

Sub: - Proposals for clearance under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for diversion of 0.555 ha. of forest land for construction of approach road to establishment of 2X500 MVA 400/220 KV Substation at Sangod Village, of Dharbandora Taluka, under North Goa Division in favour of M/s. Goa Tamnar Transmission Project Ltd.

PUC is the letter dated 29/04/2020 (pg. 22/C - 23/C) from Regional office, MoEF&CC, Bangalore regarding in-principle approval (Stage-I) under section 2(ii) of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for diversion of 0.555 ha of forest land for construction of approach road to establishment of 2X500 MVA 400/220 KV Substation, at Sangod Village, Dharbandora Taluka, North Goa Division and District in favour of M/s. Goa Tamnar Transmission Project Ltd., by stipulating certain conditions to be complied by the user agency. The status of the compliance submitted by the user agency (at pg. 24/C) and comments of the DCF (North) at pg. 31/C) is indicated below.

Sr. No.	Condition Stipulated	Compliance reported by the User Agency	Remarks of Deputy Conservator of Forests (North)
1	The legal status of forest land shall remain unchanged.	Agreed and noted.	Noted
2	The boundary of the forest land to be diverted shall be suitably demarcated on ground at the cost of user agency.	The boundary of the forest land to be diverted has been demarcated by erecting boundary pillars at suitable intervals. Details attached as "Annexure- I"	The boundary of the forest land to be diverted has been demarcated by user agency by erecting boundary pillars at suitable intervals. Details attached as "Annexure- I" (at page29/C).
3	The cost of raising plantation of ten times the number of trees to be felled shall be realised from the user agency. The location of the area identified for raising plantation shall be furnished for considering Stage-II clearance.	The cost of raising plantation of ten times the number of trees to be felled of an amount of Rs. 25,50,000/- has been deposited to the CAMPA vide UTR No. YESBR5202009047470 9543	The user agency has paid an amount of Rupees 25,50,000/- towards raising the plantation of ten times the number of trees (255) to be felled. The plantation will be taken up in coming monsoon. Location of degraded forest land admeasuring 2.50 ha. in Reserved Forest in survey no. 560 of village Shiroda of Ponda Range, Ponda Taluka is identified for CA.

4	The State Govt. shall charge the Net Present Value of diverted forest land of 0.555 ha from the User Agency as per the judgement of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India dated 28.03.2008 & 09.05.2008 in IA No. 566 with related IA's in Writ Petition (Civil) No. 202/1995.	The total amount of Net Present Value of diverted forest land of 0.555 ha under this proposal Rs. 5,78,865/- has been deposited to CAMPA as per e-challan dated 03.09.2020. Copy of bank declaration and payment details reflected on PARIVESH are enclosed as Annexure- II	The user agency has paid the total amount of Net Present Value of diverted forest land of 0.555 ha under this proposal, Rs. 5,78,865/- to CAMPA as per e-challan dated 03.09.2020.
5	Additional amount of Net present Value (NPV) of diverted forest land, if any, becoming due after revision of the same by Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in future, shall be charged by the State Government from the user agency. The user agency shall furnish an undertaking to this effect.	Agreed and noted. Undertaking attached as Annexure - III	The user agency has submitted the undertaking for additional NPV, if any, becoming due after revision of the same by Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in future. Undertaking attached as Annexure – III (at page 27/C) .
6	All the funds received from the User Agency under the project shall be transferred/ deposited to CAMPA fund only through (http://parivesh.nic.in/).	All the above funds have been transferred to CAMPA through e-payment as per e-challan dated 03.09.2020. Copy of bank declaration and payment details reflected on PARIVESH are enclosed as Annexure- II	The user agency has transferred funds to CAMPA fund through e-payment as per e-challan dated 03.09.2020. Copy of bank declaration and payment details reflected on PARIVESH are enclosed as Annexure- II (at page 28/C) .
7	Suitable animal passage shall be constructed by the user agency. The user agency shall furnish an undertaking to this effect.	Agreed and noted. Undertaking attached as Annexure - IV	The user agency has submitted the undertaking for animal passage Plan. Undertaking attached as Annexure – IV (at page 26/C) .
8	The layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without the prior approval of the Central Government.	Agreed and noted.	Noted for compliance.
9	No labour camp shall be established in the forest land.	Agreed and noted.	Noted for compliance.

10	No additional or new path will be constructed inside the forest area for transportation of construction material for execution of the project work.	Agreed and noted.	Noted for compliance. Code:- O. R.- 17
11	The forest area shall be used for the purpose for which it is granted. The total forest area utilized for the project shall not exceed 0.555 ha.	Agreed and noted.	The forest area utilised in project is restricted to 0.555 ha.
12	The period for diversion under this approval shall be co-terminus with the period of lease to be granted in favour of the user agency or the project life, whichever is less.	Agreed and noted.	Noted for compliance.
13	The forest land proposed to be diverted shall under no circumstances be transferred to any other agencies, department, or person without prior approval of Government of India.	Agreed and noted.	Noted for compliance.
14	The compliance report shall be uploaded on the e-portal (http://parivesh.nic.in/).	Agreed and noted.	Noted for compliance.
15	Any other condition that the Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change may stipulate from time to time in the interest of conservation, protection, and development of forest & wildlife.	Agreed and noted.	--

1. The user agency has also submitted the certificate regarding Forest Right Act, 2006 (at pg. 21/C).

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2. The compliance report of Stage-I approval dated 29/04/2020 is submitted herewith to the State Government for approval and forwarding to the Regional office, MoEF&CC, Bangalore for granting the final approval (Stage-II) please.


13/10/2020

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Conservator of Forests (Cons.)


14/10/2020

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For appeal of stage II

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Goa Tannate Transmission

Agency was granted Stage - I clearance by Mo Env, forest & Climate change.

The Agency has submitted compliance report on the conditions stipulated

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We may forward compliance Report
to Central Govt. for ^{granting of} final stage-I
Clearance under FEA

for approval of the Govt.

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Pr. Secy, Forests

Puneeth
15/10/2020

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15/10/2020

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Date: 19/10/2020		

Pr. Secy (Forests)

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19/10/2020

Office of Pr. Secretary, Forest	Inward No. 3460/F
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