

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
FOREST DEPARTMENT**

From Sri Ajaya Kumar Naik, IFS., Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force, Andhra Pradesh, Mangalagiri – 522 503.	To The Spl. Chief Secretary to Government, Environment, Forests, Science & Technology Department, Andhra Pradesh, Velagapudi, Guntur District.
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Rc.no. EFS02-15026/15/2020-FCA SEC-PCCF /FCA-3, dated:09-04-2025.

Sir,

Sub:-	APFD –Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam 1980 and rules 2023 – Diversion of 0.19 Ha. of forest land Udayagiri Range, Nellore Division for laying underground optical fiber cable along existing right of way for providing 4G communication in favour of M/s JIO Digital Fiber Ltd., Visakhapatnam – in-principle (Stage-I) approval accorded by Govt. of India - Submission of compliance report – Reg.
Ref:-	1. GOI, MoEF & CC, IRO, Vijayawada F.no.4-APB 188/2022- Vij/578,Dt.26.09.2022 and Govt. of AP Memo no.1570/Sec-II/ 2022/(1795524), EFS&T (Section-II)Dept. dt.28.10.2022. 2. Prl.CCF,Rc.no.EFS02-15026/15/2021-FCA-SEC PCCF/FCA-3, Dt.18.11.2022. 3. DFO, Nellore Rc.no.385-1/2020F11, dt.19-12-2022 & 11.01.2023 4. CCF, Guntur Rc. no. 209/2021/TO, dated: 20.12.2022, 10.01.2023 & 28.02.2023

Kind attention is invited to the references cited.

It is submitted that, MoEF & CC, GOI, IRO, Vijayawada has issued Stage-1 in-principle approval for diversion of 0.19 Ha. of forest land in Udayagiri Range, Nellore Division for laying underground optical fiber cable along existing right of way for providing 4G communication in favour of M/s JIO Digital Fiber Ltd., Visakhapatnam and requested to furnish condition wise compliance report for taking further action in the matter.

Accordingly the Chief Conservator of Forests, Guntur has submitted compliance report as follows.

S. no.	Stipulated conditions of Govt. of India	Compliance report of CCF/CF, Guntur
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(i)	The legal status of the forest land shall remain unchanged	The CF, Guntur has reported that, there is no change in legal status of forest land diverted
(ii)	Demarcation of the proposed forest area shall be carried out by erecting 4 feet high	The CF, Guntur has reported that, the undertaking furnished

	cement concrete pillars duly numbered at the appropriate distance as decided by the DFO concerned, at the cost of User Agency	by the user agency is enclosed herewith.
(iii)	The User Agency shall deposit cost towards plantation and maintenance of 100 numbers of trees.	The CF, Guntur has reported that an amount of Rs.82000/- towards cost of plantation and maintenance of 100 number of trees in DFL area was deposited by the user agency through NEFT to A.c No.150597162261492 vide transaction reference No. AXISP00358730882, dt.01.02.2023 .
(iv)	The State Government shall charge the Net Present Value of the diverted forest land measuring 0.19 ha from the User Agency as per the orders of Hon'ble Supreme Court dated 28.03.2008 and 09.05.2008 in IA No. 826 in 566 with related IA's in Writ Petition (Civil) No. 202/1995 and Ministry's guideline No. 5-3/2011-FC (Vol-I) dated 06.01.2022 and clarification issued vide letter dated 22.03.2022	<p>The CF, Guntur has reported that as per revised rates of NPV communicated by MoEF & CC, Govt. of India vide File No.5-3/2011FC(Vol-I) dt. 06-01-2022 in para No. 4(xi), the NPV for underground OFC is exempted provided:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. No felling of trees is involved and b. Area falls outside National park/Sanctuary. <p>Hence, the proposed alignment of OFC requires no tree felling and falls outside the Sanctuary.</p>
(v)	Additional amount of the Net Present Value (NPV) of the diverted forest land if any, becoming due after revision of the same by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in future, shall be charged by the State Government from the User Agency.	The CF, Guntur has reported that an undertaking furnished by the user agency is enclosed.
(vi)	The layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without the prior approval of the Central Government	The CF, Guntur has reported that an undertaking furnished by the user agency is enclosed.
(vii)	No labour camp shall be established on the forest land	The CF, Guntur has reported that an undertaking furnished by the user agency is enclosed.
(viii)	Disturbance shall be kept minimal by creating the labour camps outside the forest area as far as possible and it will be the responsibility of the User Agency to ensure that the machinery, labourers & staff engaged in execution of work shall	The CF, Guntur has reported that an undertaking furnished by the user agency is enclosed.

	not destruct nearby forest flora & fauna.	
(ix)	Sufficient firewood, preferably the alternate fuel, shall be provided by the User Agency to the labourers after purchasing the same from State Forest Department or the Forest Development Corporation or any other legal source of alternate fuel	The CF, Guntur has reported that an undertaking furnished by the user agency is enclosed.
(x)	No tree felling shall be carried out by the User Agency	The CF, Guntur has reported that an undertaking furnished by the user agency is enclosed.
(xi)	The forest land proposed for diversion shall under no circumstances be transferred or sublet to any other agency, department, or person without prior approval of Central Government	The CF, Guntur has reported that an undertaking furnished by the user agency is enclosed.
(xii)	The total forest area utilized for the project shall not exceed 0.19 ha and the forest are diverted shall not be used for any purpose other than those shown in the diversion proposal.	The CF, Guntur has reported that an undertaking furnished by the user agency is enclosed.
(xiii)	No additional or new path will be constructed inside the forest area for transportation of construction materials for execution of the project work.	The CF, Guntur has reported that an undertaking furnished by the user agency is enclosed.
(xiv)	User Agency and the State Government shall ensure compliance to provisions of all the Acts, Rules, Regulations and Guidelines, for the time being in force, as applicable to the project.	The CF, Guntur has reported that an undertaking furnished by the user agency is enclosed.
(xv)	Any other conditions that the Central Government or Regional Officer of (Central) of the Integrated Regional Officer, Vijayawada may impose from time to time in the interest of afforestation, conservation and management of flora and fauna in the area, shall be complied by the User Agency.	The CF, Guntur has reported that an undertaking furnished by the user agency is enclosed.
(xvi)	In the event of failure to comply with any of the above conditions the User Agency is liable for penal action as per the provisions in Ministry's guidelines.	The CF, Guntur has reported that an undertaking furnished by the user agency is enclosed.

In view of the above, the condition wise compliance report submitted by the Chief Conservator of Forests, Guntur in the reference 4th cited may be forwarded to the MoEF & CC, Government of India, for obtaining **Stage –II approval (final)** under the provisions of Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam 1980 and Rules 2023.

Encl.: As Above.

Yours faithfully

AJAYA KUMAR NAIK
Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests
& Head of Forest Force

Copy to the Conservator of Forests, Guntur Circle, Guntur for information.

Copy to the District Forest Officer, SPSR Nellore for information and necessary action.



GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
FOREST DEPARTMENT

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FCA Rc.No.3699/2017-D1,
Dated:12.08.2023.

Office of the Conservator of Forests,
Rajahmundry Circle, Rajamahendravaram.

From
S.Sri Saravanan, IFS,
Chief Conservator of Forests,
Rajahmundry Circle,
Rajamahendravaram.

To
The Prl.Chief Conservator of Forests,
Head of Forest Force,
Aranya Bhavan, Andhra Pradesh,
Mangalagiri.

Sir,

Sub:- Andhra Pradesh Forest Department - F.C.Act,1980 - Diversion of 0.21 ha of forest land for laying of optical fiber cable between Eluru and Kaikaluru for providing high speed communication & data service to Government and non government public use in f/o Divisional Engineer, OFP, BSNL, Vijayawada - Stage- I approval accorded - Compliance report submission of - Reg.

- Ref:- 1. GoI, MoEF & CC, IRO, Vijayawada F.no. 4-APB122/2021-
Vijayawada/33, dt.24.05.2021 received through GoAP Memo no.
247/Section. II/2021 EFS&T, Dt:22.06.2021.
2. Prl.CCF & HoFF, A.P, Guntur Rc.no.EFS02-15026/17/2019-FCA
SEC-PCCF/FCA-3,dt.02.07.2021.
3. CCF, Rajahmundry Rc.no.3699/2017-D1, dt.14.07.2021.
4. DFO, WLM Division, Eluru Rc.no.850/2017/WL O, Dt.03.01.2022.
5. CCF, Rajahmundry Rc.no.3699/2017-D1, dt.12.01.2022.

