Divisional Forest Officer

Forest Division Udhampur

Letter No - RJIL/GOVT/JK/APP/421

Dated:- 08-07-2022

SUBJECT- COMPLIANCES OF STAGE-1 CONDIVIONS OF FOREST PROPOSAL NO-FP/JK/OFC/144842/2021 FOR DIVERSION OF 0.967 Ha FOREST LAND FOR LAYING OF OPTICAL FIBRE CABLE (KAINTHGALI - LALI) IN UDHAMPUR FOREST DIVISION.

1. The above project is proposed for laying of optical fiber to provide mobile/4G network connectivity to far flung area of Dist. Udhampur.

S.No	Conditions for Compliance as per Government Order No. FST-Land0FC/111/2021-02 Dated- 14.12.2021	Compliance by User Agency, Jio Digital Fiber Pvt. LTD
Α.	Conditions which need to be complied prior to handing over of forest land by the J&K Forest Department.	
1	Cost of compensatory afforestation as per scheme may be realized from the user agency	The user agency has agreed.
2	Net Present Value (NPV) of the forest land being diverted for non-forestry purpose may be realized from the user agency, as per MoEF&CC directions issued vide letters No. 5-3/2007-FC dated 5th February 2009 and Hon'ble Supreme Court of India's Order dated 30th October 2002, 28th March, 2008, 24th April, 2008 and 9th May 2008	The user agency has agreed.
3	Additional amount of the NPV of the diverted forest land, if any, becoming due after finalization of the same by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India on receipt of the report from the Expert Committee, shall be charged from the User Agency. The User Agency shall furnish an undertaking to this effect.	The user agency has agreed.
4	The Net Present Value (NPV) of the forest land and all other CA levies shall be deposited through web portal of Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change www.parivesh.nic.in	The user agency has agreed.
5	User agency should ensure that the compensatory levies (CA cost, NPV, etc.) are deposited through challan generated online on web portal and deposited in appropriate bank only. Amount deposited through other mode will not be accepted as compliance of the Stage-I clearance	Already deposit and receipt enclosed.

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	The cost of extraction shall be paid by the user agency to the agency executing the extraction (J&K Forest Department/J&K Forest Development Corporation/any other, as applicable);	The user agency has agreed.	
7	Original copy of FRA certificate to be submitted	Copy enclosed	
8	Divisional Forest Office shall furnish undertaking that the approved CA sites will not be changed without the approval of the Competent Authority.	NA	
•	The CEO State CAMPA shall furnish undertaking that the funds under State CAMPA will be released to Divisional Forest Officer as per approved CA scheme	NA	
10	The KML files of the area to be diverted, the CA areas, the proposed SMC work, the proposed Catchment Area Treatment area and the WLMP area shall be uploaded on the e-Green watch portal with all requisite details before issuing working permission towards linear projects or submitting compliance report for seeking Stage-II approval, as the case may be	NA	
11	No permanent construction of the building is permitted at the sites.	The user agency has agreed.	
12	Violation of any of these conditions will amount to violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and action would be taken as per law.	The user agency has agreed.	
Β.	Conditions which need to be strictly complied on field after handing over of forest land to the user agency by the J&K Forest Department but the compliance in form of undertaking shall be submitted prior to Stage-II approval:		
1	Legal status of the forest land shall remain unchanged	The user agency has agreed.	
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	Efforts should be made to fell minimum number of trees	The user agency has agreed.	
3	The CA will be carried out on degraded forest land as per the CA scheme and the funds will be provided by the user agency. The plantation of 1000 trees per ha (or proportionately less if forest area diverted is less than O 1 Ha) will be done within one year from the date of issue	The user agency has agreed.	
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2	The CA will be carried out on degraded forest land as per the CA scheme and the funds will be provided by the user agency. The plantation of 1000 trees per ha (or proportionately less if forest area diverted is less than O 1 Ha) will be done within one year from the date of issue of the approval	NA	

