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Date: 24.11.2023

✓ To,

The Principal Secretary (Forests),  
Revenue and Forest Department,  
Hutatma Rajguru Chowk  
Madam Cama Marg  
Mantralaya, Mumbai – 400032.

**Sub: Diversion of 10.3391 ha. Forest land in favour of MSETCL, EHV Project Division, Kalyan for construction and laying of 220 KV LILO M/C transmission line on 220 KV Tarapur-Borivali and Boisar-Ghodbunder transmission line for 400 KM Kudus sub-station passing through Palghar District in the State of Maharashtra– Regarding.**

Sir,


The undersigned is directed to refer to the Government of Maharashtra letter no. FLD-1223/C.R.63/F-10 dated 01.09.2023 and APCCF & Nodal Officer (FCA), Maharashtra Letter No. Desk-17/Nodal/Thane/ID-13293(79)/3010/22-23 dated 09.02.2023 on the above subject and to inform that the instant proposal was placed before Regional Empowered Committee in its meeting held on 30.10.2023. After detailed discussion and examination of the proposal the Committee decided that proposal shall again be placed before the REC after receipt of following information:

- i. Status of POR booked against User Agency for violation of FCA, 1980 along with Complete Violation report shall be submitted to the Regional Office, Nagpur.
- ii. The DCF should ensure and check the CA areas and certify that it is free from any encroachment.
- iii. State Government shall submit comments from Chief Wildlife Warden, Maharashtra on the importance of area from wildlife point of view and conservation/ mitigative measures, if any required to the Regional Office, Nagpur.
- iv. The alignment of the proposed forest area for diversion is not shown with overlapping forest compartment boundaries.

In view of the above, I am directed to request the State Government to submit information as above to this Ministry for further consideration of the matter. Detailed minutes of meeting can be seen on Parivesh portal (<https://parivesh.nic.in>).

This issues with the approval of DDGF (C)/ Regional Officer (Central), Regional Office, MoEF&CC, Nagpur.

Yours faithfully,

  
(C B Tahsildar)  
AIGF (Central)

Copy to:

- i. The PCCF (HoFF), Government of Maharashtra, Nagpur.
- ii. The Addl. PCCF & Nodal Officer (FCA), Government of Maharashtra, Nagpur.
- iii. User agency.
- iv. Guard file.

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