



BPCL. KHPL. MoEF. AP.02

Date: 28.04.2023

To

Sri A. Chandra Sekhar, SFS
District Forest Officer
SPSR Nellore
Andhra Pradesh.

Subject : APFD – F(C) Act, 1980 – Diversion of forest land in compartment No.393 of Ravuru RF and Compartment No. 392 of Ramayapatnam of SPSR Nellore Division for laying petroleum pipeline with OFC from Krishnapatnam in favour of BPCL, Hyderabad – Further Clarifications submission – Reg.

Reference : Letter from your office, Rc. No, 548/2020F11 dt. 05-04-2023

Dear Sir,

In the ref cited, you have advised BPCL to initiate action for certain points and upload the rectified information in PARIVESH and make necessary corrections in hard copies also. In this connection BPCL rectified the information in PARIVESH portal accordingly and corrected hard copies are also attached here with.

The point wise reply is also given as below:

1. The DGPS authenticated map of identified degraded forest CA land to an extent of 5.48 ha is not uploaded in the web portal. The authenticated map should contain the signatures of forest range officer, GIS cell, O/o PCCF AP.

The DGPS authenticated map duly signed by forest Range officer, GIS cell, O/o PCCF, AP of identified degraded forest CA land to an extent of 5.48 ha has been uploaded in the web portal.

2. The DGPS authenticated map of the proposed forest area for diversion of 1.77 ha in compartment No 393 of Ravuru RF is not uploaded in the web portal. The authenticated map should contain the signatures of forest range officer, GIS cell, O/o PCCF AP.

The DGPS authenticated map duly signed by forest Range officer, GIS cell, O/o PCCF, AP of the proposed forest area for diversion of 1.77 ha in compartment No 393 of Ravuru RF is uploaded in the web portal

3. The Kml file of RF as well as CA areas are not appeared in part 1 proposals uploaded by user agency in PARIVESH portal

The Kml file of RF as well as CA areas are uploaded in part 1 proposal.

4. The user agency uploaded the undertaking on submission of RoFR certificate, but the RoFR certificate under RoFR Act, 2006 to be issued by District Collector, SPSR Nellore which is mandatory has not uploaded in PARIVESH.

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कार्यालय का पता: 264/A, पहला तल, जीएचबी हाउस (केनरा बैंक के ऊपर) रोड नं. 10, जूबली हिल्स, हैदराबाद-दूरभाष 500033: 040-29300400, 29300500, 9849230330

BPCL has already approached District Collector – Prakasam and accordingly Sub Collector Kanduluru has called for a Gram sabha. But due to district reorganization of AP state the forest area jurisdiction is changed from Prakasam district to SPSR Nellore District. Now BPCL has submitted revised application to District Collector – Nellore for issuance of RoFR certificate vide letter BPCL.KHPL.MoEF.AP.DM.01 Dt.29.03.2023. further due to regional administrative changes/new collector yet to take charge and subsequent action to be taken.

We further request you to consider the undertaking for RoFR certificate which is being obtained from district collector Nellore. BPCL shall submit the RoFR certificate during stage 2 Approval.

View above, you are kindly requested to do the needful.