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7	No additional or new path will be constructed inside the forest area for transportation of construction materials for execution of the project work	We here agree to abide by this and follow the directions, strictly	
8	The period of diversion under this approval shall be co-	strictly. The user agency has agreed.	
	terminus with the period of lease to be granted in favour of the user agency or the project life, whichever is less		
9	The forest land shall not be used for any purpose other	The user agency has agreed	
5	than that specified in the project proposal	The user agency has agreed.	
10	The forest land proposed to be diverted shall under no	The user agency has agreed.	
	circumstances be transferred to any other agencies,	the user upency has upreed.	
	department or person without prior approval of Govt. of		
	India		
11	The User Agency shall abide by the procedures as per the	The user agency has agreed.	
	Telecom Guidelines/Policy etc in force, regarding	5 , 5	
	installation of over ground infrastructure on forest land		
12	The User Agency shall pay any expenses/rent/fees etc as	The user agency has agreed.	
	applicable towards Forest Department in accordance		
	with the relevant Telecom Guidelines/Policy in vogue		
13	The OFC cable shall be laid down in a trench not more	The user agency has agreed.	
	than 2 metre in depth & 1 metre in width and after laying		
	of the OFC, the ground will be suitably levelled and		
	reclaimed		
14	The User Agency shall construct retaining walls/breast	The user agency has agreed.	
	walls/ rain water drainage on forest land and take all		
	necessary steps to check soil erosion which may result		
4.5	due to proposed work		
15	Any damage done to the forest by the User Agency or its	The user agency has agreed.	
	contractors shall be charged from the User Agency@ 10 times as per the standard rate of 2018 issued vide the		
	Government Order No: I 0-FST of 2018 dated:		
	09.01.2018.		
16	The forest land so allowed for use shall return to the	The user agency has agreed.	
10	Forest Department free of any encumbrances when it is		
	no longer required by the User Agency.		
17	Any other condition that the Ministry of Environment,	The user agency has agreed.	
	Forests & Climate Change may stipulate from time to		
	time in the interest of conservation, protection and		
	development of forests & wildlife		
18	User Agency shall obtain Environment Clearance or any	The user agency has agreed.	
	other clearance, if applicable under any		
	act/rule/order/guideline etc for the proposal		
19	After receipt of the compliance report on fulfilment of	The user agency has agreed.	
	the conditions under para-2, above, final approval order		
	shall be given under Section-2 of the Forest		
	(Conservation) Act, 1980. The use of forest land will not		
	be allowed till final approval is accorded.		

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In views of the above, it is requested to accord the formal approval (Stage-II) in favour of User Agency.

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UNDERTAKING BY USER AGENCY

I <u>Khalid Shafqut Hafeez Bhat, Manager M/S JIO DIGITAL FIBER PVT. LTD.</u> Laying of Optical Fiber Cable Kainthgali to Lali on the behalf of the <u>User Agency JIO DIGITAL FIBER PVT. LTD.</u> Undertaken and affirms as under:-

- 1. Legal status of the forest land shall remain unchanged.
- 2. Efforts should be made to fell minimum number of trees.
- 3. The layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without prior approval of Central Government.
- 4. No labour camp shall be established on the forest land.
- 5. 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.
- 6. No additional or new path will be constructed inside the forest area for transportation of construction materials for execution of the project work.
- 7. 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.
- 8. The forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the project proposal.
- 9. The forest land proposed to be diverted shall under no circumstances be transferred to any other agencies, department or person without prior approval of Govt. of India.
- 10. The User Agency shall abide by the procedures as per the Telecom Guidelines/Policy etc. in force, regarding installation of over ground infrastructure on forest land.
- 11. The User Agency shall pay any expenses/rent/fees etc. as applicable towards Forest Department in accordance with the relevant Telecom Guidelines/Policy in vogue.
- 12. The OFC cable shall be laid down in a trench not more than 2 metre in depth & 1 metre in width and after laying of the OFC, the ground will be suitably levelled and reclaimed.
- 13. The User Agency shall construct retaining walls/breast walls/ rain water drainage on forest land and take all necessary steps to check soil erosion which may result due to proposed work.



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- 14. Any damage done to the forest by the User Agency or its contractors shall be charged from the User Agency@ 10 times as per the standard rate of 2018 issued vide the Government Order No: I 0-FST of 2018 dated: 09.01.2018.
- 15. The forest land so allowed for use shall return to the Forest Department free of any encumbrances when it is no longer required by the User Agency.
- 16. Any other condition that the Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change may stipulate from time to time in the interest of conservation, protection and development of forests & wildlife.
- 17. User Agency shall obtain Environment Clearance or any other clearance, if applicable under any act/rule/order/guideline etc. for the proposal.
- 18. After receipt of the compliance report on fulfilment of the conditions under para-2, above, final approval order shall be given under Section-2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980. The use of forest land will not be allowed till final approval is accorded.

