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Date 24<sup>th</sup> January, 2019

To,

The Principal Secretary to the Government of Andhra Pradesh,  
Environment, Forests, Science & Technology Department,  
Government of Andhra Pradesh, Room No.268, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, 4<sup>th</sup> Block,  
Andhra Pradesh Secretariat, Velagapudi, Amaravati Guntur District-522503

Subject: Diversion of 20.72 ha of forest land in Venkatagiri Hill RF & Inagaluru RF in Nellore and Chittoor District for excavation of Somasila Swarnamukhi Link canal from Km 56.00 to Tail End Km 100.425 including CM & CD Works in favour of Chief Engineer, NTR TGP, Tirupati-reg.

Reference: The State Government letter No 5104/Section.II/2018 dated 13.12.2018

Sir,

Please refer to the subject and reference cited above. I am directed to request you to furnish the following additional information / documents at the earliest for further consideration of the proposal;

- As reported, the User Agency has carried out work in violation of FCA, 1980 over an area of 8.08 ha in Chittoor East (WL) division. Hence a report on the action taken on the individual/officials responsible for violation under the provisions of the State Forest Acts / Rules, shall be furnished;
- As per the kml file uploaded by the User Agency for an area of 11.52 ha in Nellore Forest Division, it appears that work in violation of FCA, 1980 has been carried out by the User Agency in some patches within the 11.52 ha area. The State Government is requested to verify the same and submit a detailed report on violation i.e. extent of the area under violation, period in which work has been carried out, action taken on the individual / officials responsible for violation for violation under the provisions of the State Forest Acts / Rules;

Yours faithfully,



(D.Sathiyam)

Conservator of Forests (Central)

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Copy to:-

1. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Forests Department, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh, Aranya Bhavan, K.M. Munshi Road, Nagarampalem Guntur-522004.
2. The Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests/Nodal Officer (FCA), Office of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Forests Department, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh, Aranya Bhavan, K.M. Munshi Road, Nagarampalem, Guntur-522004.
3. The Chief Engineer, NTR TGP, Opp S V Medical College, Old Airport Road Tirupati-517507

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