GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA FOREST DEPARTMENT

From:

To

Sri R M Dobriyal, IFS,

The Special Chief Secretary to the

Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests &

Government,

Head of Forest Force (FAC),

Forest Department, Telangana, Secretariat,

Aranya Bhavan,

Hyderabad.

HYDERABAD (TS) 500 004.

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Rc.No.3888/2017-FCA1, Dated.31.05.2022.

Madam,

Sub:- Forest (Conservation) Act – Diversion of 21 Guntas (0.0989 Ha) of Forest Land in Compt.No.14 of Sulthapur RF, Mattapalli Village & Mandal of Suryapet Division & District for the purpose of road access from factory main gate wall to outside of the factory in favour of M/s.NCL, Hyderabad – in-principle (Stage-I) approval – submission of compliance report – Reg.

Ref:-

- 1. GoI, MoEF&CC, Integrated Regional Office, Hyderabad Lr.No.4-TSB177/2021-HYD/157, dt.09.12.2021.
- 2. PCCF's Rc.No.3888/2017/FCA-1 dated 17.12.2021.
- 3. DFO, Suryapet Lr.no.1901/2018/S3, dt.23.02.2022.
- 4. PCCF's Rc.No.3888/2017/FCA-1 dated 14.03.2022.
- 5. DFO, Suryapet Ref.No.1901/2018/S3, dt.18.04.2022.
- 6. CF, Khammam Ref.No.371/2016/M11, dt.10.05.2022.

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Kind attention of the State Govt. is invited to the reference cited.

In the reference 1st cited, the IRO, MoEF&CC, GoI has accorded in-principle (Stage-I) approval for diversion of 0.0989 Ha of Forest Land in Compt.No.14 of Sulthapur RF, Mattapalli Village & Mandal of Suryapet Division & District for the purpose of road access from factory main gate wall to outside of the factory in favour of M/s.NCL, Hyderabad, with certain conditions stipulated therein.

The DFO, Suryapet and CF, Khammam vide ref 5th and 6th cited respectively have submitted condition wise compliance report on the conditions stipulated in the Stage-I approval, as follows:

SI. No.	Condition stipulated in Stage-I approval	Compliance submitted by CF, Khammam vide ref 6 th cited.
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1	Legal Status of diverted forest land shall remain unchanged,	Legal status of the forest land remained unchanged, an undertaking to this effect is enclosed herewith by the User Agency.

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	2	Demarcation of the forest area proposed for diversion shall be carried out by erecting 4 feet high cement concrete pillars duly numbered at an interval of 20 meters at the cost of the user agency.	As Demand raised by the DFO, Suryapet, the user agency i.e., M./s NCL Industries Limited, Hyderabad had deposited an amount of Rs.6,00,000.00 in favour of DFO, Suryapet by Demand Draft No.000526, Dt.16.03.2022 and same is deposited in CA PD Account of DFO, Suryapet.
	3	No Tee Felling shall be done in the diverted Forest Area.	The User Agency has submitted an undertaking stating that it will be complied.
	4	As proposed, the State Forest Department shall carry out plantation and its maintenance of avenue plantation over a length of 5 km in Huzurnagar Range of Suryapet Division and District, at the cost of the User Agency. In addition to the above avenue plantation and its maintenance remaining patches around forest area proposed for diversion with fencing, if required, in consultation with DFO concerned, at the project cost.	The User Agency has deposited an amount totaling to Rs. 24,26,277/- (towards NPV Rs. 62,600 + CA for raising plantation and its maintenance of avenue plantation over a length of 5 km Rs. 4,44,890/- + Avenue plantation for Rs.19,18,787/-), against the project FP/TG/ROAD/27346/2017, which is reflected as "PAID" in Ministry's portal. A copy of the screen short obtained from Ministry's portal is enclosed herewith.
	5	The Suitable Wildlife mitigation plan may be prepared and implemented by the State Forest Department, at the cost of the User Agency.	It has been informed as per the Demand raised by the DFO, Suryapet, User Agency had deposited an amount of Rs.9,80,518.00 into BIOSOT account of Telangana State vide transaction ID.No.UTRIBR520522021000482237, Dt.10.02.2022.
	6	The State Government shall charge the Net Present Value of the diverted forest land measuring 0.0989 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 the guidelines issued by the Ministry vide letter No.5-3/2007-FC dated.05.02.2009 in this regard.	The User Agency has deposited an amount totaling to Rs. 24,26,277/- (towards NPV Rs. 62,600 + CA for raising plantation and its maintenance of avenue plantation over a length of 5 km Rs. 4,44,890/- + Avenue plantation for Rs.19,18,787), against the project FP/TG/ROAD/27346/2017, which is reflected as "PAID" in Ministry's portal. A copy of the screen short obtained from Ministrys portal is enclosed herewith.
	7	Additional amount of the Net Present Value (NPV) of the diverted forest land of 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	The user agency has submitted an undertaking stating that it will be complied.

