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To,

Chief Conservator of Forests
Shivamogga Circle, Shivamogga

Sub: Diversion of 6.073 hectare of forest land in Guduginakoppa Village Sy No. 40 and Udri Village Sy No. 103 & 164, Kasaba Hobli, Soraba Taluk, Shivamogga District for laying of 110 KV S/C line on DC Towers from the existing 110/11 KV Thogarsi Substation to the proposed 1x10 MVA 110/11 KV Substation at Kuppagudde in Soraba Taluk, Shivamogga District in favour of the Executive Engineer (Electrical), Major Works Division, Karnataka Power Transmission Corporation Limited (KPTCL), Shivamogga.

Proposal No. FP/KA/TRANS/38788/2019

- Ref:** 1. Online submission of PART-II on 27-11-2019 by Deputy Conservator of Forests, Sagar Division [Letter No. B1/Land/FC/GL-1190/2019-20 dated 25-11-2019- Hard copy of proposal]
2. Online submission of PART-III on 27-11-2019 by Chief Conservator of Forests, Shimoga Circle [Letter No. A11/FC/Kuppagudde KPTCL/GL-7458/19-20 dated 03-12-2019- Hard copy of proposal]

With reference to above subject, the proposal (PART-I,II & III) seeking stage-I approval for diversion of 6.073 hectare of forest land in Guduginakoppa Village Sy No. 40 and Udri Village Sy No. 103 & 164, Kasaba Hobli, Soraba taluk, Shivamogga District for laying of 110 KV S/C line on DC Towers from the existing 110/11 KV Thogarsi Substation to the proposed 1x10 MVA 110/11 KV Substation at Kuppagudde in Soraba Taluk, Shivamogga District in favour of the Executive


Engineer (Electrical), Major Works Division, Karnataka Power Transmission Corporation Limited (KPTCL), Shivamogga has been received in this office online.

During the scrutiny of completeness of information in the proposal before submitting to the Government of Karnataka, it is noticed that, the information pertaining to the Compensatory Afforestation (CA) land (*degraded forest land in double the extent of forest land proposed for diversion as provided in Para 2.5 (i)(a) of the latest FC guidelines*) in the form of **Location, KML file, Geo-reference Map including the GPS readings of all corners, Topo Map, CA Suitability Certificate and CA Scheme** prepared at the present rates in accordance with Para 2.8 of the latest FC Guidelines has not been uploaded/ submitted by the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Sagar Division in Item 13 of PART-II of the proposal. Instead, some irrelevant documents/information (*which pertains to the forest land proposed for diversion*) have been uploaded in this item.

As a result, the proposal remains incomplete and cannot be submitted to Government. It is a serious lapse on the part of the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Sagar Division as well as on your part for not verifying the proposal (PART-II) at your end properly, resulting in avoidable delays.


The proposal (along with the online link) is returned herewith for submitting the above mentioned documents pertaining to the CA land required for the proposal and immediate re-submission.

All documents (including the CD containing KML file) pertaining to the CA land details should be submitted in minimum 3 sets with all Ink signed documents.


Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests
(Forest Conservation) and Nodal Officer (FCA)

Copy to the:

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1. Deputy Conservator of Forests, Sagar Division for information.
 2. Executive Engineer (Electrical), Major Works Division, Karnataka Power Transmission Corporation Limited (KPTCL), Shivamogga for information and with a request to obtain the required **FRA Certificate in the FORM-I (for Linear projects; copy enclosed)** as prescribed in Annexure II of the latest FC Guidelines communicated by the Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change, New Delhi vide letter F.No. 5-2/2007-FC dated 28-03-2019 and submit a copy before final approval.


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