. Letter No. : ಕಾಇಂ/ಕನೀನಿ/ನಂ.5 ಭನಾವಿ/ದಾ/ಸಇಂ.2/ ಆನಗೋಡು ಎಫ್.ಸಿ/0.789ಹೆ/2020-21/846/1385 dated : 14-07-2020 and 04-09-2020 of the Executive Engineer, Karnataka Neeravari Nigama Ltd., No. 5, Bhadra Canal Division, Davanagere-5.
 3. Letter No. : ACF/DVG/Pipeline/Anagodu/20-21 dated : - -2020 of Assistant Conservator of Forests and Technical Assistants to DCF, Davanagere Division, Davanagere.
 4. Letter No. : RFO/DVG/Pipeline/2020-21/166 dated : 04-09-2020 of Range Forest Officer, Davanagere Range, Davanagere.

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With reference to the above and as per the directions issued by the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests [Forest Conservation], Bengaluru vide their e-mail cited at reference [1] above, I have instructed the Range Forest Officer, Davanagere on 22-07-2020 to conduct the spot inspection of the above proposed area and submit his detailed report.

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Accordingly, the Range Forest Officer, Davanagere and Assistant Conservator of Forests and Technical Assistants to the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Davanagere have submitted their spot inspection report to this office vide reference [3] & [4] above respectively. As per their spot inspection reports the proposed area for Bharamasagara LIS Construction of raising main pipeline [CH-36.225 to 37.55 KM] in favour of the Executive Engineer, Karnataka Neeravari Nigama Ltd., No. 5, Bhadra Canal Division, Davanagere is adjoining NH-48 [Old NH-4] and is a Sec-4 area of Karnataka Forest Act, 1963.

The proposal area verified with reference to the Forest [Conservation] Act, 1980 and Forest Conservation Rules-2003 and with reference to the guidelines issued by the Government of India for diversion of Forest land for Bharamasagara LIS Construction of raising main pipeline [CH-36.225 to 37.55 KM].

Besides, the undersigned is also inspected the proposed area along with Range Forest Officer, Davanagere on 12-08-2020, while agreeing with the reports submitted by the Range Forest Officer, Davanagere the proforma of Form-A, Part-II of the porpoosal is filled up with relevant information and requirement of the area for Bharamasagara LIS Construction of raising main pipeline [CH-36.225 to 37.55 KM].

The villagewise, Sy.No. wise area required for the forest land is as under.

Sl. No.	Taluk	Village	Sy.No.	Extent [in Ha.]	Status of land	Purpose
1	Davanagere	Anagodu	130	0.356	Sec-4 Area	Bharamasagara LIS Construction of raising main pipeline [CH-36.225 to 37.55 KM]
2			131	0.279		
3			132	0.154		
	Total			0.789		

Further, during the site inspection of the proposed forest area, there are no endangered species, and no vulnerable trees are found in and around the vicinity, moreover there are no archeological important places nearby the proposed vicinity. Hence, this diversion of forest land does not have any adverse effect on the environment and forests.

