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Karnataka Government Secretariat Multistoried Buildings, Bengaluru, Date:31.05.2025.

From:

The Additional Chief Secretary to Government,

Forest, Ecology and Environment Department, Bengaluru-560001.

To:

The Deputy Director General of Forests (Central),

Integrated Regional Office, KendriyaSadan, 4th Floor, E&F Wings,

17th Main, Koramangala, Bengaluru.

Sir,

Sub: Diversion of 1.1594 hectare of forest land in 12 villages in Shivamogga District (Shivamogga Wildlife Division) for laying of Underground OFC Cable within the existing RoW from Biligalluru to Nagavalli in favour of DGM, Jio Digital Fiber Private Limited, Bengaluru.

Proposal No.: FP/ KA/OFC/144741/2021

Ref: 1. MOEF Letter No: 4-KRB 1492/2024-BAN, dated:18.11.2024.

2. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Bengaluru's letter No: KFD/ HoFF/ A52K(GFL)/ 23/ 2021-FC, Dated:21.05.2025.

With reference to the above subject, I am directed to invite your kind attention to letter vide referred at (1) above and forwarding herewith the copy of letter vide referred at (2) above along with enclosures submitted by the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Bengaluru for further necessary action.

Hence it is requested, to accord In-Principle (Stage-I) approval under V(SES) Adhiniyam, 1980 to the above said proposal.

Yours faithfully

B. Miller

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Under Secretary to Government
Forest, Ecology and Environment Department
(Forest-C and Co-Ordination)

Copy to:

1. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Aranya Bhavana, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru.

2. Deputy General Manager, Jio Digital Fibre Private Limited, No.51, RMZ Icon, Palace Cross Road, Vasanth Nagar, Bengaluru- 560052.

3. SGF/Spare Copies.