

Letter No: VTL/IP1/P3/AP/ROW/2021-22/010

Dated: 26-06-2021

To
The District Forest Officer,
SPSR Nellore
Andhra Pradesh.

Sir,

Sub: APFD – FC Act, 1980 – Proposal for diversion of 0.12 Ha. of forest land in compartment no. 459, Guvvadi West RF, Udayagiri Range, for laying of Optical Fiber Cable (OFC) along the Right of Way in Nellore division by M/s Vindhya Telelinks Ltd., Secunderabad – **Submission of RoFR Certificate** - Reg.,

Ref: Rc.No, EFS02 – 15026/4/2021-FCA-SEC PCCF/FCA-3, Dt. 14-04-2021

With reference to the above subject and reference, here with we are submitting RoFR certificate which was received from District Collector Office, Nellore, vide file no: COLNLR-ESEE0FOR (ROFR)/11/2020-JA(E7)-COLLNLR, dated 17.06.2021, an area of **0.121 Hectares** for length of 2956.192 meters of Forest land in Guvvadi West RF in Vengalarao Nagar Village, Gandipalem Panchayat, Udayagiri Mandal and Kondareddy Palle Village, Near Kothaplle, Guvvadi Panchayat, Varikuntapadu Mandal in Nellore District.

We are requesting you to process the file and issue us the permission for laying of OFC at the earliest.

Thanking you,

For Vindhya Telelinks Ltd

Authorised Signatory,



Copy submitted to the Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests, AP, Guntur for favour of kind information.

Encls: Copy of RoFR Certificate – 1 Page.

Annexure-I

FORM - I

(For linear projects)

Government of Andhra Pradesh
Office of the District Collector, SPSR Nellore

Collector's Office, Nellore

17/06/2021

TO WHOM SO EVER IT MAY CONCERN

In compliance of the Ministry of Environment and Forests (MoEF), Government of India's letter No:11-9/98-FC(pt) Dated: 03.08.2009 wherein the MOEF issued guidelines on submission of evidences for having initiated and completed the process of settlement of rights under the scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006 ('FRA', for short) on the forest land proposed to be diverted for non-forest purposes read with MoEF's letter Dated: 05.02.2013 wherein MoEF issued certain relaxation in respect of linear projects, it is certified for diversion of of **0.121 Ha** (2956.192 meters length and **0.040** meters width) of forest land Proposed to be diverted for non-forest purposes i.e. for laying of Optical Fiber Cable (OFC) along the road within the existing Right Way of 1) Vengalarao Nagar Village, Gandipalem Panchayat, Udayagiri Mandal, SPSR Nellore District, Length 2.3km, 0.0943 Ha 2) Kondareddy Palle Village, Near Kothaplle, Guvvadi Panchayat, Varikuntapadu Mandal, in SPSR Nellore District, Length 0.363km, 0.026 Ha of forest land is proposed to be diverted in favour of Vindhya Telelinks Limited, EPC Division, Secunderabad (name of user agency) for "Laying of Optical Fiber Cable (OFC) along the road within the existing Right of way from 0.121 Ha (2956.192 meters length and **0.040** meters width) of forest land Proposed to be diverted for non-forest purposes i.e. for laying of Optical Fiber Cable (OFC) along the road within the existing Right Way of 1) Vengalarao Nagar Village, Gandipalem Panchayat, Udayagiri Mandal, SPSR Nellore District, Length 2.3km, 0.0943 Ha 2) Kondareddy Palle Village, Near Kothaplle, Guvvadi Panchayat, Varikuntapadu Mandal, in SPSR Nellore District, Length 0.363km, 0.026 Ha ".

It is further certified that:

- a. The complete process for identification and settlement of Rights under the FRA has been carried out for the entire **0.121 Ha** (2956.192 meters length and **0.040** meters width) of forest land Proposed to be diverted for non-forest purposes i.e. for laying of Optical Fiber Cable (OFC) along the road within the existing Right Way of 1) Vengalarao Nagar Village, Gandipalem Panchayat, Udayagiri Mandal, SPSR Nellore District, Length 2.3km, 0.0943 Ha 2) Kondareddy Palle Village, Near Kothaplle, Guvvadi Panchayat, Varikuntapadu Mandal, in SPSR Nellore District, Length 0.363km, 0.026 Ha of Forest area proposed for diversion. A copy of records of all consultations and meetings of the Forest Rights Committee(s), Gram Sabha(s), Sub-Division Level Committee(s) and the District Level Committee is enclosed as annexure A & B.
- a. The diversion of forest land for facilities managed by the Government as required under section 3(2) of the FRA has been completed and the Grama Sabhas have given their consent to it.
- a. The proposal does not involve recognised rights of Primitive Tribal Groups and Pre-agricultural Communities.

K V N Chakradhar Babu I A S
District Collector.
SPSR Nellore.

Signed by K V N

Chakradhar Babu I A S

Date: 17-06-2021 20:21:16

Reason: Approved