GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH FOREST DEPARTMENT

From Sri Vineet Kumar, IFS., District Forest Officer, Nandyal. To
The Deputy Chief Engineer,
Construction, SC Railway,
GUNTAKAL.

Rc.No.3699/2019/A4, Dated: 07-09-2023

// REVISED DEMAND NOTICE //

Sir,

Sub: FD - F(C) Act, 1980 - Diversion of 22.51 ha. i.e., 3.21 ha. of forest land in Panyam RF, compartment No. 145 (Bit-1 & 2) of Bugganipalli Beat, compartment No.147 (Bit-3, 4 & 5) and compartment Nos. 137 & 148 (Bit-6 & 7) of Konidedu Beat, Panyam Section, Kurnool Range of Kurnool Division and re-diversion of 19.30 ha. in compartment Nos. 145, 147 & 148 of Panyam RF, Konidedu Beat, Panyam Range of Kurnool Division (presently in Nandyal division) for construction of new double line and electrification track between Dhone and Nandyal stations in favour of Deputy Chief Engineer, Construction, Guntakal Division, South Central Railway, Guntakal – In-principle / stage-1 accorded – Compliance report – Revised Demand notice issued – Reg.

Ref:

- 1. CF, Kurnool Rc.No.4650/2021-TO, dt.27.12.2021 & 08.04.22.
- 2. DFO, Kurnool Rc.No.3699/2019-H5, dt.05.01.2022.
- 3. Deputy Chief Engineer/Con, South Central Railway, Guntakal, Lr.No.GTL/CN/W.185/GNT-GTL/DL/Forest Land dt.07.04.2022.
- 4. DFO, Kurnool Rc.no.3699/2019-H5, dt.28.05.2022.
- 5. CF, Kurnool Rc.no.4650/2021-TO, dt.01.06.2022.
- 6. DFO, Kurnool Rc.no.3699/2019-H5, dt.07.06.2022
- 7. Deputy Chief Engineer/Con, South Central Railway, Guntakal, Lr.No.GTL/CN/W.185/GNT-GTL/DL/Forest Land dt.25.07.2022.
- 8. Deputy Chief Engineer/Con, South Central Railway, Guntakal, Lr.No.GTL/CN/W.185/GNT-GTL/DL/PNM/RoFR, dt.23.08.2022.
- 9. FRO, Kurnool Rc.No.Panyam Railway(3.21 ha)/2019-FRO(K), dt.25.08.2022.
- 10. DFO, Kurnool Rc.No.3699(i)/2019/H5, dt.25.08.2022.
- 11. CF, Kurnool Rc.No.4650/2021/TO, dt.12.09.2022.
- 12. DFO, Kurnool Rc.No.3699(i)/2019/H5, dated.16-09-2022.
- 13. Dy.CE, Construction, SC Railway, Guntakal Lr.No.GTL/CN/W.185/GNT-GTL/DL/Forest Land, dt.21.11.2022.
- 14. DFO, Nandyal Rc.No.3699/2019/A4, Dt 23-11-2022.
- 15. Prl.CCF, A.P, Guntur Rc.No. EFS02-15024/1/2022 FCA SEC-PCCF/FCA-1 Dt. 05-01-2023
- 16. DFO, Nandyal Rc. No. 3699/2019/A4, Dt 09-01-2023.
- 17. Prl.CCF, A.P, Guntur Rc.No.EFS02-17/41/2021/IT, Dt. 20-01-2023
- 18. Dy.CE, Construction, SC Railway, Guntakal Lr.No.GTL/CN/W.185/GNT-GTL/DL/Forest Land, dt.20-01-2023.
- 19. Prl.CCF, A.P, Guntur Rc. No.EFS02-15024/1/2022-FCA SEC PCCF-FCA-1 Dt. 06-02-2023
- 20. Dy.CE, Construction, SC Railway, Guntakal Lr.No.GTL/CN/W.185/GNT-GTL/DL/Forest Land, Dt. 15-04-2023
- 21. DFO, Nandyal Rc.No.3699/2019/A4, Dt. 20-04-2023
- 22. Prl.CCF, A.P, Guntur Rc.No.EFS02-17/41/2021/IT Dt.08-05-23
- 23. DFO, Nandyal Rc.No.3699/2019/A4, Dt. 10-05-2023
- 24. Dy.CE, Construction, SC Railway, Guntakal Lr.No.GTL/CN/W.185/GNT-GTL/DL/Forest Land, Dt. 18-05-2023
- 25. Prl.CCF, A.P, Mangalagiri Rc.No.EFS02-17/41/2021/IT