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It is submitted that the ref 2nd cited, the Prl.Chief Conservator of Forests & HoFF, Andhra Pradesh, Guntur has communicated the stage-I approval orders for diversion of 0.21 ha. of forest land for laying of Optical Fiber cable between Eluru and Kaikaluru for providing high speed communication & data services to Govt. and non-govt. and public use in favour of Divisional Engineer, OFP, BSNL, Vijayawada and requested to obtain and furnish compliance report on the conditions stipulated by the Government immediately for taking further action.

The Divisional Forest Officer, WLM Division, Eluru vide ref.4th cited reported that the user agency has submitted conditions wise compliance report. The condition wise compliance report as furnished by the Divisional Forest Officer, WLM Division, Eluru was submitted to Prl.Chief Conservator

of Forests(WL) & Chief Wildlife Warden, Andhra Pradesh, Guntur vide reference 5th cited and a copy of the same is submitted herewith. Further it is submitted that the Prl.Chief Conservator of Forests(WL) & Chief Wildlife Warden, Andhra Pradesh, Guntur have issued instructions to accord necessary working permission to the User Agency as per the orders issued by the Govt. vide Govt.Memo.no.3832/Sec.II/2015 EFS&T(Section.II) Department dt.17.10.2015. The working permission orders have been communicated to Divisional Forest Officer, WLM Division, Eluru vide CCF,Rjy Rc.no.3699/2017-D1 DT.18.02.2022. A copy of the said references are submitted herewith.

The condition wise compliance report as furnished by the Divisional Forest Officer, WLM Division, Eluru vide reference 4th cited is detailed below.

Sl.no.	Stage-1 Clearance conditions	Compliance Report
A	Conditions which need to be complied prior to handing over of Forest Land by the State Forest Department.	
1	The User Agency shall transfer online, the Net Present Value (NPV) of the forest land being diverted under this proposal, as per the orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India dated 28.03.2008, 24.04.2008 and 09.05.2008 in writ petition (Civil) No.202/1995 and the guidelines issued by this Ministry vide its letter No.5-3/2007-FC dated 05.02.2009. The requisite funds shall be transferred through online portal into CAMPA account of the State Concerned.	The user agency has transferred Net Present Value (NPV) amount of Rs.1,18,230/- (One lakh eighteen thousand two hundred and thirty only) vide transaction number: 5284020211126319969 , paid on 26.11.2021 in the CAF Andhra Pradesh, Beneficiary Name: AP CAMPA Fund, Union Bank of India, Lodhi Complex, New Delhi (Code: 03712).
2	All the funds received from the user agency under the project shall be transferred / deposited in CAMPA account only through e-portal (https://parivesh.nic.in). Amount deposited through other mode will not be accepted as compliance of the Stage-I clearance.	The NPV amount transferred / deposited in CAMPA account through e-portal (https://parivesh.nic.in) by the user agency.

Sl.no.	Stage-1 Clearance conditions	Compliance Report
3	The compliance report shall be uploaded on e-portal (https://parivesh.nic.in/).	The user agency has uploaded the compliance report on e-portal (https://parivesh.nic.in/).
4	The boundary of the diverted forest land shall be demarcated on ground at the project cost, by erecting four feet high reinforced cement concrete pillars, each inscribed with its serial number, distance from pillar and GPS Co-ordinates.	The User Agency has submitted UNDERTAKING-01 that, the demarcation of the proposed sanctuary area will be carried out by four feet reinforced cement concrete pillars duly numbered at an interval with GPS co-ordinates as stipulated.
5	Violation of any of these conditions will amount to violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and action would be taken as prescribed in para 1.21 of Chapter 1 of the Handbook of comprehensive guidelines of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 as issued by this Ministry's letter No.5-2/2017-FC, dated 28.03.2019.	The User Agency agreed to the condition.
B	Conditions which need to be strictly complied on field after handing over of Forest Land to the user agency by the State Forest Department but the compliance in form of undertaking shall be submitted prior to Stage-II approval.	
1	Legal status of the diverted forest land shall remain unchanged.	The User agency has submitted UNDERTAKING-02 as stipulated.
2	At the time of payment of the Net Present Value (NPV) at the then prevailing rate, the user Agency shall furnish an undertaking to pay the additional amount of NPV, if so determined, as per the final decision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.	The User agency has submitted UNDERTAKING-03 as stipulated.
3	No tree falling shall be carried out by the user Agency;	The User agency has submitted UNDERTAKING-04 as stipulated.

Sl.no.	Stage-1 Clearance conditions	Compliance Report
4	The Cable line shall be laid 165 cm below the ground level as proposed and the forest land shall be restored to its original state after laying the same. The maximum size of the trench shall not exceed 2.00 mtr depth, 3795 mtr length and 30 cm width.	The User agency has submitted UNDERTAKING-05 as stipulated.
5	As the area proposed for diversion is falling within Kolleru Wildlife Sanctuary, prior approval of the competent authority under Wildlife Act, 1972 shall be obtained before execution of the project work.	The User Agency has attached the meeting minutes of State Board for Wildlife recommendation in Agenda item no.2 in its meeting held on 28.02.2019.
6	The period of diversion under this approval shall be co-terminus with the period of lease to be granted in favour of the user Agency or the project life, whichever is less.	The User agency has submitted UNDERTAKING-06 as stipulated.
7	No labour camp shall be established on the forest land.	The User agency has submitted UNDERTAKING-07 as stipulated.
8	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.	The User agency has submitted UNDERTAKING-08 as stipulated.
9	The total forest area utilized for the project shall not exceed 0.21 ha and the forest area diverted shall not be used for any purpose other than those shown in the diversion proposal:	The User agency has submitted UNDERTAKING-09 as stipulated.
10	The forest land proposed to be diverted shall under no circumstances be transferred to any other agency, department or person without prior approval of the Central Government	The User agency has submitted UNDERTAKING-10 as stipulated.
11	No damage to the flora and fauna of the adjoining area shall be caused.	The User agency has submitted UNDERTAKING-11 as stipulated.

Sl.no.	Stage-1 Clearance conditions	Compliance Report
12	Disturbance shall be kept minimal by creating labour camps outside the forest area as far as possible and it will be the responsibility of the User Agency to ensure that the machinery, labourers & staff engaged in execution of work shall not destruct nearby forest flora & fauna.	The User agency has submitted UNDERTAKING-12 as stipulated.
13	The layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without the prior approval of the Central Government.	The User agency has submitted UNDERTAKING-13 as stipulated.
14	The concerned Divisional Forest Officer, will monitor and take necessary mitigative measures to ensure that there is no adverse impact on the forests in the surrounding area.	Divisional Forest Officer, WLM Eluru will monitor and take necessary mitigative measures as and when required.
15	Any other condition that the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change may stipulate from time to time in the interest of conservation, protection and development of Forest and Wildlife.	The User agency has submitted UNDERTAKING-14 as stipulated.
16	The User Agency shall submit the annual self-compliance report in respect of the above stated conditions to the State Government and integrated Regional Office, Bangalore by the end of March every year; and	The User agency has submitted UNDERTAKING-15 as stipulated.
17	The User Agency shall comply all the provisions of the all Acts, Rules, Regulations, Guidelines, Hon'ble Court Order (s) and NGT Order (s) pertaining to this project, if any, for the time being in force, as applicable to the project.	The User agency has submitted UNDERTAKING-16 as stipulated.

The compliance report furnished by Divisional Forest Officer, WLM Eluru vide ref.4th cited along with enclosures are submitted herewith.

This is submitted for favour of kind information and further necessary action.

Encl: as above

Yours faithfully,
Sd/-S.Sri Saravanan.
Chief Conservator of Forests,
Rajahmundry Circle,
Rajamahendravaram.

Copy to the Divisional Forest Officer, WLM Division, Eluru for information. The Divisional Forest Officer, WLM Division, Eluru is requested to take action to obtain the latest status on implementing the stage-I conditions stipulated by the Government of India and submit latest compliance report on Stage-I conditions. It is also requested to ensure that the latest compliance report is uploaded in (<http://parivesh.nic.in/>)

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T. Dingamadhuri
12/08/2023
Technical Officer

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**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
FOREST DEPARTMENT**

Rc.No.850/2017/WLO
Dated.03-01-2022.

