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No. Desk-17/Nodal/Pune/ID-13164(25)/498 /2023-24

Nagpur - 440 001, Date : 18 /05/2023

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

Sub :- Forest Land-Pune

Diversion of 0.3225 ha. Forest land under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 in favour of M/s. Reliance Jio Infocomm Limited, Pune for laying of underground Optical Fiber Cable Line passing within RoW of existing road in Pune district of Maharashtra.

- Ref- 1) State Government Government Order No.: FLD-1923/CR.01/F-10 dtd 10/3/2023.
2) The Chief Conservator of Forests (T), Pune letter No.4/4(2)/Land/FCA-386/A151/2023-24, dated 4/5/2023.

Sir,

Government of Maharashtra, Revenue and Forest Department vide Order under reference No. 1 has been given in-principle approval under 23 conditions in the subject matter. Accordingly, the Chief Conservator of Forests (T), Pune vide letter under reference No.2 has submitted the compliance report in this regard to this office. The same has been submitted as under:-

Sr. No.	Conditions put forth by Govt. of Maharashtra letter dtd 10/3/2023	Compliance
1	Legal status of the land shall remain unchanged.	The User Agency has submitted an undertaking. The copy of the same is enclosed as Annexure No. I
2	The Optical Fiber Cable Line will be laid within maximum size of the trench of 2.00 meters depth & 1.0 meter width with cable line under the PVC pipeline	The User Agency has submitted an undertaking. The copy of the same is enclosed as Annexure II .
3	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 running meter 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, the cost for reclamation will be covered from the bank guarantee	User Agency has submitted that, the land under project will be reclaimed by the User Agency for which the agency is submitting Bank guarantee. of 3225 Rmt. x Rs. 50/- =1,61,250/- (Rs One Lakh Sixty One Thousand Two Hundred Fifty only.) on name of Deputy Conservator of forest, through ICICI BANK LTD Bank, Band Garden Branch, Band Garden Road, Pune 411001 Branch by Bank Guarantee no- 0541NDLG 00036323, Issue date- 10/04/2023, Total cost of B. G is Rs. 2,74,125/- (Rs Two Lakh Seventy-Four Thousand One Hundred Twenty Five only.) User Agency has submitted undertaking that, User Agency will do reclamation work as per PWD road standard. User Agency agrees that, if the agency fails to reclaim the land to the satisfaction of Deputy Conservator of Forests Pune, the cost for reclamation will be recovered from the bank guarantee. Undertaking is attached as Annexure III

4	If the cable is going to be laid in the formation width of the road, then additional charges in the form of bank guarantee shall be given at the rate of Rs.35/- per running meter. Similarly for reclamation of side drain and for tarred portion, the guarantee will be at the rate of Rs.300/- per meter and Rs.750/- per meter 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 maintenance of the same in future.	User Agency has submitted that, the cable is going to be laid in the formation width of the road (side shoulder of road). then User Agency submit additional charges in the form of Bank Guarantee. of 3250Rmt. X Rs. 35 = 112,875 / (Rs. One Lakh Twelve Thousand Eight Hundred Seventy-Five only) in favour of Deputy Conservator of forest Pune, through ICICI BANK LTD Bank, Band Garden Branch , Band Garden Road, Pune 411001 Branch by Bank Guarantee no- 0541NDLG 00036323 ,Issue date- 10/04/2023, Total cost of B. G is Rs. 274,125/ (Rs Two Lakh Seventy-Four Thousand One Hundred Twenty Five only.) User Agency has submitted undertaking that, User Agency will do reclamation work as per PWD road standard. User Agency agreed to make good any don't loss to forest/ Environment while laying the cable in the forest area and during maintenance of the same in future. Undertaking is attached as Annexure IV
5	For further maintenance of the project, the agency shall obtain permission from the concerned Deputy Conservator of Forests as and when required.	The User Agency has submitted an undertaking. The copy of the same is enclosed as Annexure V
6	The forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than specified in the proposal	The User Agency has submitted an undertaking. The copy of the same is enclosed as Annexure VI
7	No felling of trees shall be done during the implementation of project	The User Agency has submitted an undertaking. The copy of the same is enclosed as Annexure VII
8	No new forest area beyond the Right of Way of existing road should be broken for laying Optical Fiber Cable	The User Agency has submitted an undertaking. The copy of the same is enclosed as Annexure VIII
9	The User Agency shall pay the cost of Net Present Value, if required in future	The User Agency has submitted an undertaking. The copy of the same is enclosed as Annexure IX
10	The User Agency shall defray the cost of Compensatory Afforestation.	The User Agency has submitted an undertaking. The copy of the same is enclosed as Annexure X
11	Underground Optical Fiber Cable can be laid only outside the confines of the Protected Areas	The User Agency has submitted an undertaking. The copy of the same is enclosed as Annexure XI
12	No labour camp shall be established on the forest land	The User Agency has submitted an undertaking. The copy of the same is enclosed as Annexure XII
13	After completion of the project, User Agency will reclaim the area under RoW suitably	The User Agency has submitted an undertaking. The copy of the same is enclosed as Annexure XIII
14	The layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without prior approval of the State Government	The User Agency has submitted an undertaking. The copy of the same is enclosed as Annexure XIV
15	User Agency shall defray the cost of plantation (including ten years maintenance) of 100 trees shall be levied from the User Agency towards Compensatory Afforestation. As far as possible, a mixture of local indigenous species along with 10% RET species of the concerned district shall be	User Agency submits undertaking that, the User Agency has transferred cost for 100 trees plantation as cost as Compensatory Afforestation Rs. 76,656/ (Rs. Seventy six thousandsix hundred fifty six only) on State Campa Acct through HDFC bank, Fort Mumbai Branch by

