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To, Principal Secretary (Forests), Revenue and Forest Department, Mantralaya, Mumbai-32

**Sub:** Diversion of 1.2081 ha. of Forest land in favour of M/s. Reliance Jio Infocomm Ltd; Nagpur for laying of underground Optical Fiber Cable Line passing within RoW of Existing NH-7 (Mansar to Khawasa MH/MP Border) for total length of 38.000 Km (from- Km 652 /000 to Km 690+000) in Nagpur District in the State of Maharashtra

Ref:1. Govt. of Maharashtra's Order no.FLD-2022/C.R.276/F-10, dtd.18.11.2022.

2. Chief Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur letter no. Desk-10/Land/C.R.1110/2022-23/1694, dtd.23.01.2023.

The Govt. of Maharashtra vide resolution under reference 1 has accorded **in-principle** approval to the project proposal mentioned under subject above with a condition to submit compliance of conditions 1 to 26. Accordingly the User Agency has submitted their compliance to Deputy Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur. The same is submitted by Chief Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur to this office vide letter under reference 2. The details of conditions and remarks of the User Agency are as follows:-

No	Conditions	Compliance
1.	The legal status of the land shall remain unchanged.	As per compliance report submitted by the Deputy Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur and forwarded by Chief Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur the User Agency has submitted an Undertaking to this effect is enclosed as <b>Annexure-1</b> .
2.	The User Agency shall defray the cost of Net Present Value.	As per compliance report submitted by the Deputy Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur and forwarded by Chief Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur the User Agency has deposited an amount of Rs.11,57,094/towards the cost of Net Present Value. Copy of the receipt along with an Undertaking is enclosed as <b>Annexure-2</b> .

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3	The proposed aera falls in the RoW of the road passing through pinch point of Tiger Corridor, user agency shall obtain Wildlife Clearance.	Deputy Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur and forwarded by Chief Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur mentions that the User Agency has submitted online proposal for seeking recommendation of Standing Committee of NBWL / SBWL, the copy of the same is enclosed. It is also submitted that the same has been forwarded by Hon'ble Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Wildlife) M.S. Nagpur vide letter no.3055, dtd.24.01.2023 to Govt. of Maharashtra. An Undertaking to this effect is enclosed as Annexure-4.
4.	Working permission cannot be granted till the wildlife clearance is obtained by the user agency from the competent authority.	As per compliance report submitted by the Deputy Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur and forwarded by Chief Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur the User Agency has submitted an Undertaking to this effect is enclosed as <b>Annexure-4</b> .
5.	The Optical Fiber Cable line will be laid within maximum size of the trench of 2.00 meters depth and 0.50 meter width with cable line under the PVC pipeline.	As per compliance report submitted by the Deputy Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur and forwarded by Chief Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur the User Agency has submitted an Undertaking to this effect is enclosed as <b>Annexure-5</b> .
6.	The land under project will be reclaimed by the User Agency for which the Agency shall submit a bank guarantee at the rate of Rs.50/- per RMT and an undertaking to that effect shall also be submitted. If the agency fails to reclaim the land to the satisfaction of concerned Deputy Conservator of Forests (T), the cost for reclamation will be covered from the Bank Guarantee.	As per compliance report submitted by the Deputy Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur and forwarded by Chief Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur the User Agency has submitted an Undertaking to this effect is enclosed as Annexure-6 and Annexure-6-A to 6-E.
7.	If the cable is going to be laid in the formation width of the road, then additional charges in form of Bank Guarantee shall be given @ Rs.35/- RMT. Similarly for reclamation of side drain and for tarred portion, the guarantee will be @ Rs.300/-per RMT and Rs.750/- Per RMT respectively. An undertaking shall be obtained from the User Agency that it has agreed to make good any loss to Forest / Environment while laying the cable in the forest area and during the maintenance of the same in future.	As per compliance report submitted by the Deputy Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur and forwarded by Chief Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur the User Agency has submitted an Undertaking to this effect is enclosed as Annexure-6 and Annexure-6-A to 6-E.
8.	For further maintenance of the project, the agency shall obtain permission from the concerned Deputy Conservator of Forests (T) as and when required.	As per compliance report submitted by the Deputy Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur and forwarded by Chief Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur the User Agency has submitted an Undertaking to this effect is