Office of the Divisional Forest Officer,
Wildlife Management Division, Eluru.

From
Sri C.Selvam, I.F.S.,
Divisional Forest Officer (FAC),
Wildlife Management Division,
Eluru.

To
The Chief Conservator of Forests,
Rajahmundry Circle,
Rajamahendravaram.

Sir,

Sub:- APFD - F(C) Act, 1980- Diversion of 0.21 ha. of Forest land in favour of Divisional Engineer, OFP, BSNL, Vijayawada for laying of optical fibre cable between Eluru and Kaikaluru for providing high speed communication & data services to Govt. and non-govt. and public use in favour of Divisional Engineer, OFP, BSNL, Vijayawada Stage -I conditions compliance report - Submitted - Reg.,

- Ref:-**
1. GoI, MoEF &CC, IRO, Vijayawada F.No.4- APB122/2021-VIJ/33, dt.24.05.2021 received through GoAP memo No.247/Section.II/2021, EFS & T Dept., dt.22.06.2021.
 2. PCCF, AP, Guntur Rc.no.EFS02-15026/17/2019-FCA SEC-PCCF/FCA-3; Dt:02-07-2021.
 3. CCF, Rajahmundry Rc.No.3699/2017-D1, dt.14.07.2021.
 4. This office Rc.No.850/2017-WLO(i); Dt: 13-07-2021.
 5. Divisional Engineer, OFC Lr.No.TP HYD- 15/12(11)/30/2021-0FP DIV VJ-TP HYD/ELR-KKLR, dt. at VJ, 08.12.2021.

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It is submitted that, vide reference 2nd cited above, the Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests &HoFF, Andhra Pradesh, Gunturhas communicated the stage-I permission accorded vide reference 1st cited above for diversion of 0.21 ha. of forest land for laying of Optical Fiber cable between Eluru and Kaikaluru for providing high speed communication & data services to Govt. and non-govt. and public use in favour of Divisional Engineer, OFP, BSNL, Vijayawada and requested to obtain and furnish compliance report on the conditions stipulated by the Government immediately for taking further action. Accordingly, the user agency has submitted conditions wise compliance report in the reference 5th cited above. The Condition wise compliance report furnished by the user agency as detailed below.

A	Stage-1 Clearance conditions	Compliance Report
1	The User Agency shall transfer online, the Net Present Value (NPV) of the forest land being diverted under this proposal, as per the orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India dated 28.03.2008, 24.04.2008 and 09.05.2008 in writ petition (Civil) No.202/1995 and the guidelines issued by this Ministry vide its letter No.5-3/2007-FC dated 05.02.2009. The requisite funds shall be transferred	The user agency has transferred Net Present Value (NPV) amount of Rs.1,18,230/- (One lakh eighteen thousand two hundred and thirty only) vide transaction number: 5284020211126319969 , paid on 26.11.2021 in the CAF Andhra Pradesh, Beneficiary Name: AP CAMPA Fund, Union Bank of India, Lodhi Complex, New Delhi (Code: 03712).

	through online portal into CAMPA account of the State Concerned.	
2	All the funds received from the user agency under the project shall be transferred / deposited in CAMPA account only through e-portal (https://parivesh.nic.in/). Amount deposited through other mode will not be accepted as compliance of the Stage-I clearance.	The NPV amount transferred / deposited in CAMPA account through e-portal (https://parivesh.nic.in/) by the user agency.
3	The compliance report shall be uploaded on e-portal (https://parivesh.nic.in/).	The user agency has uploaded the compliance report on e-portal (https://parivesh.nic.in/).
4	The boundary of the diverted forest land shall be demarcated on ground at the project cost, by erecting four feet high reinforced cement concrete pillars, each inscribed with its serial number, distance from pillar and GPS Co-ordinates.	The User Agency has submitted undertaking (01) that, the demarcation of the proposed sanctuary area will be carried out by four feet reinforced cement concrete pillars duly numbered at an interval with GPS co-ordinates as stipulated.
5	Violation of any of these conditions will amount to violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and action would be taken as prescribed in para 1.21 of Chapter 1 of the Handbook of comprehensive guidelines of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 as issued by this Ministry's letter No.5-2/2017-FC, dated 28.09.2019.	The User Agency agreed to the condition.
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1	Legal status of the diverted forest land shall remain unchanged.	The User agency has submitted undertaking (02) as stipulated.
2	At the time of payment of the Net Present Value (NPV) at the then prevailing rate, the user Agency shall furnish an undertaking to pay the additional amount of NPV, if so determined, as per the final decision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.	The User agency has submitted undertaking (03) as stipulated.
3	No tree falling shall be carried out by the user Agency;	The User agency has submitted undertaking (04) as stipulated.
4	The Cable line shall be laid 165 cm below the ground level as proposed and the forest land shall be restored to its original state after laying the same. The maximum size of the trench shall not exceed 2.00 mtr depth, 3795 mtr length and 30 cm width.	The User agency has submitted undertaking (05) as stipulated.
5	As the area proposed for diversion is falling within Kolleru Wildlife Sanctuary, prior approval of the competent authority under Wildlife Act, 1972 shall be obtained before execution of the project work.	The User Agency has attached the meeting minutes of State Board for Wildlife recommendation in Agenda item no.2 in its meeting held on 28.02.2019.
6	The period of diversion under this approval shall be co-terminus with the period of lease to be granted in favour of the user Agency or the project life, whichever is less.	The User agency has submitted undertaking (06) as stipulated.

	Stage-1 Clearance conditions	Compliance Report
7	No labour camp shall be established on the forest land.	The User agency has submitted undertaking (07) as stipulated.
8	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.	The User agency has submitted undertaking (08) as stipulated.
9	The total forest area utilized for the project shall not exceed 0.21 ha and the forest area diverted shall not be used for any purpose other than those shown in the diversion proposal:	The User agency has submitted undertaking (09) as stipulated.
10	The forest land proposed to be diverted shall under no circumstances be transferred to any other agency, department or person without prior approval of the Central Government	The User agency has submitted undertaking (10) as stipulated.
11	No damage to the flora and fauna of the adjoining area shall be caused.	The User agency has submitted undertaking (11) as stipulated.
12	Disturbance shall be kept minimal by creating labour camps outside the forest area as far as possible and it will be the responsibility of the User Agency to ensure that the machinery, labourers & staff engaged in execution of work shall not destruct nearby forest flora & fauna.	The User agency has submitted undertaking (12) as stipulated.
13	The layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without the prior approval of the Central Government.	The User agency has submitted undertaking (13) as stipulated.
14	The concerned Divisional Forest Officer, will monitor and take necessary mitigative measures to ensure that there is no adverse impact on the forests in the surrounding area.	Divisional Forest Officer WLM Eluru will monitor and take necessary mitigative measures as and when required.
15	Any other condition that the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change may stipulate from time to time in the interest of conservation, protection and development of Forest and Wildlife.	The User agency has submitted undertaking (14) as stipulated.
16	The User Agency shall submit the annual self-compliance report in respect of the above stated conditions to the State Government and integrated Regional Office, Bangalore by the end of March every year.	The User agency has submitted undertaking (15) as stipulated.
17	The User Agency shall comply all the provisions of the all Acts, Rules, Regulations, Guidelines, Hon'ble Court Order (s) and NGT Order (s) pertaining to this project, if any, for the time being in force, as applicable to the project.	The User agency has submitted undertaking (16) as stipulated.

This is submitted for favour of kind information and further necessary action.

Encl:- As stated above.

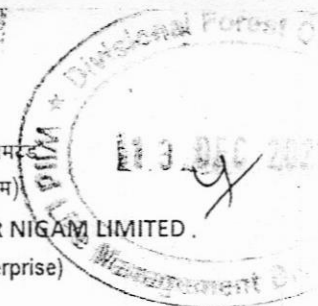
Yours faithfully,

Divisional Forest Officer,
Wildlife Management Division,
Eluru

Office of the Divisional Engineer Telecom,
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(भारत सरकार का उद्यम)
BHARAT SANCHAR NIGAM LIMITED.
(A Govt. of India Enterprise)



No. TP HYD-15/12(11)/30/2021 - OFP DIV VJ - TP HYD/ ELR-KKR dtd. at VJ, the 08-12-2021

To
The Divisional Forest Officer (FAC)
Wildlife Management Division,
Fluru

Dear Sir,

Sub: Proposal for Diversion of 0.21 ha of Forest land in favour of Division Engineer, OFP, BSNL Vijayawada for laying of Optical Fibre Cable between Eluru and Kaikaluru (Kolleru WLS) for providing high speed communication & data services to Govt. and non-govt. and public use in favour of Divisional Engineer, OFP, BSNL, Vijayawada - Compliance Report on Stage - 1 clearance - Reg.