	planted and monoculture of any species may be avoided. Details of land proposed for Plantation (Record of Rights & KML File), shall be submitted along with compliance of Stage-I approval	online transferred by NEFT and the UTR no NO87232389425118 date-8/03/2023. This amount is transferred as cost of Compensatory Afforestation for planting 100 trees on degraded forest land selected by forest Department. User Agency requested to the Deputy Conservator of Forests Pune to submit the details of land proposed for plantation and record of rights & KML file, along with compliance of Stage I approval. Undertaking is attached as Annexure XV
16	This sanction is subject to the final clearance by the Department of Information & Technology for the project and concerned PWD / NHAI authorities for the project	The User Agency has submitted an undertaking. The copy of the same is enclosed as Annexure XVI
17	The User Agency shall compensate the private owners of forest land if any, in accordance with the prevalent laws, rules & guidelines	The User Agency has submitted an undertaking. The copy of the same is enclosed as Annexure XVII
18	The User Agency shall obtain Environmental Clearance as per the provisions of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, if applicable.	The User Agency has submitted an undertaking. The copy of the same is enclosed as Annexure XVIII
19	All other conditions as may be mandatory under relevant Acts, Rules and Guidelines shall be complied by the User Agency	The User Agency has submitted an undertaking. The copy of the same is enclosed as Annexure XIX
20	All the conditions stipulated by the Forest Department shall be binding on User Agency	The User Agency has submitted an undertaking. The copy of the same is enclosed as Annexure XX
21	The User Agency shall make good of any loss to Forest / Environment	The User Agency has submitted an undertaking. The copy of the same is enclosed as Annexure XXI
22	In case, the proposed area falls in the Right of Way of the road passing through National Parks and Wildlife Sanctuaries, prior permission of the State Board for Wildlife should be obtained.	The User Agency has submitted an undertaking. The copy of the same is enclosed as Annexure XXII
23	Any breach of the conditions by the User Agency will be treated as violation of the provisions of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.	The User Agency has submitted an undertaking. The copy of the same is enclosed as Annexure XXIII

In view of the above, it is requested that the Government of Maharashtra may kindly be process for formal approval under section-2 (ii) of the Forest (Conservation) Act-1980, at the earliest.

Enclosure- As above.

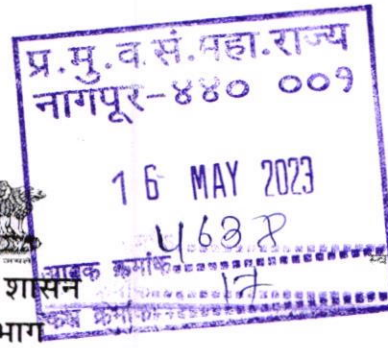
Yours sincerely,


(Dr. Kumarswamy S.R.)
Dy. Conservator of Forests (F.C.)

Copy submitted to the Chief Conservator of Forests (T), Pune
Copy to the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Pune for information.
Copy to the Vice President, Reliance Jio Info., Eranwane, Pune 411 004 for information.



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पुणे- 411 016, दिनांक - 04 / 05 /2023.

