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No.89,RadhakrishnanSalai,Mylapore,Chennai600004.

02-07-2023

From

To

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

The District Forest Officer,
Madurai Forest Division,
Madurai-02

Sir/Madam,

Sub: Forests-Forest (Conservation) Act1980–Proposal for diversion of 0.033ha. of forest land for OFC laying boundary of the road which passes through forest area from Madurai Natham main road to Saranchange village in favour of M/s Reliance Jio Infocomm Limited, Mylapore, Chennai – Compliance report of Stage-I Forest Clearance-Regarding.

Ref:

- 1) The Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change (Forest Conservation Division), New Delhi FileNo.4-TNB089/2022-CHN/904 dated 24.08.2022.
- 2) The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Forest Force), Chennai C. No. TS3/39933/2018 dated 01.03.2023.
- 3) Reliance Jio Infocomm Limited, Lr.NO CIN U72900G2007PLC105869 dated: 24.01.2023
- 4) The District Officer, Madurai Forest Division ref.no 84072018/D1 dated 08.06.2023

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. Proposal for diversion of 0.033ha. of forest land for OFC laying boundary of the road which passes through forest area from Madurai Natham main road to Saranchange village, As follows

Condition 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 for legal status of the land.
ii	Demarcation of the proposed forest areas shall be carried out by erecting of 4feet high cement concrete pillars duly numbered at	Demarcation of the proposed forest area by erecting 4 feet high cement concrete pillars duly numbered for each and every turning

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	the appropriate distance as decided by the District Forest Officer concerned, at the cost of User Agency.	at an interval of visible distance of 200 meters once has been laid and also assured to maintain the demarcation stones for the entire project diversion period. Undertaking enclosed.
iii.	The State Government shall charge the Net Present Value of the diverted forest land measuring 0.033 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.202/1,995 and Ministry's guideline No. 5-3/2011-FC(vol-I) dated 06.01.2022 and clarification issued vide letter dated 19.01.2022 and 22.03.2022.	Exemption of NPV is allowed in case of laying of underground OFC cable provided no felling of trees involved and area proposed for diversion is outside the protected area as per the MoEF and CC guidelines But incase an amount of NPV of the diverted land if any becoming due after revision of the same by the Honorable Supreme Court of India in future shall be changed by the State Government from the User Agency. The User Agency shall furnish and undertaking to this effort. A separate certificate is enclosed.
iv.	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.
v.	No labour camp shall be established on the forest land	A separate certificate is enclosed in this regard.
vi	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.

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Condition No.	Conditions stipulated by Government of India	Compliance of condition
vii	Sufficient fire wood, preferably the alternate fuel, shall be provided by the User Agency to the laborer after purchasing the same from the State Forest Department of the Forest Development Corporation or any other legal source of alternate fuel.	A separate certificate is enclosed in this regard.
viii	No tree felling shall be carried out by the User Agency	A separate certificate is enclosed in this regard.
ix	The forest land proposed for diversions shall under no circumstances be transferred or sublet to any other agency, development or person without prior approval of the Central Government	A separate certificate is enclosed in this regard.
x	The total forest area utilized for the project shall not exceed 0.033 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.
xi	No additional or new path will be constructed inside the forest area for transportation of construction materials for execution of projects works	A separate certificate is enclosed in this regard.
xii	User Agency and the State Government shall ensure compliance to provisions of all Acts, 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	A separate certificate is enclosed in this

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Condition No.	Conditions stipulated by Government of India	Compliance of condition
	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;	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 certificate is enclosed in this regard.

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 0.033 ha of forest land for OFC laying boundary of the road which passes through forest area from Madurai Natham main road to Saranchange village, Madurai Division for approval.

Encl.: As stated above.

Yours faithfully

For Jio Digital Fibre Pvt. Ltd.



Authorized Signatory

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M/s Reliance Jio Infocomm Limited,
Chennai

Copy to

- 1) The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Forest Force), Chennai-32.
- 2) The Conservator of Forests and Field Director, Srivilliputhur and Megamalai Tiger Reserve, Madurai.

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We, M/s. Reliance Jio Infocomm Ltd., Chennai hereby undertakes that in Legal status of the forest land will remain unchanged

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We, M/s. Reliance Jio Infocomm Ltd., Chennai hereby undertakes Demarcation of the proposed forest area by erecting 4 feet high cement concrete pillars duly numbered for each and every turning at an interval of visible distance of 200 meters once has been laid and also assured to maintain the demarcation stones for the entire project diversion period.

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We, M/s. Reliance Jio Infocomm Limited, Chennai is undertaking that we are ready to pay the *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 and change by the State Government* in future.

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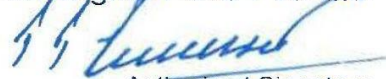
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This is to certify that *the maximum size of the trench shall not exceed 2.00 meter depth, 1.10 km length and 0.30 meter width .The forest land shall be restored to its original state after laying the same.*

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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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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.

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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.

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This is to certify that sufficient firewood, preferably the alternate fuel, shall be provided if any 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.

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

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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.

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This is to certify that the *total forest area utilized for the project shall not exceed proposed 0.033 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 and the State Government 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 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.

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We, M/s. Reliance Jio Infocomm Ltd., Chennai hereby undertakes that in the event of failure to comply with any of the above conditions vide the Government of India, **MoEFCC (FC), NewDelhiFileNo.4-TNB095/2022-CHN/1145dated 31.10.2022**, we are liable for penal action as per the provisions in Ministry's guidelines.

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