

**Deputy Conservator of Forests Office**  
**Ramakrishna Nagar,**  
**Kunigal Main Road,**  
**Tumkur - 572105**

**Govt of Karnataka**



**Forest Department**



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No: A5/Land/FC/CR-135/2018-19

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Date: 24-06-2020

To, ✓  
Chief Conservator of Forests,  
Hassan Circle, Hassan.

Sir,

Sub: Diversion of 14.017 ha. of forest land in Sy. No. 69 of Seebi village, Sy. No. 11 & 15 of Chikkaseebi village, Sy. No. 36 of Seebi Agrahara village, Sira Taluk and Sy. No. 9, 27 & 28 of Thimmarajanhalli village, Tumkur Taluk and Tumkur District for laying new Broad Gauge line between Tumakuru and Davangere via Sira, Hiriyur and Chitradurga in favour of Deputy Chief Engineer, North-II, Construction, South Western Railway. Submission of wildlife Mitigation Plan-reg.

- Ref:1. Online application No. FP/KA/RAIL/22897/2016,dtd:8-12-2016.
2. Letter No. W.338/TK-CTA-DVG/NL/CN.BN/Forest, dated: 19-09-2018 from Deputy Chief Engineer/North-II/Construction South Western Railway, Bengaluru Cantonment.
  3. Letter No. ACF/TMK/Plantation/2018-19/333,dated:11-12-2018 from Assistant Conservator of Forest, Tumakuru Sub-division, Tumakuru.
  4. Letter No. ACF/Sira/Viva-146/2018-19, dated: 14-11-2018 from Assistant Conservator of Forest, Madhugiri Sub-division, Madhugiri.
  5. This office letter even no. dated: 28-12-2018 & 29-04-2019.
  6. Letter No. W.271/TK-DVG/CN/North/BNC, dated:02.01.2020 from Chief Engineer/North-II/Construction South Western Railway, Bengaluru Cantonment.
  7. Your office letter no. 338/TK-CTA-DVG/NL/CN/BNC/Forest, dated: 08-06-2020.
  8. This office letter even no. dated: 17-06-2020.
  9. Letter No. W.338/TK-CTA-DVG/NL/CN.BN/Forest, dated: 19-06-2020 from Deputy Chief Engineer/North-II/Construction South Western Railway, Bengaluru Cantonment.

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With the reference to the above, The Deputy Chief Engineer/North-II/Construction South Western Railway, Bengaluru has submitted compliance report raised by the Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Forest Conservation) and Nodal Officer (FCA) Bengaluru. And the details as below.

Sl. No.	Observation	Reply														
1	An assessment of requirement of the forest land in the districts of Chitradurga and Davangere	<p>The user Agency has assessed the Forest area in Chitradurga and Davangere district and same is uploaded in portal vide proposal No. FP/KA/RAIL/44080/2020.</p> <p><b>Extent of Forest Land</b></p> <table> <tr> <th>District</th><th>Village</th><th>Area (Ha.)</th></tr> <tr> <td>Chitradurga</td><td>Somerahalli</td><td>3.323</td></tr> <tr> <td rowspan="2">Davangere</td><td>Anagodu</td><td>1.720</td></tr> <tr> <td>Hunasikatte</td><td>1.810</td></tr> <tr> <td colspan="2"><b>Total</b></td><td><b>6.853</b></td></tr> </table>	District	Village	Area (Ha.)	Chitradurga	Somerahalli	3.323	Davangere	Anagodu	1.720	Hunasikatte	1.810	<b>Total</b>		<b>6.853</b>
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2	Undertaking that user agency will be able to execute the project through alternative alignment avoiding forest land, if any proposal for diversion of forest land in these districts are declined under the provisions of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.	The user Agency has submitted the undertaking letter as required same is enclosed as Annexure-I														
3	Copy of the Wildlife Mitigation plan as approved by the Chief wildlife warden.	The user Agency has submitted the 8 sets of Wild life mitigation plan approved by the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, (wildlife) and Chief Wildlife Warden, Bangalore vide letter No. KFD/ WL/Land(LND)/60/2019 Dated: 30-05-2020 same is enclosed as Annexure-II.														

In view of above it is requested to move the Govt. of India for Stage-I approval under section 2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.

Your's Faithfully.

Deputy Conservator of Forests,  
Tumakuru Division, Tumakuru.

