

TAMIL NADU FOREST DEPARTMENT

From
Subrat Mohapatra, IFS.,
Principal Chief Conservator of Forests,
(Head of Forest Force),
Forest Headquarters Building, Guindy
Velachery Main road, Near Kannikapuram
Checkpoint, Guindy,
Chennai - 600 032.

To
The Additional Chief Secretary to
Government,
Environment Climate Change and
Forests Department,
Secretariat, Chennai 600 009.

Ref. No. TS4/42877/2021 dated. 28.02.2023

Madam,

Sub:- Forests - Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 - Trichy Circle / Thanjavur Forest Division - Proposal for diversion of 0.82ha of forest land for initial rectification including widening, strengthening and improvements and performance based maintenance contract for a period of 60 months in State Highways and major district roads - Widening of Thiruverumbur - grand Anaicut road - Online proposal submitted by the User Agency - Assistant Divisional Engineer, Highways Construction Maintenance, Thiruvaiyaru - Regarding.

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- Ref: 1. Online application uploaded by the User Agency - Assistant Divisional Engineer, Highways Construction and Maintenance, Thiruvaiyaru (FP/TN/ROAD /149622 /2021).
2. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Chennai Ir.No: 42877/2021/TS4 dated 23.05.2022
 3. Government Lr.No:9283/FR-10/2022 dated 17.08.2022
 4. Government of India, MoEF&CC, Ch-6 letter F.No:4-TNB092/2022-CHN/1020 dated 21.09.2022
 5. Government Lr.No:9283/FR-10/2022-2 dated 30.09.2022
 6. District Forest Officer, Thanjavur C.No:D/2271/2021 dated 01.11.2022&6.1.2023
 7. Chief Conservator of Forests, Trichy C.No:954/2022/D dated 04.11.2022 & 23.01.2023

I wish to furnish herewith the additional information called for by the Government of India in the reference 4th cited as follows.

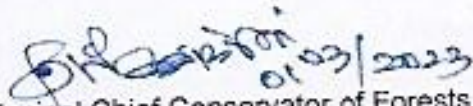
Sl.No	Addl.Information called for by the Government of India	Reply
(i).	Status of obtaining of Approval of Hon'ble SC/CEC for felling of trees of spontaneous origin	The User Agency has filed Interlocutory Application for getting prior permission from Supreme Court of India for felling spontaneous grown trees by engaging Thiru. P.V.Yogeswaran, Advocate. The application details submitted by the User Agency are enclosed along with the

		<p>legal status report.</p> <p><i>The Hon'ble SC of India has ordered in I.A.No. 168320/2022, 168313/2022 and 191583/2022 on 11.01.2023 direct that the order requiring permission of this court for felling of trees in all forest areas in respect of any road projects initiated by the State Government, National Highway Authority of India or any other instrumentality of the State, which involves cutting of up to 500 trees is recalled, however, subject to the following conditions:-</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <i>1. Such felling shall be done only after necessary approval under the Forest Conservation Act 1980, Forest Conservation Rules, 2002, Compensatory Afforestation Fund Rules, 2018 are obtained from the competent Authority under the said enactments.</i> <i>2. The projects would be permitted only after the concurrence of the Integrated Regional office (IRO) , Chennai.</i> <i>3. While granting such permissions, the authorities also should provide for necessary mitigation measures for ensuring free flow of the wildlife from one part of the forest to the other whenever such forest is divided by roads.</i> <p><i>As this project involves 120 Nos. of Spontaneous trees, concurrence of Integrated Regional Office, Government of India, Chennai may be obtained.</i></p>
(ii).	<p>The State Government submitted the proposal for widening, strengthening and improvements of the existing road. Hence, legal status of the road with supporting documents ie. RoW notification, Stage II copy if approved under FCA, 1980 earlier etc.</p>	<p>There is no Right of way mentioned as per Reserved Forest notification of Nagavally Reserved Forest. The Reserved Forest map and notification order is enclosed herewith for kind reference. There is no earlier approval accorded under Forest Conservation Act, 1980. The legal status of the road is verified with SI sheet map (58J/13) surveyed during 1968-69 and published in 1970. As per the SI sheet map , the legal status of the road is metalled road.</p>

Copies of letters received from the Chief Conservator of Forests, Trichy and the District Forest Officer, Thanjavur along with enclosures are enclosed herewith. I request that in-principle Stage-I approval under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for diversion of 0.82ha of forest land in Nagavally Reserved Forest of Thanjavur Forest Division may be obtained from the Government of India for widening, strengthening and improvements of Thiruverumbur-Grand anaicut road in favour of the Assistant Divisional Engineer, Highways Construction Maintenance, Thiruvaiyaru, Thanjavur District for a period of 20 years.

