

Ref: RGESPL/KA/KUDLIGI/FCP/22-23/E/063

Date : 22.07.2022

To,

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests
(Head of Forest Force)
Aranya Bhavan, 18th cross
Malleshwaram, Bengaluru- 560003

Subject: Compliance of queries raised by PCCF (Head of Forest Force) for diversion of 3.1812 ha of forest land in Kakkuppi village in kudligi Hobli Kudligi Taluk, Agrahara Village in choranuru Hobli, Sadur Taluk, ballari District for construction of 33 kV Double Circuit tower line from proposed kudligi 220 KV Pooling substation to proposed wind farm for 100 MW wind power project in favour of Deputy Manager, Renew Green Energy Solutions Private Limited, Ansal Chambers, Bhikaji Cama place, New Delhi- 110066.

Proposal No. FP/KA/TRANS/154485/2022

Reference: Your query letter No.- KFD/HoFF/A5-4(GFL)/17/2022-FC

Respected Sir,

First of all we are thankful for your precious support to us; with reference to your online observation dated 17th May 2022, please find the attached point wise response of the queries raised by your good office we want to let you know that all the queries have been rectified and required documents uploaded in the additional information details, also required details being sent through email.

In view of the above, you are requested to accept the proposal so that the same can be processed further.



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Sr No.	Reference Item in PART-I	Query raised by Forest Dept	Compliances
1	A-1(ii) Name of Project for which Forest Land is Require	An incomplete text 'Construction of 33kV Double circuit Tower line from Proposed Kudligi 220KV Pooling substation to Proposed Wind farm ' without specifying the location is provided as the project name. It is advised to include the complete location (Village, Hobli, Taluk, District) in this Item for easy identification during processing. Example: Construction of 33 KV Double circuit Tower Line from Proposed Kudligi 220 KV Pooling substation to Proposed Wind farm for 100 MW Wind Power Project in Sy No. Kakkuppi Village in Kudligi Hobli, Kudligi Taluk, Sy No. Agrahara Village in Choranuru Hobli, Sandur Taluk, Ballari District	Name of project for which forest land is required has been updated as instructions received from your good office, i.e <i>Construction of 7.005 kms of 33 KV D/C Transmission form the Proposed 220/33kV Pooling substation at Kakkuppi Village to the Proposed Windfarm, in Sy No. 286, 368, 283, 282, 280, 301,302, 304, 306 and 314 of Kakkuppi village in Kudligi Hobli, and Sy No. 229 of Agrahara village in Choranuru Hobli, Sandur Taluk, Ballari district, and Kudligi taluk, favour of Deputy Manager, Renew Green Energy Solutions Private Limited, Ansal Chambers-II, Bhikaji Cama place, New Delhi-110066.</i>
2	A-1(viii) Total area of Forest Land proposed for diversion (in ha) A-1(ix) Non-forest land required for this project (in ha.)	Forest and non-forest land requirement has been shown as '3.1812 hectare' and '4.5242 hectare' respectively. The forest land requirement can be minimized by choosing the Route as shown in the D(ii) alternative alignment map. 1. Please ensure that the forest as well as non-forest land requirement for project is correctly shown in relevant Items. 2. Please also ensure that the forest extent tallies with KML, file and GPS readings.	Proposed T/L route has been finalized after details survey and analysis, selected route has bare the minimum forest land and less tree cutting involves hence there is not any other alternative route which involves less forest land as compared to the selected route. 1- Details of the forest and non forest land has been updated in all relevant documents and uploaded on portal. 2. KML file according to the GPS readings has been updated.
3	B-2.3 Village wise breakup	Only the forest and non-forest village names are mentioned. Survey number(s) involved is/are specified neither in This item nor in Geo-referenced Map uploaded in Item C(iv). Please specify the Survey	Correction has been made us per instruction received. 1. Geo-reference map has been updated now it is showing entire route with AP No., GPS