Ref: 1 DFO, Fluru Re No 850/2017-WLO dtd. 08-07-2021.

2 PCC, Guntur, AP, Re. No. EFS02-15026/17/2019-FCA SEC-PCCF/FCA-3 dtd. 02-07-2021.

3 GOI, MoEF&CC, Integrated Regional Office, Vijayawada F.No.4-APB122/2021-VIJ/33 dtd. 24.05.2021.

Vide the above cited reference, point wise compliance report is herewith submitting for kind information and necessary action please.

A	Stage-1 Clearance conditions	Compliance Report	Remarks
1	The User Agency shall transfer online, the Net Present Value (NPV) of the forest land being diverted under this proposal, as per the orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India dated 28.03.2008, 24.04.2008 and 09.05.2008 in writ petition (Civil) No.202/1995 and the guidelines issued by this Ministry vide its letter No.5-3/2007-FC dated 05.02.2009. The requisited funds shall be transferred through online portal into CAMPA account of the State Concerned.	Agreed	(Payment made through Challan of Union Bank Of India and same is here with enclosed)
2	All the funds received from the user agency under the project shall be transferred / deposited in CAMPA account only through e-portal (https://parivesh.nic.in/). Amount deposited through other mode will not be accepted as compliance of the Stage-1 clearance.	Cost of NPA of the diverted forest land of 0.21 HA for an Amount of Rs1,18,230/- paid on 26.11.2021 at chennai	(Payment made through Challan of Union Bank Of India and same is here with enclosed)
3	The compliance report shall be uploaded on e-portal (https://parivesh.nic.in/).	The compliance report shall be uploaded on e-portal	Uploaded in e-portal
4	The boundary of the diverted forest land shall be demarcated on ground at the project cost, by erecting four feet high reinforced cement concrete pillars, each inscribed with its serial number, distance from pillar and GPS Co-ordinates.	Demarcation of the proposed forest area shall be carried out by four ft. reinforced cement concrete pillars duly numbered at an intervals with GPS Co-ordinates	U/T-1 Undertaking is herewith enclosed
5	Violation of any of these conditions will amount to violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and action would be taken as prescribed in para 1.21 of Chapter 1 of the Handbook of comprehensive guidelines of Forest (Conservation) Act.1980 as issued by this Ministry's letter No.5-2/2017-FC dated 28-09-2019.	Agreed	

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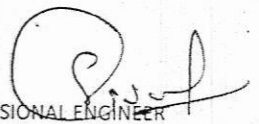
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1	Legal status of the diverted forest land shall remain unchanged.	Unchanged	U/T-2 Undertaking is herewith enclosed
2	At the time of payment of the Net Present Value (NPV) at the then prevailing rate, the user Agency shall furnish an undertaking to pay the additional amount of NPV, if so determined, as per the final decision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.	Agreed	U/T-3 undertaking is herewith enclosed
3	No tree felling shall be carried out by the user Agency	Agreed	U/T-4 undertaking is herewith enclosed
4	The Cable line shall be laid 165 cm below the ground level as proposed and the forest land shall be restored to its original state after laying the same. The maximum size of the trench shall not exceed 2.00 mtr depth, 3795 mtr length and 30 cm width.	Agreed	U/T-5 undertaking is herewith enclosed
5	As the area proposed for diversion is falling within Kolleru Wildlife Sanctuary, prior approval of the competent authority under Wildlife Act, 1972 shall be obtained before execution of the project work.	Agreed	Approval copy attached
6	The period of diversion under this approval shall be co-terminus with the period of lease to be granted in favour of the user agency or the project life, whichever is less.	Agreed	U/T-6 undertaking is herewith enclosed
7	No labour camp shall be established on the forest land.	Agreed	U/T-7 Undertaking is herewith enclosed
8	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.	Agreed	U/T-8 undertaking is herewith enclosed
9	The total forest area utilized for the project shall not exceed 0.21 ha and the forest area diverted shall not be used for any purpose other than those shown in the diversion proposal.	Agreed	U/T-9 undertaking is herewith enclosed
10	The forest land proposed to be diverted shall under no circumstances be transferred to any other agency, department or person without prior approval of the Central Government	Agreed	U/T-10 undertaking is herewith enclosed
11	No damage to the flora and fauna of the adjoining area shall be caused.	Agreed	U/T-11 undertaking is herewith enclosed
12	Disturbance shall be kept minimal by creating labour camps outside the forest area as far as possible and it will be the responsibility of the User Agency to ensure that the machinery, labourers & staff engaged in execution of work shall not destruct nearby forest flora & fauna.	Agreed	U/T-12 undertaking is herewith enclosed
13	The layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without the prior approval of the Central Government.	Agreed	UT-13 undertaking is herewith enclosed

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14	The concerned Divisional Forest Officer, will monitor and take necessary mitigative measures to ensure that there is no adverse impact on the forests in the surrounding area.	---	---
15	Any other condition that the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change may stipulate from time to time in the interest of conservation, protection and development of forest and Wildlife.	Agreed	UT-14 undertaking herewith enclosed
16	The User Agency shall submit the annual self-compliance report in respect of the above stated conditions to the State Government and Integrated Regional Office, Bangalore by the end of March every year	Agreed	UT-15 undertaking herewith enclosed
17	The User Agency shall comply all the provisions of the all Acts, Rules, Regulations, Guidelines, Hon'ble Court Order (s) and NGT Order (s) pertaining to this project, if any, for the time being in force, as applicable to the project.	Agreed	UT-15 Undertaking herewith enclosed
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Encl: As above.


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Challan for collection of CAMPA fund

Date : 23-11-2021

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Remitter Name.	DET OFP BSNL VIJAYAWADA
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MoEF File No.	4-APB122/202-VIJ
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Amount(in Rs)	118230/-
Beneficiary Branch and Code.	Union Bank Of India Lodhi complex (03712)

Amount in Words : One Lakh Eighteen Thousand Two Hundred
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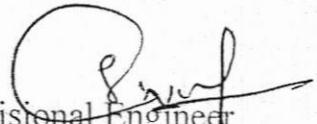
Condition No. (A).04

UNDERTAKING - 01

BHARAT SANCHARA NIGAM LIMITED hereby undertakes that the demarcation of the proposed forest area shall be done as per the specifications for laying ofc cable in between Eluru-Kaikulure OFC route.

Place : VIJAYAWADA

Dated : 29—11—2021


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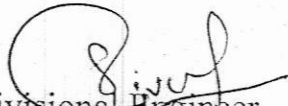
Condition No. (B).01

UNDERTAKING - 02

BHARAT SANCHARA NIGAM LIMITED hereby undertakes that the legal status of the diverted forest land will not be changed and it should remain unchanged.

Place : VIJAYAWADA

Dated : 29—11—2021


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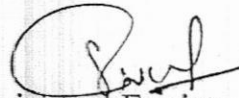
Condition No. (B).02

UNDERTAKING – 03

BHARAT SANCHARA NIGAM LIMITED hereby undertakes to pay additional amount of Net Present Value (NPV) amount if any becoming due after revision of the same by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in future for forest lands Eluru –Kaikaluru ranges under Vijayawada Division for laying OFC Cable in Eluru – Kaikaluru OFC route.

Place : Vijayawada

Date : 29—11—2021


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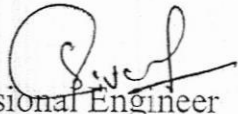
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UNDERTAKING – 04

BHARAT SANCHARA NIGAM LIMITED hereby undertakes
the no felling of trees it should done for laying of OFC cable in between
Eluru- Kaikaluru OFC route.

Place : Vijayawada

Date : 29—11—2021.


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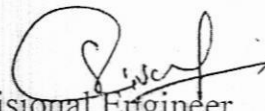
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UNDERTAKING – 05

BHARAT SANCHARA NIGAM LIMITED hereby undertakes and agreed to the condition that the maximum width of Right of way on the forest land shall not be more width than the specific width for laying OFC Cable in Eluru – Kaikaluru OFC route.