प्रति,

अपर प्रधान मुख्य वनसंरक्षक व
केंद्रस्थ अधिकारी, म. रा. नागपूर.

विषय— Proposal for Diversion of forest land for-laying of underground OFC duct & cable within the ROW of existing road width in Village- Dalimb, Boriaindi, Tamhanwadi. Tal.- Daund, Dist.- Pune. (FP/MH/OFC/45822/2020)(Area- 0.3225 ha.)

संदर्भ- 1. महाराष्ट्र शासन पत्र क्र.एफएलडी-1923/सीआर.01/फ-10, दि. 10.03.2023.

2. आपलेकडील पत्र क्र.कक्ष-17/नोडल/पुणे/आयडी-13164(25)/3421/22-23, दि. 14.03.2023.

3. उपवनसंरक्षक, पुणे यांचेकडील पत्र क्र.ब/कक्ष-4.2/जमीन/FCA/100/2023-24, दि. 02.05.2023.

विषयांकित प्रस्तावास संदर्भ क्र.1 अन्वये 1 ते 23 अटींचे अधिन राहून तत्त्वतःमान्यता प्रदान केलेली असून संदर्भ क्र.2 अन्वये 1 ते 23 अटींची पूर्तता करून अटीनिहाय स्वतंत्र हमीपत्रासह पूर्तता अहवाल अनुषंगिक दस्तावेजासह सादर करणे बाबत कळविण्यात आले आहे.

प्रकरणी संदर्भ क्र.1 मध्ये नमूद 1 ते 23 अटींची पूर्तता करून उपवनसंरक्षक, पुणे यांनी संदर्भ क्र.3 अन्वये अटी पूर्तता अहवाल अनुषंगिक दस्तऐवजांसह या कार्यालयास सादर केला आहे.

उपवनसंरक्षक, पुणे यांनी या कार्यालयास सादर केलेला पूर्तता अहवाल 2 प्रतीत अनुषंगिक दस्तऐवजासह यासोबत जोडून सादर करण्यात येत आहे. तरी विषयांकित प्रस्ताव यशोचित मार्गाने शासनास सादर होणेस विनंती.

सोबत — वरीलप्रमाणे (2 प्रतीत)

(एन.आर.प्रवीण)

मुख्य वनसंरक्षक (प्रा.), पुणे.

प्रत- उपवनसंरक्षक, पुणे, वनविभाग, पुणे यांना माहिती व आवश्यक कार्यवाहीसाठी.

प्रत- उपविभागीय वन अधिकारी, भोर यांना माहिती व आवश्यक कार्यवाहीसाठी.

प्रत- Vice President, Reliance Jio Info, Eranwane, Pune-411 004 यांना माहितीसाठी.

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B-792 02 MAY 2023 Land प्रशासकीय अधिकारी, मुख्य वनसंरक्षक

Date-01/04/2023
25/2023

To,

✓ Chief Conservator of Forests (T) Pune

Sub - Proposal for diversion of forest land for laying of underground OFC duct & cable within the ROW of existing road with in village-Dalimb, Boriaindi, Tamhanwadi Tal-Daund, Dist-Pune (FP/MH/OFC/45822/2020)

Ref - 1. Revenue and Forest Department, Mntralaya, Mumbai, Govt. of Maharashtra Order No.FLD-1923/CR.01/F-10 Dt.10.03.2023

2. This Office letter no.Desk 4.2/Land/FCA/680/2022.23 dt.13/03/2023

3. The Vice President, Realiance Jio information ltd.(Jio), Erandwane, pune

Letter no.jk/proposal/pune/38/2023-4 date 11/04/2023

As per the reference letter no.1 cited above, Revenue and Forest Department, Mntralaya, Mumbai, Govt. of Maharashtra has given **In -Principle** approval to above mentioned project. In this regard vide reference letter no.2 of this office has given demand note to The Vice President, Realiance Jio information ltd.(Jio), for compliance of **In -Principle** approval condition.

The Vice President, Realiance Jio information ltd.(Jio) has been given compliance report vide above reference letter no.3 to this office therefore compliance report of **In -Principle** approval condition is as mentioned below.

