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Sub:- Diversion of 0.7112 ha identified Private forest land for Construction of Bridge over Ramchandra Nalla, near Evershine Nagar to Marve Road in P/N Ward at Village Valnai, Ral. Borivali in Mumbai Suburban District in the state of Maharashtra. (FPIMH/ROAD/146738/2021)- in principle approval - regarding.

No. Desk-17/FCA-S2/PID-146738/Thane/615/2025-26

Nagpur - 440 001, Date :- 13/10/2025

To,
The Deputy Director General (Central)
Ministry of Environment, Forests, and Climate Change,
Regional Office, Ground Floor, East Wing,
New Secretariat Building, Civil Lines,
Nagpur- 440001.

Ref:- 1. Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change, Integrated Regional Office, Nagpur letter No. F.No.FC-I/MH-398/2025-NGP/13938, ated 23/01/2025. P114

2. The Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Mangrove Cell, Mumbai letter No. D-3/land/FCA/1291/2025-26, dated 01/10/2025. P154

Sir,

The Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change, Regional Office, Nagpur conveyed the 'in-principle' approval for diversion of 0.7112 ha identified Private forest land for Construction of Bridge over Ramchandra Nalla, near Evershine Nagar to Marve Road in P/N Ward at Village Valnai, Ral. Borivali in Mumbai Suburban District in the state of Maharashtra. Accordingly, the Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Mangrove Cell, Mumbai vide letter under reference no.2 has submitted compliance of conditions of in-principle approval to this office. The compliance report of the conditions of in-principle approval was furnished vide letter dt.23/01/2025.

Sr.No	Conditions put forth by Govt. of India letter dtd 23/01/2025	Compliance
1	The legal status of forest land shall remain unchanged;	The Divisional Forest Officer, Mangrove Division North Konkan and Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Mangrove Cell, Mumbai vide letter dated 23/09/2025 & 01/10/2025 has submitted compliance:- The User Agency has submitted undertaking. The copy of the same is enclosed herewith as (Annexure -I) P151
2	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, forward and back	The Divisional Forest Officer, Mangrove Division North Konkan and Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Mangrove Cell, Mumbai vide letter dated 23/09/2025 & 01/10/2025 has submitted compliance:-

	bearing and distance from pillar to pillar;	The User Agency has deposited Rs.1,59,011/- towards erecting four feet high reinforced cement concrete pillars to CAMPA account vide UTR No. SBINR52025061719118579, dated 17/06/2025. The copy of the same is enclosed herewith as (Annexure No.II) p/50
3	The State Government shall realize cost towards raising of 100 numbers of trees from the User Agency	The Divisional Forest Officer, Mangrove Division North Konkan and Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Mangrove Cell, Mumbai vide letter dated 23/09/2025 & 01/10/2025 has submitted compliance:- The User Agency has deposited Rs.5,66,088/- towards raising and maintenance of 10 times the trees to be felled to CAMPA account vide UTR No. SBINR52025061719118579, dated 17/06/2025. The copy of the same is enclosed herewith as (Annexure No.II) p/50
4	The State Government shall charge the Net Present Value of the diverted forest land measuring 0.7112 ha. from the User Agency as per the orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court dated 28.03.2008 and 09.05.2008 in IA Nos.826 in 566 with related IA's in Writ Petition (Civil) No.202/1995 and Ministry's guideline	The Divisional Forest Officer, Mangrove Division North Konkan and Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Mangrove Cell, Mumbai vide letter dated 23/09/2025 & 01/10/2025 has submitted compliance:- The User Agency has deposited Rs.7,94,339/- towards Net Present Value to CAMPA account vide UTR No. SBINR52025061719118579, dated 17/06/2025. The copy of the same is enclosed herewith as (Annexure No.II) p/50
5	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 User Agency shall furnish an undertaking to this effect;	The Divisional Forest Officer, Mangrove Division North Konkan and Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Mangrove Cell, Mumbai vide letter dated 23/09/2025 & 01/10/2025 has submitted compliance:- The User Agency has submitted undertaking. The copy of the same is enclosed herewith as (Annexure -III) p/49

