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No. C/FCA/T.7/ 164 - 168 /2021-22

Dated: 20/09/2021

To,
JIO DIGITAL FIBRE PRIVATE Ltd.
101-Saffon Nr. Center Point,
Panchavati 5 Rasta, Ambavadi
Ahmedabad-380006.

**Subject: -Proposal for grant Permission for laying optical fibre cable along the routes
Mentioned hereunder (PF)**

1. From 'T' Junction on Junagadh-Rajkot road Nr.GIDC to RJIL MH opp Ganesh Ford on Junagadh-Rajkot road (Km 0.462/Ha.0.02079) .
2. From Brij Palace to Sai Baba Temple on Vanthali-Madhuram road (Km 0.551/Ha 0.024795) Total Km 1.013 Ha.0.04558
(FP/GJ/Others/145515/2021)

Reference:-

- 1) Government of Gujarat, Forest & Environment Department Letter No.FCA/1015/1013/15/SF-83F (1), Dt. 04.02.2016.
- 2) Government of Gujarat, Forest & Environment Department Letter No.FCA/1015/1013/15/SF-83F (1), Dt. 03.05.2016
- 3) This office letter no. C/FCA/T.07/156-160/2021-22, Dt.08.09.2021.
- 4) (JIO DIGITAL FIBRE Pvt. Ltd.) Letter No JDFPT/Guj/Forest/Junagadh/NLD/07 Dt.05/08/2021
- 5) Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Land, Gandhinagar Letter No.FCA/29C/3405-75,Dt.14/09/2017.
- 6) Conservator of Forest, Rajkot Social forestry circle Letter No: B/JMN/T-14/324-29/2020-21 Dt-27/05/2020.

Memorandum:-

This office has given an "In Principle" approval for diversion of 0.04558 Ha. Of Protected Forest land for Underground laying of Optical Fiber cables lines as per following:-

Sr No	Particular	Length /Width (Meter)		Area Ha.
1.	From 'T' Junction on Junagadh-Rajkot road Nr.GIDC to RJIL MH opp Ganesh Ford on Junagadh-Rajkot road (Km 0.462/Ha.0.02079)	462	0.45	0.02079
2.	From Brij Palace to Sai Baba Temple on Vanthali-Madhuram road (Km 0.551/Ha 0.024795) Total Km 1.013 Ha.0.04558	551	0.45	0.024795
Total Ha.				0.04558

Declared as Protected Forest in Junagadh District, Gujarat State in favour of Jio Digital fibre Private Limited. Vide this office letter reference above at (3).

The Jio Digital fiber Private Limited has reported that it has deposited an amount of Rs.7,400/- towards the cost of Registration fees, & Processing Fee in the Challan / bank receipt received vide letter dated 06/09/2021 of Jio Digital fiber Pvt.Ltd. & as per letter of Add. Chief conservator of forest Land Reference No (5) Jio Digital fiber Private Limited has deposited an amount of Registration fee

Rs.5000/- & Processing Fee Rs.2400/- in the account of 8782-Forest remittance (Deposit Head) on Dt.06/09/2021. The same has been confirmed by Challan No.22 received vide letter dated 06/09/2021 of Jio Digital fiber Private Limited.

The undersigned is pleased to convey the formal approval of the Government under section 2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, subject to the following conditions: -

1. The permission is granted only for use of the forest land for the purpose specified in the proposal. The legal status of the forest land shall remain unchanged.
2. The forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the FCA proposal.
3. The User Agency will have to obtain permission from this office for carrying out any maintenance works in future.
4. The User Agency will have to make good the forest land after use/maintenance work. **No tree shall be cut.**
5. The User Agency will be liable to make good any loss to Forests/Environment caused to use of the said land by the user agency.
6. The User Agency will seek permission from the Roads & Buildings Department /Junagadh Municipal Corporation/ Other Department of Forest/Science and Technology Department, Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar. If required so.
7. The Optical Fibre cables line will be laid underground in a trench of is not more than 2.00 metre depth and width of 0.45 metre in between rows of road side plantation.
8. Any other condition, that the Ministry of Environment Forest & Climate Change may Stipulate From time to interest of conservation, protection and development of forest & Wildlife.
9. The user agency shall obtain FRA (Forest Right Act-2006) Certificate from Concerned District Collector Junagadh and submitting to this Forest Division.
10. User Agency shall obtain Environmental clearance as per the provision of the Environmental (Protection) Act, 1986, if applicable.
11. The Layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without prior approval of Central Government.
12. No Labour Camp shall be established on the forest land.
13. The User Agency will be responsible for any loss to Forest/Environment caused Due to the use of the said land by the User Agency.
14. Violation of any of these conditions will amount to violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and action would take as per MoEF & CC Guideline F.No.11-42/2017-FC Dt. 29/01/2018.
15. User agency shall upload this memorandum Letter with Compliance report in (<https://parivesh.nic.in>) and inform to this office.


(Ushma Nanavati)

Deputy Conservator of Forest
Social Forestry Division-Girsomnath

Copy Submitted to:

1. The Principle Secretary, Forest & Environment Department, Gujarat State, Gandhinagar.
2. Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, "Land" Gandhinagar, Gujarat State for favour of information.
3. Conservator of Forests, Social Forestry Circle, Rajkot

Copy forward to: - Range forest officer, Social Forestry Range, Junagadh For Information & Necessary Action.