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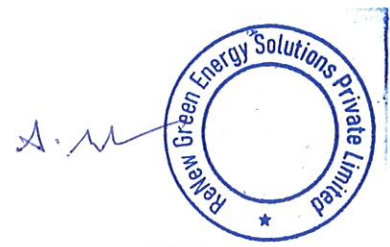
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		Number(s) involved in entire project and then provide individual survey number-wise breakup (without clubbing) of forest (as well as non-forest, if any) land requirement.	coordinates, details of forest and non forest land involved in proposed TL route with their survey numbers in tabular form.
4	13-2.4 Component wise breakup	Instead of mentioning the exact components (such as Existing Transmission Line, Sub Stations, Bay and Existing Sub Station, etc.), only one component i.e `331(17 Tower No 1 to 33' is given as the project component. Please specify the exact components involved in the entire project (as per approved Layout Plan/ Sketch) and provide the component-wise requirement of forest as well as non-forest land for individual components (without clubbing).	Correction has been made, details of component wise breakup has updated in form of- i- Forest and Non- forest land required for transmission line tower erection. ii- Forest and non Forest land required for stringing. iii- land requirement for sub-station. iv- land required for pooling station.
5	C(ii)(b) Kml File of Segments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Instead of uploading KML file showing entire forest and non-forest alignment with differentiable colour for the entire project, kml file showing only forest area without proper connectivity of Existing & Proposed substation is uploaded. • KML file of the component i.e 33 KV transmission line has been uploaded with the width (RoW) of 11 meters is found to be incorrect. As per Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 the RoW of the 33KV transmission should be 15 meters. • It was found that even through there is a shorted route as mentioned in the I) (ii), the longer route leading to destruction/diversion of more forest area is considered is found to be incorrect. • KML, Sub file name suggested as Kalauppi Forest area mentioned, instead of proper component name. • As per uploaded KML, the forest area extent shows 3.1928 Ha as against 3.1812 Ha given in Item A.A-1. <p>(Viii) and other relevant fields.1. Please upload the correct KML, file of forest land proposed for diversion with 'Polygon' feature, inbuilt 'measurement' option, identifiable</p>	<p>KML file has been updated for entire transmission line route involving forest and non forest land with proper pooling station to substation.</p> <p>1- Width (RoW) of Transmission line route has been updated for construction of 33kv TL from 11meter to 15 meter.</p> <p>2- All necessary details like name of project, range office, forest land details and forest division details are now showing in KML file.</p> <p>3- Correction in KML file has been made now entire forest route length is 4.338 ha.</p>

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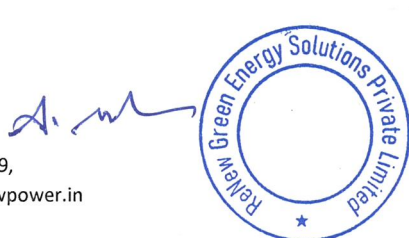
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		<p>File name.</p> <p>2. If non-forest land is also a part of the entire project, please upload KW, file (with polygon feature and proper File Name) of such non-forest land too (in a different colour).</p> <p>Please ensure that the KIWI, Polygon of the forest land proposed for diversion matches exactly with the corresponding GPS readings and ground features as seen in satellite imagery.</p>	
6	C(iii) Copy of Survey of India Toposheet indicating boundary of forest land proposed to be diverted	<p>• Unsigned Topo Map is uploaded. However, in alternative alignment map uploaded in I) (ii) it has been mentioned that the route I is having shortest distance. But, the Topo-map uploaded in this item shows the route 2 which is having longer distances with more forest land as proposed one is found to be incorrect.</p> <p>1. Please upload Survey of India Toposheet on 1:50,000 scale showing the boundary of forest land proposed to be diverted.</p> <p>2. Please ensure that the said Topo Map -</p> <p>a. Is duly signed by User Agency.</p> <p>b. Has Survey of India Toposheet Number clearly mentioned on it.</p> <p>c. Has a proper Map Index.</p> <p>Has the project area distinctly marked on it.</p>	<p>Correction to Survey of India toposheet has been made per instructions received.</p> <p>1- Toposheet has been uploaded in 1:50,000 scale which is showing boundary of forest land proposed to be diverted.</p> <p>2 (a)- Uploaded toposheet is duly inked signed by User Agency</p> <p>2 (b)- SOI Toposheet is clearly visible.</p> <p>2 (c)- Toposheet has proper index with all requisite details.</p>
7	C(iv) Scanned copy of the Geo-referenced map of the forest land proposed to be diverted prepared by using GPS or Total Station	<p>■ Instead of uploading a Geo-referenced Map of with boundary of forest land proposed for diversion superimposed on Village Map, irrelevant document (satellite imagery and photograph) is uploaded.</p> <p>• UPS readings provided are in the convertible form.</p> <p>1. Please upload the following two types of Geo- referenced maps (merged as a single PDF File) showing the forest area proposed for diversion as well as non-forest area (if any; shown in two different colours) in the given village limits on the following two scales.</p> <p>a. Geo-referenced Map-I: Ordinary Village Map scale (1:7920)</p> <p>b. Geo-referenced Map-II: At much larger scale (with zoom) for a detailed view of the</p>	<p>Geo- reference map of the proposed transmission line has been updated-</p> <p>1- Geo- reference map has been made on village map with proper forest and non forest land boundary details, merged in single pdf file showing all location coordinates.</p> <p>2 (a)- Uploaded Geo-reference maps are original.</p> <p>b- All survey number their boundaries are clearly visible.</p> <p>c- having proper index.</p> <p>d- Maps are duly ink- signed by user agency.</p>

