



**GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA**

**R.P.A.D**

No. FEE 23 FLL 2023 (e)

Karnataka Government Secretariat  
Multistoried Buildings,  
Bengaluru, Date:21-02-2023.

**From:**

**The Additional Chief Secretary to Government,**  
Forest, Ecology and Environment Department,  
Bengaluru-560001.

**To:**

**The Secretary to Government of India,**  
**Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change,**  
Indira Paryavaran Bhawan, Aliganj,  
Jorbagh Road, New Delhi-110003.

**Sir,**

**Sub:** Diversion of 575.074 (revised from 553.96 ha) hectare of forest land for construction of Dam across Markandeya River and ancillary infrastructure in forest lands of Gokak, Godachinamalki, Konnur and Mavanur Village in Gokak and Hukkeri Taluks, Belagavi District for storing 6 TMC of water under Ghatti Basavanna Drinking Water Supply Project in favour of the Executive Engineer, Karnataka Neeravari Nigam Limited (KNNL), GRBCC Division 3, Gokak, Belagavi District.

**Proposal No. FP/KA/WATER/65437/2020**

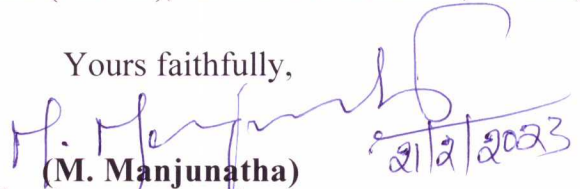
**Ref:** The Principal Chief Conservator of Forest (Head of Forest Force), Bengaluru letter No. KFD/HOFF/A5-2(GFL)/43/2020-FC, Date: 06-02-2023.

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With reference to the above subject, the proposal submitted by the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Bengaluru vide letter referred at above and recommendation of the State Government (Part-V) are herewith enclosed.

I am directed to request you to convey '**in-principle**' (**Stage-I**) **approval** under Section 2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for diversion of 575.074 (revised from 553.96 ha) hectare of forest land for construction of Dam across Markandeya River and ancillary infrastructure in forest lands of Gokak, Godachinamalki, Konnur and Mavanur Village in Gokak and Hukkeri Taluks, Belagavi District for storing 6 TMC of water under Ghatti Basavanna Drinking Water Supply Project in favour of the Executive Engineer, Karnataka Neeravari Nigam Limited (KNNL), GRBCC Division 3, Gokak, Belagavi District.

Yours faithfully,

  
(M. Manjunatha)

Under Secretary to Government  
Forest, Ecology and Environment Department (Forest-C)

21/2/2023

**Part-V**

(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)

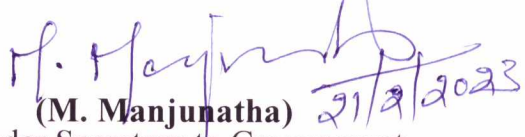
Recommendation of the State Government	Recommended for diversion of 575.074 (revised from 553.96 ha) hectare of forest land for construction of Dam across Markandeya River and ancillary infrastructure in forest lands of Gokak, Godachinamalki, Konnur and Mavanur Village in Gokak and Hukkeri Taluks, Belagavi District for storing 6 TMC of water under Ghatti Basavanna Drinking Water Supply Project in favour of the Executive Engineer, Karnataka Neeravari Nigam Limited (KNNL), GRBCC Division 3, Gokak, Belagavi District. for period of Twenty (20) Years. <b>Proposal No. FP/KA/WATER/65437/2020</b>
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(Adverse comments made by any officers or authority in part-II or Part -III or Part-IV above should be specifically commented upon)

Signature :

Name :

Office Seal :

  
(M. Manjunatha) 21/2/2023

Under Secretary to Government  
Forest, Ecology and Environment Department (Forest-C)

  
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( Forest-C & Co-Ordination )

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