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To,  
The District Commissioner  
Mini Vidhan Saudha,  
Tumkur-572101  
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The Forest land required in Bukkapatna Reserve Forest of Tumkur Division is 50.82 ha. Hence, the project attracts provisions of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and requires approval from Regional Office, MoEF&CC for diversion of the aforementioned forest land.

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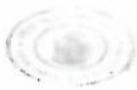
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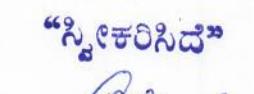
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