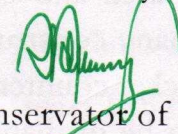
- All the connected maps area appended herewith.
- Cost benefit analysis is enclosed herewith.
- The user agency has given undertaking to payment of NPV and additional NPV as per the Hon'ble Supreme Court order.
- The user agency has given undertaking to follow the guidelines issued by the Government of India, Government of Karnataka and Forest Department as and when fixed as per the provision of Forest [Conservation] Act, 1980 and Forest [Conservation] Rules-2003 and subsequently amendments.
- The Range Forest Officer has reported that, there are 256 trees which fall within proposed project area Sy.No. 130, 131 and 132 of Anagodu village.
- The proposed project area runs all along the NH-48 [Old NH-4], inside the Sec-4 area and inside the existing Indira Priyadarshini Zoo, Anagodu. There are many construction works done in order to manage the zoo viz., entrance gate, ticket counter etc., Now that in view of this project, the older buildings will have to be dismantled and the user agency will have to bear the entire construction cost as per the existing PWD SSR rate all these construction will have to move 6 mtrs. inside the forest and the cost of construction of these building will have to be borne by the user agency.
- The Range Forest Officer has reported that, (i) Indira Priyadarshini Arch, Gate and compound, (ii) Zoo office [old ticket counter] (iii) Canteen (iv) Water Tank and Pipeline (v) Paragola-1 No. (vi) Tree Park Ticket Counter (vii) Tree Park Arch, Gate and Compound-2 Nos. (viii) Zoo Boards – 2 Nos. (ix) Toilet and Compound (x) Chainlink Mesh Fencing – 1340 Mtrs and (xi) Borewell are fall within the proposed project area.
- The Executive Engineer, Karnataka Neeravari Nigama Ltd., No. 5, Bhadra Canal Division, Davanagere has submitted vide letter dated : 04-09-2020 cited under reference [2] above, has given an underking to bear the entire construction cost of the below cited buildings. He has also submitted estimates prepared as per the present PWD SSR rates for newly construction of buildings, flexi boards, chainlink mesh etc., against dismantling of old existing buildings, flexi boards, chainlink mesh etc., which fall within the proposed project area is as under.

Sl. No.	Particulars	Estimated Cost [in lakhs]	Remarks
1	Main entrance with arch and gate at the premises of park	1.10	
2	Office Building at the main entrance of the park	1.75	
3	Ticket counter building at the premises of park	1.35	
4	Paragola at the premises of park	1.70	
5	2 nd Entrance with arch and gate at the premises of park.	1.05	

6	Toilet block, building at the premises of park	2.60	
7	Chainlink mesh fencing at the premises of park	19.50	
8	Borewells and Name boards at the premises of park	2.90	
9	Canteen Building at the premises of park	3.70	
	Total	35.65	

The proposal is submitted in Five [05] sets with recommendations that, it may be accepted in view of the Bharamasagara LIS Construction of raising main pipeline [CH-36.225 to 37.55 KM] to fill 42 tanks for drinking water purpose in favour of the Executive Engineer, Karnataka Neeravari Nigama Ltd., No. 5, Bhadra Canal Division, Davanagere.

Yours faithfully,



Deputy Conservator of Forest,
Davanagere Division, Davanagere

Copy to :

1. Range Forest Officer, Davanagere Range, Davanagere for information.
2. The Executive Engineer, Karnataka Neeravari Nigama Ltd., No. 5, Bhadra Canal Division, Davanagere for information.

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- Ref : 1. This office letter even no. dated : 01-09-2020.
2. Letter No. : EE/KNNL/BCD/No. 5/DVG/AE-2/BLIS/20-21/1484 dated : 21-09-2020 of the Executive Engineer, Karnataka Neeravari Nigama Ltd., No. 5, Bhadra Canal Division, Davanagere-5.

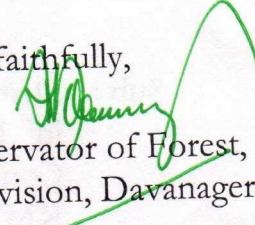
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In continuation of letter even no. dated : 01-09-2020 and with reference letter cited at [1] above. I hereby submitting to report as follows.

- The user agency in the letter cited [2] above has submitted that, the proposed alignment for laying the pipeline is technically feasible and the best possible way. As there are no bends in the proposed pipeline alignment, water can be pumped at very high pressures without any damages to pipes and the pipeline has to go through the same alignment for smooth flow of water.
- In view of the above the existing structures of the Zoo will have to be dismantled and new construction work shall be taken up at the cost of user agency.
- As 44 ha. of Sec-4 area has been reserved for the Indira Priyadarshini Mini Zoo. The new construction may be taken up as per the proposed new Master Plan. As the above project is absolutely necessary for drinking water supply and as the Zoo

needs to be re-designed as per the proposed new master plan and since the user agency has undertaken to bear the cost as per the existing PWD SSR this project may please be considered and hence it is recommended for approval. Reference letter [2] is enclosed herewith.

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