6	All the funds received from the User Agency under the project shall be transferred/ deposited to CAMPA fund only through e-portal (https://parivesh.nic.in/);	The Divisional Forest Officer, Mangrove Division North Konkan and Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Mangrove Cell, Mumbai vide letter dated 23/09/2025 & 01/10/2025 has submitted compliance:- The total amount of Rs.15,19,358/- has been transferred to Ad-hoc Compensatory Afforestation Fund Management and Planning Agency (CAMPA) through e-portal. The details are as below:- (Annexure-II). p140 <table><tr><th>Sr. No</th><th>Particulars</th><th>Amount transferred to Ad-hoc CAMPA (Rs.)</th><th>Details of amount transferred</th></tr><tr><td>1</td><td>Cost of towards Compensatory Afforestation</td><td>Rs.5,66,088/-</td><td rowspan="3">UTR No. SBINR52025061 719118579, dated 17/06/2025</td></tr><tr><td>2</td><td>NPV</td><td>Rs.7,94,339/-</td></tr><tr><td>3</td><td>Cost of boundary of survey demarcation and pillars</td><td>Rs.1,59,011/-</td></tr><tr><td colspan="2">Total amount</td><td>Rs.15,19,358/-</td><td></td></tr></table>	Sr. No	Particulars	Amount transferred to Ad-hoc CAMPA (Rs.)	Details of amount transferred	1	Cost of towards Compensatory Afforestation	Rs.5,66,088/-	UTR No. SBINR52025061 719118579, dated 17/06/2025	2	NPV	Rs.7,94,339/-	3	Cost of boundary of survey demarcation and pillars	Rs.1,59,011/-	Total amount		Rs.15,19,358/-	
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7	State Government, Maharashtra/ Nodal Officer (FCA), Maharashtra shall ensure settlement of rights under the Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006 (No. 2 of 2007) before issuing an order for handing over of forest land or working permission to the User Agency as the case may be	The Divisional Forest Officer, Mangrove Division North Konkan and Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Mangrove Cell, Mumbai vide letter dated 23/09/2025 & 01/10/2025 has submitted compliance:- The User Agency has submitted the certificates of Collector, Mumbai Suburban under Schedule Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dweller's (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006 issued vide letter No. C/Desk-21/FRA/WS-80/22/12448, dated 16/09/2024 in prescribed format (Form-II) as per Government of India latest guidelines dated 05/07/2013. A copy of the same is enclosed herewith as (Annexure No. IV) p148																		
8	No tree felling shall be carried out in the diverted area. However, as the area proposed for diversion is a mangrove area, as reported by the State authorities, the User Agency may obtain permission from the Hon'ble High Court prior to commencement of the project work;	The Divisional Forest Officer, Mangrove Division North Konkan and Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Mangrove Cell, Mumbai vide letter dated 23/09/2025 & 01/10/2025 has submitted compliance:- The User Agency has submitted undertaking. The copy of the same is enclosed herewith as (Annexure-V) p147																		

9	The User Agency shall obtain CRZ clearance, if required for the project;	The Divisional Forest Officer, Mangrove Division North Konkan and Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Mangrove Cell, Mumbai vide letter dated 23/09/2025 & 01/10/2025 has submitted compliance:- The User Agency has submitted copy of the CRZ clearance is enclosed as (Annexure No.VI) p/46
10	The State / UA shall ensure all other approvals / permission under relevant rules/ regulation, if any required prior to commencement of the project work.	The Divisional Forest Officer, Mangrove Division North Konkan and Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Mangrove Cell, Mumbai vide letter dated 23/09/2025 & 01/10/2025 has submitted compliance:- The User Agency has submitted undertaking. The copy of the same is enclosed herewith as (Annexure -VII) p/44
11	Proper labour camps shall be constructed in the non-forest area and in any case, labour camp shall not be made within the RF area;	The Divisional Forest Officer, Mangrove Division North Konkan and Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Mangrove Cell, Mumbai vide letter dated 23/09/2025 & 01/10/2025 has submitted compliance:- The User Agency has submitted undertaking. The copy of the same is enclosed herewith as (Annexure -VIII) p/43
12	User Agency shall obtain Environmental Clearance as per the provisions of the Environmental (Protection) Act, 1986, if applicable;	The Divisional Forest Officer, Mangrove Division North Konkan and Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Mangrove Cell, Mumbai vide letter dated 23/09/2025 & 01/10/2025 has submitted compliance:- Environmental Clearance is not applicable the project as per EIA notification 2006 & its amendments under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986. 1
13	Sufficient firewood, preferably the alternate fuel; shall be provided by the User Agency to the labourers after purchasing the same from the State Forest Department or the Forest Development Corporation or any other legal source of alternate fuel;	The Divisional Forest Officer, Mangrove Division North Konkan and Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Mangrove Cell, Mumbai vide letter dated 23/09/2025 & 01/10/2025 has submitted compliance:- The User Agency has submitted undertaking. The copy of the same is enclosed herewith as (Annexure -IX) p/42