Encl: as above

Yours faithfully,


for Principal Chief Conservator of Forests
(Head of Forest Force)
1/3/2023

TAMIL NADU FOREST DEPARTMENT**From:**

Thiru.N.Satheesh,I.F.S.,
Chief Conservator of Forests,
Tiruchirappalli Circle,
Tiruchirappalli - 620 023.
E.mail: ccftrichycircle@gmail.com

To:

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests,
(Head of Forest Force)
Forest Head Quarters,
Guindy Velachery Main Road,
Near Kannigapuram Check Post,
Guindy, Chennai-600032

C. No. 954/2022/D, Dated. 04.11.2022.

Sir,

- Sub :- Forests - Forest (Conservation) Act 1980 - Thanjavur Forest Division - proposal for diversion of 0.82 Ha. of Forest land for initial rectification including widening, strengthening improvements and performance based maintenance contract for a period of 60 months in state Highways and major district roads in Thanjavur District - submission of reply to the query raised by Government of India - Regarding.
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3. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoD), Chennai. Ref.No. TS4/42877/2021. Dated: 26.09.2022.
4. District Forest Officer, Thanjavur Ref.No. D/2271/2021. Dated: 01.11.2022.

With reference to the above, I submit herewith the reply to the queries raised by the Government of India in the 2nd reference. The report received from the District Forest Officer, Thanjavur reference 4th cited is enclosed herewith.

This is favour of kind information.

Encl : As above.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/-N.Satheesh,
Chief Conservator of Forests,
Tiruchirappalli Circle.

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Senior Draughting officer

TAMILNADU FOREST DEPARTMENT

From
Akhil Thampi, IFS.,
District Forest Officer,
Thanjavur Division,
Thanjavur - 613 403.

To
The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests,
(Head of Forest Force), Forest Head Quarters,
Guindy - Velachery Main Road,
Near Kannikapuram Check Post,
Guindy, Chennai - 600 032

(Through Chief Conservator of Forests,
Trichirappalli Circle, Trichirappalli)

C.No. 2271/2021/D dated: 01.11.2022.

Sir,

Sub: Forests - Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 - Trichy Circle / Thanjavur Division - Proposal for diversion of 0.82ha of Forest land for initial rectification including widening, strengthening improvements and performance based maintenance contract for a period of 60 months in State Highways and major district roads - Online proposal submitted by the User Agency ie. The Assistant Divisional Engineer, Highways, Construction and Maintenance, Thiruvaiyaru - submission of reply to the query raised by Government of India - Regarding.,

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2) District Forest Officer, Thanjavur C.No: 2271/2021/D dt: 09.02.2022
3) Chief Conservator of Forests, Trichirappalli Circle, Trichirappalli C.No: 954/2022/D dated: 18.02.2022
4) Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Department), Chennai-15 Ref.No: TS4/42877/2021 dt: 23.05.2022
5) Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Integrated Regional Office, Chennai - 600 006 F.No.4-TNB092/2022-CHN/1020 dated: 21.09.2022
6) Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Forest Force), Chennai-15 Ref.No: TS4/42877/2021 dt: 26.09.2022
7) Chief Conservator of Forests, Trichirappalli Circle, Trichirappalli Endt.No: 954/2022/D dated: 19.10.2022

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With reference to the above subject and letters cited, I submit herewith the reply to the queries raised by the Government of India in the 5th reference with all relevant documents.

SLNo	Query raised by the Government of India	Reply
(i).	Status of obtaining of Approval of Hon'ble SC/CEC for felling of trees of spontaneous origin	The User Agency has filed Interlocutory Application for getting prior permission from Supreme Court of India for felling spontaneous grown trees by engaging Thiru. P.V.Yogeswaran, Advocate. The application details submitted by the User Agency are enclosed herewith for kind reference along with the legal status report.
(ii).	The State government submitted the proposal for widening, strengthening and improvements of the existing road. Hence, legal status of the road with supporting documents ie. RoW notification, Stage II copy if approved under FCA, 1980 earlier etc.	There is no RoW mentioned as per Reserved Forest notification of Nagavally Reserved Forest. The Reserved Forest map and notification order is enclosed herewith for kind reference. There is no earlier approval accorded under Forest Conservation Act, 1980.

This is for favour of kind information.

Encl: As stated above.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/-Akhil Thampi
District Forest Officer,
Thanjavur Division,
Thanjavur.

Copy submitted to the Chief Conservator of Forests, Trichirappalli Circle,
Trichirappalli for kind information.

