



OM BHUVANESWARI SANSTHAN TRUST

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Regd. No. 104/2016

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13.05.2019

Date :

To

The Divisional Forest Officer,
Visakhapatnam.

Sir,

Sub: - APFD - FCA, 1980 - Proposal for diversion of 2.40 ha of forest land in Pothukonda RF in Visakhapatnam Division for development of Sree Sree Sree Bhuvaneshwari Devi Aaradhanapeetam in f/o Om Bhuvaneshwari Sanstan Trust, Visakhapatnam - Additional Information called for - Report submission - Reg.

Ref: - 1. Prl.CCF (HoFF) A.P. Guntur Rc.no.8005/2017-FCA-3, dt:05.01.2019.
2. DFO, Visakhapatnam Rc.no.1625/2017-TO., dt:04.02.2019

In compliance to the instructions issued in the references cited, we submit herewith the additional information / documents and also point-wise replies from a to d as called by the Government of India, MoEF, Chennai and Prl.Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF) A.P. Guntur.

Sl. no.	Question	Reply
a.	Certificate from the User Agency in support of the competency / authority of the person making the subject proposal application on behalf of the User Agency.	Certificate enclosed.



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Competent wise break-up of the activities / structures to be built in the temple portion has not been reported. It appears that additional area than the area already utilized has been proposed for diversion. Hence the forest area proposed does not appear to be the barest minimum.

Component wise breakup activities / structures to be built in the temple portion are as follows.

1	Road area falling in R.F.	0.65 ha.
2	Temple area falling in R.F. including Core area and Temporary area of structure and open area for pilgrims.	1.76 ha
Total:		2.41 ha

It is submitted that, no additional area is proposed than the area already being utilized.

c. Initial part of the road from the RF boundary has not been included in the proposal. Hence, the same may be clarified / rectified.

It is further submitted that, initial part of the road passing through Sabbavaram to Chodavaram and it is laid in Sy.no.201 and 203 of Aripaka Village, Sabbavaram Mandal. The said land is Zeroyathi land pertaining to Sri E.Ramachandra Rao, Managing Trustee / Settler, Om Bhuvaneshwari Sanstan Trust, (Affiliated to Sree Sree Sree Bhuvaneshwari Devi Aradhana Peetham), Visakhapatnam upto Forest Boundary (i.e. initial part of the road not in RF area). The Forest land starts from Lat: 17.80969869 Long: 83.04979239 and Lat: 17.81010930 Long: 83.05456645 as per DGPS survey in Compt.no.602 of Pothukonda R.F. of Visakhapatnam Range of Visakhapatnam Division. Hence, the same may be included and detailed plan is appended.



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d.	Annexure a to h related to RoFR certificate may be furnished.	Annexure a to h related to RoFR certificate issued by the District Collector, Visakhapatnam is enclosed.
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It is further submitted that, survey work has been done for component wise different structures in temple portion in the presence of Forest officials in the Reserve Forest area. Detailed component wise activities are enclosed. Survey team has worked during morning time only, due to high temperature and also Model code of conduct for General Election'2019 also inforce in Visakhapatnam District, which caused the delay in submitting additional details required by the Government of India, MoEF, Chennai.

In these circumstances, I request the Divisional Forest Officer, Visakhapatnam to kindly process the proposal to the Prl.Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF) A.P. Guntur for further action.

Thanking you Sir,

Encl: As above

Yours faithfully,

E. Ramachandra Rao

(E. RAMACHANDRA RAO)
Managing Trustee / Settler
OM BHUVANESWARI SANSTHAN TRUST