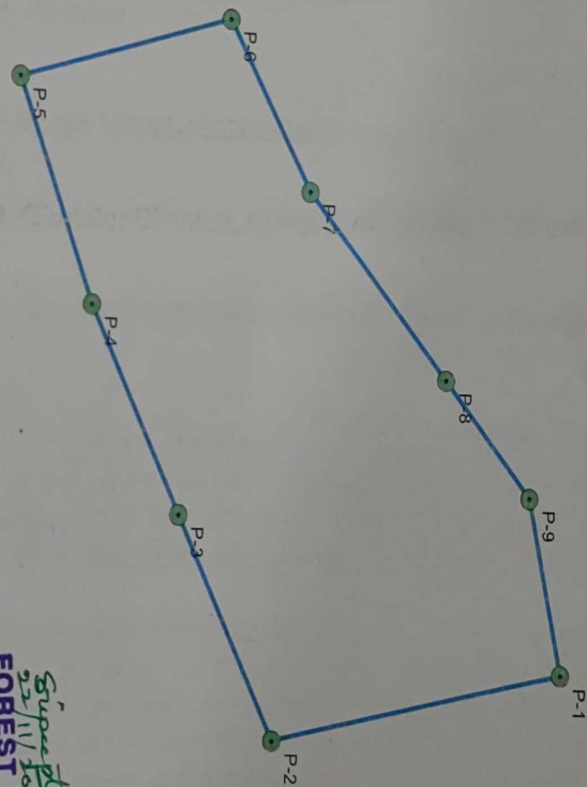
Thanking you sir

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Project Leader
Krishnapatnam Hyderabad Pipeline Project
Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited

Enclosures: As above

Map Showing the Degraded Forest Land identified for CA in Comp.No-391 of Veerapalli RF, Mocherla Beat, Ongole Range, Giddalur Division in lieu of Diversion of forest land in Giddalur Division for Petroleum Pipeline along with OFC from Krishnapatnam to Hyderabad in favour of BPCL.



S No	Name	Northing	Eastg ²	Elevation ²	Latitude ²	Longitude
1	P-1	1668398.307	389985.812	17.076	15.08875248	79.97630722
2	P-2	1668234.476	390019.881	16.477	15.08727292	79.97663129
3	P-3	1668180.187	389913.281	17.375	15.08677768	79.97564184
4	P-4	1668129.189	389813.985	18.680	15.08631250	79.97472020
5	P-5	1668087.301	389706.526	19.588	15.08592932	79.97372223
6	P-6	1668206.602	389673.502	20.694	15.08700637	79.97340980
7	P-7	1668253.612	389755.909	20.199	15.08743480	79.97417447
8	P-8	1668332.017	389845.151	19.461	15.08814731	79.97500138
9	P-9	1668380.324	389900.851	19.001	15.08858634	79.97551752

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FOREST RANGE OFFICER
(GIS), O/o. P.I.CCF (HOF),
Aranya Bhavan, Guntur.

Surveyed Area 5.48 Ha

Legend

- DGPS Points
- Surveyed Area

District Forest Officer
SPSRA NELLORE
22/11/2023
The GPS/NSS/ETS data is only verified, the absolute locations of Points shall be verified by the concerned field officers.

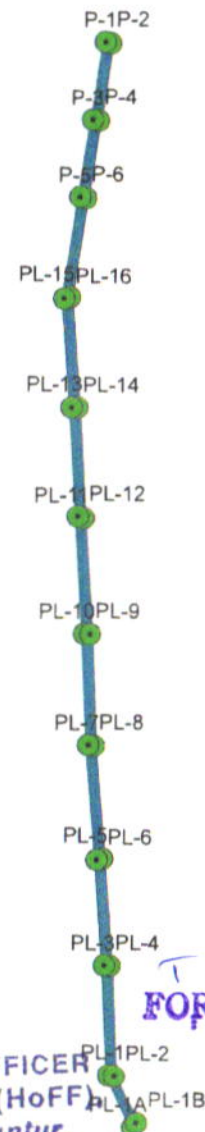
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Map Showing the Diversion of forest land for Laying Petroleum Pipeline with OFC from Krishnapatnam - Hyderabad in Comp No-393 of Ravuru RF of Mocherla Beat of Ongole Range and Giddalur Division in favour of BPCL.



