

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS, SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (Sec.II) DEPARTMENT

Letter No.397/Section. II/2022/1660611

Dated:27.09.2022

From
The Special Secretary to Government,
E.F.S&T Department,
A.P. Secretariat, Velagapudi,
Amaravati-522503.

To
The Inspector General of Forests (Central)
Government of India,
Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change
Integrated Regional Office, Vijayawada,
Green House Complex, Gopal Reddy Road,
Vijayawada-520010 (w.e)

Sir,

Sub: EFS&T Dept. – Diversion of 5.27 ha of forest land compartment no.395 & 396 of Bolagonda RF and compartment no. 750 of Tadepalli PF in Kakinada Division for formation of road from Pandirimamidi to Chavitidibbalu road in favour of EE,(R&B), Rajamahendravaram – Clearance under Section-2 of F(C) Act, 1980 - Additional information submission of - Reg.

Ref: 1)From the PCCF&HoFF, A.P., Lr.Ref.No.EFS02-15034/19/2019-FCA-SEC PCCF/FCA-3, Dated.07.02 2022.
2)State Govt.Lr.No.397/Sec.II/2022, EFS&T(Sec.II) Dept., dt.08.04.2022.
3)From the IGF(Central), GoI, MoEF&CC, IRO, Vijayawada,Lr.F.No.4-APC160/2022-VIJ/320, dt.03.05.2022.
4)From the PCCF & HoFF, A.P., Lr.Rc.no.EFS02-15034/19/2018/FCA SEC -PCCF/FCA-3, Dated:14.09.2022.

With reference to your letter 3rd cited, I am to inform that in the reference 4th cited the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force, Andhra Pradesh, Guntur, has furnished the following additional information and requested to consider and forward it to the Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Integrated Regional Office, Vijayawada for taking necessary action under the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980. The details of information are as follows:

Sl. No.	Addl.information sought by GoI, MoEF&CC	Information furnished by PCCF & HoFF										
1.	Correct Kml file of the Forest area proposed for diversion shall be uploaded	The User Agency has uploaded correct KML file of the area proposed for diversion.										
2.	Legal status of the existing road with supporting documents	<p>The existing road is passing through Bolagonda RF and Tadepalli PF. Further, as informed by the Project Officer (FAC), ITDA, Rampachodavaram in Lr.no. ITDA/R&B Road Works/ Pandirimamidi to Chavitidibbala road dt.nil had informed that the existing road was laid by the Panchayat Raj Department in the year 1977. The details of the area proposed for diversion is as follows:</p> <table><tr><th>Name of the RF</th><th>Compt No.</th><th>Length (in m.)</th><th>Width (in m)</th><th>Area required (in ha.)</th></tr><tr><td>Bolagonda RF</td><td>395 396</td><td>2398</td><td>5.34 (9.00-3.66)</td><td>1.280</td></tr></table>	Name of the RF	Compt No.	Length (in m.)	Width (in m)	Area required (in ha.)	Bolagonda RF	395 396	2398	5.34 (9.00-3.66)	1.280
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	<p>along the foot path from Medicherla to a point where it meet Velamalakota RF and thence to Denduluru, Nurupudi to a point where it meets Maredumilli south Extension-I RF along the existing foot path”.</p> <p>The proposed road for an extent of 3.99 ha (7.471 km length and 5.34 m width) is covered by foot path to Siripuram and thence to Medicherla viz., Vadapalli, Gunjugudem and Immidivaram.</p> <p>The proposed road is covered in Survey of India topo sheet no.65 G/15 and 65 G/14. Copy of the notification and map is enclosed.</p> <p>Further, it is submitted that, the road passes through the following villages viz., Immidivaram, Gunjududem, Vadapalli and Narsapuram villages. As per the village maps/FMB (Field Measurement Book) furnished, the following are the details of year of the villages maps. Copy of the village maps are enclosed.</p> <table><tr><th>Sl. no.</th><th>Road Stretch</th><th>Map of the village furnished</th><th>Year of the village map</th></tr><tr><td>1.</td><td>Bhimavaram to Immidivaram</td><td>Immidivaram</td><td>1971</td></tr><tr><td>2.</td><td>Immidivaram to Gunjududem</td><td>Gunjududem</td><td>1971</td></tr><tr><td>3.</td><td>Gunjududem to Vadapalli</td><td>Vadapalli</td><td>1970 1971</td></tr><tr><td>4.</td><td>Vadapalli to Narsapuram</td><td>Narsapuram</td><td>1972</td></tr></table> <p>As per the above details, it is construed that the subject road was in existence prior to 1980. Supporting documents are enclosed.</p>	Sl. no.	Road Stretch	Map of the village furnished	Year of the village map	1.	Bhimavaram to Immidivaram	Immidivaram	1971	2.	Immidivaram to Gunjududem	Gunjududem	1971	3.	Gunjududem to Vadapalli	Vadapalli	1970 1971	4.	Vadapalli to Narsapuram	Narsapuram	1972
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2. I request you to consider the above additional information and obtain and communicate the approval of the Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, for diversion of 5.27 ha forest land compartment no.395 &396 of Bolagonda RF and compartment no.750 of Tadepalli PF in Kakinada Division for formation of road from Pandirimamidi to Chavitidibbalu road in favour of Exeucutive Engineer, R&B Division, Rajamahendravararam, at the earliest.

Yours faithfully,

for Special Secretary to Government

Copy to:

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force,
Andhra Pradesh, Guntur.

The Executive Engineer, R&B Division, Rajamahendravararam.