

C.No.TS4/ 48485/2020

Office of the Principal Chief Conservator
of Forests, (Head of Forest Force),
Forest Headquarters Building,
Guindy Velachery Main road,
Near Kannikapuram Checkpost,
Guindy, Chennai - 600 032.
Dated: 06.01.2023.

- Sub: Forest – Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 – ^{SMTR,} Madurai circle –
Theni Forest Division – Proposal for diversion of 0.193 ha of
forest land for laying of underground OFC along Cumbum –
Kumuli NH road from lower camp to Kumuli through
Suranganur Reserved Forest – online proposal submission by
the User Agency ie. Jio Digital Fibre private Ltd., Chennai –
Regarding.
- Ref: 1. Online application uploaded by the User Agency Jio
Digital Fibre private Ltd., Chennai.
(FP/TN/OFC/116522/2020).
2. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Chennai-15
Ref.No:48485/2020/TS4 dated 23.11.2022.
3. Government Letter No:19218/FR-10/2022-1 dated
30.12.2022

It is informed that the proposal for diversion of 0.193 ha of forest land for
laying of underground OFC along Cumbum – Kumuli NH road from lower camp to
Kumuli through Suranganur Reserved Forests has been sent to Government in the
reference 2nd cited and the Government has raised query in the reference 3rd cited.
A copy of Government letter is enclosed.

The User Agency may be requested to obtain the original certificate of the
District Collector, Theni with full name and authenticated office seal as per the format
prescribed in Form-I for linear projects in the Comprehensive guidelines of Forest
Conservation Act 1980 and upload the same in the web portal and send hard copy to
this office immediately for further consideration of this proposal.

Encl. as above

Sd/- V. Karunapriya
for Principal Chief Conservator of Forests
(Head of Forest Force)

To
The Conservator of Forests & Field Director, SMTR, Madurai
2 The District Forest Officer, Theni
Copy to
M/s.Jio Digital Fibre Ltd.,89, Radhakrishnan Salai, Mylapore, Chennai for immediate
action.

/True copy/By order/

P. Anand
Senior Draughting Officer
10/01/2023

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By e-mail



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

Letter No.19218/FR.10/2022-1, dated: 30.12.2022

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

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

Sir,

Sub: Forests – Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 – Srivilliputhur
Megamalai Tiger Reserve, Madurai Circle / Theni Forest
Division - Proposal (No.FP/TN/OFC/116522/2020) for diversion
of 0.193 ha of forest land for laying of underground OFC along
Cumbum-Kumuli NH road from lower camp to Kumuli through
Suranganur Reserved Forest in Theni division, Theni District in
favour of Jio Digital Fibre private Ltd., Chennai - Regarding.

Ref: Your letter No.TS4/48485/2020, dated 23.11.2022.

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I am directed to invite your attention to the reference cited wherein you have
sent the District Collector's Certificate in respect of Forest Rights Act, 2006 without
Full Name and official seal of the District Collector.

2. I am, therefore directed to request you to obtain and send the original
certificate of the District Collector, Theni with his full name and authenticated office
seal, as per the format prescribed in Form-I for linear projects in the Comprehensive
Guidelines of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, to Government, as already instructed
vide Government letter No.17883/FR.10/2022-1, dated 01.11.2022, for further
consideration of the proposal

Yours faithfully

M. Magala
21/1/2023

for Special Secretary (Forests).