



OFFICE OF THE DIVISIONAL FOREST OFFICER, DHENKANAL FOREST DIVISION
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Memo No 2342 3F/Misc/733/2023/dt. 04.03.2023

To

The Chief Manager (Construction),
GAIL (India) Ltd, 612, Utkal Signature,
Pahala, NH-5, Bhubaneswar, Odisha-752101.

Sub: Diversion of 6.1487 ha. of forest area coming within jurisdiction of Angul, Dhenkanal, Athagarh, Khordha, Nayagarh, Ghumsur (South), Berhampur and Parlakhemundi Forest Division for laying of underground natural gas pipeline along with Optical Fibre Cable (OFC) of Srikakulum-Angul Natural Gas Pipeline (SAPL) Odisha (Section) Project by GAIL (India) Ltd.

-proposal No.147445/2021 dt.05.10.2021.

State Serial No.OR-084/2021 dt.05.10.2021

Ref: No.5-ORC548/2023-BHU dt.17.02.2023 Govt. of India, MoEF and CC, IRO, Bhubaneswar.

Memo No.3633/FE&CC, of the OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government Forest, Environment & Climate Change Department.

Sir,

On the above mentioned subject under reference, it is to inform you that the **Stage-I in-principle** approval order in connection with the above project has been issued vide No. 5-ORC548/2023-BHU dt.17.02.2023 Govt. of India, MoEF and CC, IRO, Bhubaneswar with 29 conditions and additional 07 conditions has been imposed by the State Government vide No.FE-DIV-FLD-0009-2023-10F(Cons)07/2023-1298/FE&CC dt.21.01.2023 of the Government of Odisha, Forest Environment & Climate Change Department which has been communicated to you vide Memo No.1302/FE&CC dt.21.01.2023 of the OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government, Forest Environment & Climate Change Department which may be referred to.

As per Condition No. A(iii) & B(ii) in the **Stage-I in-principle** approval order, 12.523 Ha. of Degraded Forest Land has been identified in Kapilash RF under Kapilash Wildlife Sanctuary Area of Sadangi Range of Dhenkanal Forest Division for Compensatory Afforestation purpose. Accordingly the financial outlay for Compensatory Afforestation Scheme over 12.523 ha. of degraded forest land identified in Kapilash RF (Kapilash Wildlife Sanctuary) under Sadangi Range in **Dhenkanal Forest Division** against proposed diversion of the above mentioned project has been approved for **Rs.83,44,900/-** (Rupees eighty three lakhs forty four thousand and nine hundred) only by PCCF (Forest Diversion and Nodal Officer, FC Act.) O/o the PCCF, & HoFF, Odisha, Bhubaneswar as per **approved onetime cost norm** vide his Memo No.4060/9F(Pipeline)390/2022 dt.02.03.2023 and communicated to you vide his Memo No.4064 dt.02.03.2023 which may be referred to.

As per Condition No.A(i) & B(iii) in the **Stage-I in-principle** approval order, the State Government shall charge the Net Present Value (NPV) for the Forest Land proposed for diversion.

1. Forest area to be diverted for non-forest purpose -2.3140 Ha.
2. Density of vegetation -Eco value class-III, 40% dense forest
3. Demand for NPV-Rs.12,28,590/- x 2.3140 Ha. = Rs.28,42,957/-

In view of the above facts, it is requested to transfer/deposit of the following amounts in CAMPA account only through e-portal (<https://parivesh.nic.in/>) along with furnish an undertaking to pay the additional amount of NPV, if so determined, as per the final decision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.

Compensatory Afforestation = Rs.83,44,900/-

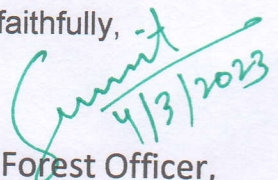
NPV- = Rs.28,42,957/-

As per Condition No.A(viii) in the Stage-I in-principle approval order, it is requested to please take immediate steps for obtaining FRA Certificate from the Collector, Dhenkanal immediately.

