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To *Memo No - 1313 / 4F-41 / 2024*
Dated, BBSR, the 10th April, 2024
The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests,
Forest Diversion & Nodal Officer, FC Act,
O/o the PCCF & HoFF, Odisha, Bhubaneswar.

Sub: - **Diversion of 23.983 ha. of Revenue Forest land for Construction of 220 KV LILO Line from Existing 220 KV of Bhajanagar-Meramundali DC Line to 220/33 KV Grid Substation at Daspalla from Village Madhyakhanda to Gopalpur by Odisha Power Transmission Corporation LTD. (OPTCL) in Daspalla Tahasil under Nayagarh Forest Division of Nayagarh District, Odisha. (Proposal No.FP/OR/TRANS/146005/2021 & State Serial No.OR/-074/2021 date.17.09.2021).**

Ref: - (I) Your Memo No. 19754 dt.04.10.2023.
(II) Memo No. 1804 dt.22.02.2024 of DFO, Nayagarh Forest Division.

In inviting a reference to the above cited correspondence on the captioned subject, it is inform you that the Divisional Forest Officer, Nayagarh Forest Division has complied the observations pointed out in respect of **Point (1) & (2)** vide GoI letter No. 5-ORC562/2023-BHU of dt.19.09.2023 of Deputy Inspector General of Forests (C), GoI, MoEF & CC, RO, Bhubaneswar and has furnished the required compliance along with the required documents directly to the Deputy Inspector General of Forests (C), GoI, MoEF & CC, RO, Bhubaneswar for diversion of 23.983 ha. of Revenue forest land for Construction of 220 KV LILO Line from Existing 220 KV of Bhajanagar-Meramundali DC Line to 220/33 KV Grid Substation at Daspalla from Village Madhyakhanda to Gopalpur by Odisha Power Transmission Corporation LTD. (OPTCL) in Daspalla Tahasil under Nayagarh Forest Division of Nayagarh District, Odisha.


However, the required Compliance report of the user agency duly forwarded by DFO, Nayagarh Forest Division is enclosed herewith for your kind perusal and further needful action at your end.

Enclosed- As above.

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Regional Chief Conservator of Forests,
Bhubaneswar Circle

Memo No. 1314 dt. 10.04.2024

Copy forwarded to the DFO, Nayagarh Forest Division for information with reference to his Memo No. 1804 dt. 22.02.2024.

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**Regional Chief Conservator of Forests,
Bhubaneswar Circle**

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OFFICE OF THE DIVISIONAL FOREST OFFICER, NAYAGARH FOREST DIVISION, NAYAGARH
Tel.No-06753- 252226 (Fax) E-mail dfo_nayagarh@Odisha.gov.in

Memo No. 2583 /4F- /2024
Dated, Nayagarh, the 19th Mar., 2024.

To The Dy. Inspector General of Forests (C),
Forest & Environment Forests & Climate Change Regional Office, Bhubaneswar.

Sub:- Diversion of 23.983ha of Revenue Forest land for construction 220 KV Lilo Line from Existing 220 KV of Bhanjangan-Meramundali DC Line to 220/33 KV Grid Substation at Daspalla from village Madhyakhanda to Gopalpur by M/s Odisha Power Transmission Corporation LTD. (OPTCL) in Daspalla Tahasil under Nayagarh District.

Ref:- Letter No. 20425 /FE&CC dtd. 27.09.2023 of OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Govt
This office Memo No. 1803 dtd. 22.02.2024.

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In continuation to this office memo no cited above under reference, compliance to the objection raised vide letter No.5-ORC562/2023-BHU dtd. 19.09.2023.

(1) Dy. General Manager (Elect), EHT (Construction) Division, OPTCL, Sanakushathali was called for an explanation for violation of Forest Conservation Act, vide this office letter No. 6705 dtd. 25.8.2023.

Tahasildar, Daspalla was requested to book case under OPLE Act as the area is a Revenue Forest Land. Accordingly, as communicated vide letter No. 748 dtd. 13.02.2024 of Tahasildar, Daspalla. He has booked cases under OPLE Act against 14 sites out of 18 Nos. sites listed (Copy enclosed) 4 nos of sites are coming under private plot.

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(2) The land selected for Compensatory Afforestation is encroachment free and encumbrance free land as certified by Tahasildar, Khandapada (Copy enclosed)

[Signature]
Divisional Forest Officer,
Nayagarh Division.

