



**ENVIRONMENT, CLIMATE CHANGE** & FOREST(FR.10) DEPARTMENT, SECRETARIAT, CHENNAI 9.

Letter No: 17215/ FR.10/2020-6, dated: 20.10.2021

From Thiru.K.Rajkumar, I.F.S., Special Secretary (Forests).

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Department), Chennai-15. (w.e)

Sir,

- Forests Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 Dindigul Circle / Sub: Dindigul Forest Division - Diversion of 1.68 ha. of forest land for upgradation by formation of black top road from the foot hills of L.Malaiyur to L.Malaiyur Village - in favour of Project Director, DRDA, Dindigul District - Regarding.
- 1. Your Letter No.TS4/31700/2017, dated 03.12.2020, 27.02.2021 Ref: and 14.06.2021.
  - 2. Government letter No: 17215/FR.10/ 2020-5, dated 19.08.2021.
  - 3. From the Assistant Inspector General of Forests (Central), Gol, MoEF&CC, Chennai letter F.No.4-TNB075/2021-CHN/880, dated 22.09.2021

I am directed to enclose a copy of the reference third cited and to request you to furnish the information/ documents/ rectification as called for therein to Government immediately for onward transmission to Government of India for obtaining concurrence.

Yours faithfully,

for Special Secretary (Forests)

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F.No.4-TNB075/2021-CHN/880 Date 22 September, 2021

To,

मत्यमेव जयते।

The Principal Secretary to the Government of Tamil Nadu, Environment & Forests Department, Secretariat, Fort St. George, Chennai - 600 009

Subject:

Diversion of 1.68 ha of forest land for upgradation by formation of black top road from the foot hills of L. Malaiyur to L. Malaiyur Village in favour of Project Director, DRDA, Dindigul District - Reg.

Reference: The State Government letter No 17215/FR.10/2020-5 dated 19.08.2021

Sir,

With reference to the subject and reference, I am directed to request to furnish the following information / documents / rectification etc at the earliest for further processing of the subject proposal;

- a. Correct Kml file of the forest area proposed for diversion may be furnished and the same shall be uploaded along with the online application in the PARIVESH Web Portal;
- b. The DFO, Dindigul Forest Division has reported that no rare/endangered / unique species of flora and fauna are found in the area and also no threat to major wildlife species. However, the DFO in Part II of the online application reported that fauna like Bison, Fox, Wild boar, Hare, Porcupine are present in and around the forest land proposed for diversion. Hence, may clarify whether any Schedule I wild animals are present in the forest area proposed for diversion, if so, may kindly prepare wildlife mitigation plan and same may be submitted to this office along with the comments of the Chief Wildlife Warden regarding impact of the road proposal on wildlife and its habitat.

Yours faithfully,

(K.Karthikeyan)

Assistant Inspector General of Forests (Central)

## Copy to:

- 1. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Govt. of Tamil Nadu, Forest Department, No.1, Jeenis Road, Panagal Building, Saidapet, Chennai 600 015.
- 2. The Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests/Nodal Officer (FCA), Office of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Govt. of Tamil Nadu, Forest Department, No.1, Jeenis Road, Panagal Building, Saidapet, Chennai 600 015.
- 3. Rural Development Department, District Rural Development Agency Collectorate Dindigul, 624004 drda.tndgl@gmail.com

(K.Karthikeyan)

Assistant Inspector General of Forests (Central)