

GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA
FOREST DEPARTMENT

Forward No 1118

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Chief Engineer Irrigation,
Mancherial

From

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To

The Executive Engineer,
Irrigation Department, MIP Division
Mancherial.

Rc.No.3421/2017/D5, Date:- 21.08.2023.

Sir,

Sub:- TSFD - FC Act, 1980 - Proposals for diversion of 18.083 Ha Forest Land in Bellampally Division for Excavation of Left Flank Main Canal and 8-R Distributory for Neelwai Medium Irrigation Project in Mancherial District (Package No.12) in favour of Executive Engineer, Irrigation Department, MIP Division, Mancherial - In principle (Stage-I) approval accorded - 73rd meeting of standing committee of National Board for wildlife- Depositing funds into CAMPA account (Adhoc CAMPA) for Wildlife Mitigation plan- Demand notice raised - Reg.

- Ref:-
1. GoI, MoEF & CC F.No.WL-6/106/2023-WL Dt.07.08.2023.
 2. GoI, MoEF & CC, Forest Conservation Division FC-11/43/2021-FC, Dt.07.07.2023.
 3. Prl.CCF(WL) & Chief Wildlife Warden Rc.No.16008/2017/WL-1, Dt.21.08.2023.

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Adverting to the subject and references cited above the Prl.CCF(WL) & Chief Wildlife Warden vide reference 3rd cited above has informed that the NBWL MoEF & CC, GoI has approved the proposal for diversion of 18.083 Ha Forest Land in Bellampally Division for Excavation of Left Flank Main Canal and 8-R Distributory for Neelwai Medium Irrigation Project in Mancherial District (Package No.12) in favour of Executive Engineer, Irrigation Department, MIP Division, Mancherial with the following conditions:

1. After discussions, the Standing Committee decided that Standard Operating Procedure may be developed by a committee under the Chairmanship of Inspector General of Forests, Forest Conservation Division to deal with case of violation placed before the Standing Committee.
2. User agency shall supply water to Wild Animals during the dry summer month from the canal to be laid.
3. The User agency to take up the planning in the gaps along alignment.
4. The proposed works should blend with the forest in such a way that the wildlife is not disturbed.
5. Work shall be carried out from 6.00 AM to 6.00 PM only.
6. The material for carrying out the proposed works shall be kept outside the Forest area. As and when required they should be carried to the site during execution only.
7. No labour camp should be established inside the forest area or the protected area during the execution of the work.
8. The debris formed due to the execution of the works shall be taken away from the forest area on day-to-day basis.
9. Caution sign boards (flourescent/radium) about animal crossing as per the advice of the Forest Department should be provided by User agency at appropriate places along the canals.
10. The User agency shall provide funds which shall be deposited in BIOSOT account of Chief Wild Life Warden for taking up the following mitigation measures over next 3 years to minimize the impact of the proposed project on the wildlife habitat falling in ESZ of Pranahitha Wildlife Sanctuary.
11. The annual compliance certificate on the stipulated conditions should be submitted by the project proponent to the State Chief Wild Life Warden.

Further, it is informed that the Chief Wildlife Warden, TS, Hyderabad has approved wildlife mitigation plan for Rs. 50.295 Lakhs .

In this regard, the Executive Engineer, Irrigation Department, MIP Division, Mancherial is requested to deposit the funds of Rs. 50.295 Lakhs in the Telangana CAMPA (Adhoc CAMPA) Account through the Ministry's Website i.e., <http://parivesh.nic.in> by generating the challan in consultation with the Nodal Officer (FCA) O/o Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, TS, Hyderabad. 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 view of the above, the Executive Engineer, Irrigation Department, MIP Division, Mancherial is requested to submit the compliance report as per the above for taking further course of action in the matter.

This is submitted for favour of kind information and necessary action.

Yours faithfully

Sd/-District Forest Officer,
Mancherial

Copy submitted to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Telangana Hyderabad for favour of kind information.

Copy submitted to the Nodal Officer (FCA), O/o PCCF(HoFF), Aranya Bhawan, Saifabad, Hyderabad for favor of kind information

Copy submitted to the Chief Conservator of Forests, Field Director Project Tiger, KTR Nirmal for favour of information.

Sd/-District Forest Officer,
Mancherial

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Superintendent

21/8/23