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No:DFT:FCA:220KV:CR:36/2019-20

dated: 15-05-2025

To,

The Conservator of Forests,  
Chikkamagaluru circle,  
Chikkamagaluru.

Respected Sir,

Subject : Submission of compliance report to the EDS query raised regarding Proposal No: FP/KA/TRANS/42309/2019 related to Re-diversion and change in land use of 7.53 Ha forest land in Shivamogga and Koppa forest Divisions for 220 kV Transmission line work of Upper Bhadra Project, Package-1.

- Reference:
1. Forest Proposal No: FP/KA/TRANS/42309/2019
  2. Deputy Inspector General of Forests (Central), MoEF, Integrated Regional office, Kendriyasadana, Koramangala, Bengaluru office letter No: F.No.4 KRC1298/2021 BAN 172 dated: 30-06-2021
  3. The Government of Karnataka Notification No: APG 130 FAF 2024 dated 24-12-2024 issued by Under Secretary, Ministry of Forest Ecology and Environment.
  4. The Government of Karnataka Notification No: APG 130 FAF 2024 dated 24-12-2024 issued by Under Secretary, Ministry of Forest Ecology and Environment.
  5. The Executive Engineer, KNNL Upper Tunga Project Division, Shivamogga KNNL/UTP/Div/Smg/PG-2/2024-25/2664 Dated: 06-01-2025
  6. The Executive Engineer, VJNL, Upper Bhadra Project Division NO-02, B.R.Project letter No: VJNL/UBP/Division-02/BRP/PB/2022-23/1065 dated : 07-01-2025
  7. This office letter No. DFT:FCA:220KV/CR/36/2019-20 Dated:18.01.2025
  8. EDS raised by Regional Office, MoEFCC, Bangalore dated 22/04/2025.
  9. The Deputy Conservator of Forests, Shivamogga Division, Shivamogga office letter No: B4/Land/FC/GL-14451/2019-20(227) dated: 13-05-2025

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With reference to the above subject, stating that the condition number 2,4,9,10 and 14 of the final stage-II approval letter on 14-12-2004 issued by the Ministry with respect to the diversion of 449.55 Ha. of forest land to Upper Tunga project were not complied with yet, The Deputy Inspector General Forests (Central) has requested the State Government vide letter cited under reference (8) to submit the details/clarifications sought in the said letter and to comply with all the conditions stipulated by the Ministry vide its approval letter dated on 14-02-2004.

Vide ref (9), the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Shivamogga Division, Shivamogga has communicated the compliance report for the observations of Stage-2 clearance of Upper Tunga Project and also furnished the details. In this regard, with respect to the compliance of conditions stipulated by the Ministry vide letter dated: 14-12-2004 and with respect to the diversion of 449.55 Ha of forest land to Upper Tunga project is as below:

Condition No	Conditions laid in Stage-2 Clearance	Compliance						
2	Compensatory afforestation shall be raised and maintained over equivalent non-forest land by the State forest department.	<p>Vide ref (9), the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Shivamogga Division, Shivamogga has reported that, as per the stipulations, an extent of 449.55 Ha. of compensatory afforestation was required to be raised and maintained over non-forest land by the State Forest Department. Towards raising and maintenance of the same, The Karnataka Neeravari Nigam Limited authority has already deposited Rs.2,43,90,000-00 through DD in favour of PCCF, Bangalore. The payments are as below:</p> <table> <tr> <th>Sl No.</th><th>DD No. and Date</th><th>Amount paid (in Rs.)</th></tr> <tr> <td>1</td><td>No: 028741 to 028755, dated:23-10-1995</td><td>1,48,25,000</td></tr> </table>	Sl No.	DD No. and Date	Amount paid (in Rs.)	1	No: 028741 to 028755, dated:23-10-1995	1,48,25,000
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2	No: 95664 dated:07-091994	1,75,000
3	No:040412 dated:11-032004	25,20,000
4	No:482792 dated:04-052004	68,70,000
<b>Total</b>		<b>2,43,90,000</b>

The user agency has paid all the payment towards raising and maintenance of compensatory afforestation plantation.

As per the details furnished vide ref (9), the details with respect to raising and maintenance of CA Plantations the details are as below:

Sl No	Division	Extent of CA Plantation raised (in ha)	KML File	Remarks
1	Shimoga	113.00	attached	-
2	Bhadravathi	60.00	attached	-
3	Mandya	145.00	attached	-
4	Shimoga	131.55	attached	Advance work carried out in the year 2024-25 and plantation will be raised in the year 2025-26
<b>Total</b>		<b>449.55</b>		

		<p>The KML files are attached in the form of CD.</p> <p>Compliance report is already submitted by the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Shivamogga Division in this regard.</p>
4	<p>Along the banks of the reservoir, plantations shall be raised and maintained by the State Forest Department.</p>	<p>Vide ref (9), the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Shivamogga Division, Shivamogga has reported that towards raising and maintenance of plantations along the bank of the reservoir, an amount of Rs. 81.30 Lakhs has been paid by the user agency to the State Forest Department vide D.D No: 130917 dated:04-05-2004. With respect to raising and maintenance of plantations, advance work has already been carried out in the year 2024-25 and plantation will be raised in the year 2025-26. As per the details furnished vide ref (9), the details of the KML file of the advance work area has been attached in form of CD.</p> <p>Compliance report is already submitted by the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Shivamogga Division in this regard.</p>
9	<p>Islands of the Mandagadde Bird Sanctuary shall be raised sufficiently to avoid its submergence at the project cost under supervision of Wildlife wing of State</p>	<p>Islands of the Mandagadde Bird Sanctuary is not come within jurisdiction of Koppa division. The Deputy Conservator of Forests, Shivamogga Division, Shivamogga is already submitted reported the compliance to this query.</p> <p>Compliance report is already submitted by the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Shivamogga Division in this regard.</p>

