

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS, SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY (Section-II) DEPARTMENT

Letter No.4629/Section-II/2018

Dated: 09-11-2018

From
The Principal Secretary to Government,
EFS&T Department,
A.P. Secretariat, Velagapudi,
Amaravati-522503.

To
The Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Central)
Government of India,
Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change.
Regional Office, 1st and 2nd Floors,
Handloom Export promotion Council Building
34, Cathedral Garden Road,
Nungambakkam, Chennai – 600034 (w.e)

Sir,

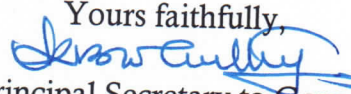
Sub:- Diversion of 0.50 Ha of forest land in Compt.No.8 of Gattupalli RF, Nellore Division for formation of road from Km 6/0 to 7/0 of Kavali- Kondapuram road in favour of Executive Engineer, (R&B) Division, Kavali -Proposal under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980- Reg.

Ref:- From PCCF (HoFF), A.P, Lr Rc.No.EFS02-15034/100/2018-FCA-SEC-PCCF/FCA-3, dt.06-10-2018.

I enclose herewith a copy of the letter cited along with statutory proforma proposal under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, submitted by the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Forest Force), Andhra Pradesh, for diversion of 0.50 Ha of forest land in Compt.No.8 of Gattupalli RF, Nellore Division for formation of road from Km 6/0 to 7/0 of Kavali- Kondapuram road, in favour of Executive Engineer, (R&B) Division, Kavali.

2. I wish to inform that the user agency i.e. the Executive Engineer, (R&B) Division, Kavali has submitted justification stating that the proposed road is an existing right of way in Gattupalli RF with permissible width of 3 yards of this road is mad useful to plying RTC buses, local people of Ramavarapadu, Chowdavaram, Kondapuram villagers will be benefited. Hence Black topping of road proposed. The adjacent RF area is minimum and there is no alternative road to Plying buses since the length of the road from Ramavarapadu to Chowdavaram Villages is very short and bare minimum area for the purpose. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF) has reported that the user agency has not violated the provisions of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980. The District Collector, SPSR Nellore has stated that the proposed areas does not fall in any archaeological and important monument area. This area does not fall in any National park/Wildlife sanctuary. There is no violation to the provision of FC Act, 1980. The proposal has been uploaded on the Ministry's web site and unique file No. FP/AP/ROAD/36275/2018 has been generated. The concerned field officers and the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Forest Force), have recommended the proforma proposal in Part-II, III and IV respectively. The recommendation of the State Government in the proforma Part-V is enclosed herewith.

3. I request you to obtain and communicate the approval of Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, under Section 2 of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, for diversion of 0.50 Ha of forest land in Compt.No.8 of Gattupalli RF, Nellore Division for formation of road from Km 6/0 to 7/0 of Kavali- Kondapuram road in favour of Executive Engineer, (R&B) Division, Kavali.

Yours faithfully,

for Principal Secretary to Government

Copy to:

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Forest Force),
Andhra Pradesh, Guntur.(w.e)-

He is requested to take action to upload the proposal in the website of
Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, including Part-V as
enclosed.

The Executive Engineer, (R&B) Division, Kavali, SPSR Nellore District.



PART-V

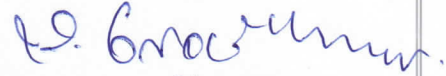
(To be filled in by the Secretary in charge of Forest Department or by any other authorized officer of the State Government not below the rank of an Under Secretary)

18. Recommendation of the State Government:

(Adverse comments made by any officer or authority in Part-B or Part-C or Part-D above should be specifically commented upon)

(Letter No.4629/Section-II/2018, dated. 15-10-2018 for diversion of 0.50 Ha of forest land in Compt.No.8 of Gattupalli RF, Nellore Division for formation of road from Km 6/0 to 7/0 of Kavali- Kondapuram road, in favour of Executive Engineer, (R&B) Division, Kavali)

“Recommended to consider the proposal for diversion of 0.50 Ha of forest land in Compt.No.8 of Gattupalli RF, Nellore Division for formation of road from Km 6/0 to 7/0 of Kavali- Kondapuram road, in favour of Executive Engineer, (R&B) Division, Kavali”



Signature

Name & Designation
(Official Seal)

Date: 15-10-2018

Place: Amaravati

G. ANANTHA RAMU, I.A.S.,
Principal Secretary to Government
Environment, Forests, Science &
Technology Department
A.P. Secretariat, Velagapudi,
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