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FOREST FORCE), MAHARASHTRA STATE, NAGPUR

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No.:Desk-17/Nodal/FCA/S1/PID-48321/Thane/2023-24/25 6

Nagpur - 440 001, Dated: 28/11/2023

The Chief Conservator of Forests (T),

Thane

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.

Ref:- The Government of India, MoEF & CC, Intigrated Regional Office, Nagpur vide letter No.F.No.FC-II/MH-227/2023-NGP/12544, dated 24/11/2023

Your attention is drawn to the letter under reference. In this context, the Government of India, MoEF & CC, Intigrated Regional Office, Nagpur has sought compliance on 04 points (copy enclosed).

It is therefore requested to obtain compliance of the shortcomings and submit with all relevant documents in **English** to this office for further submission to the Ministry for consideration of the proposal for approval

Encl:- As above

Assistant Conservator of Forests
Desk-17

Copy to the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Dahanu Forest Division, Dahanu for information and necessary action.

Copy to the Executive Engineer, MSETCL, EHV Construction Division, Kalyan-421301 for information and necessary action.



भारतसरकार GOVERNMENT OF INDIA पर्यावरण, वन एवंजलवायुपरिवर्तनमंत्रालय MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS & CLIMATE CHANGE

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Date: 24.11.2023

F.No. FC-II/MH-227/2023-NGP 12544

No.

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

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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:

- 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.
- 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.
- 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.

(C B Tahsildar) AIGF (Central)

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