9.	The forest land shall not be used for	enclosed as Annexure-7.
	The forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than specified in the	i secondition of the
	purpose other than specified in the proposal.	1 5 Table of Tolests (1) Hagpul
	p. epeca	and forwarded by Chief Conservator of
		Forests (T) Nagpur the User Agency has
		submitted an Undertaking to this effect is enclosed as Annexure-8.
10.	No felling of trees shall be done during the	As per compliance report submitted by the
	implementation of project.	Deputy Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur
	1 3	and forwarded by Chief Conservator of
		Forests (T) Nagpur the User Agency has
		submitted an Undertaking to this effect is
		enclosed as Annexure-9.
11.	the file of the file in the file in the	As per compliance report submitted by the
	Way of existing road should be broken for	Deputy Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur
	laying Optical Fiber Cable.	and forwarded by Chief Conservator of
		Forests (T) Nagpur the User Agency has
		submitted an Undertaking to this effect is
		enclosed as Annexure-10.
12.	The User Agency shall pay the cost of	As per compliance report submitted by the
	additional Net Present Value, if required in	Deputy Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur
	future.	and forwarded by Chief Conservator of
		Forests (T) Nagpur the User Agency has
		submitted an Undertaking to this effect is
1.2	TI I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I	enclosed as Annexure-11.
13.	Underground Optical Fiber Cable can be	As per compliance report submitted by the
	laid only outside the confines of the Protected Areas.	Deputy Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur
	Frotected Areas.	and forwarded by Chief Conservator of
		Forests (T) Nagpur the User Agency has
		submitted an Undertaking to this effect is
14.	No labour camp shall be established on the	enclosed as Annexure-12.
14.	forest land.	As per compliance report submitted by the
	Torest fund.	Deputy Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur
		and forwarded by Chief Conservator of
		Forests (T) Nagpur the User Agency has
		submitted an Undertaking to this effect is enclosed as <b>Annexure-13</b> .
15.	After completion of the project, User	As per compliance report submitted by the
	Agency will reclaim the area under RoW	Deputy Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur
	suitably.	and forwarded by Chief Conservator of
		Forests (T) Nagpur the User Agency has
		submitted an Undertaking to this effect is
		enclosed as Annexure-14.
16.	The layout plan of the proposal shall not be	As per compliance report submitted by the
	changed without prior approval of the State	Deputy Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur
	Government.	and forwarded by Chief Conservator of
		Forests (T) Nagpur the User Agency has
		submitted an Undertaking to this effect is
		enclosed as Annexure-15.



17.	This sanction is subject to the final clearance by the Department of Information & Technology for the project and concerned PWD authorities for the project.	Deputy Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur
18.	The User Agency shall compensate the private owners of forest land if any, in accordance with the prevalent laws, rules and guidelines.	As per compliance report submitted by the
19.	The User Agency shall obtain Environmental Clearance as per the provisions of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, if applicable.	As per compliance report submitted by the Deputy Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur and forwarded by Chief Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur the User Agency has submitted an Undertaking to this effect is enclosed as <b>Annexure-18</b> .
20.	All other conditions as may be mandatory under relevant Acts, Rules and Guidelines shall be complied by the User Agency.	As per compliance report submitted by the Deputy Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur and forwarded by Chief Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur the User Agency has submitted an Undertaking to this effect is enclosed as <b>Annexure-19</b> .
21.	All the conditions stipulated by the Forest Department shall be binding on the User Agency.	As per compliance report submitted by the Deputy Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur and forwarded by Chief Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur the User Agency has submitted an Undertaking to this effect is enclosed as <b>Annexure-20</b> .
22.	The User Agency shall make good of any loss to Forest / Environment.	As per compliance report submitted by the Deputy Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur and forwarded by Chief Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur the User Agency has submitted an Undertaking to this effect is enclosed as <b>Annexure-21</b> .
23.	All necessary approvals required for the project as per the prevailing laws of the land would be obtained by User Agency.	As per compliance report submitted by the Deputy Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur and forwarded by Chief Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur the User Agency has submitted an Undertaking to this effect is enclosed as <b>Annexure-22</b> .