14	No additional or new path will be constructed inside the forest area for the transportation of construction materials for execution of the project work;	The Divisional Forest Officer, Mangrove Division North Konkan and Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Mangrove Cell, Mumbai vide letter dated 23/09/2025 & 01/10/2025 has submitted compliance:- The User Agency has submitted undertaking. The copy of the same is enclosed herewith as (Annexure -X) p/41
15	The forest land proposed to be diverted shall under no circumstances be transferred or sublet to any other agencies, department or person without prior approval of Govt. of India;	The Divisional Forest Officer, Mangrove Division North Konkan and Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Mangrove Cell, Mumbai vide letter dated 23/09/2025 & 01/10/2025 has submitted compliance:- The User Agency has submitted undertaking. The copy of the same is enclosed herewith as (Annexure -XI) p/40
16	The total forest area utilized for the project shall not exceed 0.7112 ha. and the forest area diverted shall not be used for any purpose other than those shown in the diversion proposal. The User Agency shall furnish an undertaking to this effect;	The Divisional Forest Officer, Mangrove Division North Konkan and Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Mangrove Cell, Mumbai vide letter dated 23/09/2025 & 01/10/2025 has submitted compliance:- The User Agency has submitted undertaking. The copy of the same is enclosed herewith as (Annexure -XII) p/39
17	The User Agency and the State Government shall ensure compliance to the all acts, rules, regulation and guidelines of the Ministry, for the time being in force, as applicable to the subject project;	The Divisional Forest Officer, Mangrove Division North Konkan and Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Mangrove Cell, Mumbai vide letter dated 23/09/2025 & 01/10/2025 has submitted compliance:- The User Agency has submitted undertaking. The copy of the same is enclosed herewith as (Annexure -XIII) p/38
18	Any other condition that the Regional Office, Nagpur 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 Divisional Forest Officer, Mangrove Division North Konkan and Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Mangrove Cell, Mumbai vide letter dated 23/09/2025 & 01/10/2025 has submitted compliance:- The User Agency has submitted undertaking. The copy of the same is enclosed herewith as (Annexure -XIV) p/37

19	In the event of failure to comply with any of the above conditions the User Agency is liable for penal action as per the rules / guidelines issued under Van (Sanrakshan Eyam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980;	The Divisional Forest Officer, Mangrove Division North Konkan and Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Mangrove Cell, Mumbai vide letter dated 23/09/2025 & 01/10/2025 has submitted compliance:- The User Agency has submitted undertaking. The copy of the same is enclosed herewith as (Annexure -XV) 136
20	The State Government shall process and submit compliance report on the above conditions through online (https://parivesh.nic.in/).	The compliance is being submitted online on Parivesh Portal.
21	The State Government shall issue working permission only after ensuring compliance to all such condition (s) as per the provision of Van (Sanrakshan Eyam Samvardhan) Rules 2023 and obtaining all clearance I approval from the all Acts, Rules, Regulation from the competent authorities.	The conditions will be followed by the APCCF, Mangrove Cell, Mumbai.

This is for your information and further needful action.

Encl : As above

Your sincerely,
[Signature]
13/10/25

(Naresh Zurmure)

Addl. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests
& Nodal Officer

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13/10/2025
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Copy submitted to the Additional Chief Secretary (Forests), Revenue & Forest Department, Mantralaya Mumbai -32 for information.