	undertaking to this effect.	
8	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 deposited an amount totaling to Rs. 24,26,277/- (towards NPV Rs. 62,600 + CA for raising plantation and its maintenance of avenue plantation over a length of 5 km Rs. 4,44,890/- + Avenue plantation for Rs.19,18,787/-), against the project FP/TG/ROAD/27346/2017, which is reflected as "PAID" in Ministry's portal. A copy of the screen short obtained from Ministry's portal is enclosed herewith.
9	No labour camps shall be established on the forest land.	The user agency has submitted an undertaking stating that it will be complied.
10	The User Agency shall provide firewood, preferably alternate fuel to the labourers and the staff working at the site so as to avoid any damage and pressure on the adjacent forest areas	The user agency has submitted an undertaking stating that it will be complied.
11	The dug-out material/overburden shall be dumped outside the forest area. Storage of any material shall not be done within and around the forest area proposed for diversion.	The user agency has submitted an undertaking stating that it will be complied.
12	The User Agency to ensure that the labourers& staff engaged in execution of work do not destruct nearby forest flora & fauna	The user agency has submitted an undertaking stating that it will be complied.
13	the layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without prior approval of the Central Government.	The user agency has submitted an undertaking stating that it will be complied.
14	The User Agency and the State Government shall ensure compliance to all the Acts, Rules, Regulations and Guidelines, Hon'ble Court order(s), for the time being in force, as applicable to such project.	The user agency has submitted an undertaking stating that it will be complied.
15	The Forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the proposal and total forest area utilized for the project shall not exceed 0.0989 ha. The User Agency shall furnish an undertaking in this effect.	The user agency has submitted an undertaking stating that it will be complied.
16	The forest land proposed to be diverted shall under no circumstances be transferred or sublet to any other agency or Department or person without prior approval of the Central Government.	The user agency has submitted an undertaking stating that it will be complied.

17	Any other condition that the Regional Officer (Central), Integrated Regional Office, Hyderabad 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 user agency has submitted an undertaking stating that it will be complied.
18	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 FCA, 1980.	The user agency has submitted an undertaking stating that it will be complied.
19	The state Government shall process and compliance report on above conditions through online (https://parivesh.nic.in/)	

The CF, Khammam has further reported that the Stage-I approval has been published in Telugu and English edition. Copies of the above publication are also furnished with the proposals.

This proposal has been discussed in the 1st FRCM meeting of May-2021.

In view of the above, the compliance report as submitted by the Conservator of Forests, Khammam along with necessary enclosures are submitted herewith in triplicate, with a request to forward the same to the IRO, MoEF&CC, GoI, Hyderabad for according Stage II (final) approval of the project.

Yours faithfully, Sd/-R M Dobriyal, Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force (FAC)

Copy to the Chief Conservator of Forests, Khammam / District Forest Officer, Suryapet for information and necessary action.
Copy submitted to the EE, PR Division, Bhadrachalam Hyderabad for favour of information.

Copy to the Joint Managing Director, M/s NCL Industries Ltd., NCL PEARL, 6th & 7th Floor, Near Rail Nilayam, SD Road, Secunderabad, Telangana 500026.

Copy to the Collector and District Magistrate, Suryapet.

True Copy !!

for Principal Chief Conservator of Forests

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1564693/2022/O/o PRINCIPAL CHIEF CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS TELANGANA



NCL INDUSTRIES LIMITED



AN ISO 9001: 2015 COMPANY CIN: L33130TG1979PLC002521

Letter No. NCL/Admn/FD/S-1/2022

Date: 02.06.2022

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

Aranya Bhavan, Hyderabad, Telangana State -500004 Survapet District, Telangana.

