



GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA
THE DEPARTMENT OF FORESTS AND ENVIRONMENT
OFFICE OF
THE DIVISIONAL FOREST OFFICER:: EAST KHASI HILLS & RI-BHOI (T) DIVISION::
SHILLONG



No.KH/1/45/323/2796

Dated Shillong, the 12th/Sep/2022

To,

✓ Shri. M.W. Kyndiah, GM (Projects) Indradhanush Gas Grid Ltd,
5th Floor, Central Mall, G.S Road,
Christian Basti, Guwahati,
Assam – 781005.

Subj: Proposal for diversion of 5.775 Ha of Forest land for proposed of 18" & 12" (Carbon Steel) Natural Gas Pipeline along with OFC conduct in Khasi Hills in Meghalaya State by Indradhanush Gas Grid Limited.

Sir,

With reference to the subject cited above, I am enclosing herewith the letter no MFG/NGP/5.775HA/7210, dated 25/08/2022 received from Deputy Conservator of Forests (FC Act), Meghalaya Shillong inform you that Government has conveyed its Stage I Approval for the Diversion of 0.11 Ha of Forest Land for Proposed for 18" & 12" (Carbon Steel) Natural Gas Pipeline along with OFC conduct in Khasi Hills in Meghalaya State by Indradhanush Gas Grid Limited. (Copy of Stage –I approval enclosed).

In this regard I would like to request you to comply with the following conditions:-

1. As per point no 1 & 2 of the Stage I approval, you shall pay the cost of raising Compensatory Afforestation amount to Rs 1,16,27,412.00/- (Rupees One Crores Sixteen Lakhs Twenty Seven Thousand Four Hundred Twelve only) and Net Present value (NPV) of Rs 74,66,209/- (Rupees Seventy Four Lakhs Fifty Sixty Six Thousand Two Hundred Nine only) respectively by transferring / depositing into the CAMPA fund through e-portal (<https://parivesh.nic.in/>).
2. As per point no 4 of the Stage I approval, you shall pay the cost towards Mitigation Plan for Nature Conservation Plan and Interpretation Centre on Birds in Umiam-Riat Khwan Important Bird Area (IBA) at the cost of Rs 1,24,43,000.00/- (Rupees One Crores Twenty Four Lakhs Forty Three Thousand only) and out of which Rs 17,00,000/- (Rupees Seventeen Lakhs only) shall be transferred by cheque into the current A/c of The Divisional Forest Officer, East Khasi Hills & Ri-Bhoi (T) Division, Shillong, A/c No.30852745780, IFSC Code SBIN0002081 and Rs 1,07,43,000/- (Rupees One Crore Seven Lakhs Forty Three Thousand only) shall be transferred by cheque into the current A/c of The Divisional Forest Officer, Khasi Hills Wildlife Division, East Khasi Hills Shillong, A/c No. 30050705699, IFSC Code SBIN0002081.
3. As per point no 8 of the Stage I approval, you shall transfer the cost of demarcation pillars of numbers amounting to Rs 36,96,000/- (Rupees Thirty Six Lakhs Ninety Six Thousand

- only) respectively by cheque into the current A/c of The Divisional Forest Officer, East Khasi Hills & Ri-Bhoi (T) Division, Shillong, A/c No.30852745780, IFSC Code SBIN0002081.
4. As per point no 9 of the Stage I approval, you shall transfer the cost of felling amounting to Rs 43,12,000/- (Rupees Forty Three Lakhs Twelve Thousand only) respectively by cheque into the current A/c of The Divisional Forest Officer, East Khasi Hills & Ri-Bhoi (T) Division, Shillong, A/c No.30852745780, IFSC Code SBIN0002081.
5. Also, I am to instruct you to issue Compliance Report on all the conditions laid down in the Stage-I approval.

This is for your information and necessary action.

Enclosed : As Stated Above

Yours faithfully,



Divisional Forest Officer,
East Khasi Hills & Ri- Bhoi (T) Division,
Shillong.

Dated Shillong, the ___/Sep/2022

No.KH/1/45/323/

Copy to:

1. The Conservator of Forest (T), Khasi & Jaintia Hills, Shillong, for favour of his information.
2. The Deputy Conservator of Forest (FC Act), Meghalaya, Shillong for favour of her information and necessary action.

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Divisional Forest Officer,
East Khasi Hills & Ri- Bhoi (T) Division,
Shillong.