



**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
FOREST DEPARTMENT**

FCA

Rc.no.1813/2020/TO,
Dated.27.10.2020.

Office of the Conservator of Forests,
Visakhapatnam Circle, Visakhapatnam.

**Sri P. Ram Mohan Rao, I.F.S.,
Conservator of Forests,
Visakhapatnam.**

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Sub: APFD – Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 – Proposal for diversion of 2.10 ha of Forest land for widening and strengthening of Narsipatnam - Devipatnam road from km 7/4 to 12/0, 16/0 to 17/0, 21/0 to 25/0 and 29/500 to 30/0 in Visakhapatnam District in favour of E.E., R&B Paderu – Proposals submitted in hard copies – certain information called for – Regarding.

Ref: 1) PCCF (HoFF), AP, Guntur Rc.no.EFS02-15034/15/2018/FCA SEC-PCCF/ FCA-3, dt. 04.08.2020.

2) DFO, Narsipatnam Rc.no.1965/2018-N9, dt.17.10.2020.

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Attention of the District Forest Officer, Narsipatnam is invited to the references 1st and 2nd cited. As seen from the proposals submitted for i.e., widening and strengthening of Narsipatnam - Devipatnam road from km 7/4 to 12/0, 16/0 to 17/0, 21/0 to 25/0 and 29/500 to 30/0 in Visakhapatnam District in favour of E.E., R&B Paderu by the District Forest Officer, Narsipatnam the following issues are noticed.

- I. In part-II (at serial no.10), regarding details of compensatory afforestation scheme, it was mentioned that the User Agency has to hand over alternate land fit for CA to the Forest Department. The District Forest Officer, Narsipatnam is requested to submit justification for the reply mentioned in part-II as the proposed diversion area is less than 5 Ha.
- II. No RoFR certificate (Form-I), issued by the District Collector, Visakhapatnam has furnished.

Hence, the Divisional Forest Officer, Narsipatnam is requested to look into the matter personally and submit detailed report / justification for the above issues immediately for onward submission to the Prl.Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF). The proposals are returned herewith.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/- P. Ram Mohan Rao,
Conservator of Forests,
Visakhapatnam.

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