Dear Sir,

J. Ward bry Cowy Request for Working Permission in the Diversified of 0.0989 ha (21 Guntas) Subject: -

Forest land in compartment no.14 Sultanpur RF., Mattapalli Village, Mattampalli Mandal of Suryapet Division & District in favor of NCL Industries Ltd., Mattapalli for the purpose of laying access road from NCL factory main

gate wall to outside of the factory. - Reg

Reference: -

1. Gol, MoEF&CC, Integrated Regional office, Hyderabad, Lr. No.4-TSB177/2021-HYD/157, dt.09.12.2021

- 2. PCCF, TS, Hyderabad Rc.No.3888/2017/FCA-1, Dt.17.12.2021
- 3. DFO, Suryapet, Rc.No.1901/2018/S3, Dt.24.1.2022
- 4. NCL Industries Letter dated 16.03.2022.
- 5. NCL Industries Letter dated 24.03.2022

- In the reference 1st cited above, the GOI, MoEF & CC, Integrated Regional Office, 1. Hyderabad has accorded Stage -I approval for diversion of 0.0989 ha (21 Guntas) of Forest land in Compartment No.14 of Sultanpur RF, Mattapalli Village, Mattampalli Mandal, of Suryapet Division & District in favour of NCL Industries Ltd., Hyderabad for the purpose of laying of road access from NCL factory main gate wall to outside of the factory.
- With reference 2nd cited above, the Principal Chief Conservator of Forest & Head of 2. Forest force, Hyderabad was kind enough to issue necessary instructions to District Forest Officer, Survapet District under copy to us.
- With reference 3rd cited above, the District Forest Officer, Suryapet raised demand 3. note for applicable payments to be remitted to the respective authorities, publication of entire forest clearances in English and Telugu newspapers and also to comply the stipulated conditions mentioned in reference 1st cited above.

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- With reference 4th cited above, the NCL Industries, Hyderabad remitted all applicable 4. payments in to the respective authorities account head's and informed the same to District Forest Officer, Suryapet District.
- With reference 5^{th} cited above, the conditions stipulated in reference 1^{st} , 2^{nd} and 5. 3rd above, the NCL Industries Ltd., the forest clearance granted was published in newspapers of English and Telugu languages, complied all requisite conditions including submission of applicable undertakings.
- Therefore, keeping in view of all complied conditions as directed in Stage -I approval. 6. It is requested your good offices to accord working permissions in Diversified 0.0989 ha (21 Guntas) Forest land in Compartment No.14 of Sultanpur RF, Mattapalli Village, Mattampalli Mandal of Suryapet Division & District.

For NCL Industries Ltd.,

(K. Gautam)

Joint Managing Director

Enclosures: 1. Copy of Stage -I Compliance report.

2. Copy of News Paper Publication.

3. Copy of Undertakings

GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA FOREST DEPARTMENT

Ref.No.3888/2017/FCA1 Dated.2406.2022

O/o the Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Forest Force) Telangana, Aranya Bhavan, Saifabad, Hyderabad.

Sri R.M Dobriyal, IFS.,

Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force (FAC)

Sub:TSFD - F(C) Act, 1980 - Diversion of 21 Guntas (0.0989 Ha) of Forest Land in Compt.No.14 of Sulthapur RF, Mattapalli Village & Mandal of Suryapet Division & District for the purpose of road access from factory main gate wall to outside of the factory in favour of M/s.NCL, Hyderabad - in-principle (Stage-I) approval - Stage-I approval accorded - compliance submitted -Working Permission - issued - Reg

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- 7. PCCF's Rc.No.3888/2017/FCA-1 dated 31.05.2022.
- 8. Joint Managing Director, M/s NCL Industries Ltd., Lr.No. NCL/Admn/FD/5-1/2022, dt.02.06.2022.

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The User Agency i.e., Joint Managing Director, M/s NCL Industries Ltd., in the ref 8th cited has informed that they have deposited compensatory levies in compliance to the conditions stipulated in the Stage-I approval and requested to accord working permission as per the rules in vogue.

In this regard, it is informed that Ministry of Environment and Forests & Climate Change (MoEF& CC), Government of India in Handbook of F(C)Act, 1980, F(C)Rules, 2003, Guidelines & Clarifications in F.No.5-2/2017-FC, Dt.28.03.2019 and F.No.11-306/2014-FC(pt.), Dt.28.08.2015 and amendments issued therein has conveyed guidelines about the procedure for grant of permission for tree cutting and commencement of work of a linear project in forest land for a period of one year. The said guideline states that they have been issued to facilitate speedy execution of projects involving linear diversion of forest land such as laying of new roads, widening of existing highways, transmission lines, water supply lines, optical fiber

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cabling, railway lines etc., in which the in-principle (Stage-I) approval under the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 is accorded. Such orders shall be passed only after full realization of funds for Compensatory Afforestation, Net Present Value (NPV), wildlife conservation plan, plantation of dwarf species of medicinal plants, and all such other compensatory levies, specified in the Stage I (in-principle) approval from the UA, and where ever applicable, transfer and mutation of non-forest/ revenue forest land in favour of State Forest Department.

