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Letter No:-GL.88/2021/B-2246

Date- 02.07.2021

To.

The Chief General Manager (HSE) & Nodal Officer-Oil-(FC/FC/NBWL) Oil, Safety and Environment Department, Dulisjan.

Sub:-

Requirement of fund relating to diversion proposal of 3.355 ha. forest land for drilling location MKD in Mesaki R.F. subject to approval of Wildlife Management Plan and allocation thereof. and also subject to shifting of drilling site MKD from the proposed site to another suitable area.

Ref:-

"In Principle Approval" of Chief Conservator of Forests and I/C Nodal Officer (F.C. Act), Q/o the PCCF & HoFF, Assam's letter No. (1). FG. 27/Nodal/Proposal/OiL/MKD dt. 13.04.2021 and (2). Letter No. FG. 27/Nodal/Proposal/OiL/MKD dt. 24.06.2021 and this office letter No.

(1)GL.88/2021/B-1768 dt.17.05.2021.& (2)GL.88/2021/B-1965 dt.09.06.2021

Sir,

With reference to the above and as per letter No. FG.27/ Nodal/ Proposal/OIL /MKD Dt.24/06/2021 of the CFF & Nodal Officer (FC. Act), O/o the PCCF & HoFF, Assam I would like to re-submit herewith the "In Principle Approval" for diversion of proposed of 3.545 Ha. forest land for drilling location MKD in Mesaki RF under Doomdooma Division in favour of Oil India Ltd.

As directed to place the requisition for the required fund under CAMPA, I would like to mention here categorically that it was assured by the then Head Land of Oil India Ltd. Duliajan vide letter Ref. No.Land/3/MKD/05/2010 dt.22/07/2014 in his point No.10 with the following note that "facts were recorded regarding the distance of school from the project boundary (273 Metres), from the Drilling point to LP School (375 Metres), and Drilling point to nearest habitat Sri Prabin Handique (329 Metres). Hence, we would like to mention that OIL would carry out quantitative risk assessment and prepare Disaster Management Plan to mitigate the impacts due to the proposed drilling operations and comply with the recommendations as per the report. As regards your observation on impact on the Wildlife, due to drilling operation, OIL shall prepare Wildlife Conservation Plan in consultation with the Assam Forest & Wildlife Department for implementation at the project site. The funds required for the purpose shall be earmarked separately". Therefore, both the plans i.e., Wildlife Management Plan & Disaster Management Plan (draft) have been proposed (copy enclosed) which may kindly be looked into with a serious view and observation from your end so that nothing unwanted happenings or mishap may take place if the proposed drilling works are operated.

So far the proposed drilling operation under MKD is concerned, it is highly important to note that the following is the distance of the river, school, nearest habitat and cultivation land from the Civil area as stated below.

S1 No	Name of the Drilling Site	Important points in Civil Area	Distance
1	MKD	Dhola River from the boundary of the project	15-50 Metre
2	MKD	L.P. School	273 Mtre
3	MKD	Nearest habitant, Sri Prabin Handique	329 Mtre
4	MKD	Cultivation land	25-50 Mtre

In this connection the distance from the proposed drilling site may please be referred to. Further, the CCF & Nodal Officer(Fc-Act) Assam O/o the PCCF & HoFF Assam's letter under reference you are requested to transfer/deposit the below mention amount in respect of 3.355 Ha. Forest land for drilling location MKD in Mesaki RF under Doomdooma Division to CAMPA fund only through the Ministry's Web Portal www.parivesh.nic.in -

Name of location	Particulars	Amount (in Rs)
MKD	Net present value (as per proposal)	3328755.00
	Compensatory Afforestation (8.0Ha. as per revised norms)	4891051.00
	50% over head cost on Rs.4891051.00 (As per 8.0Ha, C.A. plantation norms)	2445526.00
	Balance Net present value (NPV) 2%	3000000.00

The Wildlife Management Plan & Disaster Management Plan (draft) has already been submitted vide earlier this office letter No.GL.88/2021/B-1956 dt.09.06.2021

This is for favour of your kind information and needful action.

Yours faithfully,

(Rajib Kr Das, IFS) Divisional Forest Officer Doomdooma Division, DoomDooma.

Date- 02.07.2021.

Memo No:-GL.88/2021/A-1288-89

## Copy to :-

- 1. The Chief Conservator of Forests & Nodal Officer (FC-Act), Assam O/o the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force, Assam, Panjabari, Guwahati-37 for favour of his kind information and necessary action.
- 2. Copy to the Conservator of Forests, Eastern Assam Circle, Jorhat for favour of his kind information and necessary action.

(Rajib Kr Das, IFS) Divisional Forest Officer Doomdooma Division. DoomDooma.