Further, it is to inform you that, since it is liner project and after full realization of funds for Compensatory Afforestation and Net Present Value (NPV), the Divisional Forest Officer, Dhenkanal Division duly authorized in this behalf by the State Govt. can pass an order for tree cutting and commencement of work of a linear project in forest land for a period of one year which can be extended for a period of one year subject to submission of satisfactory compliance of conditions stipulated in the Stage-I approval as per guidelines issued vide F. No.7-5/2022-ROHQ(Pt) dt.26.08.2022 of Govt. of India, MoEF & CC, (ROHQ), New Delhi communicated vide Memo No.20868/9F(Misc)-111/2014 dt.14.10.2022 of the Conservator of Forests (Nodal), O/o the PCCF & HoFF, Odisha, Bhubaneswar.

Therefore, it is requested to please submit the deposit particulars / receipt along with compliance report of 29 conditions imposed in the Stage-I **in-principle** approval order and additional 07 conditions imposed vide Letter No. FE-DIV-FLD-0009-2023-10F(Cons)07/2023-1298/FE&CC dt.21.01.2023 of the Government of Odisha, Forest Environment & Climate Change Department in 05 copies through booklet in both hard and soft copies to this office immediately for further action at this end.

Yours faithfully,


Divisional Forest Officer,
Dhenkanal Division

Memo No. 2343 dt/ 04.03.2023

Copy submitted to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Forest Division & Nodal Officer, FC Act., O/o the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & HoFF, Odisha, Bhubaneswar for favour of kind information and necessary action with reference to Letter No.FE-DIV-FLD-0009-2023-10F(Cons)07/2023-3628-FE&CC dt.27.02.2023 of the Government of Odisha, Forest Environment & Climate Change Department.

Sumit
4/3/23

Divisional Forest Officer,
Dhenkanal Division

Memo No. 2344 dt/ 04.03.2023

Copy submitted to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (WL) & Chief Wildlife Warden, Odisha, Bhubaneswar for favour of kind information and necessary action with reference to Memo No.3630/FE&CC dt.27.02.2023 of the Government of Odisha, Forest Environment & Climate Change Department.

Sumit
4/3/23

Divisional Forest Officer,
Dhenkanal Division

Memo No. 2345 dt/ 04.03.2023

Copy submitted to the Regional Chief Conservator of Forests, Angul for favour of kind information and necessary action with reference to Memo No.3631 /FE&CC dt.27.02.2023 of the Government of Odisha, Forest Environment & Climate Change Department.

Sumit
4/3/23

Divisional Forest Officer,
Dhenkanal Division

Memo No. 2346 dt/ 04.03.2023

Copy submitted to the OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government, Forest Environment & Climate Change Department for favour of kind information and necessary action with reference to Govt. Memo No.3631/FE&CC dt.27.02.2023.

Sumit
4/3/23

Divisional Forest Officer,
Dhenkanal Division

Memo No. 2347 dt/ 04.03.2023

Copy submitted to the Collector Dhenkanal for favour of information and necessary action with reference to Memo No. 3632/FE&CC dt.27.02.2023 of the Government of Odisha, Forest Environment & Climate Change Department

Sumit
4/3/23

Divisional Forest Officer,
Dhenkanal Division

E.M. on 6.3.2023 at 1.51 PM

OFFICE OF THE DIVISIONAL FOREST OFFICER,
ATHAGARH FOREST DIVISION, ATHGARH
E-mail: - dfo.athagarh@odisha.gov.in Phone- 06723 (220225)

To

Letter No...1104.....Date...06.3.23

The Dy. General Manager(Cons), Gail India Ltd, Jagdishpur-Haldia, Bokaro-Dhamara
Gas Pipeline Project, 612, Utkal Signature, Pahala NH-5, Bhubaneswar-752101.