Con. no	Details of Conditions	Compliance by User Agency
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1	The legal status of the land remains unchanged	<p>User Agency submit undertaking that, the legal status of the diverted forest land remains unchanged.</p> <p>Undertaking is attached as Annexure I</p>
2	The Optical Fiber Cable Line will be laid within Maximum size of the trench of 2.00-meter depth & 1.00-meter width with cable line under PVC pipeline.	<p>User Agency submit undertaking that, the Optical Fiber Cable Line will be laid within Maximum size of the trench of 2.00-meter depth & 1.00-meter width with cable line under PVC pipeline.</p> <p>Undertaking is attached as Annexure II.</p>
3	The land under project will be reclaimed by the User Agency for which the agency shall submit a bank guarantee for 3225 x Rs. 50/- = 161,250/- and undertaking to that effect shall also be submitted. If the agency fails to reclaim the land to the satisfaction of Deputy Conservator of Forests Pune, the cost for reclamation will be covered from the bank guarantee.	<p>User Agency submit that, the land under project will be reclaimed by the User Agency for which the agency is submitting Bank guarantee. of 3225 Rmt. x Rs. 50/- = 161,2350/- (Rs One lakh sixtyone Thousand three hundred fifty only.) on name of Deputy Conservator of forest, through ICIC BANK LTD Bank, Band Garden Branch, Band Garden Road, Pune 411001 Branch by Bank Guarantee no- 0541NDLG 00036323, Issue date- 10/04/2023, Total cost of B. G is Rs. 274,125/- (Rs Two lakh seventy-four thousand one hundred twenty five only.) Copy of Bank guarantee attached on Page no 34-38</p> <p>User Agency submit undertaking that, User Agency will do reclamation work as per PWD road standard. User Agency agrees that, if the agency fails to reclaim the land to the satisfaction of Deputy Conservator of Forests Pune, the cost for reclamation will be recovered from the bank guarantee.</p> <p>Undertaking is attached as Annexure III</p>
4	If the cable is going to be laid in the formation width of the road, then additional charges	<p>User Agency submit that, the cable is going to be laid in the formation width of the road (side shoulder of road). then User Agency submit</p>

	<p>in form of bank guarantee shall be given at the 3250rmt.x 35.=112,875/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 maintenance of the same in future.</p>	<p>additional charges in the form of Bank Guarantee. of 3250Rmt. X Rs. 35 = 112,875 / (Rsone lakhtwelve thousandeighthundred seventy-fiveonly)in favour of Deputy Conservator of forest Pune,through ICIC BANK LTD Bank, Band Garden Branch , Band Garden Road, Pune 411001 Branch by Bank Guarantee no- 0541NDLG 00036323 ,Issue date- 10/04/2023, Total cost of B. G is Rs. 274,125/ (Rs Two lakh seventyfour thousand one hundred twenty fifty only.) Copy of Bank guarantee attached on Page no 34-38</p> <p>User Agency submit undertaking that, User Agency will do reclamation workas perPWD roadstandard. User Agency agrees thatto make good anydon't loss to forest/ Environment while laying the cable in the forest area and during maintenance of the same in future.</p> <p>Undertaking is attached as Annexure IV</p>
5	<p>For further maintenance of the project, the agency shall obtain permission from concerned Deputy Conservator of Forest as and when required</p>	<p>User Agency submits undertaking that, User Agency will obtain permission for further maintenance of the project from Deputy Conservator of Forests, Pune</p> <p>Undertaking is attached as Annexure V</p>
6	<p>The Forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than specified in the proposal.</p>	<p>User Agency submit undertaking that, the Forest land will not be used for any purpose other than specified in the proposal.</p> <p>Undertaking is attached as Annexure VI</p>
7	<p>No felling of trees shall do during the implementation of project</p>	<p>User Agency submit undertaking that, no felling of trees willbe done during the implementation of project.</p>

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		Undertaking is attached as Annexure VII
8	No new forest area beyond the ROW of existing road should be broken for laying Optical Fibre Cable.	User Agency submit undertaking that, no new forest area beyond the ROW of existing road will be broken for laying Optical Fibre Cable. Undertaking is attached as Annexure VIII
9	The User Agency shall pay the cost of NPV, if required in future.	User Agency submit undertaking that, the User Agency will agree to pay the cost of NPV, if required in future. Undertaking is attached as Annexure IX
10	The User Agency shall defray the cost of Compensatory Afforestation	User Agency submit undertaking that, the User Agency will defray the cost of Compensatory Afforestation as per demand note from Deputy conservator of Forest Pune Undertaking is attached as Annexure X
11	Underground Optical Fiber Cable can be laid only outside the confines of the Protected area.	User Agency submit undertaking that, underground Optical Fiber Cable will be laid only outside the confines of the Protected area. Undertaking is attached as Annexure XI
12	No Labour Campa shall be established on the forest land.	User Agency submit undertaking that, no Labour Campa shall be established on the forest land. Undertaking is attached as Annexure XII
13	After completion of the project, User Agency will reclaim the area under ROW suitably.	User Agency submit undertaking that, after completion of the project, User Agency will reclaim the area under ROW suitably. Undertaking is attached as Annexure XIII
14	The layout plan of the	User Agency submit undertaking that, the layout