Memo No. 2584 dt. 19-03-2024

Copy forwarded to the Dy. Conservator of Forests (Nodal), O/o the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & HoFF, Odisha, Bhubaneswar for favour of kind information & necessary action with reference to this office memo No.1804 dtd. 22.02.2024.




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Divisional Forest Officer,
Nayagarh Division
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✓ Memo No. 2585 dt. 19 03 2024

Copy forwarded to the Regional Chief Conservator of Forests, Bhubaneswar for favour of kind information & necessary action with reference to this office memo No. 1805 dtd. 22.02.2024.

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Divisional Forest Officer,
Nayagarh Division

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Memo No. 2586 dt. 19.03.2024

Copy forwarded to the Dy. General Manager (Elect), EHT (Construction) Division, OPTCL, Sanakushathali, PO, Badakushathali, Berhampur-760007, Odisha for information & necessary action with reference to this office memo No. 1806 dtd. 22.02.2024.


Divisional Forest Officer,
Nayagarh Division

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OFFICE OF THE DIVISIONAL FOREST OFFICER: NAYAGARH FOREST DIVISION

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Letter No.6705 Dated.25.8.23

To

The Dy General Manager(Elect),EHT Division,
OPTCL,Sanakushathali,
PO: Gadakusathali,Berhampur-760007

Sub: Proposal for diversion of 23.983 ha of Revenue forest land for construction of 220KV LILLO from existing 220 KV Bhanjanagar-Meramunadli DC line to 220/33KV Grid Station at Daspalla from village Madhyakhanda to Gopalpur by M/S OPTCL under Daspalla tahsil of Nayagarh district under Nayagarh Forest Division of Nayagarh District

Sir,

On dated.23.08.2023, while the undersigned was on tour to Gania Range for inspection of waterbody in Makarprasad RF, it was found that one tower was installed in Khesara Forest area with GPS reading N 20.413462, E 84.831998 without issue of work order from competent authority which violates the provision of FCA, 1980.

During the site inspection, you have not shown the undersigned entire sites proposed for installation of tower and only taken to those areas where there was no tower proposed. Being Khesara forest it is difficult for the undersigned to find out the exact land status during site inspection. You have also mentioned that there is no tower installed in any forest area. This shows you have intentionally and knowingly misled the forest department, about the violation of Forest Conservation Act, 1980 done by you.

Hence, you are hereby asked to explain why necessary action will not be initiated against you for violation of Forest Conservation Act, 1980.

Yours sincerely,

K. Sarangi
Divisional Forest Officer
Nayagarh Division

Memo No. 6706 Date 25.8.23

Copy to ACF, I/C Gania Range for information and necessary action.

K. Sarangi
Divisional Forest Officer
Nayagarh Division

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OFFICE OF THE DIVISIONAL FOREST OFFICER, NAYAGARH FOREST DIVISION, NAYAGARH.
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Memo No. 71 /4E /2023
Dated, Nayagarh the 5 Dec, 2023

To

The Tahasildars,
Daspalla & Gania Tahasil.

Subj:- Proposal for diversion of 23.983 ha. of revenue forest land for construction of 220 KV Lilo from existing 220 KV of Bhanjanagar-Meramundali DC line to 220/33 KV Grid Sub-Station at Daspalla from village Madhyakhanda to Gopalpur by M's OPTCL under Daspalla Tahasil of Nayagarh district under Nayagarh Forest Division of Nayagarh District, Odisha.

Ref:- Letter No. 6705 dtd 25.08.2023 of this office to Dy. GM (Elect.) OPTCL, EHT (Construction) Division, Berhampur.

Sir,

With reference to the above cited letter on the captioned subject, it is being brought to your attention that, as per the guidelines of Ministry of Environment forest & Climate Change Govt. Of India letter No. U. 42/2017-FC dated 29.01.2018 "in case where the proposal under FC act, 1980 has not been submitted and Forest land has diverted without FC Act in the state will be dealt under the provision of India Forest Act, 1927 or State Forest Act or any other state Act dealing with such land"

During the site inspection of the undersigned to Gania Range on 23.8.23 violation has been noticed by OPTCL (as they have constructed towers on revenue forest land) in which they have been noticed vide letter no 6705 dated 25.8.23. The fact was also reported from the IRO office, Bhubaneswar regarding erection of 18 no of towers over forest land (status revenue forest).