For Jio Digital Fiber PVT.LTD Authorised Signate

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					Agency Name.	JIO DIGITAL FIBER PRIVATE	Agency Name.	JIO DIGITAL FIBER PRIVAT
Application No.	71144842520	Application No.	71144842520					
MoEF/SG File No.	FST-LAND/0FC/111/2021-02	MoEF/SG File No.	FST-LAND/0FC/111/2021-02					
Location.	J AND K	Location.	J AND K					
Address.	Veer Tower, Deell, Marble Market, Trikuta Nagar Extn.Jammu	Address:	Veer Tower, Deell, Marble Market, Trikuta Nagar Extn Jammu					
Amount(in Rs)	45731/-	Amount(in Rs)	45731/-					
Thirty-One Rupees Only	Five Thousand Seven Hundred and	Thirty-One Rupees Only	Five Thousand Seven Hundred and					
Beneficiary Name:	J AND K CAMPA	Beneficiary Name:	J AND K CAMPA					
FSC Code:	UBIN0903710	IFSC Code:	UBIN0903710					
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After making successful payment, User Agencies may send a line of confirmation through Email: helpdeskcampa@corpbank.co.in

Note:After making the required payment through challan, if the payment status has not been updated even after 7 working days, then kindly mail a copy of your challan with transaction date to Email: cb0371@unionbankofindia.com

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Model Compensatory Afforestation Scheme

Full Title of the Forest Land Diversion Project	Laying of Optical Fiber Cable (Kainthgali - Lali) to be laid by the M/s Jio Digital Fiber Pvt. Limited.			
> File No.	FP/JK/OFC/144842/2021			
> Date of Proposal	15-07-2021			
Name of the Forest Division (where forest land is proposed to be diverted)	Forest Division Udhampur			
Forest Area to be diverted	0.967 Ha.			
> Details of land where C.A. is to be carrie	d out:			
 Degraded forest land (Yes/No) : Yes 	Area: 0.11 Ha.			
Non-forest land (Yes/ No) : No	Area: NA			
Forest Division	Udhampur			
District	Udhampur			
Range	Panchari			
Tehsil	Moungri			
Compartment No.	28/P			
 Khasra No. (in case of Non Forest land) 	NA			
C.A Site (Name of location)	Block: Panjar, Beat: Panjar Village Kalsote			
C.A area in Hectare	0.11 Ha.			
C.A. Site Geo-Coordinates:				
Starting Point:	Latitude: 33° 4'7.82"N Longitude: 75° 4'54.14"E			
Ending Point:	Latitude : 33° 4'5.64"N Longitude: 75° 4'53.05"E			
 In case of non-forest area identified for CA, then what is the distance of C.A. site from the adjoining forest boundary 	NA			

1. Description of C.A. Site

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a)	Soil Type	Sandy
b)	Topography: Hilly/ Undulating/ Plain	Hilly
c)	Slope: Steep/ Medium/ Gentle	Medium
d)	For non forest land-description of existing vegetation/ root and density	NA
e)	In case of degraded forest land- description of forest type and crown density	Sub-Tropical B/L Hilly Forest
f)	Canopy Density	Less than 20%

2. Plantation Model:

Compensatory afforestation over an area of 0.11 Ha of degraded forest land is proposed to be raised. The area selected for this purpose is Protected Forest Moungri Basnote (28/P), Beat Panjar, which is a degraded forest area and has been proposed for Compensatory Afforestation. Presently the area supports scattered Chir (Pinus roxburghii) trees. Whole of the plantation of 0.11 Hectare will be raised in a single compact block. The area indentified for plantation has also been shown on the attached map. The species to be planted will be mainly Chir and local Mixed Broad leaved species.

Total financial outlay for compensatory plantation scheme is Rs.45,731/-. The monitoring will be done as per existing monitoring mechanism in the Forest Department at present and also as per G.O.I instructions.

S.	Description			Rate	Total Amount
No.		Unit	Qty.		(In Rs.)
A	1st year cost of Afforestation	No	100	40.03	4003.00
	2 nd year Maintenance	No	25	40.03	1000.75
	3 rd year Maintenance	No	10	40.03	400.30
	4th year Maintenance	No	5	40.03	200.15
	5 th year Maintenance	No	5	40.03	200.15
	6th year Maintenance	No	5	40.03	200.15
	7th year Maintenance	No	5	40.03	200.15
	8th year Maintenance	No	5	40.03	200.15
	9th year Maintenance	No	5	40.03	200.15
	10 th year Maintenance	No	5	40.03	200.15
				Total	6805.10
В	Other afforestation Intervention (As per the requirement of the site condition))
1	Planting of grass slips	No	100	6.35	635.00
				Total	635.00
С	Fencing				
1	Square PCC Post Fencing (4 Strand/ 7 Strand)	Rft	400	72,78	29112.00
2	Fencing Repair	Rft	300	16.74	5022.00
Total					34134.00
otal	C.A charges				
D	Supervisory/ Watch and ward/ overhead / misc Charges (10% of C.A charges)			4157.00	
Grand Total (A + B + C + D)					45731.00

The Afforestation cost is calculated as per the JAMMU & KASHMIR FOREST RATE SCHEDULE TARIFF' 2017.

