

## GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH FOREST DEPARTMENT

Rc.No.4162/2019-TO Dated:04.01.2024

Office of the District Forest Officer, Anakapalli Division, H.Q at Narsipatnam.

From Sri G.Lakshman, Dy.C.F., District Forest Officer (FAC), Anakapalli. To
The Authorized signatory,
M/s. Vindya Tele Links Ltd.,
Plot no.56, Ishaq Colony,
Opp: Syndicate Bank, Picket Branch,
Wellington Road, Near AOC Centre,
Marredpally, Secunderabad – 500 015,
Telangana.

## DEMAND NOTICE

Sir,

Sub:- APFD - FC Act 1980 - Proposal for diversion of **0.14 ha.** of forest land in Compt.no.1205, 1206, 1207 & 1208 of Arilova RF, Arilova Beat in Narsipatnam Range for laying of **Optical Fibre Cable (OFC) from Yerravaram to Pappusettipalem route** in favour of M/s. Vindya Tele Links Ltd., Secunderabad - In-principle (Stage-I approval) - Accorded - Demand Notice issued- Reg.

Ref:-

- 1. GoI, MoEF&CC, IRO, Vijayawada lr.no.4-APB183/2022-VIJ/527, dt. 18.08.2022.
- 2. GoAP Memo No.1408/Section-II/2022/(1755202), EFS&T (Section-II) Department, dt.29.08.2022.
- 3. Prl.CCF (HoFF) A.P., Rc.no.EFS02-15026/3/2021-FCA SEC-PCCF/FCA-3, dt.27.09.2022.
- 4. CCF, Visakhapatnam Rc.no.4112/2023/TO, dated.15.11.2023

It is informed that, in the reference 3<sup>rd</sup> cited, the Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF) A.P., Guntur has communicated the GoAP Memo No.1408 issued by the EFS&T (Section-II) Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh, dt. 29.08.2022 In-principle (Stage-1 approval) under Section 2 of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for diversion of 0.14 ha. of forest land in Compt.no.1205, 1206, 1207 & 1208 of Arilova RF, Arilova Beat in Narsipatnam Range of Anakapalli division (erstwhile Narsipatnam Division) for laying of Optical Fibre Cable (OFC) from Yerravaram to Pappusettipalem route in Golugonda in favour of M/s. Vindya Tele Links Ltd., Secunderabad with certain conditions.

As per the Stage-I approval under condition no. III the User Agency has to be paid the cost of Raising of Plantation in 0.10 ha (100 nos. plants) in degraded forest area. In this regard the C.A. Scheme approved by the Chief Conservator of Forests, Visakhapatnam for 5.0741 Lakhs vide reference 4<sup>th</sup> cited. Hence, the User Agency pay the C.A. amount through e-portal https://parivesh.nic.in/ as detailed below.

SI.	Description	Extent of RF area diverted in ha.	CA area authentica ted in ha.	CA Scheme area prepared in ha.	CA Scheme Rs. in lakh
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	Laying of Optical Fibre Cable (OFC) from Yerravaram to Pappusettipalem route in favour of M/s. Vindya Tele Links Ltd., Secunderabad	0.14	0.10	0.10 (100 nos. plants)	5.0741

The user agency should pay the Compensatory Afforestation (C.A.) Rs. 5.0741 Lakhs for the diverted forest land shall be deposited in CAMPA account, Corporation Bank, CGO Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi- 110003 (RTGS/IFSC No.CORP0000371) and submit the receipts along with the Stage-I compliance report to the conditions stipulated in the reference 1st cited point wise for onward submission to the Chief Conservator of Forests, Visakhapatnam for further action in the matter.

> Yours faithfully, Sd/- G.Lakshman District Forest Officer (FAC) Anakapalli

Copy submitted to the Chief Conservator of Forests, Visakhapatnam for favour of kind information.

Copy to the Forest Range Officer, Narsipatnam for information and necessary action.

//t.c.b.o.// Technical Officer