Place : Vijayawada

Date : 29—11—2021.


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**MINUTES OF THE ANDHRA PRADESH STATE BOARD FOR WILDLIFE
MEETING HELD ON 28.02.2019 AT 11.45 A.M UNDER THE
CHAIRMANSHIP THE HON'BLE CHIEF MINISTER OF ANDHRA PRADESH
PRAJA VEDIKA, CHIEF MINISTER'S CAMP OFFICE, UNDAVALLI**

Agenda item no.1: Proposal for diversion of 4.43 ha of forest land in Porumamilla & Onipenta Ranges of Proddatur WLM Division for laying of 16" dia VDPL pipeline route from Vijayawada to Chittoor in favour of HPCL existing in Krishna, Guntur, Prakasam, Kadapa and Chittoor.

- Resolved to recommend the proposal as the project is aimed to cater the needs of public with certain measures recommended by the Chief Wildlife Warden of Andhra Pradesh.

Agenda item no. 2: Proposal for diversion of 0.21 ha of forest land in Kolleru Wildlife Sanctuary in favour of the Divisional Engineer, Telecom Optical Fiber Project, Vijayawada for laying Optical Fiber cable along and across the Kaikalur road between Kalakarru Check post.

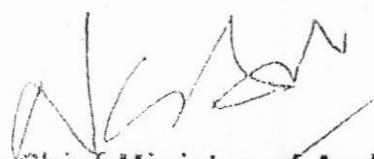
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Agenda Item no.3: Proposal for diversion of 2.54 ha of forest land of Sri Penusila Narasimhaswamy Wildlife Sanctuary of Nellore (T) Division for construction of Anam Sanjeeva Reddy Somasila High Level Lift canal for Somasila Reservoir to up to the balancing reservoir No.IV under Phase-I

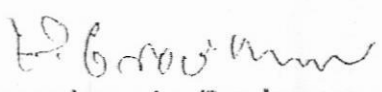
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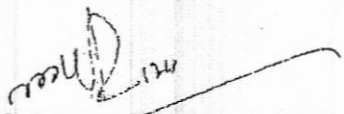
Agenda Item no.4: Proposal for re-diversion of forest land in Palamaner RF, Chittoor West Division to an extent of 4.60 ha for laying of underground R-LNG pipeline from Thiruvallur - Bangalore through Tamil Nadu, Andhra Pradesh and Karnataka by IOCL.

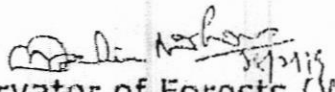
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Hon'ble Chief Minister of Andhra Pradesh & Chairman
Of the State Board for Wildlife

Hon'ble Minister for Environment,
Forests, Science & Technology
Department & Vice-Chairman


Prl. Secretary to Environment,
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Department & Member


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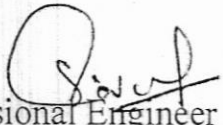
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UNDERTAKING – 06

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Place : Vijayawada

Date : 29—11—2021.


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Condition No. (B).07

UNDERTAKING – 07

BHARAT SANCHARA NIGAM LIMITED here by undertakes
no labour camps established in the forest proposed area of Eluru –Kaikaluru
ranges under Vijayawada Division for laying OFC Cable in Eluru –
Kaikaluru OFC route.

Place : Vijayawada

Date : 29—11—2021.


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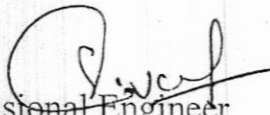
Condition No. (B).08

UNDERTAKING – 08

BHARAT SANCHARA NIGAM LIMITED hereby undertakes that it shall provide preferably alternate fuel to labourers working at site to avoid damage / tree felling for firewood for laying OFC Cable in Eluru – Kaikaluru OFC route under Vijayawada Division.

Place : Vijayawada

Date : 29—11—2021.


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Condition No. (B).09

UNDERTAKING – 09

BHARAT SANCHARA NIGAM LIMITED hereby undertakes that the forest land proposed for diversion shall not be used for any purpose other than the laying of OFC Cable from eluru to kaikaluru. It is also submitted that the total forest area utilized for the project shall not exceed 0.21 ha for laying OFC Cable in Eluru – Kaikaluru OFC route.

Place : Vijayawada

Date : 29—11—2021.


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Condition No. (B).10

UNDERTAKING – 10

BHARAT SANCHARA NIGAM LIMITED hereby undertakes that the Forest Land proposed for diversion shall under no circumstances be transferred to any other agency, department or person without prior approval of the Central Government for Eluru – Kaikaluru OFC route under Vijayawada Division.

Place : Vijayawada

Date : 29—11—2021.


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Condition No(B).11

UNDERTAKING – 11

BHARAT SANCHARA NIGAM LIMITED hereby undertakes that there is no damage to the flora and fauna in the area shall be complied for laying OFC Cable in Eluru – Kaikaluru OFC route under Vijayawada division

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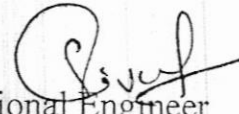
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Place : Vijayawada

Date : 29—11—2021.


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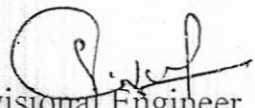
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UNDERTAKING – 13

BHARAT SANCHARA NIGAM LIMITED hereby undertakes that the layout of the plan of the proposal shall not be changed without the prior approval from Central Government for Eluru –Kaikaluru ranges under Vijayawada Division for laying OFC Cable in Eluru – Kaikaluru OFC route.

Place : Vijayawada

Date : 29—11—2021.


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Condition No (B).14

UNDERTAKING – 14

BHARAT SANCHARA NIGAM LIMITED here by undertakes to agree that any other conditions central government (MOEF) may impose from time to time in the interest of conservation, protection and development of forest for laying OFC Cable in Eluru – Kaikaluru OFC route under Vijayawada division

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Date : 29—11—2021.


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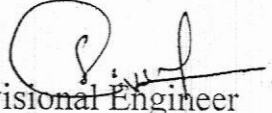
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UNDERTAKING – 15

BHARAT SANCHARA NIGAM LIMITED here by undertakes that shall submit the annual self compliance report in respect of already agreed and stated condition to the state government & integrated regional office, Bangalore by the end of March every year pertaining to OFC cable laying in diverted portion of 0.21 ha in Eluru – Kaikaluru OFC route under Vijayawada division..

Place : Vijayawada

Date: 29--11--2021


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JDFPL/AP/ROW/OFC/NLD/DFO-NELLORE/0.19 Ha Compliance/2022-23/151, Dated 8th December 2022

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To
The District Forest Officer,
Sri Potti Sri Ramulu Nellore District,
Nellore,
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Sub: Diversion of 0.19 Ha of Forest Land between Udayagiri-Duttalur in Nellore Division for laying of Optical Fibre Cable (OFC) along the road within the Right of Way (RoW) in favour of M/s Jio Digital Fibre Private Limited for providing 4G Communications- In principle (Stage-I) approval accorded – Orders Communicated – Submission of condition wise compliance - Reg.

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Dear Sir,

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As instructed in the reference 3 cited, we have published the Forest Clearances in widely circulated Telugu & English News Papers and have submitted the Forest Clearances to Panchayats and to other relevant Government Offices. Please find attached herewith compliance of the conditions stipulated in the Forest clearance along with required undertakings/acknowledgements for your kind perusal and further process.

We now request you to kindly grant us the working permission enabling us to commence the OFC laying activity. An early action will be highly appreciated.

