Forest Land- Chandrapur.

Diversion of 0.85 ha. Forest land for construction of 33/11 KV Sub Station for Chandrapur Forest Academy.

Government of Maharashtra Revenue and Forest Department Government Order No.FLD-2019/C.R.300/F-10 Mantralaya, Mumbai-400 032. Date: 24.06.2022

Ref.:

- 1) Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Nodal Officer, Maharashtra State, Nagpur, Letter No. Desk-17/NC/I/I.D-990/19-20, Dt.13.09.2019
- 2) Revenue and Forest Department, Government of Maharashtra, Government Order No. FLD-2019/C.R.300/F-10, Dt. 09.10.2020
- 3) Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Nodal Officer, Letter No. Desk-17/Nodal/Chandrapur/12733/1315/21-22, Dt. 21.10.2021.

Order:

Whereas, the Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Nodal Officer, Maharashtra State, Nagpur, vide his letter under reference No.1 has submitted a proposal for diversion of 0.85 ha. Forest land for construction of 33/11 KV Sub Station for Chandrapur Forest Academy at Chandrapur.

AND whereas, Government of Maharashtra after due consideration, vide its order under reference No. 2 accorded 'In-principle' approval with certain conditions to above proposal for diversion of 0.85 ha. forest land under section 2 of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980;

AND whereas, the Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Nodal Officer, Maharashtra State, Nagpur, vide letter under reference No. 3 has submitted compliance of those conditions to the Government of Maharashtra;

NOW, therefore, in exercise of powers conferred to State Government under general approval granted vide MoEF&CC, Government of India's Handbook of Guidelines for effective and transparent implementation of the provisions of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 [Chapter-4, Para-4.3 (i)], Government of Maharashtra is pleased to grant **Final Approval** for Diversion of 0.85 ha. Forest Land.

Therefore, the Government of Maharashtra directs that 0.85 ha. Forest Land consisting of Reserved Forest Land more specifically described in the proposal submitted vide letter under reference No.1 and mentioned in the Schedule given below, be diverted to the User Agency, i.e. Additional Director, Chandrapur Forest Academy of Administrative Development & Management for construction of 33/11 KV Sub Station for Chandrapur Forest Academy at Chandrapur. This approval for diversion of forest land is also subject to compliance of following conditions by the User Agency-

1. The diversion shall be effected subject to the terms and conditions mentioned in the Order dated 09.10.2020.

- 2. The User Agency shall comply with all the conditions stipulated in the above mentioned 'In-principle' and in this order of Government of Maharashtra. The Chief Conservator of Forests (Territorial), Chandrapur shall ensure the strict compliance of the conditions by the User Agency. CCF will furnish the report in this regard to Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and Nodal Officer, Maharashtra State, Nagpur from time to time.
- 3. Non-compliance of any of the conditions mentioned in Government of Maharashtra's order dated 09.10.2020, in this order and Rules and Guidelines made / issued under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, shall amount to violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and action would be taken accordingly.
- 4. In case of non-compliance of any of the above conditions, the concerned Chief Conservator of Forests / Deputy Conservator of Forests shall report through the State Government to Regional Officer (Central), Integrated Regional Office, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Government of India, Nagpur as per procedure laid down in the guidelines under the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.

SCHEDULE

Sr.	Item of Works	District	Compartment No.	Area (in ha.)	Legal status
No			110.	(m na.)	
1.	Switch Yard	Chandrapur	403	0.400	Reserved Forest
2.	Control Room	-		0.012	
3.	Store Room	-		0.005	
4.	Inner Road	1		0.029	
5.	Watchman Cabin	1		0.002	
6.	Safety Margin Area	1		0.353	
7.	Approach Road	1		0.050	
Total Forest Area (ha.)				0.85	

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By order and in the name of the Governor of Maharashtra,

(Ganesh Jadhao)

Under Secretary to the Government of Maharashtra

Copy to:

 Secretary, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Government of India, New Delhi

- 3. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Maharashtra State, Nagpur
- 4. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Wildlife), Maharashtra State, Nagpur
- 5. Regional Officer (Central), Integrated Regional Office, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Government of India, Nagpur.
- 6. PCCF& Chief Executive Officer (Maha-CAMPA), Maharashtra State, Nagpur
- 7. Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and Nodal Officer, M.S., Nagpur
- 8. Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Conservation), M.S., Nagpur
- 9. Chief Conservator of Forests (Territorial), Chandrapur
- 10. Collector, Chandrapur.
- 11. Chief Executive Officer, Zilha Parishad, Chandrapur.
- 12. Divisional Forest Officer, Chandrapur.
- 13. Additional Director, Chandrapur Forest Academy of Administrative Development & Management, Chandrapur.
- 14. Select File, Desk F-10.