Sub: -

Diversion of 6.1487 ha Forest area coming within jurisdiction of Angul, Dhenkanal,
Athgarh, Khordha, Nayagarh, Ghumsur (South), Berhampur and Parlakhemundi Forest
Division for laying of underground natural gas pipeline along with Optical Fibre
Cable(OFC) for Srikakulam-Angul Natural Gas Pipeline (SAPL) Odisha
(Section) Project by GAIL(India)Ltd.

Demand to deposit of Rs.14,49,178 /- towards the cost of NPV fund through
e-payment mode.

Ref: -

- 1) Letter No.5-ORC548/2023-BHU dt.17.02.2023 of GOI, MOEF&CC,
ERO, Bhubaneswar.
- 2) No.FE-DIV-FLD-0009-2023-1298/FE&CC dt.21.01.2023 of OSD-cum-Spl.
Secretary to Govt of Odisha. Forest, Environment and Climate Change Department,
Bhubaneswar.
- 3) Memo No.3633 dt.27.02.2023 of OSD-cum-Spl. Secretary to Govt of Odisha.
Forest, Environment and Climate Change Department, Bhubaneswar.

Sir,

With reference to the above cited letters on the captioned subject, it is to inform that the Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Integrated Regional Office A/3, Chandrasekharapur, Bhubaneswar-751023, Odisha has conveyed the Stage-I/in-principle approval order No. 5-ORC548/2023-BHU dt.17.2.2023 for diversion of 6.1487 ha Forest area coming within jurisdiction of Angul, Dhenkanal, Athgarh, Khordha, Nayagarh, Ghumsur(South) Berhampur and Parlakhemundi Forest Division.

Out of which total 1.2975 ha Forest land i.e (RF-0.3650 ha and Revenue Forest land -0.9325 Ha) is involved in Athgarh Forest Division under Forest Conservation Act, 1980 and guidelines for laying of underground natural gas pipeline along with Optical Fibre Cable(OFC) of Srikakulam-Angul Natural Gas pipeline(SAPL) Odisha(Section) project by Gail India Ltd subject to compliance of 29 nos conditions prescribed therein so as to consider the Stage-II final forest clearance of the above project.



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Besides as above the Govt. of Odisha, Forest, Environment & Climate Change Department has imposed Seven nos additional condition vide their Order No.1298/FE&CC dt. 21.01.2023 to be complied by the user agency respectively.

Hence as per stipulation of condition No. i of above Stage-I order, the User Agency shall deposit the cost of NPV of the forest land to be diverted as per Order of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India as well as guidelines issued by the Ministry contained in the conditions.

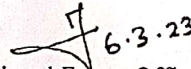
Accordingly the user agency has to deposit the cost of NPV in State CAMPA Account only through e-portal (<https://parivesh.nic.in>) as per generated e challan and submit the e-payment receipt pertaining to the above project in the prescribed CAMPA format to this office for taking further action at this level.

The details of NPV fund to be deposited by the User Agency is furnished below.

Name of Division	Total forest land involved in Ha	Density of Forests	Revised NPV rate as per Order of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India	Total NPV
1	2	3	4	5
Athgarh	1.2975	Eco Value Class-II, Density of Vegetation – Below 40%	11,16,900/-	14,49,177.75 or 14,49,178/-

Accordingly you are requested to do the needful and deposit the above NPV amount in proper head of account through e-payment mode without any further delay and submit the point wise compliances of the conditions imposed by the Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Integrated Regional Office as well as the additional conditions imposed by the State-Govt. for onward transmission of the same to the higher quarters.

Yours faithfully,


6.3.23
Divisional Forest Officer,
Athgarh Division

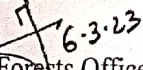
Memo No. 1105⁽²⁾.....dt. 06.3.23.

Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to .

1) The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Forest Diversion and Nodal Officer,

FC Act, O/O the principal Conservator of Forests, Odisha, Bhubaneswar.