24. Any breach of the conditions by the User Agency will be treated as violation of the provisions of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.

As per compliance report submitted by the Deputy Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur and forwarded by Chief Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur the User Agency has submitted an Undertaking to this effect is enclosed as **Annexure-23**.

The copy of Chief Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur letter under reference 2 along with compliance report is enclosed for further necessary action.

Encl: As above

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Addl. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests And Nodal Officer

Maharashtra State, Nagpur

Copy forwarded to Chief Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur for information.

Copy forwarded to Deputy Conservator of Forests (T) Nagpur for information.

Copy forwarded with compliments to M/s. Reliance Jio Infocomm Ltd; 3<sup>rd</sup> floor, FIDVI Tower, Opp. Saraf Chamber, Mount Road, Sadar, Nagpur 440 001for information.

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## मुख्य वनसंरक्षक (प्रादेशिक), नागपूर वनवृत्त, नागपूर यांचे कार्यालय

(बि.एस.एन.एल. लक्ष्मी संचार इमारत, कस्तुरचंद पार्क समोर, नागपूर 440 001.) (Land Line No - 0712-2564569, Email-id : ccftnagpur@mahaforest.gov.in)

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दिनांक :

23 जानेवारी 2023

प्रति,

अपर प्रधान मुख्य वनसंरक्षक व केंद्रस्थ अधिकारी, महाराष्ट्र राज्य, नागपुर.

বিষয:- Proposal for diversion of 1.2081 ha. forest land for Laying Optical Fibre Cable within ROW of existing Road of NH-7 (Mansar to Khawasa MH/MP Border) for total length of 38.000 KM (from Km.652+000 to Km 690+000) in Nagpur District in the State of Maharashtra in favour of M/s Reliance Jio Infocomm Ltd. (FP/MH/OFC/155104/2022)

संदर्भ:- 1) महसुल व वन्विभाग, शासन निर्णय क्र FLD-2022/CR-276/F-10, दिनांक 18/11/2022.

2) या कार्यालयाचे पत्र क्र कक्ष-10/जमीन/प्र.क्र.1110/3968, दिनांक 22/11/2022.

3) उपवनसंरक्षक नागपूर वनविभाग, नागपूर यांचे कार्यालयाचे पत्र क्र कक्ष-11/वनसंवर्धन/ प्र.क्र.514/1334, दिनांक 17/01/2023.

उपरोक्त संदर्भिय शासन पत्र क्र 1 अन्वये सदर प्रस्तावास 1 ते 24 अटींना अधिन राहुन तत्वत: मान्यता प्राप्त झालेली असुन या कार्यालयाचे पत्र क्र 2 अन्वये शासन पत्रात नमुद 1 ते 24 अटींची पुर्तता करून अटी पुर्तता अहवाल सादर करणेबाबत उपवनसंरक्षक नागपूर वनविभाग, नागपूर यांना कळविण्यात आले.

त्याअनुषंगाने उपवनसरंक्षक नागपूर वनविभाग, नागपूर यांनी संदर्भिय पत्र क्र 3 अन्वये शासन पत्रातील 1 ते 24 अर्टीची पुर्तता करून अटी पुर्तता अहवाल यंत्रणेकडुन प्राप्त करून 3 प्रतित अहवाल या कार्यालयास सादर केलेला असुन सदर अहवालाचे संस्करण करून 2 प्रतित अहवाल आपणाकडे सादर करण्यात येत आहे.

सहपत्र:- वरिलप्रमाणे

(रंगनाथ नाईकडे) मुख्य वनसंरक्षक (प्रा), नागपूर वनवृत्त, नागपूर

प्रतिलिपी:- उपवनसंरक्षक, नागपूर वनविभाग, नागपूर यांना माहितीस्तव. प्रतिलीपी:- श्री.सौरभ काळे, प्राधिकृत अधिकारी, रिलायन्स जिओ इन्फोकॉम लिमिटेड, नागपूर यांना माहितीस अग्रेषित.

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