Further, the State Government vide Memo No.3983/For.I(1)/2016-2,Dt.15.10.2016 has authorized the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Forest Force) to issue working permission to the User Agency for tree cutting and commencement of work of linear projects, for a period of one year, subject to the conditions stipulated in the in-principle approval and their compliance, which is in accordance with the guidelines issued by Ministry of Environment and Forests & Climate Change, Government of India in F.No.11-306/2014 -FC(pt.), dt.28.08.2015.

The request of the Joint Managing Director, M/s NCL Industries Ltd., is **examined** in exercise of the powers delegated to the undersigned by the State Government & with reference to Handbook of F(C)Act, 1980, F(C)Rules, 2003, Guidelines & Clarifications in F.No.5-2/2017-FC, Dt.28.03.2019 and F.No.11-306/2014-FC(pt.), Dt.28.08.2015 and amendments issued therein issued by Ministry of Environment and Forests & Climate Change (MoEF&CC), Government of India, and **working permission is hereby accorded** in favour of the M/s NCL Industries Ltd., for tree cutting and commencement of work in the forest land proposed to be diverted from the date of entering into agreement with the District Forest Officer, Suryapet District for a period upto **one year**, **subject to the following conditions:**

- The M/s NCL Industries Ltd., i.e., User Agency shall report to the District Forest Officer, Suryapet and obtain further permission from him before starting the work and works should be carried out under the supervision of the DFO.
- 2. The User Agency shall publish the working permission now granted in verbatim language along with the conditions and safe-guards imposed by the Central Government in Stage-I approval in two widely circulated daily newspapers, one in vernacular language and the other in English language, so as to make people aware of the permission granted to the project proponent for use of forest land for non-forest purposes. (C.No.vii of F.No.11-306/2014-FC(pt) dt: 28.08.2015).
- 3. The Authorized Signatory of User Agency shall enter into an agreement with the concerned District Forest Officer, Suryapet/Chief Conservator of Forests, Khammam agreeing to perform all conditions as stipulated in Stage-I approval orders as per the para 11.2 of guidelines of the Hand book issued by the Gol, MoEF& CC, New Delhi on 28.03.2019 on F(C)Act, 1980, F(C)Rules, 2003, Guidelines & Clarifications as well as covering letters, Part II/III/IV of Forest Department, inspection note and obtain further permission from the concerned **District Forest Officer's, Suryapet** for commencement of the works.
- 4. The copies of the Forest Clearance should also be submitted to the Heads of local bodies, Panchayats and Municipal Bodies by the Second Party in addition to the relevant offices of the Government who in turn has to display the same in 30 days. (C.No. vii of F.No. 11-306/2014 FC(pt) dt: 28.08.2015).

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5. The Forest Department shall dispose all the appeals filed against the order of Deemed Permission issued by the PCCF(HoFF). (C.No.v & vi of F.No.11-306/2014 – FC(pt) dt: 28.08.2015).

6. The User Agency shall agree, bind and undertake to comply any other conditions that may be imposed from time to time by the MoEF & CC, Gol, State Government and PCCF in the interest of conservation, protection &

development of forests.

7. The working permission issued is valid **upto one year** from the date of issue of further permission by the District Forest Officer, Suryapet. If the User Agency fails to comply with the conditions stipulated in Stage-I approval within stipulated time, for further extension they should approach MoEF&CC, GoI.

8. The User Agency shall agree, bind and declare that the forest department shall fell all standing trees if any in the forest area being diverted for the project by the forest department itself and the user agency shall undertake not to touch or fell such trees in any manner.

9. The works should be carried out without any scope for violations under various rules and guidelines envisaged under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and

Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972.

10.Any other conditions imposed by the concerned District Forest Officer, Surypaet & Conservator of Forests, Khammam during execution of work in the interest of protection of Forests shall be carried out at the project cost.

The District Forest Officer, Suryapet is requested to take necessary action in the matter accordingly.

Signed by Rakesh Mohan Dobriyal Date: 24-06-2022 15:50:40

Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests: A Private of Forest Force)(FAC)

To

The District Forest Officer, Suryapet.

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Superintendent

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