

TAMILNADU FOREST DEPARTMENT

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To
The Principal Chief Conservator of
Forest, (Forest Head Quarters),
Guindy, Vellacheri Main Road,
Near Kannigapuram Check Post,
Guindy, Chennai 600 032.
**(Through Conservator of forest,
Vellore Circle, Vellore.)**

Ref.No. 3725 /2023/D1, Date:12.12.2024

Sir,

Sub : Forest (Conservation) Act 1980 - Vellore Forest Circle/Vellore Forest Division - Proposal for diversion of 0.063 ha. of Forest land in Pallikonda R.F of Odugathur Range in Vellore Forest Division for laying underground Optical Fibre Communication (OFC) cable - Vellore to Odugathur Main Road - The Airtel (Telesonic Network Limited)-Reg.

- Ref 1 Online forest clearance Proposal No. FP/TN/OFC/154295/22 dt:10.04.2022
- 2 Principal Chief Conservator of Forests(HoFF), Chennai Ref. No.TS3/10787/2022 dt.17.03.2023 and 20.11.2024
3. The Conservator of Forest, Vellore Circle, Vellore Ref.No.4137/2019/D1 dt. 23.11.2024

I submit that the essential detail, as called for in the reference 2nd and 3rd cited above, are furnished as below.

Sl. No	Details called for	Details furnishing
a)	The User Agency, Telesonic Network Limited has proposed to lay the Underground Optical Fiber Cable along the state Highways Road, which passes through the Pallikonda Reserved Forest to a stretch of 1.050 Km., Hence, it may be clarified whether any forest land were already diverted to State Highways, if so send the details of earlier diversion.	a) The area requested for diversion of Forest Land for an area 0.063 ha. for laying underground OFC cable along the road side from Vellore to Odugathur road falls in Pallikonda Reserved Forest. The Vellore to Odugathur main road is a state highways road.


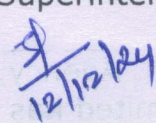
		b) No forest land has been diverted to the State Highways department in Vellore Forest Division.
b)	Whether the present proposal of Telesonic Network Limited for diversion of 0.063 ha. of Forest land in Pallikonda Reserved Forest may be considered under the category of Re-diversion, if the land was already diverted to state Highways Department.	a) The present proposal of Telesonic Network Limited for diversion of 0.063 ha. of Forest land in Pallikonda Reserved Forest considered under the category of fresh/new diversion

This is for kind submission.

Yours faithfully,
 Sd/-Guruswamy Dabbala,
 District Forest Officer,
 Vellore Division, Vellore-9.

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 for kind information.

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 Superintendent.


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a) The area requested for diversion of Forest land for an area 0.063 ha. for laying underground OFC cable along the road side from Vellore to Odugalur road falls in Pallikonda Reserved Forest. The Vellore to Odugalur main road is a state highways road.	The use of Telesonic Network Limited is proposed to lay the underground Optical fiber cable along the state highways road, which passes through the Pallikonda Reserved Forest to a stretch of 1.050 km. Hence it may be clarified whether any forest land was already diverted to State Highways. If so send the details of forest diversion.	6)