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

Letter No.3369/Section-II/2017

Dated: 13-09-2017

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 2.30 ha of forest land in Nellore Division for providing approach road to IP Mambattu Phase-I to IP Mambattu Phase-II, in favour of Zonal Manager, Andhra Pradesh Industrial Infrastructure Corporation Limited, Nellore - Proposal under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 - Reg.

Ref: From PCCF & HoFF, Lr.No.14099/2016/ FCA-3, Dt.24-7-2017.

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 2.30 ha of forest land in Nellore Division for providing approach road to IP Mambattu Phase-I to IP Mambattu Phase-II, in favour of Zonal Manager, Andhra Pradesh Industrial Infrastructure Corporation Limited, Nellore.

- I wish to inform that the user agency i.e. Andhra Pradesh Industrial Infrastructure Corporation Limited, Nellore has informed that there is no sufficient Right of Way as there exists Mambattu Village on the other side also the existing Industrial Park is far away (0.80Km) from the R&B road. Further there is no alternate approach road to connect Industrial Park Mambattu Phase-II. The State Government has instructed the APIIC to propose a four Lane Road connecting Phase-I to Phase-II through edges of the Mambattu Reserve Forest of Sullurpeta Beat of Venkatagiri Range of Nellore Division. This is the only possible approach road connecting from Mambattu Phase-I to Mambattu Phase -II. The forest land required is bare minimum area for the purpose and there will be no further requirement of additional area and there is no suitable Private or Government non forest land is available at the site required. The District Collector, SPSR Nellore has issued necessary certificates under Scheduled Tribes & Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006. The proposal has been uploaded on the Ministry's web site and unique file No. FP/AP/ROAD/24225/2017 has been generated. The concerned filed officers and the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force, have recommended the proforma proposal in Part-II, III and IV respectively.
- 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 2.30 ha of forest land in Nellore Division for providing approach road to IP Mambattu Phase-I to IP Mambattu Phase-II, in favour of Zonal Manager, Andhra Pradesh Industrial Infrastructure Corporation Limited, Nellore, at an early date.

Yours faithfully,

for Principal Secretary to Government

Copy to:

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

The Zonal Manager, Andhra Pradesh Industrial Infrastructure Corporation Limited, Nellore.

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(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)

"Recommended to consider the proposal"

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Signature

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Environment, Forests, Science & \\3
Technology Department
A.P. Secretariat, Velagapudi,
Amaravati, Andhra Pradesh

Date: 13-09-2017

Place: Amazavati