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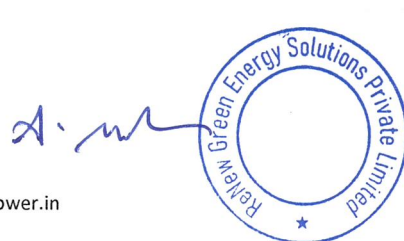
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		<p>forest area in question</p> <p>2. Please ensure that the above two maps:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Are original (and not photocopy); Show all survey numbers and their boundaries in and around the project area clearly; Have proper Map Index; Are duly ink-signed by User Agency. Has a Village-wise, Survey Number-wise and Component wise Statement of forest land requirement in given village Has a list of GPS readings (Datum: WGS-84; in Degree, decimals) of all corners/ turning points of the forest area proposed for diversion. <p>/Note: After Stage-I approval, RCC pillars have to be provided at all these GPS points. However, temporary stone pillars are sufficient for field verification at present.] Have the GPS points (Serial numbers) distinctly marked on corresponding points on proposed road.</p>	
8	<p>D(i) Copy of note containing justification for containing justification for locating the Project in(ii) Whether a copy of forest land map indicating location of alternative examine is required to be provided (a) Reason for not providing such map</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Justification Note with unsigned alternative alignment studied map is uploaded. But, the transmission line passing through the forest area cannot be identified as it is not in the differentiable color and is not specified that which of the rout (i.e 2 or 3) has be chosen or proposed. However, in alternative alignment map it has been mentioned that the route 1 is having shortest distance, <p>(a) But, the Topo-map uploaded in C (iii) shows the route- 2 has proposed one is found to be incorrect.</p> <p>I. Please note that the project is essentially non-site specific and can be implemented in non-forest land as well.</p> <p>2. Please upload a detailed Justification Note on official letterhead under seal and signature (with date) of User Agency duly giving the reasons in Item D(i) why the project has to be implemented in forest land only and how it is unavoidable to utilize the given forest land for the project. Please note that the Government of India specifically seeks the map showing alternatives (non-forest) examined by User</p>	<p>Correction has been made in justification for selection of proposed route as per instruction received from your good office all necessary correction has been made and uploaded on web portal.</p>