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Superintendent

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22/11/2022

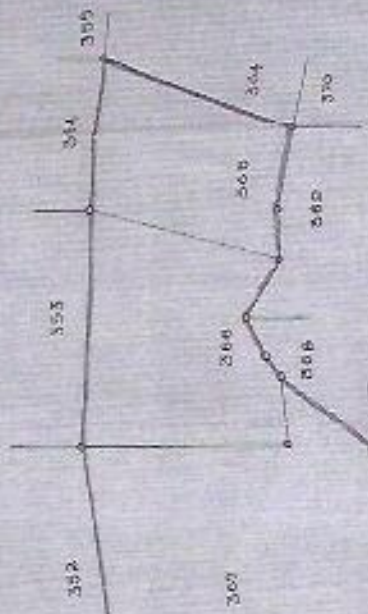
DISTRICT THANjavur
 TALUK NORTH THANjavur
 VILLAGE NAGAVALLY
 NAME OF BLOCK NAGAVALLY
 AREA 26.01 ACRES

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N 2 55 YENUGUR VILLAGE, [TRICHY DISTRICT]

N 107 NATRABURAM



Plotted
 Boundary of Block
 Village Boundary
 Survey with N.P.S.

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC
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 ENGINEERING OFFICE
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(ABSTRACT)

Forests--Thanjavur District--Thanjavur Taluk--Nagavally forest block--Constitution of Reserved forest under Section 16 of the Tamil Nadu Forest Act 1882--Draft notification--Approved.

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Agriculture Department

G.O. No. 2410,

Dated 15-9-72.

Read



1. From the Chief Conservator of Forests letter No. 25369/70 GI dated 1-3-72.
2. From the Chief Conservator of Forests letter No. 25369/70 GI dated 9-3-72.

ORDER:

The draft notification under section 16 of the Tamil Nadu Forest Act, 1882, submitted by the Chief Conservator of Forests is approved as in the Appendix and it will be published in English in the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette and in Tamil in the Thanjavur District Gazette.

2. The Public (Translation) Department is requested to furnish to the Director of Stationery and Printing Madras a Tamil Translation of the notification.

3. The Director of Stationery and Printing, Madras is requested to supply 8 printed copies of the notification in English each to the Government and to the Chief Conservator of Forests and 8 copies of the Tamil version of the notification to the District Forest Officer Thanjavur after publication.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR.)

P. Kandasamy,
Additional Secretary to Government.

To

- The Director of Stationery and Printing, Madras-1.
(For publication in the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette.)
- The Public (Translation) Department, Madras-2.
- The Board of Revenue (Land Revenue), Madras-5.
- The Chief Conservator of Forests, Madras-6.
- The Collector of Thanjavur.
- Copy to the District Forest Officer, Thanjavur.

Forwarded by order.

M. M. K. K.

APPENDIX
NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 16 of the Tamil Nadu Forest Act, 1882 (Tamil Nadu Act V of 1882), the Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby declares the area, the boundaries of which are specified in the schedule below as "reserved forest" with effect on and from 1-1-73.

THE SCHEDULE

* District: Thanjavur Taluk : North Thanjavur
Village No. 1, Thogur
Area of the forest block: Nagavally
Area of the block - 95.91 acres (or 38.81 hectares)

BOUNDARIES

The block comprises the whole of S.F. Nos. 365, 366, 367 and 364 of No. 1 Thogur village and bounded by:-

North: Starting from the south-west corner of S.F. No. 266/B which is also a point on the district boundary between Thanjavur and Tiruchirappalli, the boundary runs generally towards east along the southern side of S.F. No. 266/B, western and southern sides of S.F. No. 352, southern sides of S.F. Nos. 353 and 354 to the trijunction of S.F. Nos. 354, 355 and 364 all of No. 1 Thogur village.

East: Thence the boundary runs generally towards south along the western side of S.F. No. 364 to the trijunction of S.F. Nos. 364, 370 and 368 all of the above said Thogur Village.

South and West: Thence the boundary runs generally towards west along the northern side of S.F. No. 369, north-western side of S.F. No. 368 all of No. 1 Thogur village; thence along the northern side of S.F. No. 135 of No. 167, Natarajapuram village; thence along the eastern, northern and western sides of S.F. No. 204/1, northern side of S.F. Nos. 202 and 47 of 35; No. 55, Vengur Village (Tiruchirappalli District) the starting point.

Rights admitted: Nil.

P. Kandasamy,
Additional Secretary to Government.

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M. Loganathan
Superintendent.



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HIGHWAYS DEPARTMENT

From
Thiru. S. Ram Prabhu, MTech.,
Authorised person,
Assistant Divisional Engineer,
Highways,
Construction and Maintenance,
Thiruvaiyaru,
Thanjavur.

To
✓ **The District Forest Officer,**
Thanjavur.



