

TAMIL NADU FOREST DEPARTMENT

From

Thiru.Sachin Tukaram Bhosale, I.F.S.,
District Forest Officer,
Nilgiris Forest Division,
Udhagamandalam

To

Block Development Officer,
Village Panchayat,
Kotagiri

Ref.No.5681/2022/D Date: 12.09.2022

Sir,

Sub : Forests – Forest (Conservation) Act 1980 –
proposal(No.FP/TN/Road/156883/2022) for diversion of 0.6996 ha of forest
land in Naduhatti Reserved Forests of Nilgiris Forest Division for formation
of cement concrete road to a length of 2332 m to a width of 3.00 m through
the Naduhatty Reserved Forest area from the Kallaty road at Naduhatty
Village Panchayat road in the Nilgiris District to access patta lands for
cultivation purpose in favour of Block Development Officer (VP), Kotagiri
Block, Kotagiri, The Nilgiris District – state Government's in Principal
approval (Stage-I) approval –Regarding.

Ref 1 Environment and Climate Change & Forests (FR-10) Department,
Secretariat, Chennai Letter.No.13735/FR.10/2022-1 dated 05.09.2022

2. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of the Department),
Chennai Ref.No.27269/2022/WL5 dated 12.09.2022

Attention of the User Agency the Block Development Officer (VP), Kotagiri
Block, Kotagiri, the Nilgiris District is invited to the government orders cited where necessary
orders have been issued Stage-I approval for the diversion of 0.6996 ha of forest land in Naduhatty
Reserve Forest of Kattabettu Range in Nilgiris District for formation of cement concrete road to a
length of 2332 m to a width of 3.00 m in Nilgiris District in favour of Block Development Officer
(VP), Kotagiri Block, Kotagiri, the Nilgiris District for a period of 30 years with effect from
05.09.2022 as government orders the User agency as to comply the conditions mentioned there
(Copy enclosed)

In this regard and as a part of condition to be complied in respect of item No.ii, iii,
iv. The user agency requested to pay the amount of Rs.1482515/- As below.

Condition No.ii for erection of 4 feet high cement concrete pillars

As per the above condition it is requested that user agency should construct the cement concrete
pillars with 20 cm x 20 cm size and 4 feet high above ground duly numbered at an interval of 20
meters at both sides.

Condition No.iii- Compensatory Afforestation (CA over 1.00 ha)

As per the above condition it is requested that the user agency has to pay the cost towards
compensatory Afforestation over an extent of degraded forest area as per the Compensatory
Afforestation Scheme including maintenance for period of 10 years @ Rs.451132/-

Condition No.v –Net Present Value

As per the above condition it is requested that the user agency has to pay the Net Present value of proposed forest diversion area an extent of 0.6996 ha @ Rs.781383/-

Condition No.vi – Human Wild life conflict Mitigation plan.

As per the above condition it is requested that the user agency has to pay the cost towards human wildlife conflict mitigation plan @ Rs.250000/-.

Abstract

CA Scheme	451132/-
NPV	781383/-
Human Wild life conflict Mitigation plan	250000/-
Total	1482515/-
(Rupees Fourteen lakhs eighty two thousand five hundred and fifteen only)	

Hence it is requested to the user agency to deposit the above said amount in single payment through the online e-portal (<https://parivesh.nic.in/>) and also requested to submit the undertaking for payment of Additional NPV and arrears of lease rent

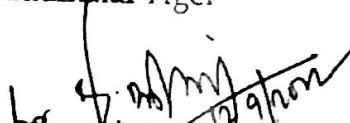
The user agency is requested to comply with the all the conditions mentioned in the Stage –I approval (copy enclosed) and also upload the compliance report by e-portal (<https://parivesh.nic.in/>) after receipt of the compliance report on above mentioned conditions, the proposal will be considered for the final approval (Stage-II). And also inform that this in principle approval shall be valid for period of 5 years from the date of issue of Stage-I approval. In non-compliance of the above conditions, this in-principle approval shall automatically stand revoked after 5 years. Hence it is request that the user agency should submit the compliance report for above mentioned conditions as early as possible.

