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रायपुर, दिनांक : 02.05.2023

प्रति,

वनमंडलाधिकारी, कोरिया वनमंडल बैकुण्ठपुर, जिला – कोरिया (छ.ग.)

विषय:

Diversion of forest land for non forest purpose under Forest Conservation Act 1980, proposed for Jio Digital Fibre Private Ltd Raipur Laying Optical Fibre line in Korea Forest Division under Chhattisgarh state area 3.309 ha.

पंजीयन क्रमांक/FP/CG/OFC/146529/2021

संदर्भ :

आपका ज्ञापन क्र./तक.क./285 बैकुण्ठपूर, दिनांक 19.01.2023 ।

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विषयांतर्गत संदर्भित ज्ञापन द्वारा प्रस्तुत प्रस्ताव गुरू घासीदास राष्ट्रीय उद्यान के 10 कि.मी. परिधि में आने के कारण प्रधान मुख्य वन संरक्षक (वन्य प्राणी) द्वारा अनापित प्रमाण पत्र मांगा गया है । इस संबंध में लेख है कि बिन्दु क्र. 21 में क्षेत्र की 10.00 कि.मी. परिधि में वन्य प्राणी संरक्षित क्षेत्र है अथवा नहीं की जानकारी दिये जाने का प्रावधान है तथा यह जानकारी प्रस्ताव में संलग्न है । भारत सरकार पर्यावरण, वन एवं जलवायु परिवर्तन मंत्रालय के पत्र क्र. F.No./6-60/2020/WL Part (1) दिनांक 16.07.2020 द्वारा संरक्षित क्षेत्रों के 10 कि.मी. परिधि में वे परियोजनायें जिनमें पर्यावरणीय स्वीकृति की आवश्यकता है केवल उन्हीं में राष्ट्रीय वन्य जीव बोर्ड की अनुमति आवश्यक है, इसी पत्र के पैरा 5 में यह विशेष उल्लेख है कि राज्य सरकारें प्रयोक्ता एजेंसीयों से वन्य जीव बोर्ड की अनुमति हेतु बाध्य न करें (पत्र की छायाप्रति संलग्न है)।

भारत सरकार के उपरोक्त पत्र अनुसार कोरिया वन मण्डल अंतर्गत सड़क समानांतर ऑप्टिकल फायबर केबल डालने हेतु वन्य प्राणी प्रभाग से अनापितत प्रमाण पत्र आवश्यक नहीं है । कृपया प्रकरण में अग्रिम कार्यवाही करने का कष्ट करें ।

संलग्न : उपरोक्तानुसार ।

असि. वाईस प्रसिट्ट (कार्या. अफेयर्स)

जियो डिजिटल फायबर प्राय.लिमि.

रायपुर (छत्तीसगढ़)

प्रतिलिपि:

01. अपर प्रधान मुख्य वन संरक्षक (भूप्रबंध/व.स.अ.) को उनके पत्र पृष्ठांकन क्र./भू—प्रबंध/ विविध/115—908ए/11 दिनांक 03.01.2023 के अनुक्रम में सादर संप्रेषित कर निवेदन है कि वनमण्डलाधिकारी को इस संबंध में आवश्यक निर्देश जारी करने का कष्ट करें ।

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F. No. 6-60/2020WL Part (1) Government of India Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (Wildlife Division)

1st Floor, Agni Wing, Indira Paryavaran Bhawan, Jor Bagh Road, Aliganj, New Delhi — 1 10003 Dated: 6July, 2020

To
The Chief Secretary
All States/ UTs

Subject: Procedure for consideration of developmental projects located within 10 km of National Park/Wildlife Sanctuary by Standing Committee of the National Board for Wild Life seeking environmental clearance under the provisions of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Notification, 2006 - regarding.

The Ministry has received letters from States/UTs seeking clarifications regarding applicability of consideration by Standing Committee of the National Board for Wild Life for developmental projects/activities which do not require environmental clearance and are located outside the National Parks and Wildlife Sanctuaries.

- 2. This Ministry vide O.M. F. No. 22-43/ 2018-IA. III dated 08.08.2019 lays out detailed procedure to be adopted for consideration of developmental projects located within 10 km of National Park/Wildlife Sanctuary seeking environmental clearance under the provisions of the EIA Notification, 2006.
- 3. After careful consideration of the matter, it is clarified that prior clearance from the Standing Committee of the National Board of Wild Life will be required outside Protected Area in the following cases:
 - Proposals involving project/ activity located within the notified ESZ (not being draft notification) and listed in the Schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and requiring environment clearance, prior clearance from Standing Committee of the National Board for Wild Life will be required.
 - ii. Proposals involving activity/project located within 10 km of National Park/Wildlife Sanctuary wherein ESZ has not been finally notified and listed in the Schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and requiring environment clearance, prior clearance from Standing Committee of the National Board for Wild Life will be required.
 - iii. Proposals involving activity/project, falling outside the protected areas linking one protected area or tiger reserve with another protected area or tiger reserve, prior clearance from the Standing Committee of the National Board for Wild

Life as per the section 38 O(1)(g) of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 will be required.

- 4. Para 4(ii) and para 4(iv) of the OM dated 08.08.2019 supra shall however continue to apply.
- 5. State Governments are requested not to insist upon wildlife clearance for such developmental projects outside Protected Areas that are not covered under para 3 above.
- 6. This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

Yours faithfully,

(Rakesh Kumar Jagenia)

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Copy to

- (1) Addl. Chief Secretary/ Principal Secretary / Secretary, Forest and Wildlife Department (All States/ UTs)
- (2) Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & HoFF (All States/ UTs)/ Chief Wild Life Wardens (All States/UTs)
- (3) Dy. Director General (Central), Regional Office, MoEFCC (All)
- (4) Sr. PPS to Secretary MoEFCC/Sr. PPS to DGF&SS/Sr.PPS to ADG (FC)/ Sr PPS to ADG(WL)/ Sr. PPS to MS (NTCA) / Sr PPS to AS (RA)/ Sr. PPS to IGF (FC)/ Sr. PPS to IGF(WL)/Sr. PPS to IGF (FC)/ Sr. PPS to Adv (SCG)/ Sr. PPS to DIG (WL)/ Guard File