## GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

EFS&T Department- Diversion of 0.14 Ha (2730 mts length) of Forest land for laying of Optical Fiber Cable in Kandikuppa Reserve Forest of Kakinada division, in favour of Divisional Engineer, OFC Project, BSNL, Rajahmundry - Permission accorded - Orders Issued.

ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS, SCIENCE & TECHNOLOG (Section-II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.96

Read the following:-

- 1. From PCCF & HoFF, A.P, Lr Rc.No.6932/2014/FCA-1, dt.29-4-2015
- 2. Govt. Memo.No.2469/Section-II/2015, Dt.7-5-2015 & 3-2-2016
- 3. From PCCF & HoFF, Lr Rc. No.6932/2014/FCA-1, dt.25-7-2016
- 4.GoI, MoEF& C.C, New Delhi, Lr.No.11-9/98- FC, dated.16-10-2000 & 7-9-2015

In the letter 1st read above, the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad has submitted a proposal for diversion of 0.14 Ha (2730 ORDER: mts length) of Forest land for laying of Optical Fiber Cable in Kandikuppa Reserve Forest of Kakinada division, in favour of Divisional Engineer, OFC Project, BSNL, Rajahmundry and requested to accord approval in view of the guidelines issued by Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change vide letters 4th read above.

- Government after careful examination of the proposal and in exercise of the powers delegated to State Government in the guidelines issued by Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, in the reference 4th read above, hereby accord permission to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad, for diversion of 0.14 Ha (2730 mts length) of Forest land for laying of Optical Fiber Cable in Kandikuppa Reserve Forest of Kakinada division, in favour of Divisional Engineer, OFC Project, BSNL, Rajahmundry, subject to the condition that the proposed work to be carried out without felling of any tree growth and fulfillment of all other conditions stipulated by the Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change in the letters 4th read above.
  - The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad, is directed to take further necessary action accordingly.

## (BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH) SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

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The Divisional Engineer, OFC Project, BSNL, Rajahmundry SC/SF.

// FORWARDED :: BY ORDER //

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