	proposal shall not be changed without prior approval of the state Government.	plan of the proposal will not be changed without prior approval of the state Government. Undertaking is attached as Annexure XIV
15	The User Agency shall defray the cost of plantation(including ten years maintains) of 100 trees shall be levied from the User Agency towards Compensatory Afforestation. As far as possible , a mixture of local indigenous species along with 10% RET species of the concerned district shall be planted and monoculture of any species may be avoided. Details of land proposed for plantation (Record of rights & KML file)shall be submitted along with compliance of Stage I approval.	User Agency submit undertaking that, the User Agency has transferred cost for 100 trees plantation as cost asCompensatory Afforestation Rs. 76,656/ (Rs. Seventy six thousandsix hundred fifty six only) on State Campa Acct through HDFC bank, Fort Mumbai Branch by online transferred by NEFT and the UTR no NO87232389425118date-28/03/2023,Thisamount is transferred as cost of Compensatory Afforestation for planting 100 tress on degraded forest land selected by forest Department. User Agency requested to the Deputy Conservator of Forests Pune to submits the details of land proposed for plantation and record of rights & KML file, along with compliance of Stage I approval. Copy of transfer fund attached on Page no 30-33 Undertaking is attached as Annexure XV
16	This sanction is subject to the final clearance by the Department of Information & technology for the project and concerned PWD authorities for the project.	User Agency submit undertaking that, User Agency has occurred permission from the Department of Information & technology for the project and concerned PWD authorities for the project. copies are attached on Page No 39-60 Undertaking is attached as Annexure XVI
17	The User Agency shall compensate the private owner of forest land if any. in accordance with the prevalent laws, rules &	User Agency submit undertaking that, the User Agency will compensate the private owner of forest land if any in accordance with the prevalent laws, rules & guideline. In this project there are no need of forest land of private owners.

	guideline	Hence question of compensate dose not arises. Undertaking is attached as Annexure XVII
18	The User Agency shall obtain Environment Clearance as per the provisions of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986. If applicable	User Agency submit undertaking that, the User Agency will obtain Environment Clearance as per the provisions of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986. User Agency submit that, for this project Environment Clearance is not applicable as per the provisions of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986. Undertaking is attached as Annexure XVIII
19	All the conditions as may be mandatory under relevant Acts, Rules, and guidelines shall be compiled by the user Agency	User Agency submit undertaking that, User Agency agrees to submit compliance report for all the conditions as they may be mandatory under relevant Acts, Rules, and guidelines. Undertaking is attached as Annexure XIX
20	All the conditions stipulated by the Forest Department shall be binding on User Agency	User Agency submit undertaking that, User Agency agrees all the conditions stipulated by the Forest Department will be binding on it. Undertaking is attached as Annexure XX
21	The User Agency shall make good of any loss to forest/ Environment	User Agency submit undertaking that, User Agency will make good of any loss to forest/ Environment. Undertaking is attached as Annexure XXI
22	In case, the proposed area falls in the Row of the road passing through National Parks and Wildlife Sanctuaries, prior permission	User Agency submit undertaking that, proposed area will not fall in the Row of road passing through National Parks and Wildlife Sanctuaries, hence for this project prior permission of the state board for wildlife will not require.

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of the state board for wildlife should be obtained.	Undertaking is attached as Annexure XXII
Any breach of the conditions by the User Agency will be treated as violation of the provisions of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.	User Agency submit undertaking that, User Agency agrees that any breach of the conditions by User Agency will be treated as violation of the provisions of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 Undertaking is attached as Annexure XXIII

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(Rahul Patil, IFS)

Deputy Conservator of Forests
Pune Forest Division, Pune

Copy to - 1. Addl. Principal Chief Conservator of Forest & Nodal

Officer, Maharashtra State Nagpur for kindly information

2. Sub Divisional forest Officer, Forest Sub Division, Bhore for Information

3. The Vice President, Reliance Jio Information Ltd. (Jio), Erandwane, Pune