Encl: As stated above

Yours faithfully
Sd/-Sachin Tukaram Bhosale
District Forest Officer,
Nilgiris Forest Division,
Udhagamandalam

Copy submitted to the Conservator of Forests and Field Director, Mudumalai Tiger Reserve, Udhagamandalam

True copy / by order


Superintendent.

Ref. No. WL5/27269/2022

O/o. the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests,
Panagal Maaligai, Saidapet,
Chennai – 15. Dated: 12-09-2022

Sub: Forests – Wildlife – Proposal for diversion of 0.6996 Ha of Forest Land in Naduhatty RF of Nilgiris Forest Division for formation of Cement concrete road at Kallatty Road at Naduhatty Village – Approval of Human – Wildlife Conflict Mitigation Plan – Regarding.

Ref: Conservator of Forests and Field Director, Mudumalai Tiger Reserve, Udhagamandalam Ref. No. 4511/2022/D1 dated 09-09-2022.

Attention of the Conservator of Forests and Field Director, Mudumalai Tiger Reserve, is invited to the reference cited. It is informed that the Human-Wildlife Conflict Mitigation Plan for the implementation of project "Formation of Cement Concrete road at Kallatty road at Naduhatty Village Panchayat road in The Nilgiris District" is hereby approved. The abstract of mitigation measures are as follows:-

Sl. No.	Name of work	Physical Quantity	Unit cost	Amount (Rs. in Lakhs)
1	Creation of fire line on either side of road to 3 meter width for 2.332 Km	2.332 Km	0.0853	0.20
2	Erection of Awareness boards	3 Nos.	0.10	0.30
3	Creation of Percolation Pond	1 No.	2.00	2.00
	Total			2.50

The following conditions should be strictly adhered

- Implementation of the conservation plan has to be done as proposed without any deviation and the Conservator of Forests and Field Director has to submit progress report to this office monthly.
 - Disturbance to the movement of wildlife in the proposed area should be avoided.
 - All safety measures shall be taken to avoid accidents and structural failures.
 - The works shall be carried out without disturbing or damaging flora, fauna, or habitat of the area.
- 2) This mitigation plan is only for obtaining Forests / Environmental Clearance


from the Competent Authority.

Sd/- Srinivas R. Reddy
Principal Chief Conservator of Forests
and Chief Wildlife Warden (FAC)

To
The Conservator of Forests and Field Director,
Mudumalai Tiger Reserve, Udhagamandalam.

/True Copy / by Order/


12/09/2022
Senior Draughting Officer


12/9/22

From

Thiru.Jayabalan ..
Block Development officer
Village Panchayat
Kotagiri

To

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests
(Head of the Department) & Nodal Officer,
Panagal building, Saidapet,
Chennai – 15

Ref.No. 1029 /2022 Date:16.09.2022

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Chennai Ref.No.27269/2022/WL5dated 12.09.2022
3. The District Forest Officer, Nilgiris Forest Division, Udhagamandalam
Ref.No.5681/2022 dated 12.09.2022

With reference to the letter 1st cited, the government has issued orders Stage-I
approval for the diversion of 0.6996 ha of forest land in Naduhatty Reserve Forest of Kattabettu
Range in Nilgiris District for formation of cement concrete road to a length of 2332 m to a width of
3.00 m in Nilgiris District in favour of Block Development Officer (VP), Kotagiri Block, Kotagiri, the
Nilgiris District for a period of 30 years with effect from 05.09.2022.

In the reference 3rd cited above, the District Forest Officer, Nilgiris Forest Division
has issued demand notice to a sum of Rs.1482515/-, as follows

CA Scheme	451132/-
NPV	781383/-
Human Wild life conflict Mitigation plan	250000/-
Total	1482515/-
(Rupees Fourteen lakhs eighty two thousand five hundred and fifteen only)	

In this regard it is request that necessary arrangements may be provided for making
payment through the online portal. The copy of the demand notice is enclosed for further action.

Enclosure:- As stated above

Yours faithfully


Block Development officer
Village Panchayat
Kotagiri

Copy to the District Forest Officer, Nilgiris Forest Division, Udhagamandalam