Thanking you,

Yours Sincerely,
For M/s Jio Digital Fibre Private Limited

Authorised Signatory

Encl: As above



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The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force (FAC), Andhra Pradesh, Guntur

Jio Digital Fibre Private Limited CIN U64200GJ2018PTC105652

Registered Office: Office - 101, Saffron, Nr. Centre Point, Panchwati 5 Rasta, Ambawadi, Ahmedabad-380 006, Gujarat, India

Local office: 2nd Floor, KBR Heights, Door No. 40-1-116 & 117, M.G. Road, Vijayawada-520 010, Andhra Pradesh. Tel: 0866-3541190

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Stage-1 Compliance Report

Diversion of 0.19 Ha of Forest Land between Udayagiri-Duttalur in Nellore Division for laying of Optical Fibre Cable (OFC) along the road within the Right of Way (RoW) in favour of M/s Jio Digital Fibre Private Limited for providing 4G Communications- In principle (Stage-I) approval accorded vide MoEF & CC, IRO, Vijayawada F. No. 4-APB188/2022-Vij/578, dated 26-09-2022 conveyed through Govt. of Andhra Pradesh Memo No. 1570/Section-II/2022/ 1795524, Dated 28-10-2022 and communicated by Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force (FAC) Rc. No. EFS02-15026/15/2020-FCA-SEC PCCF/FCA-3 dated 18-11-2022

Sl. No.	Condition	User Agency Compliance	Remarks
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(iii)	The User Agency shall deposit cost towards plantation and maintenance of 100 number of trees.	Complied	Undertaking enclosed
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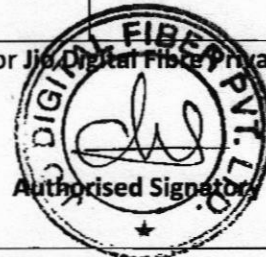
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(xviii)	The copies of the Forest clearances should also be submitted to the Heads of local bodies, Panchayats and Municipal bodies by the project proponents in addition to the relevant offices of the of the Government who in turn has to display the same in 30 days	Complied	Submitted the Forest clearance to the Heads of Local bodies, Panchayats and Municipal bodies and a copy of the letter submitted is attached herewith.

For Jio Digital Fibre Private Limited



Date: 9th December 2022

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Undertaking for Stage-1 Compliance

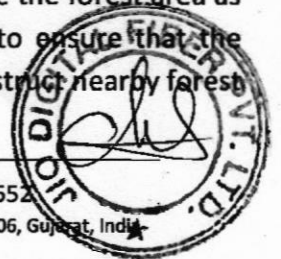
We, M/s Jio Digital Fibre Private Limited hereby undertake to comply with the following conditions stipulated in the In Principle (Stage-I) approval accorded vide MoEF & CC, IRO, Vijayawada F. No. 4-APB188/2022-Vij/578, dated 26-09-2022 conveyed through Govt. of Andhra Pradesh Memo No. 1570/Section-II/2022/ 1795524, Dated 28-10-2022 and communicated by Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force (FAC) Rc. No. EFS02-15026/15/2020-FCA-SEC PCCF/FCA-3 dated 18-11-2022 for Diversion of 0.19 Ha of Forest Land between Udayagiri-Duttalur in Nellore Division for laying of Optical Fibre Cable (OFC) along the road within the Right of Way (RoW) in favour of M/s Jio Digital Fibre Private Limited for providing 4G Communications

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For Jio Digital Fibre Private Limited

Authorized Signatory

Date: 9th December 2022

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Chapter 3

Net Present Value

3.1 In pursuance of the orders of 29th Oct 2002 of the Supreme Court in Writ Petition (Civil) No. 202/95 in addition to the funds realized for compensatory afforestation, the Net Present Value (NPV) of forest land diverted for non- forest purposes is also to be recovered from the user agencies, for undertaking forest protection, other conservation measures and related activities.

3.2 NPV is recoverable in all cases where diversion is approved on or after 29th Oct 2002 and also the cases for which in-principle clearance was granted before 29th October 2002 and final clearance after that.

3.3 In their orders of 28th March 2008, 28th April 2008 and 9th May 2008, the Apex Court decided the rates of NPV per ha. of the forest area diverted effective from 28th March 2008 for three years and subject to variation after three years, and also exemptions in specified categories of non-forest uses.

3.4 NPV Rates

The rates of NPV recoverable from the User Agency with effect from 28th March 2008 depending upon the type of forest land diverted are as mentioned below:

Eco-Value class	VDF	DF	OF
	NPV (in Rs.)		
Class I	10,43,000	9,39,000	7,30,000
Class II	10,43,000	9,39,000	7,30,000
Class III	8,87,000	8,03,000	6,26,000
Class IV	6,26,000	5,63,000	4,38,000
Class V	9,39,000	8,45,000	6,57,000
Class VI	9,91,000	8,97,000	6,99,000

- Eco-Class I - Tropical Wet Evergreen Forests,
Tropical Semi Evergreen Forests and
Tropical Moist Deciduous Forests
- Eco- Class II- Littoral and Swamp Forests
- Eco-Class III- Tropical Dry Deciduous Forests
- Eco-Class IV - Tropical Thorn Forests and Tropical Dry Evergreen Forests
- Eco-Class V - Sub-tropical Broad-Leaved Hill Forests,
Sub-Tropical Pine Forests and
Sub-Tropical Dry Evergreen Forests
- Eco-Class VI - Montane Wet Temperate Forests,
Himalayan Moist Temperate Forests,
Himalayan Dry Temperate Forests,
Sub Alpine Forest,
Moist Alpine Scrub and Dry Alpine Scrub

However, for following specified areas of diversion/ projects the following rates of NPV will be applicable:

1.	Forest land falling in National Parks, if permitted in exceptional circumstances	10 times NPV for the forest area
2.	Forest land falling in Wildlife Sanctuaries, if permitted in exceptional circumstances	5 times NPV for the forest area
3.	Non-forest land falling within the National Parks and Wildlife Sanctuaries, if permitted.	NPV payable for the adjoining forest area
4.	Non-forest land falling within marine National Parks / Wildlife Sanctuaries, if permitted	5 times NPV for adjoining forest areas
5.	Re-diversion of already diverted forest land	Normal NPV for re-diverted forest land, except when such re-diversion is for the same UA and for same project (i.e. change of land use for the same project for which diversion has been approved)
6.	Mining area broken up before 25.10. 1980	Normal NPV for the forest area at the time of renewal of mining lease.

3.5 Exemption from payment of NPV

The following category of projects have been given exemption to the extent mentioned in the list below:

S. No.	Category	Particulars of Exemptions
1.	(i) Schools (ii) Hospitals (iii) Children's playground of non-commercial nature (iv) Community centers in rural areas (v) Over-head tanks (vi) Village tanks, (vii) Laying of underground drinking water pipeline up to 4" diameter (viii) Electricity distribution line up to 22 KV in rural areas	Full exemption up to 1 ha., of forest land provided: (a) no felling of trees is involved (b) alternate forest land is not available; (c) the project is of non-commercial nature and is part of the Plan/Non-Plan Scheme of Government; and (d) area is outside any National Park or Wild Life Sanctuary.

2.	Relocation of villages from National Parks/Sanctuaries to alternate forest land	Full Exemption	
3.	Collection of boulders/silts from the river belts in the forest area	Full exemption provided: (a) area is outside National Park/Sanctuary; (b) No mining lease is approved/signed in respect of this area; (c) the works including the sale of boulders/silt are carried out departmentally or through Government undertaking or through the Economic Development Committee or Joint Forest Management Committee; (d) the activity is necessary for conservation and protection of forests; and (e) the sale proceeds are used for protection/conservation of forests	
4.	Laying of underground optical fiber cable	Full exemption provided: (a) no felling of trees is involved; and (b) area falls outside National Park/Sanctuary	
5.	Regularization of eligible encroachments before 22.10.1980, and conversion of forest villages into revenue villages	Full exemption	
6.	Underground mining	Surface strain predicted by 3-D subsidence prediction model	NPV
		Up to 5mm/m	NIL
		5mm to 10mm/m	10% of normal rates of NPV
		10mm/m to 15 mm/m	25% of normal rates of NPV
		15 mm/m to 20 mm/m	50% of normal rates of NPV
		more than 20 mm/m	Normal rates of NPV
7.	Other underground works requiring diversion of forest land	50% of normal rates of NPV	

8.	Grant of Petroleum Mining Lease [under P& NG Rules under Oil Field (Regulation and Development) Act 1954]	2% of the NPV for entire forest land in the mining lease.
9.	Wind Energy	50% at the minimum NPV rate provided minimal tree felling is involved, irrespective of the eco-class in which the project lies.
10.	Field firing range by the Defence Ministry not involving felling of trees and no likelihood of destruction of forests	Full exemption
11.	Small Hydro-Electric Project (upto 25 MW)	50% of the normal NPV, as granted to Wind mill energy Projects
12.	Regularization of encroachment over Zudpi Jungle land prior to 12.12.1996 (Category-II) as per the decision of the FAC dated 26.10.2017	Full Exemption
13.	Prospecting	
	Seismic Surveys	1%
	Forest area with vegetation density 0.1 to 0.4	2%
	Forest area with vegetation density 0.4 to 0.7	5%
14.	Zoo	15%

3.6 Vide their order dated 5th October 2015 the Apex Court ordered to transfer various applications for exemption from payment of NPV to the MoEF&CC for consideration in accordance with law as expeditiously as possible.

