



Reliance Jio Infocomm Limited

No.89, Dr. Radhakrishnan Salai, Mylapore, Chennai - 600 004.

From

T.T. Balsamy,
State Coordinate Officer,
Reliance Jio Infocomm Limited,
No.89, Dr. Radhakrishnan Salai,
Mylapore, Chennai - 4.

To

The District Forest Officer,
Pudukkottai Forest Division,
Pudukkottai.

Sir,

Sub: Forest – Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 – Pudukkottai Forest Division – Proposal for diversion of 0.0069 ha. of forest land in Ammankurichi R.F. for laying underground Optical Fibre Cable along road side from Ammapatti to Ammankurichi between Vaiyampatti to Konnaiyur (MDR 729) in favour of M/s. Jio Digital Fibre (P) Ltd., Chennai – Demand for Stage I forest clearance – Compliance report submission of – Regarding.

- Ref: (1) The Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change Lr.No.F.No.4-TNB101/ 2023-CHN/580, dt.11.05.2023.
(2) Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Chennai C.No. TS4/1044/2021 dt.15.05.2023.
(3) District Forest Officer, Pudukkottai Ref.No. 5897/2019/D dt. 12.06.2023 and 26.06.2023.

With reference to the above subject, I submit that the compliance report on the fulfilment of conditions stipulated in the Stage I approval under section 2 of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for diversion of 0.0069 ha. of forest land for the use underground OFC works along the road side from Ammapatti to Ammankurichi between Vaiyampatti to Konnaiyur (MDR 729) passing through Ammankurichi R.F. in Pudukkottai Forest Division, as follows:

Cond ition No.	Conditions stipulated by Government of India	Compliance of condition
(i)	Legal status of the diverted forest land shall remain unchanged.	Legal status of the forest land will remain unchanged. An undertaking is enclosed.
(ii)	Demarcation of the proposed forest area shall be carried out by erecting	Demarcation of the proposed forest area by erecting 4 feet high cement

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	of 4 feet high cement concrete pillars duly numbered at the appropriate distance as decided by the District Forest Officer concerned, at the cost of User Agency.	concrete pillars duly numbered for each and every turning at an interval of visible distance of 50 meters has been laid and also assured to maintain the demarcation stones for the entire project diversion period.
(iii)	Full exemption of NPV is allowed in case of laying of underground OFC cable provided no felling of trees is involved and area proposed for diversion is outside of Protected Area as per the MoEF&CC guidelines. But in case an 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;	A separate "undertaking" is enclosed in this regard.
(iv)	The maximum size of the trench shall not exceed 2.00 mtr depth, 228.6 mtr length and 0.30 mtr width. The forest land shall be restored to its original state after laying the same;	A separate "Certificate" is enclosed in this regard.

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Condition No.	Conditions stipulated by Government of India	Compliance of condition
(v)	The layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without the prior approval of the Central Government	A separate " Certificate " is enclosed in this regard.
(vi)	No labour camp shall be established on the forest land	A separate " Certificate " is enclosed in this regard.
(vii)	Disturbance shall be kept minimal by creating labour camps outside the forest area as far as possible and it will be the responsibility of the User Agency to ensure that the machinery, labourers and staff engaged in execution of work shall not destruct nearby forest flora and fauna.	A separate " Certificate " is enclosed in this regard.
(viii)	Sufficient firewood, preferably the alternate fuel, shall be provided by the User Agency to the laborer after purchasing the same from the State Forest Department or the Forest Development Corporation or any other legal source of alternate fuel.	A separate " Certificate " is enclosed in this regard.
(ix)	No tree felling shall be carried out by the User Agency	A separate " Certificate " is enclosed in this regard.
(x)	The forest land proposed for diversion shall under no circumstances be transferred or sublet to any other agency, development or person without	A separate " Certificate " is enclosed in this regard.