2) The Regional Chief Conservator of Forests, Angul Circle, Angul


6.3.23
Divisional Forests Officer,
Athgarh Division

OFFICE OF THE DIVISIONAL FOREST OFFICER, KHORDHA DIVISION, KHORDHA

AT/PO/DIST. – KHORDHA

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Email ID – dfo.khordha@odisha.gov.in

No. 154574F(Misc)-96/2021

Dated, Khordha the 9th March, 2023

To,

The Dy.General Manager (Const.) GAIL (India) Limited,
At- 612, Utkal Signature, Pahala, NH-5, Bhubaneswar -752101, (Odisha).

Sub:- Diversion of 6.1487 ha. coming within jurisdiction of Angul Dhenkanal, Athagarh, Khordha, Nayagarh, Ghumsur (South) Berhampur and Paralakhemundi Forest Division for laying of underground Natural Gas Pipeline along with Optical Fiber Cable (OFC) for Srikakulam - Angul Natural Gas Pipeline (SAPL) Odisha (Section) project by GAIL (India) Ltd.

- Regarding deposit of Rs.69730/- towards the cost of Net Present Value fund through e-payment mode.

Ref:- 1.Memo no. 4064 dated 02.03.2023 of the Conservator of Forests, (Nodal), O/o the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Odisha, Bhubaneswar.

2.Satge-I approval order letter no. 5-ORC548/2023-BHU dated 17.02.2023 issued by the Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Integrated Regional Office A/3, Chandrasekharpur, Bhubaneswar-751023.

3.This Office Memo no. 6152 dated 30.09.2022.

Inviting kind reference to the above cited memo on the captioned subject, it is to inform that, the Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Integrated Regional Office A/3, Chandrasekharpur, Bhubaneswar-751023 has conveyed the "Stage-I/In-principal approval order no. 5-ORC548/2023-BHU dated 17.02.2023 for diversion of 6.1487 ha. coming within jurisdiction of Angul Dhenkanal, Athagarh, Khordha, Nayagarh, Ghumsur (South) Berhampur and Paralakhemundi Forest Division for laying of underground Natural Gas Pipeline along with Optical Fiber Cable (OFC) for Srikakulam - Angul Natural Gas Pipeline (SAPL) Odisha. Out of which total 6.1487 ha. to be diverted, 0.0728 ha. forest land i.e (Revenue Forest 0.0513 ha. in Begunia Tehsil & 0.0215 ha. in Bolagarh Tehsil) comes under Khordha Forest Division.


As per stipulation condition no. i of the above Stage-I order, the User Agency shall deposit the cost of Net Present Value through online portal in State CAMPA account against the forest land to be diverted as per Order of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India as well as guidelines issued by the Ministry in conditions.

The details of NPV fund to be deposited by the User Agency is furnished below.

Density of Forests	Total forest land involved in (Ha.)	Revised NPV rate as per Order of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India	Total NPV
1	2	3	4
ECO Class -3, Open Forest Density < 0.1	0.0728	957780/-	69727/-

Accordingly, it is requested to deposit an amount of Rs.69727/-Rupees (Sixty nine thousand seven hundred twenty seven) only towards Net Present Value amount in appropriate head of account through e-payment mode without any further delay and submit the pointwise compliances to the conditions imposed by the Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Integrated Regional Office as well as additional conditions imposed by the State Govt. for onward transmission the same to the higher quarters.

This is for favour of your kind information and necessary action.


9/3/22
Divisional Forest Officer,
Khordha Division, Khordha

Memo No. 1546/Date 9/3/23

Copy forwarded to the Conservator of Forests, (Nodal), O/o the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & HoFF, Odisha, Bhubaneswar for favour of kind information & necessary action with reference to your memo no. 4060/9F(Pipeline)390/2022 dated 02.03.2023.


9/3/23
Divisional Forest Officer,
Khordha Division, Khordha

Memo No. 1547/Date 9/3/23

Copy forwarded to the Regional Chief Conservator of Forests, Bhubaneswar for favour of kind information & necessary action with reference to memo no. 4062 dated 02.03.2023 of the Conservator of Forests, (Nodal), O/o the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Odisha, Bhubaneswar.


