

ಉಪ ಅರಣ್ಯ ಸಂರಕ್ಷಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳ ಕಚೇರಿ, ಹೊನ್ನಾವರ ವಿಭಾಗ, ಹೊನ್ನಾವರ -581334 OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS, HONAVAR DIVISION, HONAVAR-581334 ಫ್ಯಾಕ್ಸ್ ನಂ.08387-221170

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Dated: 17 -08-2020.

No:B2/GFL/FCA/CR-26/2019-20/49 3

To.

The Executive Engineer,

Rural Water Supply & Sanitation Division.

Karwar.

The Assistant Executive Engineer.

Rural Water Supply & Sanitation Department.

Sub Division Kumta,

Kumta.

Demand Notice to be issued after Stage-I appear **Demand Notice under FCA 1980**

Government of Karnataka vide letter number No.FEE-43 FLL 2020(e). dated 02-06-2020 have issued 'in-principle' Stage-I approval for diversion of 0.3202 ha of forest land in Gundabala village F.Sy.No.98, Balale Hobli, Ankola Taluk, Uttara Kannada District (Honavar Forest Division) for construction of Pump House and laying of pipeline for providing drinking water to Gokarna and seven (7) other Villages with water source from Gangavali river at Hillur Station in favour of Executive Engineer, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation Department, Karwar. The same has been communicated by the Nodal Officer, FC Act 1980 vide letter number E-officer file No.KFD /HOFF/A52K(GFL)10/ 2019-FC. dtd: 27-07-2020 to this office for issuing 'demand notice' and submission of a 'Compliance Report'. Accordingly, you are requested to make the payments shown hereunder and submit the 'Compliance Report' for all the conditions of approval within 30 days for seeking 'final' Stage-II approval.

L. NPV:

a) The Net Present Value for 0.3202 ha. of forest area to be diverted under this proposal from the User Agency as per the orders of the Hon ble Supreme Court dated 30.10.2002, 01-08.2003, 28-03-2008, 24.04.2008 and 09-05-2008 in IA Nos. 826 in 566 with related IA's in Writ Petition (Civil) No:202/1995, and as per the guidelines issued by the Ministry vide letter No.5-1/1998-FC (Pt.II) dated:08.09.2003, as well as letter No.5-2/2006-FC, dated:03.10.2006 and 5-3/2007-FC, dated:05.02.2009 in this regard. Accordingly you are informed to pay Rs 3,33,969.00 towards Net Present Value amount.

Quantity / Extent (ha.)	Rate (Rs./ Unit) (Eco- Class-I)	Amount required to be paid (Rs.)	Amount paid already (Rs.)	Balance amount required to be paid now (Rs.)
0.3202	10.43.000.00	3.33.969.00	0.00	3,33.969.00

- b) Additional amount of the Net Present Value (NPV) of the diverted forest land, if any, becoming due after finalization of the samd by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India on receipt of the report from the Expert Committee shall be charged by the State Government from user agency. You shall furnish an undertaking to this effect.
- Legal status of forest land shall remain unchanged and it shall continue to be forest land.
- 2. The demarcated the lease area in the manner specified at the time of approval at its own cost.
- 3. The lessee shall not sub-lease, mortgage & hypothecate the forest area.
- 4: The leased out area should be used for the purpose it is granted and should not be used for any other purpose. In case of the land is not used for stipulated purpose within two years or when it is no longer needed for the stipulated purpose, the area would stand resumed to the Forest Department.
- 5. The application for renewal of the lease in the prescribed form and manner shall be submitted at least six months prior to the expiry of forest lease. In case no renewal is sought, the Lessee shall hand over the leased forest land.
- 6. No residential or commercial building (other than approved at the time of forest clearance) shall be permitted in the forest area proposed for diversion.
- 7. No Crushing / breaking of stones or labour camp shall be allowed inside forest area and all waste/debris generated shall be scientifically diposed off outside the forest area.
- 8. Any damages to forest area because of implementation of the proposal shall be compensated by the lessee. The extent of damages shall be assessed by the jurisdictional Deputy Conservator of Forest/Conservator of Forests/Chief Conservator of Forests.
- 9. The Lessee shall ensure that no avoidable harms are caused to the fauna and flora in and around the proposed area.
- 10. No change in land Use plan shall be done unless prior approval of Government of India under FC Act is obtained.
- 11. In case, any violation of the provisions of the Karnataka Forest Act, 1963 & Rules, 1969 or the other relevant Acts/Rules is reported during the lease period, the lease shall be liable for forfeiture under section 82 of Karnataka Forest Act, 1963. The Chief Conservator of Forest and/ or Deputy Conservator of Forests concerned are authorized to take necessary action in this regard.
- 12. The approval under the Forest (Conervation) Act, 1980 is subject to any other clearances necessary under the prevailing Statutes.
- 13. The User Agency shall also abide by other conditions those may be imposed by the Government of India, Government of Karnataka and the Principal Chief Conservator of Forest (Head of Forest Force) before of after the approval.
- 14. User Agency shall restrict the felling of trees to minimum number in the diverted forest land and trees shall be felling under the strict supervision of the State Forest Department and cost of felling of tress shall be deposited by the User agency with the State Forest Department.
- 15. All the funds received from the user agency under the project shall be transferred/deposited to CAMPA fund only through e-portal.
- 16. The complete compliance of the FRA, 2006 shall be ensured by way of precribed certificate from the concerned Deputy Commissioner.

- 17. User Ageency shall obtain Environmental Clearance as per the provisions of the Environmental (Protection) Act, 1986, if applicable.
- 18. The layout plan on the proposal shall not be changed without prior approval of Central Government.
- 19. No labour camp shall be established on the forest land.
- 20. Sufficient firewood, preferably the alternate fuel, shall be provided by the User Agency to the labourer after purchasing the same from the State Forest Department or the Forest Development Corporation or any other legal source of alternate fuel.
- 21. The boundary of the diverted forest land shall be suitably demarcated on ground at the project cost, as per the directions of the concerned Divisional Forest Officer.
- 22. No additional or new path will be constructed inside the forest area for transportation of construction materials for execution of the project work.
- 23. The period of diversion under this approval shall be 30 years or the Project life whichever less.
- 24. Violation of any of these conditions will amount to violation of Forest (Conservation) Act. 1980 and action would be taken as per the MoEF & CC guideline F.No.11-42/2017-FC dated 29-01-2018.
- 25. The compliance report shall be uploaded on e-portal (https://parivesh.nic.in/)

Procedure of payment: This Demand Notice is to be uploaded on FC web portal (www.parivesh.nic.in) for acceptance by the Nodal Officer. After acceptance by the Nodal Officer, a challan should be generated from the web portal for payment to the account mentioned in the challan. The Transaction details should be quoted by the User Agency in the condition-wise 'Compliance Report' submitted for Stage-II approval. Payment made by any mode than that mentioned above will not be considered as compliance.

Place: Honavar

Date: 17-08-2020

Deputy Conservator of Forests.
Honavar Division. Honavar.

Copy submitted to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, (Forest Conservation) & Nodal Officer, (FCA) Arnaya Bhavan, 18th cross, Malleshwaram, Bangalore for kind information.

Copy submitted to the Chief Conservator of Forests, Kanara Circle, and Sirsi for kind information.

 Copy to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Sub division, Kumta and Range Forest Officer, Hiregutti for information.