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GOVERNMENT OF ARUNACHAL PRADESH DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT & FORESTS

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No.FOR.13-58/Cons/2021/ 50 83 - 85

Dated, Itanagar 23 Dec'2021.

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The Assistant Vice President, VAPI-II North Lakhimpur Transmission Ltd., Assam.

Sub:- Proposal for diversion of 24.602 ha forestland for construction of 132 KV D/C transmission line from Pare HEP to North Lakhimpur by VAPI-II North Lakhimpur Transmission Ltd. In Papum Pare District of Arunachal Pradesh.

Ref:- IRO, Guwhati's letter No. 3-AN C 052/2021-GHY/1638-1639 dated 09.12.2021.

Sir,

Please find enclosed herewith a copy of letter No. 3-AN C 052/2021-GHY/1638-1639 dated 09.12.2021, vide which, Govt. of India, Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Integrated Regional Office, Guwahati has conveyed in-principle approval for diversion of 24.602 ha forestland for construction of 132 KV D/C transmission line from Pare HEP to North Lakhimpur by VAPI-II North Lakhimpur Transmission Ltd. In Papum Pare District of Arunachal Pradesh. You are requested to arrange to transfer the following amounts at an early date to enable this office to submit compliance report for obtaining final approval.

1.	Compensatory Afforestation over 49.50 ha. as per detailed estimate enclosed	::	Rs.1,47,75,300/-
2.	Cost of NPV over 24.602 ha.	::	Rs.2,31,01,278/-
3	Cost of Dwarf Species Plantation for 24.60 ha as per detailed estimate enclosed.	::	Rs. 70,96,600/-

Further, you are requested to ensure compliance of all the conditions individually & separately and submit necessary undertakings in respect of relevant items wherever required to this office immediately along with compliance report. It may be noted that non-compliance of conditions individually is one of the most common cause of delay after remittance of amount/money towards compensatory levies.

The amounts mentioned at Sl. No. 1 to 3 above totalling Rs.4,49,73,178/- (Rupees four crore forty nine lakh seventy three thousand one hundred seventy eight) only is to be deposited by generating challan through on-line mode on web portal (https://parivesh.nic.in) to the Union Bank of India, Sundar Nagar Branch, New Delhi-110003 (IFSC Code No. UBIN0534498) for credit in Account No. CAF Arunachal Pradesh 520101263743426. Certified copy of the receipt No. of remittance may be sent to this office for record.

Besides above, an undertaking to the effect that extraction cost of the project affected trees as calculated by the Department of Environment & Forests on the basis of actual number of trees to be felled will be paid by the User Agency may be submitted alongwith the compliance report of stipulated conditions of AIP. The extraction cost of trees actually to be felled is to be worked out by the DFO concerned and to be submitted to this office for approval and after obtaining approval, payment to be made by the User Agency.

Also, it is requested not to break the forest land till final approval of the proposal is granted under the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.

Enclo: As stated above

Yours faithfully

(K.B.Singh)

Addl. Principal CCF (Cons)