Lr.No.09/RF/PBMC/2020 – 21/dated 25.05.2022

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Sub: Thanjavur (H) C&M Division – Thiruvaiyaru (H) C&M Sub Division –
PBMC P-II – Thiruverumbur – Grand Anaicut Road MD 306 –
Widening from SL to DL – Widening of road stretch in Nagavalli
Reserve Forest Range – Filing of Interlocutory application for getting
permission for felling of spontaneous trees from Hon'ble Supreme Court
of India – information sent – reg.,

- Ref: 1. Letter from District Forest Office, Thanjavur C.No.2271 / 2021 /D /
dated 23.03.2022.
2. Letter from the Divisional Engineer (H) C&M, Thanjavur Memo No.
1103/ PBMC P II / RF/2022/ JDO-1/ dated.21.04.2022

The work of widening from SL to DL and formation of Thiruverumbur –
Grand Anaicut Road Km 4/6 – 8/4 involves formation of road to a length of 820m
involving 0.82 Hectares area of Forest land in Nagavalli Reserve Forest range in the
jurisdiction of District Forest Office, Thanjavur and the process of obtaining
permission for road work in the Reserve Forest Range from the Department of Forests
is underway. It was identified during the joint Inspection of this department and Forest
Department that there are 120 numbers of Spontaneous trees (naturally grown trees) in
the Reserve Forest area and instructed by the Forest Department vide letter cited in 1st
reference to file an Interlocutory Application and obtain necessary permission orders
from the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.

In this connection, the Divisional Engineer(H) C&M, Thanjavur had instructed
to file the Interlocutory application engaging one Thiru. P.V. Yogeswaran, Advocate
on Record, Hon'ble Supreme Court of India and the same has been filed in the

Hon'ble Supreme Court of India. The details of filed Interlocutory Application is as follows.

Diary No.	:	2997/1995
Cause Title	:	In RE:Godavarman Thirumulpad Vs Union of India and Others
Party Name	:	Thiru. P.V. Yogeswaran
Date and Time	:	25-May-2022 14:51:05

The Divisional Engineer (H) C&M, Thanjavur and Assistant Divisional Engineer (H) C&M Thiruvaiyaru had attended the office of Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Panagal Building, Saidapet, Chennai on 24.05.2022 and it was known that the process of obtaining Stage - 1 permission is underway.

It is brought to your notice that out of the 3.60 Km Road stretch, the 820 m road stretch falling amidst the Reserve Forest range only would be left narrow while the rest of the Road is widened to Double Lane. This scenario would lead to frequent Road accidents and poses a threat in the road safety point of view.

Hence, I kindly request you to speed up the process of permitting the Highways Department for formation of the subject road in the 820m length of Nagavalli Reserve Forest Range and render the best cooperation in the larger interest and safety of common public, farmers, tourists and local commuters utilising the road.

Assistant Divisional Engineer/Authorised person

Highways, C&M

Thiruvaiyaru.

Copy submitted to the Divisional Engineer (H) C&M, Thanjavur, for kind information
Copy to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Chennai for information and necessary action

Copy to the Chief Conservator of Forests, Chennai for information and necessary action

Copy to the Assistant Engineer(H) C&M, Thirukattupalli, for necessary follow up action.

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Establishment: Supreme Court of India

Stockholding Reference No: EPSDL2505055114249819

Party Details

Diary No: 2997/1995

Party Name: P. V. YOGESWARAN

Transaction Date and Time: 25-MAY-2022 14:51:05

Transaction No: 25May2022145046_19902_29971995

Cause Title: IN RE: T.N. GODAVARMAN THIRUMULPAD Vs UNION OF

e-Court Fee Receipt No: DLCT2520E22520173

e-Court Fee: Rs. 0

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Total Amount: Rs. 30

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P.V.YOGESWARAN
ADVOCATE-ON-RECORD

CHAMBER :- 29, OLD LAWYERS CHAMBER
SUPREME COURT OF INDIA NEW DELHI-110001
(M) 9610622382

Dated: 19.10.2022

HIGHWAYS DEPARTMENT

To
The Assistant Divisional Engineer,
User Agency/Authorised Person,
Highways Department, C&M,
Thiruvaiyaru, Tamil Nadu

Sir,

Sub: Thanjavur (H) C&M Division - Thiruvaiyaru (H) C&M
Sub Division-PBMC P-II-Thiruverumbur-Grand
Anaicut Road MD 306-Widening from SL to IL-
Widening of road stretch in Nagavalli Reserve Forest
Range-Filing of Interlocutory application and getting
permission for felling of spontaneous trees from
Hon'ble Supreme Court of India-Legal status
reported-reg.

Ref:1. Letter from the Assistant Divisional Engineer, C&M,
Thiruvaiyaru letter No. 09-01/PBMC/Forests/RF/
2022/JDO/dated 10.10.2022.

2 Letter from Ministry of Environment, Forest and
Climate Change, Government of India, Chennai
F.No.4- TNB092/2022-CHN/1020 dated 21.09.2022.

3. Letter from Principal Chief Conservator of Forests,
Saidapet, Chennai C.No.TS4/42877/2021 dated
06.10.2022.

TimeLine Details

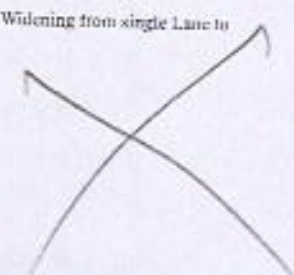
TS₃ 42877
2021

Proposal received date at each stage of flow.