3.7 The latest ISFR of FSI may be followed for determination of density for the purpose of NPV rates.



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To

F.No: 4-APB188/2022-Vij/578

Date : 26th September, 2022

The Special Chief Secretary to the Government of Andhra Pradesh,
Environment, Forests, Science & Technology Department,
Government of Andhra Pradesh, Room No. 268, 1st Floor,
4th Block, Andhra Pradesh Secretariat,
Velagapudi, Amaravati Guntur District-522503.

Subject : Diversion of 0.19 ha of forest land in compartment No. 491 & 488 of Udayagiri East-Appasamudram RF & Venkatampet RF and compartment No. 479 of Duttalur RF for laying of underground Optical Fiber Cable in favour of M/s Jio Digital Fibre Private Limited-Reg.

Sir,

Please refer to the State Government letter Nos. 1570/Section.II/2022/(1795524) Dated : 08-09-2022 and online proposal No. FP/AP/OFC/62261/2020 seeking prior approval of the Government of India in accordance with Section '2' of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for the above mentioned project.

After careful consideration of the proposal of the State Government, I am hereby directed to convey the Central Government's approval (Stage-I) under Section '2' of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for the diversion of 0.19 ha of forest land in compartment No. 491 & 488 of Udayagiri East Appasamudram RF & Venkatampet RF and compartment No. 479 of Duttalur RF for laying of underground Optical Fiber Cable in favour of M/s Jio Digital Fibre Private Limited, subject to the following conditions:

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- iii. The User Agency shall deposit cost towards plantation and maintenance of 100 number of trees. The State Government shall carryout such plantation in the nearby degraded forest area and shall deposit details like map, DGPS co-ordinates etc along with the compliance report.
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After receipt of the compliance report on above mentioned conditions, the proposal will be considered for final approval. This in-principle approval shall be valid for a period of 5 years from the date of issue of this letter. In the event of non-compliance of the above conditions, this in-principle approval shall automatically stand revoked after 5 years.

Yours faithfully

(N.S.Murali)

Inspector General of Forests (Central)



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పైన తెలిపిన ప్రాంతాల కొరకు 1980 అటవీ (సంరక్షణ) చట్టం సెక్షన్ 2 ననుసరించి భారత ప్రభుత్వం వారి మొదట్ను అనుమతి కొరకు రాష్ట్ర ప్రభుత్వం తెలుసు నెం.1570/Section.II/2022(1795524) తేది: 08.08.2022 మరియు ఆన్ లైన్ ప్రతిపాదన నెం. FP/AP/OFC/82281/2020 దయచేసి గమనించండి

రాష్ట్ర ప్రభుత్వం వారి నడచే ప్రతిపాదనను స్పష్టంగా పరిశీలించిన తర్వాత, నేను 1980 అటవీ (సంరక్షణ) చట్టం యొక్క 2 విభాగం పరిధిలో భూగర్భ అన్వేషక పైలర్ కేబుల్ నేయబడు ఉదయగిరి మార్పు - అప్రెషిమేషన్ RF & వెంటుం పేట RF యొక్క కంపార్ట్మెంట్ నెం.491 & 488 మరియు దుత్తలూరు RF యొక్క కంపార్ట్మెంట్ నెం.479 నందలి 0.18 హెక్టార్ల అటవీ భూమి వెనర్స్ అయో దిజిటల్ పైలర్ డ్రైవ్ అయివడి సేరుకు ఈ త్రింది పరకులకు లోబడి అదలాయావు చేయబడుతు కేంద్ర ప్రభుత్వం తరఫున (సెక్షన్-1) అనుమతి ఇవ్వబడినది.

- (i) అదలాయించిన భూమి యొక్క వ్యవస్థలైన స్థిరలో మార్పు ఉండదు.
- (ii) సంబంధిత DFO హామీనిచ్చు తగిన దూరం లో క్రమ సమన్వయ ప్రతిపాదన అటవీ ప్రాంతం కరిహర్షని 4 అడుగుల ఎత్తు నిమిషం తాత్కాలిక స్థలాలను వినియోగించు సంస్థ భార్యతో ఏర్పాటు చేయాలి.
- (iii) 100 నెట్లు నాటుట మరియు నిర్వహించుట కొరకు భర్తీను వినియోగించు సంస్థ అను చేయాలి. నశించిన అటవీ ప్రాంతం పర్వతలో గల ఇల్లి ప్రాంతాన రాష్ట్ర ప్రభుత్వం నిర్వహిస్తుంది మరియు మ్యాప్, DGPS కో-ఆర్డినేట్స్ మౌలా వంటి వివరాలు సమగ్ర గునడికలో పాటు అందిస్తుంది.
- (iv) అ.వి.నెం.2288 ఐన్ 586 అ.వి ఐన్ 017 ఓడీపీఎస్ (ఓపిటి) నెం.202/1995 నకు సంబంధించి గౌరవ మజ్లీస్ కోర్టు ఉత్తర్వు తేది 28.03.2008 మరియు 02.05.2008 మరియు సుంత్రిత్వ శాఖ మార్గదర్శకాలు నెం.6-3/3011-FC (Vol-I) తేది 04.01.2022 మరియు తెలుసు తేది 22.08.2022 ననుసరించి అర్జీయేన వివరణ ప్రకారం మళ్లించు చేసు అటవీ భూమి 0.18 హెక్టార్ల విస్తీర్ణం వెళ్ల ప్రవృత్తి విలువను వినియోగించు సంస్థ నుండి రాష్ట్ర ప్రభుత్వం నేరాలు చేస్తుంది.
- (v) అదలాయించిన అటవీ భూమి యొక్క వికర ప్రస్తుత విలువ (NPV) కు సంబంధించి అదనపు మొత్తము విస్తీర్ణము రివిజన్ అనుమతించు గౌరవ మజ్లీస్ కోర్టు ఆన్ అండ్ యో వారు భవిష్యత్తులో నాచించినచో ఆ మొత్తమును కూడ వినియోగించు సంస్థ (యూజర్ సంస్థ) నుంచి రాష్ట్ర ప్రభుత్వం నేరాలు చేస్తుంది. అందుకు సంబంధించి వినియోగించు సంస్థ కను సమగ్ర వివరాలు పరచాలి.
- (vi) కేంద్ర ప్రభుత్వ ముందస్తు అనుమతి లేకుండా ప్రతిపాదించిన లే అవుట్ ఫ్లోరు మార్పుకూడదు.
- (vii) అటవీ భూమి మరియు క్రామీకుల/సదాకా 30 రోం స్థిరీంచ కూడదు.
- (viii) క్రామీకుల తిరిగి అటవీ ప్రాంతాలకి సాధ్యమైనంత దూరంగా తీరవలె ఇబ్బంది కలిగి ఉన్న ఏర్పాటు చేసకోవాలి మరియు పని నిర్వహించు విమర్శలైన క్రామీకులు మరియు సిబ్బంది కలన సమీప వ్యక్తకాలం మరియు జంతుకాలం నకు ఇబ్బంది కలగకుండా వినియోగిస్త సంస్థ కార్యక మహించాలి.
- (ix) అగతంత వంటకలకు, ప్రత్యామ్నాయ అంధన ప్రభావంగా, క్రామీకుల కొరకు వాటిని రాష్ట్ర అటవీ శాఖ లేదా అటవీ అభివృద్ధి సంస్థ లేదా ఏదైన ఇతర చట్టపరమైన నవరాలు నుండి వినియోగిస్త మంత్రి ఏజెన్సీ కొనుగోలు చేసి అందచేయాలి.
- (x) వినియోగిస్త సంస్థ వెళ్లమ వరకుం చేయరాదు.
- (xi) మళ్లించుకు ప్రతిపాదించిన భూమిని కేంద్ర ప్రభుత్వ ముందస్తు అనుమతి లేకుండా ఎల్లి వరల్లిమలలోను ఏదైన ఇతర సంస్థ, శాఖ లేదా వ్యక్తి అదీలీచేయుట లేదా నకే చెట్ల వకు ఇవ్వట చేయకూడదు.
- (xii) ప్రాంతాల్ల కొరకు వినియోగించు మొత్తం అటవీ భూమి 0.18 హెక్టార్లకు మించరాదు మరియు మళ్లించు వకు ప్రతిపాదించిన అటవీ భూమిని మరే ఇతర ప్రయోజనానికి వాడకూడదు.
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- (xiv) ఈ ప్రతిష్టనకు సంబంధించి అన్ని భృత్యులు యొక్క వియమానలి, నియమ వినిధనలు, మార్గదర్శకాలు, మరియు ప్రాంతాల్లకు తర్ఫీతు కాలానుగుణంగా అమలు లోనున్నవాటిని వినియోగిస్త పంస్థ మరియు రాష్ట్ర ప్రభుత్వం పాటించాలి.
- (xv) వ్యక్తకాలం మరియు జంతుకాలం ప్రాంతం లో మొత్తం పెంపకం, సంరక్షణ మరియు యాజమాన్యక వల్లి అనక్షితి కేంద్ర ప్రభుత్వం లేదా సమగ్ర ప్రాంతీయ కార్యాలయం, విజయవాడ యొక్క ప్రాంతీయ కార్యాలయం (నింట్రిటి) కాలానుగుణంగా ప్రవేశపెట్టు ఏదైన ఇతర పరకులకు వినియోగిస్త సంస్థ కట్టబడి ఉండాలి.
- (xvi) పైన తెలిపిన పరకులు విస్తీర్ణము భర్తీ చేయటంలో వినియోగిస్త సంస్థ (యూజర్ సంస్థ) విఫలమైతే మంత్రిత్వ శాఖ మార్గదర్శకాలు నియమావళి పరిధిలో చట్టపర పరకుల వాడుకలగురు.