S No	Name	Northing	Eastg	Elevaton	Lattude	Longitude
1	P-1	1663959.473	394556.906	14.327	15.04881434	80.01902099
2	P-2	1663961.289	394547.082	15.062	15.04883036	80.01892953
3	P-3	1663831.073	394536.333	16.385	15.04765279	80.01883492
4	P-4	1663832.952	394526.589	16.365	15.04766939	80.01874420
5	P-5	1663702.730	394515.781	17.312	15.04649176	80.01864905
6	P-6	1663704.589	394506.007	17.635	15.04650818	80.01855805
7	PL-1	1662247.864	394557.280	12.604	15.03334164	80.01909522
8	PL-2	1662246.449	394567.227	12.872	15.03332925	80.01918780
9	PL-1A	1662161.666	394598.011	12.106	15.03256406	80.01947765
10	PL-1B	1662169.084	394604.673	12.042	15.03263138	80.01953931
11	PL-3	1662430.072	394559.266	14.423	15.03498886	80.01910616
12	PL-4	1662430.755	394549.258	14.053	15.03499463	80.01901304
13	PL-5	1662607.498	394546.079	14.838	15.03659224	80.01897617
14	PL-6	1662605.237	394536.329	15.033	15.03657140	80.01888557
15	PL-7	1662794.415	394531.613	16.876	15.03828136	80.01883388
16	PL-8	1662795.898	394521.669	16.266	15.03829437	80.01874132
17	PL-9	1662979.766	394514.261	17.591	15.03995621	80.01866481
18	PL-10	1662979.339	394524.262	17.330	15.03995275	80.01875786
19	PL-11	1663171.692	394512.919	16.535	15.04169114	80.01864439
20	PL-12	1663174.407	394503.250	16.279	15.04171530	80.01855434
21	PL-13	1663355.449	394502.799	17.767	15.04335187	80.01854265
22	PL-14	1663354.377	394492.824	17.792	15.04334178	80.01844991
23	PL-15	1663538.009	394489.319	17.560	15.04500165	80.01840971
24	PL-16	1663535.311	394479.689	17.878	15.04497687	80.01832024



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SUB DIVISIONAL FOREST OFFICER
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Forest Range Officer
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16/6/2022
Deputy Range Officer
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Area Assessed 1.77 Ha

13/5/2022
FOREST BEAT OFFICER
MOCHERLA.
FOREST RANGE OFFICER
(GIS), O/o. Prl.CCF (HoFF)
Aranya Bhavan, Guntur.

Legend
● DGPS Points
□ Surveyed Area



The DGPS/GNSS/ETS data is only verified the absolute locations of Points as per the Gazette Notification shall be verified by the concerned field officers.

Date: 29.03.2023

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The District Collector,
SPSR Nellore District,
Andhra Pradesh

Subject: Krishnapatnam - Hyderabad Pipeline Project (KHPL): Request for issuing Certificate regarding Diversion of forest land for non-forest purpose under the forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 the Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006.

Ref: - 1. Principal Chief Conservator of Forest letter. No. EFS02-5026/2/ 2020-FCA SEC-PCCF/FCA-3, Dated: 23/07/2021

Dear Sir,

Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited, a Govt. of India Enterprise under the aegis of **Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas**, are the second largest company in the country effecting the supplies of essential commodities like MS, HSD and SKO etc. to civilian as well as various Government Agencies. We propose to lay a 423 KMS long cross-country multiproduct pipeline from our under construction Coastal import terminal at Krishnapatnam Port at Nellore in Andhra Pradesh state to our proposed terminal near Malkapur Village, Y.Bhongiri District in Telangana State. The said pipeline is being laid for transportation of finished petroleum products from our refineries at Mumbai and Kochi. The proposed pipeline shall pass through the districts of Nellore, Prakasam and Palnadu of Andhra Pradesh. The approximate length of pipeline in Andhra Pradesh state is 308 KMS.

We wish to inform that Petroleum and Natural Gas Regulatory Board (PNGRB), a regulatory board under MoPNG, has issued Letter of intent authorizing us to execute the project vide letter no.: PNGRB/Auth/3-PPPL (10)/2019 dated 17-Feb-2020.