A. General Details

- (i). Proposal No. : FP/TN/ROAD/149622/2021
- (ii). Name of Project for which Forest Land is required : Initial Rectification including Widening Strengthening and improvements and Performance Based Maintenance Contract for a Period of 60 Months in State Highways and Major District Roads for a length of
- (iii). Short narrative of the proposal and Project/scheme for which the forest land is required : Widening from single Lane to Intermediate Lane of Thiraverumbau - Grand Anicut Road in Reserve Forest Land Km 4/6-8/2
- (iv). State : Tamil Nadu
- (v). Category of the Project : Road
- (vi). Shape of forest land proposed to be diverted : Linear
- (vii). Area of forest land proposed for diversion(In ha.): 0.81

22/11/2022
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B. Time Line

Proposal No.	Submitted by User Agency	Query for Shortcoming(if any) by Nodal Officer	Resubmission of Proposal by User Agency	Query by Nodal Officer for submitting Hard Copies	Uploading(by U.A.) of copies of receipt received from DFO & DC	Division	Circle	Nodal Office	State Government	Regional Office	Stage-I Approval	Stage-II Approval
FP/TN/ROAD/149622/2021	29/11/2021	30/12/2021 21/12/2021	01/01/2022 29/12/2021	06/01/2022	27/01/2022	Thanjavur	Trichy	Tamil Nadu	Tamil Nadu	Chennai		
						28/11/2022	09/12/2022 (Thanjavur)	27/05/2022		22/08/2022		

C. Essential Details Sought History

Communication between Regional Office & State Government	Communication between State Government & Nodal Officer	Communication between Nodal Officer & Circle	Communication between Circle & Division	Communication between Division & User Agency
Query raised by Regional Office (Chennai) on: 21/09/2022	Query raised by State Government (Tamil Nadu) on: 03/10/2022	Query raised by Nodal Officer (Tamil Nadu) on: 14/03/2022 Replied by Circle (Trichy) on: 26/04/2022 Query raised by Nodal Officer (Tamil Nadu) on: 10/10/2022 Replied by Circle (Trichy) on: 17/11/2022	Query raised by Circle (Trichy) on: 21/03/2022 Replied by DFO (Thanjavur) on: 07/04/2022 Query raised by Circle (Trichy) on: 25/10/2022 Replied by DFO (Thanjavur) on: 02/11/2022	


NOTE:- Proposal is pending at Nodal Officer due to FDS raised by Regional Office.

The Legal status of Interlocutory Application No. 80687 & 80744 of 2022 in W.P. (Civil) No. 202 of 1995 as sought by the letters cited in references for removal of 120 numbers of Spontaneous trees (naturally grown trees) in the Nagavalli Reserve Forest area of Thanjavur is furnished as follows.

1. I.A. No. : Interlocutory Application No. 80687 & 80744 of 2022.
2. Case No : W.P. (CIVIL) No. 202 of 1995
3. Date of Filing : 25th MAY 2022
4. Last listed on : -
5. Petitioner : The Assistant Divisional Engineer, Highways Construction & Maintenance, Thiruvaiyaru, Thanjavur, Tamil Nadu.
6. Status as on date : ORDERS (INCOMPLETE MATTERS/IAs/ CrI.MPs)
7. Bench : Hon'ble Justice Mr. B.R. Gavai, Hon'ble Justice Mr. Surya Kant & Hon'ble Justice Mr. J.B. Pardiwala
8. Remarks if any : To be Listed before court/bench [As per Record of Proceeding]

Regards

Enclosure: NIL


(P.V. YOGESWARAN)
Advocate-on-Record
Supreme Court of India

TAMIL NADU FOREST DEPARTMENT

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 7. District Forest Officer, Thanjavur Ref.No. D/2271/2021. Dated: 18.01.2023.

With reference to the above, I submit herewith the online proposal uploaded by the user Agency for Seeking permission for widening and improvement of existing road legal status of the road and prior to 1970 (FSI map) in Nagavalli RF report received from the District Forest Officer, Thanjavur reference 7th cited is enclosed herewith for necessary action

Encl : As above.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/-N.Satheesh,
Chief Conservator of Forests,
Tiruchirappalli Circle.

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TAMILNADU FOREST DEPARTMENT

From
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(Through Chief Conservator of Forests,
Trichirappalli Circle, Trichirappalli)

C.No. 2271/2021/D dated: 06.01.2023.

Sir,

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6) Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Forest Force), Chennai-15 Ref.No: TS4/42877/2021 dt: 21.12.2022

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With reference to the above subject and letters cited, I submit herewith the essential details sought for in the 6th reference cited with relevant documents.

Sl.No	Query	Reply
(i).	The District Forest Officer is requested to send the legal status of the road by verifying the S.I. sheet prior to 1980.	The legal status of the road was verified with S.I sheet map (58 J/13) surveyed during 1968-69 and published in 1970. As per the S.I. sheet map, the legal status of the road is metalled road.