Copy to the Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Mangrove Cell, Mumbai for information.

Copy to the Divisional Forest Officer, Mangrove Division North Konkan for information.

Copy to the Executive Engineer (Bridge) (Z-IV & R/South) BMC for information.



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Outward No. D-3/land/FCA/ 1291 / 2025-26.

Fort, Mumbai 400 001, Date 10/10/2025.

To,

Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forest & Nodal Officer
Maharashtra State, Nagpur.

Sub: Diversion of 0.7112 ha Identified Private Forest land for Construction of Bridge
over Ramchandra Nalla, near evershine nagar to marve road in P/N Ward at
Village Valnai, Tal.Borivali in Mumbai Suburban District in the State of
Maharashtra. (FC/MH/ROAD/146738/2021)



- Ref: 1. Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change letter No. FC-I/MH-
398/2025-NGP/13938, dtd.23.01.2025
2. Executive Engineer (Bridge) (Z-IV & R/South) BMC letter
Ch.E/5821/Bridges, dated 07.07.2025
3. Divisional Forest Officer, Mangrove Division, North Kokan letter No.D-9
/land/2099, dtd.23.09.2025

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With respect to above subject, central government has accorded Stage-I (In principle) approval to the above-mentioned project under stipulated condition vide reference No.1. The user agency has submitted the compliance report of the same to Divisional Forest Officer, Mangrove Division North Kokan vide reference No.02. Divisional Forest Officer, Mangrove Division North Kokan has scrutinized the compliance report and forwarded to this office for further action vide reference No.3. The Compliance report is being forwarded herewith for further necessary approval.

Enclosure:- As above.
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(S. V. Ramarao)

Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests,
Mangrove Cell, Mumbai

Copy to : Divisional Forest Officer, Mangrove Division- North Konkan for information & necessary action.

Copy to : Executive Engineer (Bridge) (Z-IV & R/South) BMC for information & necessary action.

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No. Desk-9/Land/2099 /2025-26

Date: 23 / 09 / 2025

To,
The Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests,
Mangrove Cell, Mumbai

Subject:-

Diversion of 0.7112 ha identified Private Forest land for Construction of Bridge over Ramchandra Nalla, near Evershine Nagar to Marve Road in P/N Ward at Village Valnai, Tal. Borivali in Mumbai Suburban District in the state of Maharashtra.

(FP/MH/ROAD/146738/2021).

- Reference:-
1. MoEF&CC, Regional Office, Nagpur office letter FC-I/MH-398/2025-NGP/13938, dated-23/01/2025.
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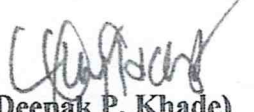
MoEF & CC, Regional Office, Nagpur vide letter under reference has accorded In-Principle approval for diversion of 0.7112 ha identified Private Forest land for Construction of Bridge over Ramchandra Nalla, near Evershine Nagar to Marve Road in P/N Ward at Village Valnai, Tal. Borivali in Mumbai Suburban District in the state of Maharashtra. The executive engineer,(Bridges) (Z-IV & R/South) Brihanmumbai Municipal Corporation, Mumbai has submitted the compliance of the same to this office vide reference no. 2. We hereby submit the point wise compliance of the same as follows:

S. No.	Condition	Action to be taken by the user agency to fulfill the same
1.	The legal status of the forest land shall remain unchanged;	Undertaking enclosed as Annexure - I
2.	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, forward and back bearing and distance from pillar to pillar.	User agency has deposited Rs. 1,59,011/- (Rs. One Lakhs Fifty-Nine Thousand Eleven only.) for erecting four feet high reinforced cement concrete pillars to CAMPA account, UTR no. of the same is SBINR52025061719118579 dtd.17/06/2025. Enclosed as Annexure - II
3.	The State Government shall realize cost towards raising of 100 numbers of trees from the User Agency.	The User Agency has deposited Rs. 5,66,008/- (Rs. Five Lakhs Sixty-Six Thousand Eight only.) for towards raising and maintenance of 10 times the trees to be felled to CAMPA account, UTR no. of the same is SBINR52025061719118579 dtd.17/06/2025. Enclosed as Annexure - II under the project.

