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Office of the
Executive Director &
Deputy Conservator of Forest,
Atal Bihari Vajpayee Zoological Park
Kamalapur Dated: 05.07.2018

To,

Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, (Forest Conservation) and Nodal Officer (FCA) Aranya Bhavan, 18th Cross Malleshwaram, Bengaluru-560003.

Sir.

Sub: Handing over 135.576Ha of Reserve Forest area of Bilikal West of Kamalapur Village Hosapete Taluk Bellary Dist for the Creation of Sri Atal Bihari Vajpayee Zoological Park.

Ref: Letter from Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, (HOFF) Bangalore vide letter no. A5(4),GFL.CR.12/2003-04 Date: 16.04.2018.

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With reference to the above, the State Government has orders to hand over 135.57 Ha in Bilikal West Reserve Forest for the Creation of Sri Atal Bihari Vajpayee Zoological Park as per the approved Master Plan of the Central Zoo Authority M.O.E.F New Delhi. During the actual execution of fencing work in the field the fencing work could not carried out as per the survey sketch because of rough terrain, big stream passing across, tree growth hence there is a little deviation in which the fencing instead of going deep (zig zag) the fencing was straightened and some area abetting the state highway number 131 which connects kamalapura – P.K. Halli to have main entrance has been fenced causing additional 19.28 Ha surplus area, of 5.212 Ha in survey no-28 of reserve forest condemn and 14.062 Ha in survey no-1080 of Kamalapura village which is reserve forest totaling 154.85 Ha this reduces cost for the fencing, good elevation, easy approach and at the same time avoids tree cutting. Any way the surplus land will be kept as tree reserve there will be no non-forestry activity, this is for the kind information.

Thanking you.

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Yours faithfully,

Executive Director & Deputy Conservator of Forest,

Atal Bihari Vajpayce Zoological Park Kamalapur, Hospet Tq, Bellary Dist.