This is for favour of kind information.

Encl: As stated above.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/-Akhil Thampi
District Forest Officer,
Thanjavur Division,
Thanjavur.

Copy submitted to the Chief Conservator of Forests, Trichirappalli Circle,
Trichirappalli for kind information.

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Superintendent

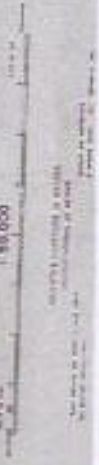
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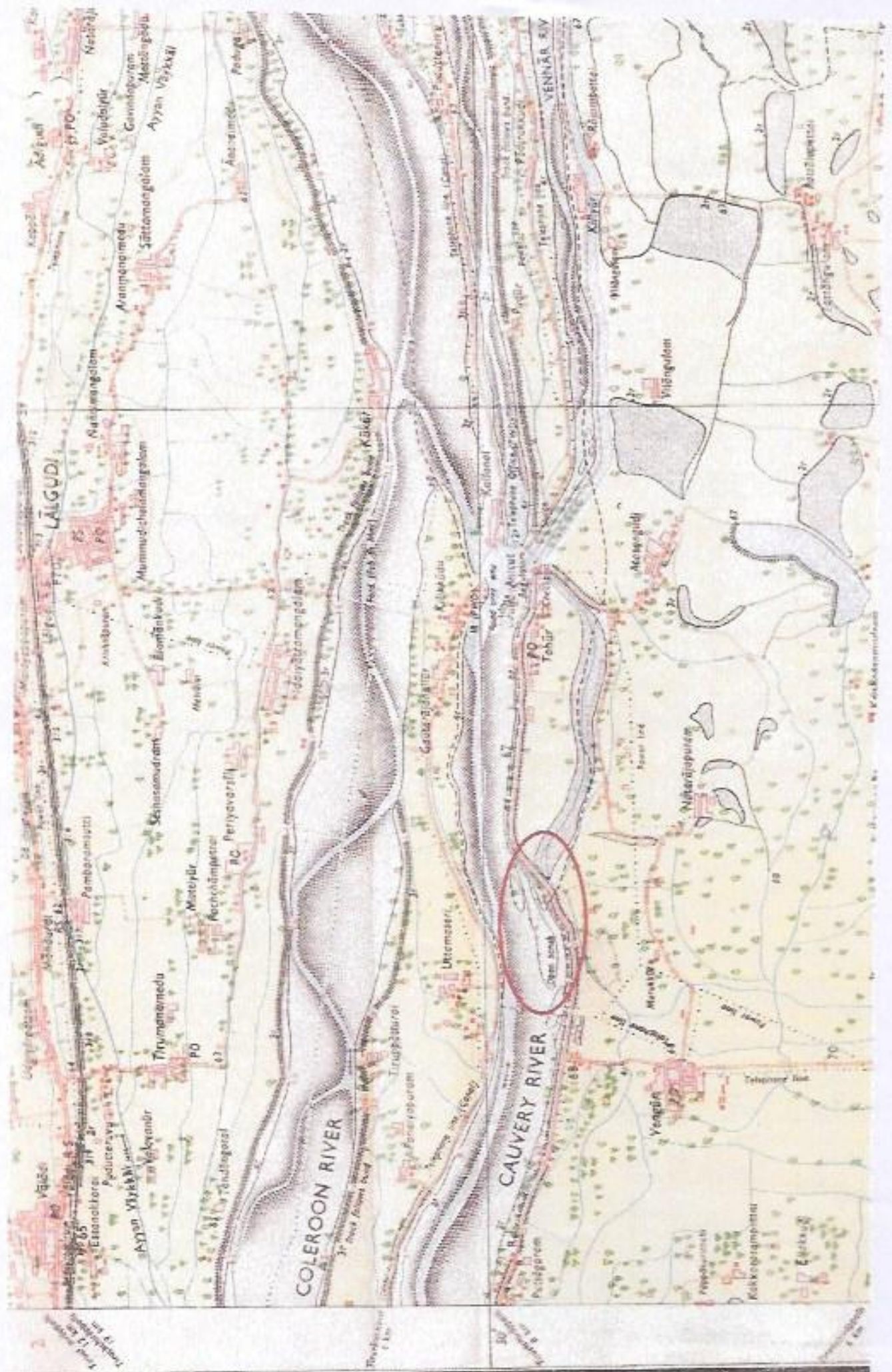
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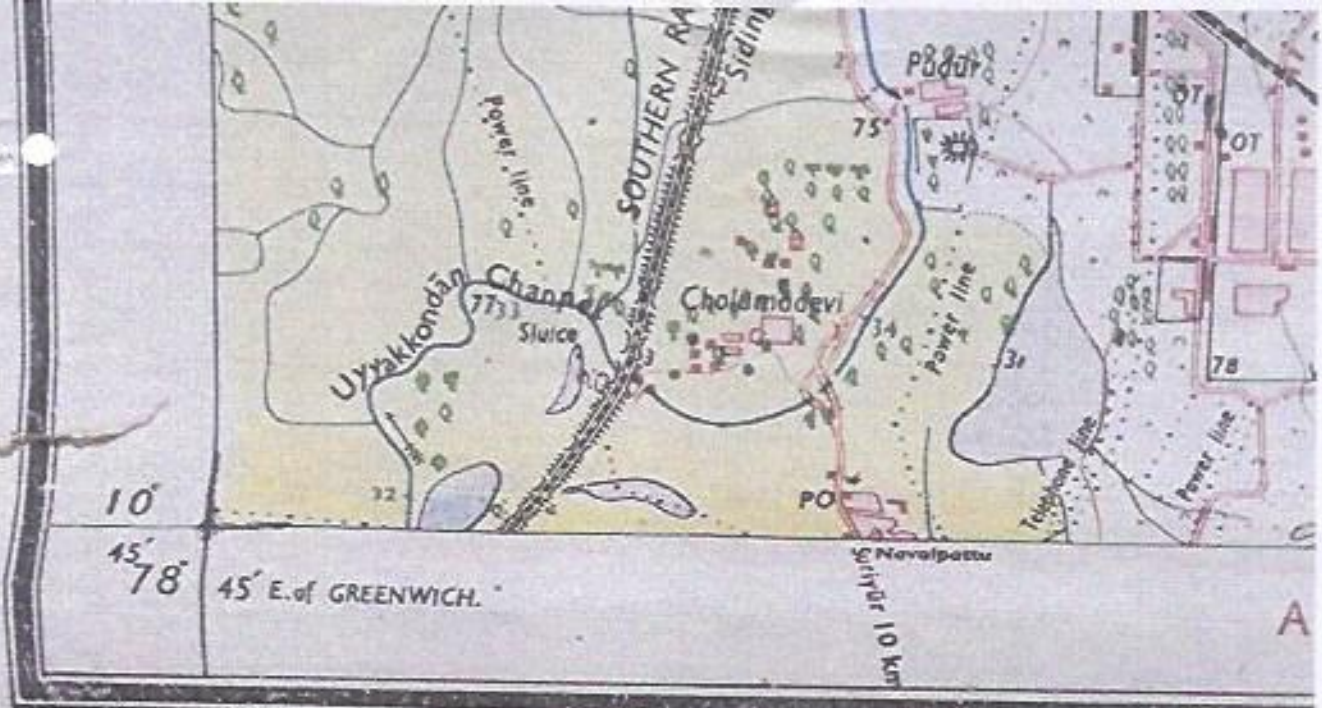