పైన తెలిపిన విషయాల యొక్క చేమ్యుతి నివేదిక అందచ తర్వాత, తుది అనుమతికి ప్రతిపాదన పరిశీలించబడుతుంది. ఈ అన్-ఫైనల్ అనుమతి ఈ తెలుసు అదీ తేది నుండి 5 సంవత్సరాల కాలం చెల్లుబాటులో ఉంటుంది. పై పరకులు పాటించక పోయినచో, ఈ అన్-ఫైనల్ అనుమతి 5 సంవత్సరాల తర్వాత తీసుకుంటు అదీ రద్దవుతుంది. ఎస్.ఎస్.మహారాజు

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JDFPL/AP/ROW/NLD/OFC/ITDA-NELLORE/2022-23/148, dated 28th November 2022

To
The Project Officer,
ITDA,
Sri Potti Sri Ramulu Nellore District,
Andhra Pradesh.

Sub: Submission of In-principle (Stage-I) approval accorded by Govt. of India communicated through Govt. of Andhra Pradesh for diversion of 0.19Ha of Forest land in Compartment No. 491 & 488 of Udayagiri East-Appasamudram RF & Venkatampet RF and Compartment No. 479 of Duttalur RF of Nellore Division for laying of Optical Fiber Cable (OFC) in favour of M/s Jio Digital Fibre Private Limited and request for displaying the Order in your office for 30 days as per the Guidelines of MoEF & CC, GoI – Reg.

Ref.: F. No. 4-APB188/2022-Vij/578 dated 26-09-2022 issued by Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Integrated Regional Office, Vijayawada communicated through Memo No. 1570/Section-II/2022/1795524, dated 28.10.2022 of Environment, Forests, Science & Technology (Section-II) Department, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh

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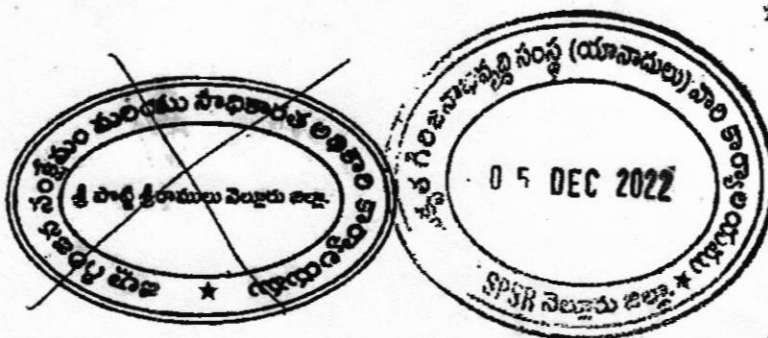
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Thanking you,

Yours Sincerely,
For Jio Digital Fibre Private Limited

Authorised Signatory

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JDFPL/AP/ROW/NLD/OFC/MRO-DUTTALUR/2022-23/150, dated 28th November 2022

To
The Tahsildar,
Duttalur - 524 222,
Sri Potti Sri Ramulu Nellore District,
Andhra Pradesh.

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JDFPL/AP/ROW/NLD/OFC/MRO-UDAYAGIRI/2022-23/149, dated 28th November 2022

To
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Udayagiri- 524 226,
Sri Potti Sri Ramulu Nellore District,
Andhra Pradesh.

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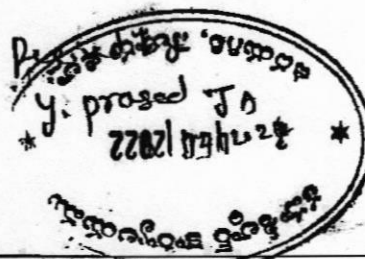
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JDFPL/AP/ROW/NLD/OFC/GP-DUTTALUR/2022-23/146, dated 28th November 2022

To
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Ref.: F. No. 4-APB188/2022-Vij/578 dated 26-09-2022 issued by Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Integrated Regional Office, Vijayawada communicated through Memo No. 1570/Section-II/2022/1795524, dated 28.10.2022 of Environment, Forests, Science & Technology (Section-II) Department, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh

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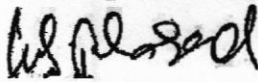
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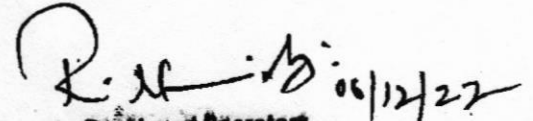
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F.No. 4-APB188/2022-VIJ/578
Date 26th September, 2022

To

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Andhra Pradesh Secretariat, Velagapudi, Amaravati Guntur District-
522503

Subject: Diversion of 0.19 ha of forest land in compartment No.491 & 488 of Udayagiri East-Appasamudram RF & Venkatampet RF and compartment No.479 of Duttalur RF for laying of underground Optical Fiber Cable in favour of M/s Jio Digital Fibre Private Limited- Reg..

Sir,

Please refer to the State Government letter Nos. 1570/Section.II/2022/(1795524) Dated: 08.09.2022 and online proposal No. FP/AP/OFC/62251/2020 seeking prior approval of the Government of India in accordance with Section '2' of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for the above mentioned project.

After careful consideration of the proposal of the State Government, I am hereby directed to convey the Central Government's approval (**Stage-I**) under Section '2' of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for the diversion of **0.19 ha** of forest land in compartment No.491 & 488 of Udayagiri East-Appasamudram RF & Venkatampet RF and compartment No.479 of Duttalur RF for laying of underground Optical Fiber Cable in favour of M/s Jio Digital Fibre Private Limited, subject to the following conditions:-

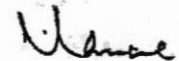
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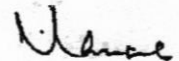
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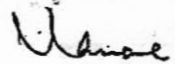


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Copy to:-

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Memo.No.1570/Section.II/2022/1795524

Dated:28.10.2022

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A copy of the reference 3rd cited is enclosed herewith.

2. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force, Andhra Pradesh, is informed that the Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, IRO, Vijayawada in the reference 3rd cited, have accorded in-principle (Stage-I) approval U/s 2 of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, for diversion of 0.19 ha of forest land in compartment No.491 & 488 of Udayagiri East-Appasamudram RF & Venkatampet RF and compartment No.479 of Duttalur RF for laying of underground Optical Fiber Cable in favour of M/s Jio Digital Fibre Private Limited, subject to fulfillment of certain conditions as stipulated therein.

3. He is therefore, requested to obtain and furnish the compliance report on the conditions stipulated in the reference 3rd cited, to Government immediately, for taking further necessary action in the matter.

Dr. P.V. CHALAPATHI RAO
SPECIAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

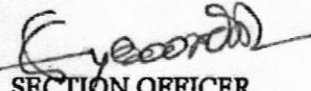
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