GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA FOREST DEPARTMENT

Telangana Fiber Grid Corporation Ltd. Government of Telangana

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From: Sri. M. Ravi Prasad, Dy.CF District Forest Officer, Medak.

To:
M/s Telangana Fiber Grid Corporation,, 0424076
7th floor, splendid Towers,

Near rasoolpura Metro station, S.P. Road, Begumpet, Hyd-500003.

Sir,

Rc.No.1279/2022/S4/S6, Dt.18.04.2024.

Sub: TSFD - Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 - Proposal for "Diversion of forest land to an extent of 2.7283 ha in Medak Forest division of Medak District for Laying of Optical Fiber Cable along the road for execution of T-Fiber Project in Medak District in favour of M/s. Telangana Fiber Grid Corporation Limited - Stage-I approval accorded - **Demand notice issued** - Reg.

Ref: 1. GoI, MoEF&CC, suboffice (RO Chennai) Hyderabad F.No.4-TSB337/2023-HYD/78, Dt.14.03.2024.

2. PCCF, TS, Hyd Rc.No.PCCF-FC3/FC15/74/2022-FCA Section, Dt.17.03.2024.

- 3. This office Rc.No.1279/2022/S4/S6, Dt.10.04.2024.
- 4. CCF, Rajanna Rc.No.3563/M2/2023, Dt.16.04.2024.

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It is submitted that, the Govt. vide reference 1st cited has accorded stage –I approval for Diversion of forest land to an extent of 2.7283 ha in Medak forest division of Medak District for Laying of Optical Fiber Cable along the road for execution of T-Fiber Project in Medak District in favour of M/s. Telangana Fiber Grid Corporation Limited, subject to fulfillment of certain conditions stipulated therein. The same has been communicated by the Prl.CCF(HoFF), TS, Hyd through reference 2nd cited with instructions to prepare demand note for payment of compensatory levies and submit the demand note to concerned the circle head for vetting and raise the demand with the User Agency after approval, duly indicating the account into which the amounts to be deposited by the User Agency.

In compliance of the above instructions, draft demand notice is prepared and vetted from the CCF, Rajanna through the reference 4th cited above. The details are as follows.

DRAFT DEMAND NOTICE

S. No	Description of Item	Amount to be deposited by the UA (inRs.)	Account into which Amount to be deposited
1	Cost of NPV (Net present value of 0.2379 ha (Outside sanctuary without RoW area) x 11,16,900 / ha)	2,65,711	Adhoc CAMPA
2	Cost of NPV (Net present value of 0.1868 ha (Sanctuary area) x 11,16,900 / ha) X 5 times	10,43,185	account of Telangana through e-portal method at Ministry's portal.
3	Cost of compensatory afforestation–for raising and maintaining minimum 100plants, as no tree felling is involved	45,10,500	
4	Mitigation Plan	10,90,000	
		69,09,396	
1	Boundary Pillars		
A	Big Pillars of 1.2 m base of 4' height – 60627.27 Mtr/500mtrs either side of alignment = 123 No's @ Rs.12000 per pillar	14,76,000	CA PD Account of DFO, Medak vide Indian Bank A/c No. 6339497946, Medak Branch, IFSC No.IDIB000M026
b	Cost of erecting pre-fabricated reinforced Cement concrete pillars of 4 feet height @ 20 m interval for a length of 60627.27 mtrs – 3032 Nos – 123 Big Pillars = 2909 Nos @ Rs.900 per Pillar	26,18,100	
2	Enumeration charges	1,09,485	
	Total	42,03,585	

NOTE: Total Diversion area is 2.7283 Ha. Out of this an area of 2.3038 Ha was passing through RoW. Hence, the same may be exempted from NPV as per GoI, MoEF, New Delhi vide F.No.FC-11/43/2022-FC, Dt.22.08.2022 and no exemption in sanctuary areas.

Further, it is requested the User Agency to deposit an amount of Rs.69.09.396 (Rupees Sixty-nine Lakhs nine thousand three hundred and ninety-six only) in the Telangana State Compensatory Afforestation Fund Management and Planning Authority (CAMPA) saving bank Account maintained in the Corporation Bank, CGO Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi-110003, through online mode only, through e-portal method at MoEF&CC, GOI, New Delhi portal i.e., http://parivesh.nic.inby generating the challan in consultation with Nodal Officer, Telangana State Forest Department. The user agency needs to upload the demand notice against the project for approval by Nodal

Officer (FCA), Telangana and generate challan after approval. The payment to be made against the Challan number and the Challan is valid for one week. A step-by-step process is available at http://parivesh.nic.in

In addition to the above, the User Agency shall deposit an amount of Rs.42,03,585/-(Rupees Forty-two Lakhs three Thousand five hundred and eighty five only) into the PD Account of District Forest Officer, Medak, as given above towards constriction of Boundary pillars and enumeration charges etc.

Further, the User Agency is requested to comply with following in accordance with the MoEF&CC, GoI instructions issued vide F.no.7-23-2012-FC, Dt.24.07.2013 communicated vide Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests, A.P Hyderabad Rc.45921/2001/F4, Dt.23.08.2013:

- Publish the entire forest clearances granted in verbatim along with the condition and safe-guards imposed by the Central government in two widely circulated daily newspaper one is vernacular language and the other in English granted to the project proponent for the use of forest land for the non-forest purposes.
- 2. The copies of the forest clearance should also be submitted to the heads of local bodies, Panchayats and municipal bodies by the project proponents in addition to the relevant offices of the Government who in turn has to display the same for 30 days.

Therefore, the user agency is requested to comply with the other conditions as directed in ref 1stand 2nd cited in addition to the above payments and submit the compliance report on the conditions stipulated by the Govt. for obtaining Stage II (final) approval.

Yours Faithfully

District Forest Officer,

Medak.

· Copy submitted to the PCCF (FCA), TS, hyd for favour of kind information.

 Copy submitted to the CCF, Rajanna Circle, Siddipet for favour of kind information.

> District Forest Officer, Medak.