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Condition No.	Conditions stipulated by Government of India	Compliance of condition
	prior approval of the Central Government	
(xi)	The total forest area utilized for the project shall not exceed 0.0069 ha and the forest area diverted shall not be used for any purpose other than those shown in the diversion proposal.	A separate " Certificate " is enclosed in this regard.
(xii)	User Agency and the State Government shall ensure compliance to provisions of the all Act, Rules, Regulations and Guidelines, for the time being in force, as applicable to the project.	A separate " Certificate " is enclosed in this regard.
(xiii)	Any other conditions that the Central Government or Regional officer (Central) of the Integrated Regional Office, Chennai 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;	A separate " Certificate " is enclosed in this regard.
(xiv)	In the event of failure to comply with any of the above conditions the user agency is liable for penal action as per the provisions in Ministry's guidelines.	A separate " Undertaking " is enclosed in this regard.

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Compliance report along with enclosures is furnished in hard copy and uploaded in the web portal.

Since the conditions stipulated in the Government of India letter have been fulfilled, I request that Government of India orders may please be issued for Stage - II final approval for 0.0069 ha of forest land for laying of underground Optical Fibre Cable along road side from Ammapatti to Ammankurichi between Vaiyampatti to Konnaiyur (MDR 729) through Ammankurichi R.F., in Pudukkottai Forest Division for approval.

Encl.: As stated above.

Yours faithfully

Authorized Signatory,
M/s Reliance Jio Infocomm Limited,
Chennai

Copy to

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Forest Force), Chennai-32.

The Conservator of Forests, Trichy Circle.



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UNDERTAKING

We, M/s. Reliance Jio Infocomm Limited, Chennai is undertaking that ***legal status of the forest land will remain unchanged.***

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be "J. J. Infocomm", is written over the text "Authorized Signatory".

Authorized Signatory
M/s Reliance Jio Infocomm Limited,
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We, M/s. Reliance Jio Infocomm Limited, Chennai is undertaking that ***in case an 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, we will ready to pay the Net Present Value charged by the State Government.***

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be "A. A. Prasad", is written over the text "Authorized Signatory".

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This is to certify that ***the maximum size of the trench shall not exceed 2.00 meter depth, 228.6 m length and 0.30 meter width. The forest land shall be restored to its original state after laying the same.***

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CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that ***the layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without the prior approval of the Central Government*** and also the work will be carried out only on the proposed layout plan.

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CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that ***no labour camp shall be established on the forest land*** which was diverted for the proposed underground optical fibre cable laying works.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be "S. A. Jeyaraj", is written over the printed text of the authorized signatory.

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This is to certify that disturbance shall be kept minimal by creating labour camps outside the forest area as far as possible and to ensure that the machinery, labourers and staff engaged in execution of work shall not destruct nearby forest flora and fauna.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be "J. A. Srinivasan", is written over the printed name of the authorized signatory.

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CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that ***no tree felling shall be carried out during the execution*** optical fibre cable laying works.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be "J. J. Jeyaraj", is written over the printed text of the signatory.

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This is to certify that ***the forest land proposed for diversion shall under no circumstances be transferred or sublet to any other agency, development or person*** without prior approval of the Central Government.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be "A. J. Suresh", is written over the text "Authorized Signatory".

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This is to certify that the ***total forest area utilized for the project shall not exceed proposed 0.0069 ha*** and also certify that, ***the forest area diverted shall not be used for any purpose*** other than those shown in the diversion proposal.

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This is to certify that M/s. Reliance Jio Infocomm Limited, Chennai shall ensure compliance to provisions of the all Acts, Rules, Regulations and Guidelines, for the time being in force, as applicable to the project.

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This is to certify that we shall comply the conditions that the Central Government or Regional Officer (Central) of the Integrated Regional Office, Chennai may impose from time to time in the interest of afforestation, conservation and management of flora and fauna in the area.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be "S. S. Srinivasan", is written over the printed name of the authorized signatory.

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We, M/s. Reliance Jio Infocomm Limited, Chennai is undertaking that
***in the event of failure to comply with any of the above conditions, we
will obey the penal action as per the provisions in Ministry's
guidelines.***

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be "A. P. Jeyaraj", is written over the printed name of the authorized signatory.

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