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		<p>Agency in Item D(ii)(a) and also the reasons for discarding such alternatives in favor of forest land.</p> <p>. It is thus advised to:</p> <p>a. Examine at least 2-3 alternatives (non-forest) and upload a map on appropriate scale showing such alternatives as well as the presently proposed location in Item D(ii)(a); and also</p> <p>d. Provide the detailed valid reasons as a separate Note (merged with the abovementioned 11/Iap into a single PDF file) in this Item why each of these alternatives has been discarded in favor of presently proposed location in forest land.</p>	
9	K(i)(a) Copy of documentary evidence in support of settlement of rights under the Forest Rights Act, 2006 on the forest land proposed to be diverted	<p>'No' option is selected. Please note that RoFR Compliance Certificate FORM-I (for Nonlinear projects) issued by Deputy Commissioner as per the latest FC Guidelines issued by GOI, MOEF&CC, New Delhi vide F.No. 5-2/2017-FC dated 28-03-2019 (available on FC Web Portal) will have to be submitted before final approval under FC Act.</p>	<p>'Yes' option has been selected, and undertaking has been uploaded for submission of FRA certificate from District collector office.</p>
10	Additional Information Details/ General	<p>1. Please upload the following documents.</p> <p>a. Undertaking (on official letterhead) to pay Net Present Value (NPV), Compensatory Afforestation (CA) charges and other stipulated charges as per applicability and norms.</p> <p>b. Detailed Project Report</p> <p>C. Administrative approval for the project</p> <p>d. Undertaking (on official letterhead) to the effect that the all corner points of forest land proposed for diversion will be physically marked on the ground with the help of temporary stone pillars / other appropriate means for verification by Forest officers before submitting the hard copy of proposal to jurisdictional Deputy Conservator of Forests.</p> <p>e. Please upload an AutoCad map showing</p>	<p>All Additional documents has been uploaded on web portal like CA, NPV, all undertakings, project details, approvals etc.</p> <p>Noted, Being complied.</p> <p>Complied, copy enclosed.</p>

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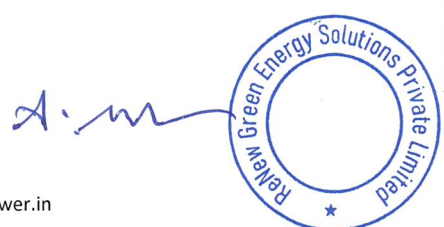
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	<p>entire alignment with Sy number details.</p> <p>f. Tabular statement showing Sy No's wise, Village wise breakup for both forest and non-forest land</p> <p>g. Clarification note regarding whether the proposed transmission line constructed over the ground or under the ground with its length and width.</p> <p>2. Please provide the following information through email to `gis3ictc@aranya.gov.in', marking copy to `rfo5ictc(a)aranya.gov.in' & `apccffc@gmail.com'.</p> <p>a. AutoCAD drawing (with 'Polygon' feature) of entire Project alignment (all components) in forest as well as non-forest land (in two different colours).</p> <p>h. Tabular Statement showing Component-wise GPS readings (Datum: WGS 84; in Degree, decimals) of all corners of forest land proposed for diversion (Transmission Line corridor width) as well as at 20 meter interval in MS Excel Sheet.</p> <p>3. As the proposal needs to be examined by the Government of India, all documents need to be in English. In case of non-English documents, please upload and authenticated/attested English translation. 'Note: Many documents uploaded presently are not in English'</p> <p>4. Please ensure that all uploaded documents in relevant Items are duly ink-signed by User Agency! Competent Authority.</p> <p>5. Please ensure that:</p> <p>a) Each issue mentioned above is carefully addressed before re-submission of application.</p> <p>b) Other crucial information not pointed out above does not get deleted/ altered while submitting the application online again.</p> <p>c) All uploaded documents in relevant Items are duly ink-signed by User Agency/ Competent Authority.</p> <p>d) No work is undertaken in forest land without FC clearance.</p> <p>b. Copy of RTC containing mutation in</p>	<p>Noted, Being Complied.</p> <p>Complied, Copy enclosed.</p> <p>Complied, Note Enclosed.</p> <p>Autocad drawing and Tabular Statement showing Component-wise GPS readings (Datum: WGS 84; in Degree. decimals) of all corners of forest land proposed for diversion are being provided through email.</p> <p>Noted, Being complied.</p> <p>Noted, Being Complied.</p> <p>Noted.</p> <p>Noted.</p>
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		favour of the Forest Department in respect of the forest area proposed to be diverted may be uploaded.	Uploaded in additional information captioning " RTC containing mutation in favour of the Forest Department"
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Thanking you,

Yours Faithfully

For ReNew Green Energy Solutions Private Limited.


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