

TAMILNADU FOREST DEPARTMENT

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From
Thiru.Sumesh Soman, I.F.S.,
District Forest Officer,
Viluppuram Forest Division,
Viluppuram.

To
Highways Department,
Construction & Maintenance
Sankarapuram Sub-Division,
Kallakurichi.

C.No. 3801/2022/D dated.04.10.2024

Sir,

Sub : Forests - Forest Conservation Act 1980 - Proposal for diversion of 0.768 Ha of forest land in Ravathanallur RF for road expansion work on Vekkimalai Moolakadu Road between Pakkam and Ravathanallur villages across Ravathanallur RF in Kallakurichi district proposal forwarded - Additional details called for by the Government of India -Reg.

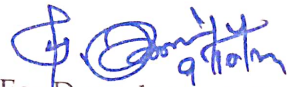
Ref : 1. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Ref.No.TS3-2374/2022, Dated: 30.08.2024.
2. Chief Conservator of Forests, Villupuram Ref.No:D1/5907/2024, Dated:20.09.2024

Attention of the User Agency is invited to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests reference (1). The User Agency is requested to examine the proposal with reference to the guidelines issued by the MOEF & CC for use of additional Forest land required in the forest area prior to 1980 and revise the proposal accordingly and resubmit the revised proposal immediately.

Encl: Reference 1& 2.

Sd/- Sumesh Soman,
District Forest Officer,
Viluppuram Forest Division,
Viluppuram.

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For Draughting Officer.


9/10/24

Ref. No. D1/5907/2024

O/o the Chief Conservator of Forests,
Villupuram Circle, Villupuram.

Dated: 20.09.2024

Sub:- Forests – Forest Conservation Act 1980 - Proposal for diversion of 0768 Ha of forest land in Ravathanallur RF for road expansion work on Vekkimalai Moolakadu Road between Pakkam and Ravathanallur villages across Ravathanallur RF in Kallakurichi district proposal forwarded - Additional details called for by the Government of India - Regarding.

Ref:- 1. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Chennai Ref. No. TS3/2374/2022 dt. 30.08.2024

Attention of the District Forest Officer, Viluppuram is invited to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests reference cited. The District Forest Officer is requested to examine the proposal with reference to the guidelines issued by the MOEF &CC for use of additional Forest land required in the forest area prior to 1980 and revise the proposal accordingly and resubmit the revised proposal innediately.

The District Forest Officer is also requested to instruct the user agency in this matter suitably to hasten the process of preparation of revised proposal so as to forward the same to the Government early.

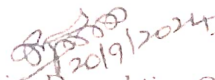
This is urgent

Sd/- A. Periasamy,
Chief Conservator of Forests,
Villupuram Circle,
Villupuram.

To

The District Forest Officer, Villupuram.

/True Copy / By Order/


Senior Draughting Officer.

By On-line/E-mail

C.No.TS3/2374/2022

Office of the Principal Chief Conservator
of Forests (Head of Forest Force),
Forest Head Quarters Building, Guindy-
Velachery Main Road, Guindy, Chennai-32.

Dated: 30.08.2024.

Sub Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 – Proposal for diversion of 0.768 ha of forest land in Ravathanallur RF for road expansion work on Vellimalai Moolakadu Road between Pakkam and Ravathanallur villages across Ravathanallur RF in Kallakuruchi District – Proposal forwarded – Addl. details called for by the Government of India - Regarding.

- Ref 1 Online forest clearance proposal uploaded by the Assistant Divisional Engineer, Highways, C&M, Sankarapuram Sub Division, Kallakuruchi District - Proposal No. FP/TN/Road/151612/2022
- 2 Part-II of Form-A uploaded by the District Forest Officer, Villupuram Division
- 3 Part-III of Form-A uploaded by the Conservator of Forests, Villupuram Circle
- 4 Principal Chief Conservator of Forests ref. No. TS3/2374/2022, dated 22.11.2022, 07.12.2023 and 09.01.2024
- 5 Government letter No. 4737213/FR.10/2023-3, dated 06.05.2024
- 6 Government of India letter No. 4-TNB123/202-CHN/1101, dated 19.07.2024
- 7 Government letter No. 4737213/FR.10/2023-4, dated 22.08.2024

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Attention of the Conservator of Forests is invited to the references cited.

A copy of Government letter 7th cited along with enclosure of Government of India letter 6th cited is enclosed herewith and the observation made by the Government of India may be followed and resubmit the revised proposal early.