- 26. Prl.CCF & HoFF, AP, Mangalagiri Rc.No. EFS02-15024/1/2022-FCA SEC-PCCF/FCA-1, Dt. 28-06-2023 communicated GoI MOEF&CC, IRO, Vijayawada F.No.4-APB213/2023-VIJ./1012 Dt. 26-06-2023
 - 27. DFO, Nandyal Rc.No.3699/2019/A4, Dt. 05-07-2023
 - 28. CCF & FDPT, Nandyal Rc.No.06/2023/TO, Dt. 15-07-2023
 - 29. DFO, Nandyal Rc.No.3699/2019/A4, Dt. 21-07-2023
 - 30. PCCF & HoFF, AP, Mangalagiri Rc.No.EFS02 15024/1/2022 FCA-1, Dt. 09-08-2023
 - 31. DFO, Nandyal Rc.No.3699/2019/A4, Dt. 07-09-2023

It is to inform that, in the reference 30th cited, the Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests, AP, Mangalagiri informed that the vide reference 29th cited, the District Forest Officer, Nandyal has already issued demand notice and the same has been agreed by the Chief Conservator of Forests & Field Director, Project Tiger Circle, Nandyal. The demand notice uploaded by the user agency in Ministry's web portal has been examined and it is observed that the District Forest Officer, Nandyal has calculated NPV based on Eco-Class-III (Open forest) whereas in the site inspection notes, he has mentioned that density of vegetation varies from 0.2 to 0.4. As per the FSI, 0.2 density falls in 'Open' category whereas 0.4 density is treated as Dense' forest and each category has separate NPV rates.

Further, in the reference 31st cited, it is considered as dense forest as canopy density is 0.4 and that the revised demand notice with modified NPV rates of Dense forest was issued accordingly.

Amount demanded is to be deposited in "State CA Fund" of the Andhra Pradesh State through e-challan only.

(As per IGF, Ad-hoc CAMPA Lr.No.12-2/2010-CAMPA dated 09-06-2016 communicated vide PCCF's Rc.No.4592/2001/FCA-4(i), dated 04-07-2016)

Sl. No.	Condition No. stipulated in the stage-I of GoI/AP	Category	Unit rate (whether applicable) (Rs. in lakhs)	Total area (0.00 ha.)	Total amount (Rs. 0.00 lakhs)
1	(iii)	CA	0	6.42	75.10000
2	(vi)	NPV	12.28590	22.51	276.55561
	2000-10-0	TOTAL	MAR AN AS IN	SOM ORD A	351.65561

Further the user agency is requested to deposit the value of tree extraction logging and transportation etc., in the forest area diverted as shown below and submit the payment receipt to this office.

Sl. No.	Total amount (Rs. in lakhs)	District Forest Officer, Nandyal bank account details for depositing the money		
18	7.15000	Name of the Bank	State Bank of India	
		Branch location	Srinivasanagar, Main branch, Nandyal	
		Account No.	33800364077	
		IFSC code	SBIN 0000883	

In the reference 26th cited, the Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests, AP, Mangalagiri communicated the stage-1 approval accorded by the Government of India for the project mentioned at subject and requested to follow the conditions wise and submit compliance report. In this regard it is requested to strictly adhere to the instruction issued vide reference 26th cited.

This is for favour of information.

Yours faithfully,

District Forest Officer, Nandyal.

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Copy submitted to the Conservator of Forests & Field Director, Project Tiger Circle, Nandyal for kind information and necessary action.

Copy to the Forest Range Officer, Panyam for information and necessary action. He must ensure that there is no violation of Forest Conservation Act, 1980 by the user agency before issuance of working permission, if the user agency violation the provision of Forest Conservation Act, 1980 the Forest Range Officer, Panyam and concerned staff will be held responsible.

Copy to the Administrative Officer (Accts.) for information and necessary action.

Copy to District Forest Officer, Kurnool for necessary action in PARIVESH portal.