As the violation report belongs to Revenue Forest (List enclosed herewith for your information and necessary action),you are requested to take necessary action against the erring officials under OPLE Act or any other act in force at the point of time and submit action taken report to this office for record and communication to high quarter.

Yours faithfully,


Divisional forest officer
Nayagarh division.

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Memo No. 72 dtd 5. 1. 24

Copy forwarded to the Conservator of Forests (Nodal) O/o the principal Chief Conservator of Forests, HoFF, Odisha, Bhubaneswar for favour of kind information and necessary action.


Divisional forest Officer,
Nayagarh division

Memo No. 73 dtd 5. 1. 24

Copy forwarded to the Regional Chief Conservator of Forests, Bhubaneswar for favour of kind information and necessary action.


Divisional forest Officer,
Nayagarh division.

Memo No. 74 dtd 5. 1. 24

Copy forwarded to the DyGM, Electrical, OPTCL, Berhampur for information and necessary action.


Divisional forest Officer,
Nayagarh division.

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OFFICE OF THE TAHASILDAR, KHANDAPADA, DIST-NAYAGARH

Letter No 685 / Dtd 16/2/24

To,

The Divisional Forest Officer, Nayagarh Division.

Sub:- Regarding submission of Non encroachment and Non-encumbrance certificate

Ref:- Letter No 7390/4F-356/2023 dtd 27.09.2023 of Office of the DFO, Nayagarh.

Sir,

With reference to the subject cited above, I am to intimate that an area of Ac 12.210 ha under Khata No 182, plot No 761 under Mouza-Nuagaon identified for compensatory Afforestation against 220 KV LLEO from existing 220 KV of Bhanjanagar- meramundali DC line to 220/33 KV Grid Sub-station at Daspalla project is encroachment as well as encumbrance free land.

This is for favour of your information and necessary action.

Enclosure:-

Original Report of Revenue Supervisor, Khandapada

Yours faithfully

Memo No 686 Dt 16/2/24

Copy submitted to the Sub-Collector, Nayagarh for favour of kind information and necessary action.

Tahasildar, Khandapada
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KHANDAPARA

Memo No 687 Dt 16/2/24

Copy forwarded to the Range Officer, Khandapada for favour of kind information and necessary action.

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OFFICE OF THE TAHASILDAR, DASPALLA

No. 748 Date 13/02/2024

To

The Divisional Forest Officer,
Nayagarh

Sub: Regarding illegal diversion of 23.983 ha of revenue forest land for construction of 220 KV Lilo line from Madhyakhanda to Gopalpur.

Ref: Letter No.41/4F/2023 dtd. 05.01.2024

Sir,

In inviting a reference to the letter on the subject cited above, I am to say as per list supplied the Khata and plots have been verified by our field functionaries and the report is detailed below

Sl.No	(Encroachment) Case No	Land Schedule				
		Mouza	Khata No	Plot No	Total Area in Ac.	Area encroached in acre
1	06/2023-24	Sriram Chandrapur	237	3	32.310	0.030
2	07/2023-24	Makar Prasad	214	227	20.85	0.030
3	08/2023-24	Guriabari	36	29	1.79	0.030
4	09/2023-24	Makar Prasad	214	181	24.25	0.030
5	10/2023-24	Makar Prasad	214	181	24.25	0.030
6	11/2023-24	Alapanga	21	108	31.06	0.030
7	14/2023-24	Rathipur	89	396	20.75	0.030
8	17/2023-24	Rathipur	89	643	62.31	0.030
9	18/2023-24	Rathipur	89	643	63.31	0.030
10	19/2023-24	Mardabadi	114	975	8.23	0.030
11	20/2023-24	Jamusahi	40	657	1.75	0.030
12	21/2023-24	Bidapaju	48	285	2.65	0.030
13	22/2023-24	Gopalpur	13	49/29	7.12	0.030
14	23/2023-24	Gopalpur	16	49	8.37	0.030
15		SriramChandrapur	106	51	These khata Plots are going under Private land.	
16		Ostia	10	538		
17		Ostia	9	73		
18		Mardabadi	14	1009		

This is for favour of your kind information and necessary action.

Yours Faithfully,

Smt. K. K. S.
13/2/24
Tahasildar, Daspalla

Memo No. 749 Date 13/02/2024

Copy submitted to G.M(Construction), OPTCL, Rayagada Circle for information and necessary action

Smt. K. K. S.
13/2/2024
Tahasildar, Daspalla