

OFFICE OF THE DIVISIONAL FOREST OFFICER, MALKANGIRI FOREST DIVISION,  
MALKANGIRI.

Memo No. 3570 /4F.(Misc.)-2018.  
Dated, Malkangiri the 08 th October, 2018.

To

The Deputy Conservator of Forests (Nodal),  
O/o the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests,  
Odisha, Bhubaneswar.

Sub: - Proposal for Diversion of Govt. lands for Construction of 220KV Balimela to Malkangiri DC Line by the OPTCL, EHT (Construction) Division, Jeypore (Proposal No. FP/OR/TRANS/20912/2016).

Ref: - 1. Your Memo No. 7039 dated 31.03.2018.  
2. Memo No. 13411 dated 12.06.2018 of the Special Secretary to Govt., Forest & Environment Department, Govt. of Odisha, Bhubaneswar.

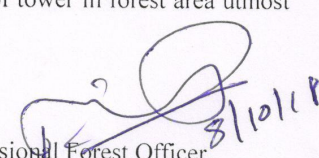
In inviting a kind reference to the memo on the captioned subject, it is to inform you that, the User Agency i.e. the Dy. General Manager (Elect.), EHT (Construction) Division, Jeypore has submitted the information/compliance sought for vide Letter No.5-ORC328/2017/BHU dated 15.5.2018 by the Govt. of India, MoEF & CC, ERO, Bhubaneswar vide his Letter No. 566(5) dated 04.10.2018, the original copy of the said letter alongwith it's enclosures are enclosed herewith for your kind perusal and necessary action.

Further, the Range Officer, Balimela asked the User Agency vide his Letter No. 31 dated 28.01.2018 regarding erection of pillars in the project area without any permission from the competent authority. In response to the letter of the Range Officer, Balimela the User agency submitted their compliance vide his Letter No. 01(03) dated 29.01.2018 in view of public agitation for reliable and quality power supply to LWE affected Malkangiri District, which could only be achieved by completion of the transmission line project. Further outbreak of the Japanese Encephalitis and death of infants in the district intensified the pressure of supplying reliable power to the hospitals for use of life saving devices which can only be achieved by completing the transmission line.

Further he has stated in the said letter that after recommendation the forest proposal by State Nodal Office and in anticipation of forest clearance the work in the forest area was commenced during the month of January, 2018 in an emergency basis. During erection of tower in forest area utmost care was taken not to touch any tree in forest area.

This is for favour of kind information and necessary action.

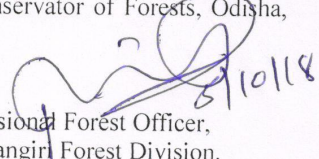
Encl: As above.

  
Divisional Forest Officer,  
Malkangiri Forest Division.

Memo No. 3571 /4F.

dated 08/10/2018

Copy forwarded to the Regional Chief Conservator of Forests, Koraput Circle, Koraput for favour of kind information and necessary action with reference to Memo No. 14295 dated 02.07.2018 of the Deputy Conservator of Forests (Nodal), O/o the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Odisha, Bhubaneswar.

  
Divisional Forest Officer,  
Malkangiri Forest Division.