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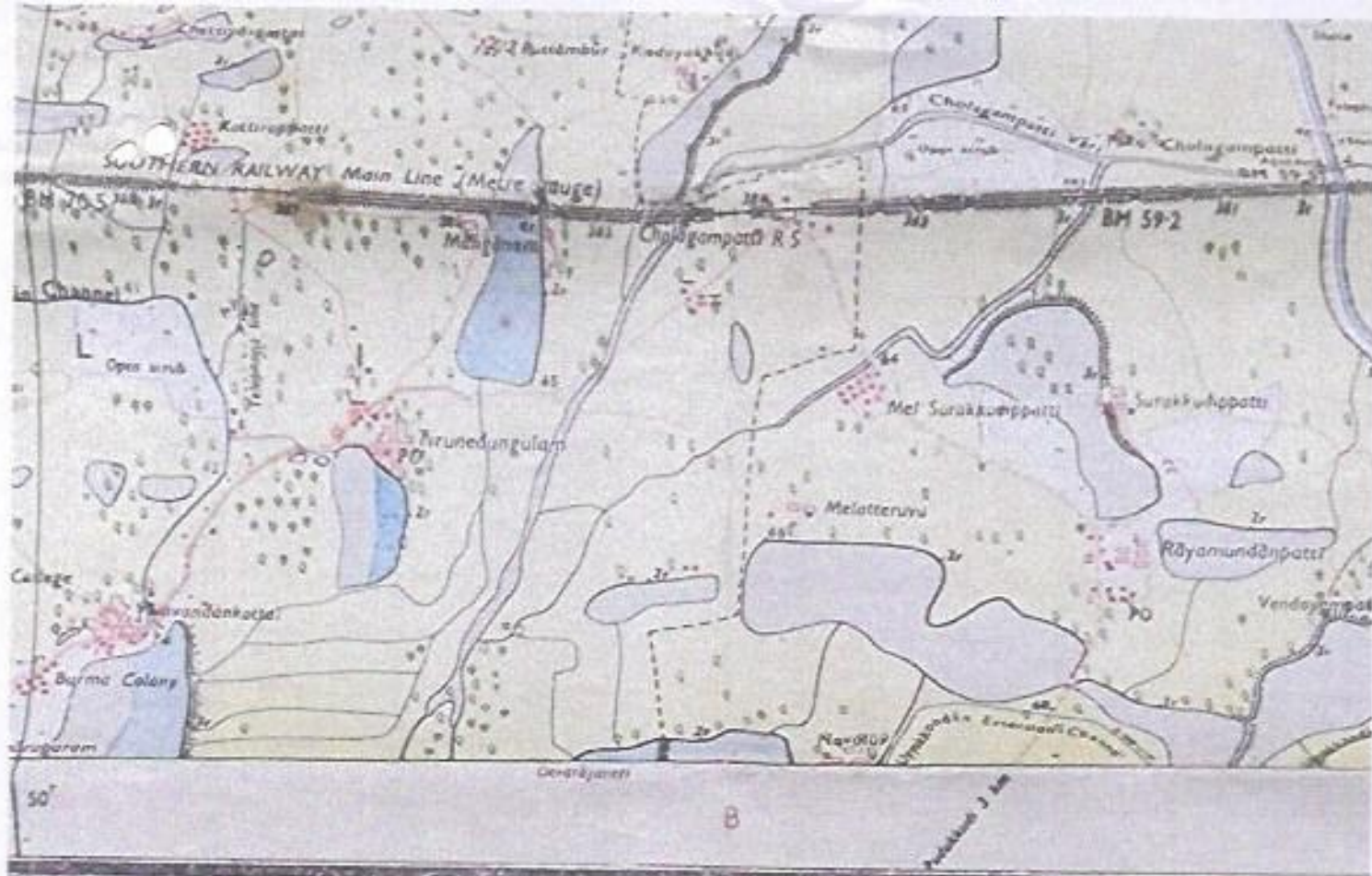
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Roads, metalled: according to importance: distance stone		20
unmetalled do do : bridge		
Cart-track, Pack-track and pass, Foot-path with bridge		
Bridges: with piers; without Causeway, Ford or Ferry		
Streams: with track in bed; undefined Canal		
Dams: masonry or rock-filled; earthwork Weir		
River banks: shelving; steep, 3 to 6 metres; over 6 metres		4r 7r 16r
dry with water channel: with island & rocks; Tidal river		
Submerged rocks, Shoal, Swamp, Reeds		
Wells: lined, unlined, Tube-well, Spring, Tanks: perennial; dry		
Embankments: road or rail; tank, Broken ground		4r
Railways: broad gauge: double; single with station; under constr.		20 RS
other gauges: do : do. with distance stone; do		
Mineral line or tramway, Telegraph line, Cutting with tunnel		
Contours with sub-features, Rocky slopes, Cliffs		
Sand features: (1) flat/2) sand-hills and dunes (surveyed) (3) shifting dunes		