I. Technical Details: Technical details of Compensatory Afforestation Scheme are as follows:

i) General Details
 ii) Plantation Method
 : Co. 28/P, Block: Panjar , Beat: Panjar
 : Pit Plantation

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- ii) Plantation Methodiii) Spacing
 - : 4-5 feet
- iv) Species proposed to be planted : Chir and Broad Leaved
- v) Silvicultural Operations
- vi) Soil & Moisture Conservation Works : Nil
- vii) Protection : (Fencing, Watch & Ward, People's Participation etc)
- viii) Proposed Monitoring Mechanism :
- ix) viii) Any other information : Nil

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Divisional Forest Officer Udhampur Forest Division Udhampur



GOVERNMENT OF JAMMU & KASHMIR

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER, UDHAMPUR

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Subject: Issuance of FRA (Forest Right Act) Certificate for settlement of rights under the Forest Right Act 2006 proposed for diversion of 0.967 Ha of Forest Land for laying optical Fibre Cable in District Udhampur (Kainthgali to Lalli) to provide seamless 4G connectivity to be uploaded on PARVESH Portal.

In compliance with the guidelines issued by Ministry of Environment and Forest (MoEF) Government of India vide No. 11-9/98-Fc (pt), dated 3rd August 2009; with regard to the submission of evidences for having initiated and completed the process of settlement of rights under the Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Right) Act, 2006 (FRA) on the Forest land proposed to letter dated with MoEF's diverted be for Non-Forest purposes read 5th January 2013; wherein MoEF issued certain exemptions/relaxations in respect of Linear Projects, it is certified that 0.967 hectares (19K-01M) of Forest land is required for laying optical fibre Cable in District Udhampur (Kainthgali to Lalli) to provide seamless 4G connectivity. The detail of the project is detailed below:

S.No.	Name of Project	Tehsils	Blocks	Approximate Forest Area involved
1.	Laying of Optical Fibre cable in District Udhampur (Kainthgali-Lalli)	Panchari & Moungri	Panchari & Moungri	0.967 Hectares

It is further certified that:

The complete process for identification and settlement of rights under the FRA has been carried out for the entire 0.967 hectares of forest area proposed for diversion. As per MoEF issued vide No. F. No. 11-9/98-FC(9pt) dated 5th Feb. 2013 for linear projects like constructions of roads, canals, laying of **pipelines/optical fibre** and transmission lines etc., there is no requirement of resolution of the Gram Sabha of the area, based on full and prior information of the project and a public hearing, endorsing that the project is in the interest of the people living on the for**est land, use** of which is proposed to be diverted for non-forest purpose.

Tehsildars Panchari & Moungri vide letter Nos. 166-167/TP/OQ, dated 24.05 2022 and 47/TM/OQ/2022-23 dated 25.05.2022 respectively have submitted that no recognized rights of Primitive Tribal Groups (PTG) and Pre Agriculture Committees (PAC) shall be affected in diversion of forest land for non forest use which is required for laying optical Fibre Cable in District Udhampur (Kainthgali to Lalli) to provide seamless 4G connectivity in District Udhampur.

Hence, based on the report of Tehsildar Panchari and Moungri the Forest Rights Act (FRA) certificate is issued for forest land measuring 0.967 Hectares required for laying optical fibre Cable in District Udhampur (Kainthgali to Lalli) to provide seamless 4G connectivity, Tehsil Panchari & Moungri, District Udhampur.

No. DCU/Sa/1214-18 Date: 29 - 06 2022

"Unit Krittika Jyotsna, IAS **Deputy Commissioner** Udhampur

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- 1. Divisional Commissioner, Jammu for kind information.
- 2. Divisional Forest Officer, Udhampur for information.
- 3. Tehsildar Panchari/Moungri for information.
- 4. Jio Digital Fiber for information.
- 5. SQ section for record and reference.