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PART - V

(To be filled up 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)

1. Recommendation of the State Government

The proposal is recommended vide Government letter

No.FLD-1918/ CR-265/ F-10

Dated: 27/11/2018

(Virendra Tiwari)
Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests
(Mantralaya)

VIRENDRA TIWARI
Additional Principal
Chief Conservator of Forests (Mantralaya)
Revenue and Forest Department
Mantralaya, Mumbai 400 032

Place: Mumbai

Date: 27/11/2018

Government of Maharashtra

By Speed Post

No.FLD-1918/ C.R.265/ F-10 Revenue and Forest Department, Room No.456/461 Annex, Hutatma Rajguru Chowk, Madam Cama Marg, Mantralaya, Mumbai- 400 032.

Date: - 27/11/2018

To.

The Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Central), Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Regional Office, West Central Region, Ground Floor, East Wing, New Secretariat Building, Civil Lines, Nagpur- 440 001.

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Sir,

The proposal is for diversion of 0.148 ha Reserved Forest land for laying of underground 22 KV, 400 mm H.T. Cable Electric line for Supply of electricity to Hirschvogel Components India Pvt. Ltd., Ranjangaon, Tal Shirur, Distt-Pune from Village Koregaon Bhima to Sanaswadi in Tal. Shirur, Dist. Pune in the State of Maharashtra. No non-forest area involved in the project. The details of Forest land proposed for diversion are as under:-

Village	Taluka	District	Survey No./	Legal	Area in	Remarks
			Comptt No.	Status	Ha.	
						For laying of
Koregaon	Shirur	Pune	Survey No 675	Reserved	0.148	underground 22
Bhima			Comptt No 303	Forest		KV, 400mm H.T.
	:		_			Cable Electric line
					:	(Length 425x3.5m
						= 1487.5 sq.m.
Total Area in Hectare					0.148	

The project has been initiated by Chief Financial Officer, Hirschvogel Components 2. India Pvt. Ltd., Plot No E-84, MIDC Ranjangaon, Tal. Shirur, Dist. Pune for laying of underground 22 KV, 400 mm H.T.Cable Electric line from Village Koregaon Bhima to Sanaswadi in Tal. Shirur, Dist. Pune in the State of Maharashtra.

Hirschvogel Components India Private Limited has setup its own new plant in Gut No. 893/3 & Gut No 898/4 at Sanaswadi, Tal. Shirur, Dist. Pune to meet the growing demands of customers and also plan to manufacture gears and injector bodies besides the existing products such as CV joints and shafts. Company employs 300 people.

The area of Sanasawadi is declared Industrial zone. Company set up a new and modern plant in its owned premise situated in Gut No 893/3 & Gut No 898/4 at Sanaswadi, Tal. Shirur, Dist. Pune. There is electric supply pole in the forest land near company. The surrounding area of company, there is no other electric line supply pole available to supply electricity for company. Hence, company intends to lay out underground 22KV 400mm H.T. Cable electric line passing through the Reserved Forest compt. No. 303, Gut No. 675 at village Koregaon Bhima, Tal-Shirur, Distt-Pune.

The alignment of proposed electric line is passing through the Forest compt. No 303, Gut No. 675 of village Koregaon Bhima. All possible alternatives were examined by project authority but there is no alternative non forest land available for the purpose. Therefore the project authority has submitted the proposal for diversion of 0.15 ha. Reserved Forest land of forest compt. No. 303, Gut No. 675 of village Koregaon Bhima under the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.

- 3. The Deputy Conservator of Forests, Junnar has certified that no suitable non-forest land is available for the proposal and demand for the required forest land is the barest minimum.
- 4. The Deputy Conservator of Forests, Junnar has certified that, there is electric supply pole in the forest land near company, there is no other electric line supply pole available to supply electricity for Company in the surrounding area of company, because of these circumstances there is no option to examine other alternatives. The required land is unavoidable and barest minimum.
- 5. The Deputy Conservator of Forests, Junnar has certified that there is no cutting and felling of trees in the project.
- 6. Deputy Conservator of Forests, Junnar has certified that provisions of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and guidelines under it have not been violated by the user agency.
- 7. The Deputy Conservator of Forests, Junnar has proposed degraded forest land of Compartment No 303 Gut No 154 of village Dingrajwadi (Koregaon Bhima), Tal. Shirur, Dist. Pune for compensatory afforestation and certified that proposed area is suitable for plantation.
- 8. The Deputy Conservator of Forests, Junnar has certified that the area involved in project is not included of any National Park, Wildlife Sanctuary and the Nature Reserve.
- 9. The Deputy Conservator of Forests, Junnar has certified that proposed site is not likely to affect any monuments, site of cultural, historical, religious, archeological or recreational importance.
- 10. The Deputy Conservator of Forests, Junnar has certified that the proposed project is beyond 10 kms from National Park/Sanctuary.
- 11. The project area belongs to Eco-Value class III, Open Forest.

- 12. Site inspection report of Deputy Conservator of Forests, Junnar dated 07/10/2016 is attached with the proposal.
- 13. The user agency has submitted the District Collector, Pune certificate dated 31/03/2018 regarding compliance under the Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Rights) Act 2006.
- 14. The user agency has submitted an undertaking to defray the cost of Net Present Value of the forest land proposed for diversion.
- 15. The user agency has submitted the undertaking to defray the cost as determined by the forest department of compensatory afforestation.
- 16. The user agency has submitted an undertaking to bear the cost of clearance/removal of vegetation growth from the forest land proposed for diversion
- 17. The Deputy Conservator of Forests Junnar has recommended the proposal.
- 18. Chief Conservator of Forests (T), Pune has recommended the proposal for approval with following condition: "The user agency may provide Rs. 25,000/- towards construction of wildlife waterhole."
- 19. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Maharashtra State, Nagpur has recommended the proposal subject to the conditions, given in his specific recommendations, under Section-2 (ii) of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980. His specific recommendations are enclosed in the proposal.
- 20. In the circumstances explained in above paragraphs and enclosures, the State Government recommends that the said forest land may be allowed to be diverted for the nonforestry use on the conditions proposed by the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Maharashtra State, Nagpur. The matter may kindly be placed before Government of India for its approval under Section-2 (ii) of the Forest (Conservation) Act ,1980 and the same may please be obtained and communicated to this Government at earliest.

Yours faithfully,

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(Virendra Tiwari) 27 \ \ \ \ Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Mantralaya)

Encl: A) Set of case papers

- b) The following documents are enclosed:-
- 1. Prescribed form as per Rules
- 2. Certificate regarding minimum demand for forest land for the project
- 3. Area Statement
- 4. Index map of suitable scale
- 5. Commitment from the Applicant for defraying the cost of exploitation as well as cost of compensatory plantation

- 6. User Agency has given an undertaking of Net Present Value
- 7. Brief note of the project from the project authority
- 8. Map of non-forest land for compensatory afforestation
- 9. Site Inspection Report
- 10. Certificate that there is no violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980
- 11. Certificate in Part-V.

Copy to:

- 1. Principal Secretary (Tribal), Tribal Development Department, Mantralaya, Mumbai
- 2. Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and Nodal Officer, Maharashtra State, Nagpur
 - 3. Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (CAMPA), Maharashtra State, Nagpur
 - 4. Chief Conservator of Forests (T), Pune
 - 5. Collector, Pune
 - 6. Deputy Conservator of Forests, Junnar
 - 7. Chief Financial Officer, Hirschvogel Components India Pvt. Ltd., Plot No E-84, MIDC Ranjangaon, Tal. Shirur, Dist. Pune
- 8. Select File F-10.