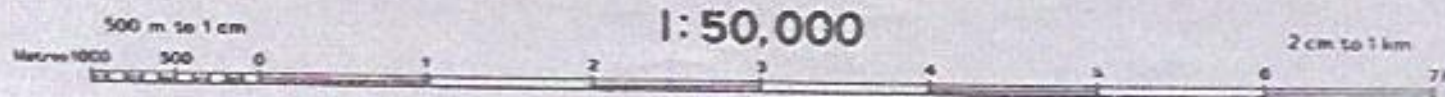
1st Edition 1970.
 (Previous Edition on 1-inch scale: 1st. 1930).

REFER TO THIS MAP AS :- 1:50,000
 SHEET 58 J/13 FIRST EDITION

INDIA



Published under the direction of the Surveyor General of India
1970.



HEIGHTS & CONTOURS IN METRES
CONTOUR INTERVAL 20 METRES

Water features are shown in blue where they generally contain water.

Cultivated areas are coloured yellow.

*The exterior boundaries of areas of Reserved or Protected Forests are shown by green ribands.

Contours are approximate.

A relative height, *hr*, represents the approximate height, in metres, between the top and bottom of a steep slope.

Wooded areas are coloured green. Scattered trees and other vegetation are in green, but prominent surveyed trees are in black.

*Not applicable.

The kilometre stone numbers along canals, roads and railways are shown in slant type, e.g. '5' whereas milestone numbers are shown in upright type, e.g. '5'.

Canal distance stones along the Grand Anicut Canal are 10,000 feet apart.

A relative height, e.g. *hr* marked along a canal, indicates the height of the top of the canal embankment above the adjacent country.

The triangulated heights and contours in this sheet have not been adjusted to the heights of the spirit-levelled bench-marks and may not be strictly in accordance with them.

Features shown in the Cauvery and Coleroon Rivers are liable to variation depending on the supply of water from Bhairavdiger and Stanley Reservoirs.

Most of the unmetalled roads are motorable and cart-tracks are impassable in dry season.

Tanks, shown dry in this area, usually contain water from September to February.

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