9/3/23
Divisional Forest Officer,
Khordha Division, Khordha

OFFICE OF THE DIVISIONAL FOREST OFFICER; NAYAGARH FOREST DIVISION, NAYAGARH
Tel No-06753- 252226 (Fax) E-mail dfo_nayagarh@Odisha.gov.in

Letter No. 2265 /4F- 356 /2023
Dated, Nayagarh, the 13 March., 2023.

To

The Dy. General Manager (Const.)
GAIL India Limited,
612, Utkal Signature Pahala,
NH-5, Bhubaneswar-752101.

Sub:- Proposal of Diversion of 0.6266 ha of forest land for laying of 24"/18" dia Natural Gas pipeline along with OFC from Srikakulam (Andhra Pradesh) to Angul (Odisha) Pipeline laying through Reserved Forests/ Protected Forests falling under your jurisdiction of Nayagarh Forest Division in the state of Odisha (Section) Project by GAIL (India) Ltd-Stage-I approval regarding.
Regarding deposit of **Rs. 6,00,145/-** towards the cost of Net Present Value fund through e-payment mode.

Ref:- 1. Memo No. 4064 dtd. 02.03.2023 of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Forest Diversion & Nodal Officer, FC Act O/o the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & HoFF, Odisha Bhubaneswar
2. Stage-I approval order letter No. 5-ORA548/2023-BHU dt.17.02.2023 issued by the Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Integrated Regional Office A/3, Chandrasekharpur, Bhubaneswar-751023.
3. This office Memo No. 6370 dtd. 23.09.2022.

Sir,

Inviting kind reference to the above cited memo on the captioned subject, it is to inform that, the Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, integrated Regional Office A/3, Chandrasekharpur, Bhubaneswar-751023 has conveyed the "Stage-I/In principal approval order No. 5-ORA548/2023-BHU dt.17.02.2023 for diversion of 6.1487 ha. coming within jurisdiction of Angul Dhenkanal. Athagarh, Khordha, Nayagarh, Ghumsur (South) Berhampur and Paralakhemindi Forest Division for laying of underground Natural Gas Pipeline along with Optical Fiber Cable (OFC) for Srikakulam-Angul Natural Gas Pipeline (SAPL) Odisha. Out of which total 6.1487 ha. to be diverted, 0.6266 ha. forest land i.e. (Revenue Forest 0.2559 ha. and Sabik Forest 0.3707) comes under Nayagarh Forest Division.


As per situation condition no. i of the above Stage-I order, the User Agency shall deposit the cost of Net Present Value through online portal in State CAMPA, account against the forest land to be diverted as per order of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India as well as guidelines issued by the Ministry in conditions.

The details of NPV fund to be deposited by the User Agency is furnished below.

Density of Forests	NPV Cost per ha as per Govt. letter No.5-3/2011-FC(Vol-I) dtd. 06.01.2022	Total area in ha	Cost of NPV calculated (Rs)
Eco Class-III, Open Forest Density<0.1	Rs. 957780	0.6266	Rs 6,00,144.95 or say, Rs 6,00,145

Rupees Six lakh one hundred forty five only/-

Yours faithfully,


Divisional Forest Officer,
Nayagarh Division.

Memo No. 2256 dt. 13.3.23

Copy forwarded to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Forest Diversion & Nodal Officer, FC Act O/o the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & HoFF, Odisha Bhubaneswar for favour of kind information & necessary action with reference to his Memo No. 4060 dtd. 02.03.2023.

W. Sanangi
Divisional Forest Officer,
Nayagarh Division
P. Pradhan

Memo No. 2257 dt. 13.3.23

Copy forwarded to the Regional Chief Conservator of Forests, Bhubaneswar for favour of kind information & necessary action with reference to Memo No. 4062 dtd. 02.03.2023 of Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Forest Diversion & Nodal Officer, FC Act O/o the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & HoFF, Odisha Bhubaneswar.

W. Sanangi
Divisional Forest Officer,
Nayagarh Division
P. Pradhan