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No.D2-6945/2022

Dated: 12/04/2023

The Superintending Engineer, M.I. Circle, Kozhikkode.

Sir,

Sub:- Proposal for diversion of 0.0077 ha of forest land under section 2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for the purpose of lying pipeline under Muppini Lift Irrigation Scheme in Chungathara Grama Panchayath in Nilambur North Division – Reg. (Online Proposal No. FP/KL/Pipeline/153543/2022)

Ref:- 1. Letter No.4-KLB1439/2023-BAN dated 29/03/2023 from Assistant Inspector General of Forest (Central) Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Bangalore.

2. Letter No. D3-356/2023 dated: 05/04/2023 of Assistant Executive Engineer, Minor Irrigation Sub division, Malappuram.

Kind attention is invited to the references cited above. Muppini, an area lies in Chungathara Grama panchayath which is a farm based village where irrigation water plays a key role in local peoples living. Muppini Lift Irrigation scheme is the scheme which serves as the lifeline for these village people. As the existing pipe line of Muppini Lift Irrigation Scheme is having very high head loss and is damaged at some locations, water distribution is currently disrupted which is causing water scarcity in the area.

The existing pipeline of Muppini LI Scheme laid through private land is having very high head loss which causes very low discharge of water for water distribution, which is not enough for current water demands of the area. New alignment through forest road is designed in such a way that the head loss is possible minimum which will ensure enough discharge of water which can meet current water demands of the area. This makes shifting of pipe line through forest land necessary. The above information has been reported by the Assistant Executive Engineer as per reference-2 cited above. The same is submitted for favour of information and further necessary action.

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Enclosure: Copy of Ref. No.1

Yours faithfully

Executive Engineer

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