## GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA FOREST DEPARTMENT

From Sri. Rohith Gopidi, IFS., District Forest Officer (FAC), Nagarkurnool. To The District Panchayat Raj Engineer, PIU Division, Nagarkurnool.

# Rc. No.69/NGKL/S4/2022, Dated: // .08.2022. DEMAND NOTICE

Sir,

Sub:
TSFD - F(C) Act, 1980 - PMGSY-III (BT-II) - Pack No. TS18VDIII A-07 - Mahabubnagar Circle - Nagarkurnool Dist., - Diversion of 0.9366 Ha. Of Forest Land for R/F of NH 765 to Gangattu Tanda of Veldanda Mandal of Nagarkurnool Dist., in favour of District Panchayat Raj Engineer, PIU Division, Nagarkurnool -in-principle (Stage-I) approval - Accorded - Request for compliance of conditions stipulated by the Govt. Deposit an amount of Rs. 27,75,837/- - Revised Demand Notice - issued - Reg.

Ref:-

- 1. Prl.CCF (HoFF),TS, Hyd Ref.No.592/2021/FCA-1, dt.18.05.2021.
- 2. This office Rc.No.0318/S4/2021, dt.23.06.2021
- 3. FRO, Nagarkurnool Rc.No.17/NGKL/2021, dt.28.07.2021.
- 4. FDO, Achampet Rc.No.318/S4/2021, dt. 27/09/2021.
- 5. FDO, Achampet Rc.No.318/S4/2021, dt.27.9.2021.
- 6. State Govt. GO.Rt.No.28, EFS&T (For-I) Dept., dt.09.02.2022.
- 7. Prl.CCF (HoFF), TS, Hyd, Rc.No.592/2021/FCA-I, dt.14.03.2022.
- 8. FDO, Achampet Rc.No.318/\$4/2021, dt.29.03.2022.
- 9. This office Rc.No.69/NGKL/\$4/2022, dt.29.03.2022.
- 10. Gol, MoEF & CC (Forest Conservation Division), File No.5-3/2011-FC(Vol-I), dt.06.01.2022. (Communicated on 01.04.2022)

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In continuation of this office reference 9<sup>th</sup> cited above, it is to submit that, the Government of Telangana State, Hyderabad has accorded in -principle Stage-I approval for diversion of 0.9366 ha of forest land for formation of road from NH 765 to Gangattu Thanda of Veldanda mandal & Construction of Bridge across Pedda vagu on Road from NH 765 to Gangattu Thanda at 5/400 to 5/600 of Nagarkurnool District in favour of District Panchayat Raj Engineer, PIU Division, Nagarkurnool. (G.O. Copy 6<sup>th</sup> cited is enclosed herewith).

Further, it is to submit that vide reference 10<sup>th</sup> cited above and in compliance of order dated.28.03.2008 of Hon'ble Court and with the approval of the competent authority, the NPV rates have been revised for levying NPV in lieu of diversion of forest land. Accordingly, the same has been revised.

The User agency is requested to submit the compliance report on the following conditions:

#### Condition No. 2:

The demarcation of the forest area proposed for diversion shall be carried out by erecting cement concrete pillars duly numbered, the cost of user agency shall pay an amount of Rs.360000/- (total length 1100 mtrs is falling in Achampet Division Nagarkurnool District, hence, 30 big pillars @ Rs.12000/-per pillars & Rs.240000/- (Construction of Percolation Tank (2 nos.) @ Rs.120000/- per and Rs.650000/- (1 no. Drilling of borewell along with Solar pump at percolation site)

### Condition No. 3:

The Compensatory afforestation scheme proposed for an amount of Rs.5,67,000/- in Compt.No.434 of Cherkur RF of Cherkur Beat, Charakonda Section of Nagarkurnool Range of Achampet Division, Nagarkurnool District.

#### Condition No. 4 a:

The user agency shall pay the Net Present Value (NPV) of the diverted forest land as per the orders of the Hon'ble supreme Court of India, dt.28.03.2008 in Writ Petition (Civil) No.202 of 1996 and as per the guidelines issued by the Ministry Gol, MoEF and CC (FCD) vide letters No.55-3/2011-FC(Vol-I), dt.06.01.2022. Cherkur RF Block Forest type is Tropical Dry Deciduous Forests. As per the classification of the forest the rate of NPV is fixed as **Rs.9.57.780/**-per Ha. Accordingly, the user agency shall pay **Rs.8.97.057/**- for diversion of 0.9366 Ha Forest Land.

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Condition No. 4 b: Additional amount of Net Present Value (NPV) of the diverted forest land, if any, becoming due after revision of the same by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in future, shall be paid by the User Agency. The User agency shall furnish an undertaking to this effect.

Condition No. 22:

Any other condition that the Ministry of environment, Forests & Climate Change,
Government of India as well as State Forest Department / PCCF (HoFF) may
stipulated from time to time in the interest of conservation, protection and

development of forests & wildlife, shall be complied by the user agency.

Condition No.28: Other Conditions specified in the GOI, MoEF & CC, New Delhi vide F.No.7-

23/2012-FC, dt.24.07.2013 communicated vide PCCF's Ref.No.45921/2001/F4, dt.23.08.2013 shall also be compiled with by principal chief conservator of Forests, Telangana State, Hyderabad and User

Agency with which they are concerned.

The User Agency has to deposit an amount of **Rs.14,64,057/-** (NPV Rs. 8,97,057/- + CA Rs.5,67,000/-) (Rupees Fourteen lakhs sixty-four thousand and fifty-seven only) through online mode 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.

The payment has to be made through e-portal method at MoEF & CC, GOI, New Delhi portal i.e., www. forestsclearance.nic.in by generating the challan in consultation with Nodal Officer, Telangana State Forest Department.

The User Agency is also to pay an amount of Rs. 61,780/- (Rupees Sixty-one thousand seven hundred and eighty only) towards cost of extraction and transportation of trees in the proposed area, Rs. 3,60,000 /- towards cost of construction of boundary pillars and Rs. 8,90,000 /- towards cost of SMC works. The total amount of Rs 12,50,000 /- (Rupees Twelve lakhs fifty thousand only). The above amount is to be deposit with the Forest Divisional Officer, Achampet (PD Account) i.e., A/c No. 178810100089323 of Union Bank of India, Achampet Branch, IFSC: UBIN0817881.

Hence the User Agency is further requested to submit compliance report on the conditions stipulated to by government along with all necessary enclosures in six sets in original so as to submit the compliance report to the Government for according the Stage-II approval. Until final approval is received the user agency should not take up any activity in the area proposed for diversion as it attracts the provisions of the Forest Conservation Act, 1980.

This is submitted for favour of information and necessary action.

Yours faithfully,

District Forest Officer (FAC), Nagarkurnool

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

**Copy** submitted to the Chief Conservator of Forests/ Field Director, Amrabad Tiger Reserve, Achampet Circle, for favour of kind information.

Copy submitted to the District Collector and Magistrate, Nagarkurnool for favour of kind information.

**Copy** to the Forest Range Officer, Nagarkurnool for information and he is requested to see that the above conditions stipulated by government should be compiled with by user agency and ensure that no work is taken up by the user agency without final approval by the government.

District Forest Officer (FAC), Nagarkurnool.