

Government of Andhra Pradesh
Forest Department

From

To

Sri M. Guru Prabhakar, SFS
Divisional Forest Officer,
Proddatur (WL) Division,
YSR Kadapa District.

The Deputy General Manager,
Power Grid Corporation of India
Ltd.
Flat No. 107,
Balaji Harivillu Apartments,
Nellore Road, Badvel - 516 227

Re. No. 1269 / 2016 - P8, Dt : 31/10/2018

Sir,

Sub:- APPD - FCA 1980 - Diversion of 27.744 Ha of forest and falling in Tiger Corridor of Kancherlamoram RF out of 74.486 Ha of forest land (56.764 ha in Proddatur Division and 17.722 Ha in Nellore Division) for construction of 765 KV Double Circuit Power Transmission Line from Kadapa - Chilakaluripeta by PSTSL (100% Subsidiary of POWERGRID) - Proposals u/s 2 of Forest (Conservation) Act. 1980 - In-principal (Stage-I) approval accorded - Revised Demand notice - Regarding

- Rcf :- 1) Govt, MoEF & CC, RO, Chennai F. No. 4-APC056/2018-CHN/0503, dated : 05-04-2018
2) Govt, MoEF & CC, RO, Chennai F. No. 4-APC056/2018-CHN/1580, dated : 04-10-2018
3) Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests, AP, Guntur Rc. No. 6969/2016/FCA-3, Dated : 09/10/2018
4) IGF, Ad-hoc, CAMPA Lr. No. 12-2 / 2010 - CAMPA, Dt. 14-07-2017
5) This office Rc. No. 1269 / 2016 - P8, Dt. 16-10-2018
6) General Manager, Kanigiri Ref. No. SRTS - I / CAO / 2018 Dt. 29-10-2018,
7) Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests, AP, Guntur Rc. No. 6969/2016/FCA-3, Dated : 29/10/2018

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It is to inform that, as per the instructions of the Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), AP, Guntur vide reference 3rd cited, a demand notice was noticed through reference 5th cited to the Deputy General Manager, Powergrid Corporation of India Ltd. Badvel for payment of the levies mentioned in the Stage I approval.

Accordingly the General Manager, Kanigiri had submitted a report through reference 6th cited, that the said amount of Rs. 356.604 lakhs as was mentioned in the demand notice was paid through e-payment mode through NEFT in Adhoc CAMPA Account as per MoEF Guidelines. The details of amounts raised in the demand notice are as follows.

Sl. No.	Condition No. stipulated in the Stage-I of the GOI	Category	Unit Rate (Wherever applicable)	Total area (HA)	Total Amount (Rs. In lakhs)
1	6	NPV	8.030	27.744	222.784
2	9	ACA (Creation & Maintenance of Plantation of Dwarf Species)	--	27.744	133.820
				Total	356.604

Further it is to inform that, vide reference 7th cited, the Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), AP, Guntur instructed that as per the GOI, MoEF & CC, New Delhi F. No. 5-3/2007-FC, dated : 05-02-2009 guidelines **"in case the forest area proposed for diversion is falling in protected areas, then NPV is to be collected ten times in case of National Parks and five times in the case of sanctuaries respectively of the NPV payable for such areas"**.

Therefore the Deputy General Manager, Powergrid Corporation of India Ltd. Badvel is requested to pay additional four times of NPV amount pertaining to an extent of 27.744 ha forest land falling in Tiger Corridor of Kancherlamoram RF of Proddatur (WL) Division. The payment should be made through e-payment mode i.e. challan generated through the Ministry's website portal (i.e. www.forestclearance.nic.in) in Adhoc CAMPA as per the guidelines issued by the Adhoc-CAMPA, New Delhi letter dated : 09-06-2016.

- 1) Balance NPV amount demanded to be deposited in Ad-hoc CAMPA, Corporation Bank, Lodhi Road, New Delhi through e-challan only.

(Rs. In lakhs)

Total area falling in Tiger Corridor (HA)	Unit Rate Per Ha	Total (For one time)	Upto Five times as per MoEF Guidelines	NPV amount already paid (one time amount)	Balance NPV amount to be paid
27.744	8.030	222.784	1113.922	222.784	891.138

The Deputy General Manager, Powergrid Corporation of India, Badvel is requested to deposit the balance NPV amount of Rs. 891.138 in the Ad-hoc CAMPA, Corporation Bank, Lodhi Road, New Delhi through challan generated from the Ministry's website portal.

The Deputy General Manager is also requested to submit the necessary certificates / documents on the conditions stipulated by the Government of India in the references 1st and 2nd cited and submit compliance report to this office for onward submission for final approval under Forest Conservation Act 1980.

This is for information and necessary action.

Yours faithfully

Sd/- M. Guru Prabhakar
Divisional Forest Officer
Proddatur (WL) Division

Copy submitted to the Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests (HoPF), AP, Guntur for favour of information.

Copy submitted to the Chief Conservator of Forests, Kurnool Circle, Kurnool for favour of information and further action.

/T.C.B.O/


Superintendent