The proposed 16inch Dia underground multi-product petroleum pipeline along with 40mm dia HDPE ducts for Optical Fibre Cable (OFC) will pass through SPSR Nellore District of Andhra Pradesh. The proposed pipeline alignment is passing through Nellore forest Division in SPSR Nellore District. The details of area required for diversion of forest land for laying this pipeline Division wise is furnished below:

Sl. No	Village	Mandal	Compartment No-	Name of Forest	Forest area		
					Length (m)	Average width of ROU(m)	Area (Ha.)
1	Ravur	Gudluru	393	Ravuru Reserved forest	1829.09	9.83	1.77
2	Mocherla	Gudluru	392	Ramayapatnam Reserved forest	1017.65	9.42	0.95
						Total Area	2.72

As communicated by Principal Chief Conservator of forests, Guntur, Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited need to submit certificate under the Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers

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कार्यालय का पता: D.No.35-3-69/370/510, एमआईजी-123, भाग्यनगर चौथी लाइन, हाउसिंग बोर्ड कॉलोनी, ओंगोल-523001। दूरभाष: 9001997977

(RoFR) Act, 2006 in prescribed format (Form -I) duly certified by the concerned District Collector in whose jurisdiction the forest area proposed for the diversion is falling. **Copy of the format is enclosed (Form-I) for Linear projects.**

In view of the above, you are kindly requested to issue the above Certificate so as to enable us to accomplish the said project in stipulated time period. The details of KHPL project (**I.e. Details of forest area required to be diverted falling under jurisdiction of Nellore Forest Division in SPSR Nellore District**) are furnished herewith for your kind perusal, on the basis of which the said certificate may be issued.

Yours sincerely,

For BHARAT PETROLEUM CORPORATION LIMITED

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PROJECT LEADER

KRISHNAPATNAM HYDERBAD PIPELINE PROJECT

NELLORE.

Encl.:

1. Copy of PNGRB Authorization, Annexure II
2. Certificate in prescribed Performa Annexure I (Form-I)
3. Principal Chief Conservator of Forest letter. No. EFS02-5026/2/2020-FCA SEC-PCCF/FCA-3, Dated:23/07/2021
4. Copy of Gol, MoEF, New Delhi F. No. 11-9/98-FC(Pt.) dated 05.02.2013
5. Copy of Gol, MoEF, New Delhi F. No. 11-9/98-FC(Pt.) dated 05.07.2013

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
FOREST DEPARTMENT**

From
Sri A. Chandra Sekhar, SFS,
District Forest Officer,
SPSR Nellore.

To
✓ The Collector & District Magistrate,
SPSR Nellore.

Rc.No. 548/2020F11 dt.15-04-2023

Sir,

Sub: APFD - F (C) Act, 1980 - Diversion of 2.72 Ha. Of forest land in Compartment No. 393 of Ravuru RF and Compartment No. 392 of Ramayapatnam of SPSR Nellore Division for laying petroleum pipeline with OFC from Krishnapatnam in favour of BPCL, Hyderabad - Proposals uploaded by user agency in PARIVESH web portal of Govt. Of India - RoFR certificate requested - Reg.

Ref: Online proposals uploaded by user agency in PARIVESH web portal of Govt. Of India.

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It is submitted that, the BPCL, Hyderabad has submitted forest diversion proposals under Section-2 of Forest Conservation Act, 1980 for "diversion of 2.72 Ha. Of forest land in Compartment No. 393 of Ravuru RF and Compartment No. 392 of Ramayapatnam of SPSR Nellore Division for laying petroleum pipeline with OFC from Krishnapatnam in favour of BPCL, Hyderabad" for getting prior approval of MoEF & CC, Govt. Of India. The Par- I information has been uploaded by the user agency in PARIVESH web portal of the Ministry.

On verification of the proposals, it is noticed that, the user agency, ie BPCL, Hyderabad has to obtain the RoFR certificate in prescribed Form-1 from the Collector & District Magistrate, SPSR Nellore which is mandatory for forwarding the forest diversion proposals to higher authorities.

Hence, it is requested that, the Tribal Welfare authorities may kindly be instructed to conduct gram sabha and submit proposals to District Collector Nellore as per procedure for issue of RoFR certificate.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/-A. Chandra Sekhar,
District Forest Officer,
SPSR Nellore.

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Superintendent 15/4/23