GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH FOREST DEPARTMENT

From
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To
The Special Chief Secretary to Government,
Environment, Forests, Science
and Technology Department,
Andhra Pradesh Secretariat
Velagapudi, Guntur District.

Rc.no.EFS02-15034/11/2019/FCA SEC-PCCF/FCA-3, Dated: 06.03.2022.

Sir,

Sub:- APFD - F (C) Act, 1980 - Diversion of 1.42 ha of forest land in compartment no.1241,1242 & 1581 of Dharakonda RF and Lammasingi -I RF, Narsipatnam Division for formation of road from Lamasingi to Gadigoyyi road in favour of EE, PIU(PR)Division, Visakhapatnam - CA land details called for - Submitted - Clearance under Section-2 of Forest(Conservation) Act, 1980 - Requested - Reg.

Ref:- 1. Online proposal no. FP/AP/ROAD/39129/2019, dated: 25.02.2019.

- PCCF & HoFF, A.P, Guntur Rc.no. EFS02 -15034/11/2019-FCA- SEC PCCF/FCA-3, dated:29.02.2020 & 30.12.2020
- GoAP Memo no.961/Sec.II/2021, EFS&T (Sec.II) Dept., dated: 03.05.2021.
- PCCF & HoFF, A.P, Guntur Rc. no.EFS02-15034/62/2020- FCA SEC- PCCF /FCA-3, dated:27.06.2021.
- CCF, Visakhapatnam Rc. no. 4701/2020/TO, dated: 25.02.2022.

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It is submitted that, in the reference 3rd cited, the Government have stated that, para 4.4 of Chapter-4 of comprehensive guidelines issued by GoI, MoEF &CC, New Delhi in F. no. 5-2/2017-FC, dated: 28.03.2019 related to General approval for public infrastructure projects in LWE Districts has expired on 31.12.2020. Therefore, exemption of provision of CA for such projects is not applicable presently and requested that non-forest area for compensatory Afforestation may be identified and the details of the same may be submitted including map, DGPS co-ordinates, KML file, CA scheme, site suitability certificate etc., for further consideration of the proposals.

In view of the above, the Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj(PIU) Division, Paderu has identified Non-Forest Land over an extent of 25.52 ha in Sy. no. 418-P of Kommika (V), Koyyuru Mandal, Visakhapatnam District for all the following (9) road proposals which includes the present proposal for CA purpose to have single patch and to enable the Forest Department to effectively manage the newly planted area. The Divisional Forest Officer, Narsipatnam has inspected non-forest land offered for CA purpose on 14.02.2022 and submitted CA Scheme proposals.

SI. no.	Name of the Road Proposal	Forest area proposed for diversion (in ha)	CA land identified in Sy. no. 418-P of Kommika (V), Koyyuru (M), Visakhapatnam District as single patch (in ha).
1	Gompam to Bobbampadu	2.21	2.210
2	Pachinapalli road to Sampangiputtu	1.68	1.680
3	Yerrabanda to Block boundary (Yerrabanda to Sarabannapalem)	5.92	5.920

Total		25.52	25.52	
9	•	Lambasingi to Gadigoyye	1.42	1.420
8	3	Nimmalapadu – Bongija road to Lungaparthi	1.54	1.540
7	7	Munagarapalli to Vanchula	2.34	2.340
6	5	Nerellabanda to Sagulu via Yerracheruvulu	1.23	1.230
5	5	Paderu Waddadi R &B road to Konam via Poolabanda	2.65	2.650
. 4	1	Sapparla to Gollapalli	6.53	6.530

Accordingly, the Chief Conservator of Forests, Visakhapatnam Circle, Visakhapatnam in the reference 5th cited (copy enclosed) has submitted CA *Scheme proposals to 25.52 ha {single patch involving (9) projects} with a financial outlay of Rs.124.77 lakh. Out of (9) projects, the CA scheme for the subject proposal of 1.42 ha, arrived on proportionate basis is Rs.6.94 commencing from 2022-23 to 2033-34 with 10 years maintenance in the non-forest land identified by the User Agency in Sy. no. 418-P of Kommika (V), Koyyuru (M), Visakhapatnam District for Compensatory Afforestation. The CA Scheme, map, Site Inspection report and other related certificates are submitted herewith.

The Government are requested to take necessary action for onward submission of the proposal to the Government of India, MoEF & CC, IRO, Vijayawada to accord clearance under Section-2 of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and amendments therein.

Encl:- As above

Yours faithfully, Sd/- N. Prateep Kumar Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force

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