

F.No. 4-TSB240/2022-HYD

December, 2023

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The Special Chief Secretary to the Government, Environment, Forests, Science & Technology Department, Telangana State Secretariat, Hyderabad.

Subject: Diversion of 2.121 Ha of Forest land for formation of approach road for construction of HLB across Manjeera river from Dharmareddy to Muddapur via Venkampally road PR road in Kamareddy District in favour of Executive Engineer, R&B Division Kamareddy-reg.

Reference: Online Proposal No. FP/TG/ROAD/31490/2018

Madam,

With reference to the subject and reference cited above, it is to state that the subject proposal has been examined by this office and the Site Inspected on 27.10.2023. It was noticed during the Site inspection that the Non-Forest Land identified for CA purpose is less than 5.0 Ha and is not contiguous to any existing notified forest patch. Further, already illegal extraction of Murram is noticed within this parcel of non-forest land handed over to the SFD by the UA. As, such isolated patches can not be manged in future and as per the prevailing guidelines in this regards, the NFL identified for CA purpose is not suitable from the management point of view as per the guidelines issued by the Ministry.

Further, the forest land existing between the old and existing road and the proposed new road is prone to encroachments as several encroachments were noticed during the inspection, hence the same needs to be secured from possible threats of encroachments.

Keeping in view of the above, the proposal is returned herewith with a request to furnish clarification on the measures to be taken for the protection of the adjoining forest area and to identify alternate suitable CA land as per the guidelines of the Ministry.

Yours faithfully,

(Kailash Bhimrao Bhawar) Asst. Inspector General of Forests (C)

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- 1. The IGF (ROHQ), MoEF&CC, Gol, New Delhi.
- 2. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Forest Department, Govt. of Telangana, Aranya Bhavan, Saifabad, Hyderabad, PIN- 500 004.
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