4.	The State Government shall charge the Net Present Value of the diverted forest land measuring 0.7112 ha. from the User Agency as per the orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court dated 28.03.2008 and 09.05.2008 in IA Nos.826 in 566 with related IA's in Writ Petition (Civil) No.202/1995 and Ministry's guideline.	The User Agency has deposited Rs. 7,94,339/- (Rs. Seven Lakhs Ninety Four Thousand Three Hundred Thirty Nine only.) of Net Present Value of the diverted forest land measuring 0.7112 ha. to CAMPA account, UTR no. of the same is SBINR52025061719118579 dtd.17/06/2025. Enclosed as Annexure – II
5.	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 User Agency shall furnish an undertaking to this effect;	Undertaking enclosed as Annexure-III
6.	All the funds received from the User Agency under the project shall be transferred/ deposited to CAMPA fund only through e-portal (https://parivesh.nic.in/);	The User Agency has to deposit the total cost of Rs. 15,19,358/- (in words Rupees Fifteen Lakh Nineteen Thousand Three Hundred and Fifty Eight only) i.e. all the required funds such as Net Present Value, Compensatory Afforestation Cost and survey, demarcation and erection of permanent pillars through PARIVESH Portal in the Maharashtra Campa account. Enclosed as Annexure – II
7.	State Government, Maharashtra/ Nodal Officer (FCA), Maharashtra shall ensure settlement of rights under the Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006 (No. 2 of 2007) before issuing an order for handing over of forest land or working permission to the User Agency as the case may be	Copy of FRA District collector Mumbai Suburban attached as Annexure – IV
8.	No tree felling shall be carried out in the diverted area. However, as the area proposed for diversion is a mangrove area, as reported by the State authorities, the User Agency may obtain permission from the Hon'ble High Court prior to commencement of the project work;	Undertaking enclosed as Annexure-V.
9.	The User Agency shall obtain CRZ clearance, if required for the project;	The Project Authority has submitted the CRZ clearance is attached herewith annexure-VI
10.	The State/ UA shall ensure all other approvals/ permission under relevant rules/ regulation, if any required prior to commencement of the project work.	Undertaking enclosed as Annexure-VII.

11	Proper labour camps shall be constructed in the non-forest area and in any case, labour camp shall not be made within the RF area;	Undertaking enclosed as Annexure-VIII.
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13	Sufficient firewood, preferably the alternate fuel, shall be provided by the User Agency to the labourers after purchasing the same from the State Forest Department or the Forest Development Corporation or any other legal source of alternate fuel;	Undertaking enclosed as Annexure-IX
14	No additional or new path will be constructed inside the forest area for the transportation of construction materials for execution of the project work;	Undertaking enclosed as Annexure-X
15	The forest land proposed to be diverted shall under no circumstances be transferred or sublet to any other agencies, department or person without prior approval of Govt. of India;	Undertaking enclosed as Annexure-XI
16	The total forest area utilized for the project shall not exceed 0.7112 ha. and the forest area diverted shall not be used for any purpose other than those shown in the diversion proposal. The User Agency shall furnish an undertaking to this effect;	Undertaking enclosed as Annexure-XII
17	The User Agency and the State Government shall ensure compliance to the all acts, rules, regulation and guidelines of the Ministry, for the time being in force, as applicable to the subject project;	Undertaking enclosed as Annexure-XIII
18	Any other condition that the Regional Office, Nagpur 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;	Undertaking enclosed as Annexure-XIV
19	In the event of failure to comply with any of the above conditions the User Agency is liable for penal action as per the rules / guidelines issued under Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980;	Undertaking enclosed as Annexure-XV

20	The State Government shall process and submit compliance report on the above conditions through online (https://parivesh.nic.in/).	
21.	The State Government shall issue working permission only after ensuring compliance to all such condition(s) as per the provision of Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Rules 2023.	


 (Deepak P. Khade)
 Divisional Forest Officer
 Mangrove Division North Konkan

Copy submitted to Executive Engineer (Bridges) (Z-IV & R/South) Brihanmumbai Municipal Corporation, Mumbai for information and necessary action please.