

TAMIL NADU FOREST DEPARTMENT

From

Thiru. Sumesh Soman, I.F.S.,
District Forest Officer,
Cuddalore Forest Division,
Old Collector Office, 1st Floor,
Manjakuppam, Cuddalore.

To

The Principal Chief Conservator
of Forests, (Head of Department),
Chennai.
(Through the Chief Conservator of
Forests, Villupuram).

C.No.1151/2022/D, Dated : 26.06.2023.

Sir,

Sub : Permission - The proposed for Temporary diversion road of 0.091 Ha for construction of minor Bridge 6/4 Km in Pudupettai – Oraiyur – Karumbur - Paithampady across Malattar River- Cuddalore Range in Thiruthuraiyur RF - Permission requested – Reg.

- Ref :**
1. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, (Head of Department), Chennai
Ref.No.TS3/12645/2020 Dt:05.04.2023
 2. Divisional Engineer, Highways , Cuddalore.
C.No.344/2022-23/JDO-2, dated: 23.06.2023.
 3. District Forest Officer, Cuddalore Forest Division, Cudaalore,
C.No.1151/2022/D, dated.27.06.2023.

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I submit that the details called by the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Chennai in the reference cited is as below

Sl. No	Quires raised by Additional Chief Secretary to Government, Environment, Climate Change & Forests (FR.10) Department, secretariat, Chennai.	Reply
1	Any proposal submitted under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 shall have a comprehensive schemes for Compensatory Afforestation, duly approved by the competent authority. Hence, state the reason for non submission of Compensatory Afforestation Scheme for the subject proposal.	The user agency remarks in the reference 2nd cited is as follows. Request only temporary diversion road for a period of 1 year. After completion of the Bridge Construction, the temporary diversion road area will be handed over to the Forest Department, After reclaiming that area to the original state, Hence Compensatory afforestation not required in this regard.

2	The District Forest Officer, Cuddalore Division has reported that Spotted deer, Wild pig, Reptiles species are present in and around the forest land proposed for diversion. Hence, whether the movement of vehicles in the proposed diversion road will have any impact on the wildlife, if diversion road is provided in the said Reserved Forest area.	<p>Instruction sent to the user agency in the 3rd reference cited is as follows</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The vehicle speed limit should be within 40 Kms/hour 2. The awareness caution board should be erected in the Reserved Forest area. 3. Speed breakers should be laid in animal crossing areas.
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Yours Faithfully,

District Forest Officer,
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I enclose herewith the letter of Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Chennai to follow the below conditions

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