Encl : As stated above.

Sd/- S. Alayam.

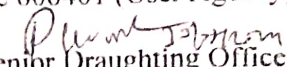
For Principal Chief Conservator of Forests
(Head of Forest Force)

To
The Conservator of Forests, Villupuram Circle, Villupuram

Copy to the District Forest Officer, Villupuram Forest Division, Villupuram.

Copy to the Assistant Divisional Engineer, Highways, Construction and Maintenance Sub Division, Sankarapuram, Kallakuruchi District Pin code 606401 (User Agency)

/ True copy / By order /


Senior Draughting Officer.



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

Letter No.4737213/FR.10/2023-4, Dated:22.08.2024

From
Thiru.T.Ritto Cyriac, I.F.S.,
Special Secretary (Forests).

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

Sir,

Sub: Forests – Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980 – Proposal (FP/TN/Road/ 151612/2022) for diversion of 0.768 ha of forest land with Carriage way @ 7.00m width and berm width @ 2.50m on either side for 640m length road lies in forest land of Ravathanallur Reserved Forests of Villupuram Forest Division for road expansion work on Vellimalai Moolakadu road between Pakkam and Ravathanallur villages across Ravathanallur Reserved Forest in Kallakuruchi District in favour of Assistant Divisional Engineer, Highways, Construction and Maintenance Sankarapuram Sub division, Sankarapuram, Kallakuruchi District – EDS query called for - Regarding.

- Ref:
1. Your letter No.TS3/2374/2022, dated 09.05.2023.
 2. Government letter No.4737213/FR.10/2023-1, date 20.06.2023.
 3. Your letter No. TS3/2374/2022, dated 07.12.2023.
 4. Government letter No.4737213/FR.10/2023-2, dated 29.12.2023.
 5. Your letter No.TS3/2374/2022, dated 09.01.2024.
 6. Government letter No.4737213/FR.10/2023-3, dated 06.05.2024.
 7. From the Assistant Inspector General of Forests (Central), Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change, Regional Office, Chennai, Letter F.No.4-TNB123/2024-CHN/1101, dated 19.07.2024

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I am directed to enclose a copy of the Government of India's letter seventh cited and to request you to furnish the details, as called for therein and to send the revised proposal to this Government immediately, for onward transmission of the same to Government of India, for obtaining their concurrence for the subject proposal.

Yours faithfully,

A. Malathy 22/8/24
for Special Secretary (Forests)

22/8/24

By bio1
P.O. 4737213 / FR-10/2023

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F.No. 4-TNB123/2024-CHN / 1101

Dated 19th July, 2024

To

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

Subject: Proposal for diversion of 0.768 ha. of forest land with carriageway @ 7.0 m width and berm width @ 2.5 m on either side for 640 m length road lies in forest land of Ravathanallur Reserved Forests of Villupuram Forest Division for road expansion work on Vellimalai Moolakadu road between Pakkam and Ravathanallur villages across Ravathanallur Reserved Forest in Kallakuruchi District in favour of Assistant Divisional Engineer Highways, Construction and Maintenance Sankarapuram Sub Division, Sankarapuram, Kallakuruchi District (Proposal No.FP-TN/ROAD/151612/2022) - Reg.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to the State Government's letter no. 4737213 FR-10-2023-3 dated 6.5.2024 on the above subject. In this regard, it is informed that as per the guidelines issued by MOEF & CC for use of additional forest land required for upgradation/widening of road constructed in the forest area prior to 1980, the details of existing forest land involved in the carriageway of road constructed prior to 1980 should also be included in the application for diversion of forest land. In view of the above, the State Government is requested to examine the same and revise the proposal accordingly.

Yours faithfully

Signed by Karthikeyan
Karuppiah

Date: 19-07-2024 16:52:47

(K. Karthikeyan)

Assistant Inspector General of Forests (Central)

Copy to:

1. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Govt. of Tamil Nadu, Forest Department, Guindy Velachery Main Road, Guindy, Chennai - 32.
2. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests Nodal Officer (FCA), Office of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Govt. of Tamil Nadu, Forest Department, Guindy Velachery Main Road, Guindy, Chennai - 32.

3. The Assistant Divisional Engineer, Highways. Construction and Maintenance
Sankarapuram Sub Division, Sankarapuram, Kallakuruchi District.

Sd/-
(K. Karthikeyan)
Assistant Inspector General of Forests (Central)