	Forest Department.													
10	All the safe gaurds and conditions stipulated by the Indian Board of Wildlife (IBWL) shall be strictly followed.	<p>The safe guards and conditions stipulated by IBWL and the compliance with respect to the same are as below:</p> <table> <tr> <th>SIN o.</th><th>Safeguards/ Conditions</th><th>Compliance</th></tr> <tr> <td>1</td><td>The Project authorities will deposit at least 15 crores within a period of one month of the sanctions, for a revolving fund to be set up for the manangement of Bhadra Sanctuary and shettihally Sanctuary. A fool proof mechanism to receive and utilize the money shall be finalized by the State Government in consultation with MoEF</td><td>The user agency has deposited an amount of Rs. 15 crores to the Central Empowered Committee vide DD No. 068306 Dated: 11.08.2004. The amount which is presently with the CAMPA fund is yet to be released for utilization.</td></tr> <tr> <td>2</td><td>The State Government will add an area of 3 sq.kms (300 ha.) to the Shettyhalli sanctuary, in case it is not possible to add the area to this sanctuary then an equivalent area would be added to Bhadra Sanctuary within 90 days of the sanction.</td><td>An extent of 2795.63ha. has been added as buffer area to the Bhadra Tiger Reserve vide Notification No. FEE 42 FWL 2025 Dated: 27.03.2025 <b>(Copy attached as Annexure A)</b></td></tr> <tr> <td>3</td><td>Compensatory Afforestation as may be stipulated by the forest advisory Committee in an area not less than</td><td>As per the stipulation, and condition No. 2 of the stage-2 approval letter dated: 14.12.2004, as</td></tr> </table>	SIN o.	Safeguards/ Conditions	Compliance	1	The Project authorities will deposit at least 15 crores within a period of one month of the sanctions, for a revolving fund to be set up for the manangement of Bhadra Sanctuary and shettihally Sanctuary. A fool proof mechanism to receive and utilize the money shall be finalized by the State Government in consultation with MoEF	The user agency has deposited an amount of Rs. 15 crores to the Central Empowered Committee vide DD No. 068306 Dated: 11.08.2004. The amount which is presently with the CAMPA fund is yet to be released for utilization.	2	The State Government will add an area of 3 sq.kms (300 ha.) to the Shettyhalli sanctuary, in case it is not possible to add the area to this sanctuary then an equivalent area would be added to Bhadra Sanctuary within 90 days of the sanction.	An extent of 2795.63ha. has been added as buffer area to the Bhadra Tiger Reserve vide Notification No. FEE 42 FWL 2025 Dated: 27.03.2025 <b>(Copy attached as Annexure A)</b>	3	Compensatory Afforestation as may be stipulated by the forest advisory Committee in an area not less than	As per the stipulation, and condition No. 2 of the stage-2 approval letter dated: 14.12.2004, as
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			550 ha. to be taken up.	already explained above under condition No.2, CA has been raised and maintained over equivalent non-forest area.
		4	Responsibility for initiating the work in non-forest area in violation of the guideline issued under Forest (Conservation) Act. 1980 be fixed.	No such violation as observed by the IBWL has happened in contravention of the Forest (Conservation) Act 1980
		5	The reservoir will be the part Shettihalli Sanctuary and no fishing or any other commercial activity will be allowed.	The Shettihalli Sanctuary is not coming within jurisdiction of Koppa division. The Deputy Conservator of Forests, Shivamogga Division, Shivamogga is already submitted report as a compliance to this query.
14	The catchment area treatment works shall be executed as per the plan under the supervision of the State Forest Department.	<p>Vide ref (9), the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Shivamogga Division, Shivamogga has reported that the user agency has paid an amount of Rs. 20.12 Crore to CAMPA A/C No: 15073ITTIG3321997619 (IFSC CORP0000633) through RTGS on dated: 06-09-2016.</p> <p>The amount deposited with the CAMPA fund is yet to be approved for utilization. Compliance report is already submitted by the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Shivamogga Division in this regard.</p>		

Further, with respect to submission of the recommendations of Project Screening Committee, the same was discussed in 55th Project Screening

Committee meeting and it has been decided that the recommendation of the proposal shall be submitted to Government of Karnataka for further processing and the proceedings of the committee is attached as **Annexure B**.

In view of the above, the above details are submitted here with for your kind perusal and further needful action.

Yours Sincerely



Deputy Conservator of Forests,  
Koppa Division, Koppa.

**GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA**

NO. FEE 42 FWL 2025

Karnataka Government Secretariat  
M.S. Building  
Bengaluru, Dated: 27-03-2025

**NOTIFICATION**

Whereas, in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 18 of the Wildlife (Protection) Act 1972, the Government of Karnataka has declared Bhadra Wildlife Sanctuary vide notification No: AFD 25 FWL 74 dated: 06-09-1974 and the same has been confirmed as per the provision conferred under section 26(A) of Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 vide notification No. FEE 58 dated: 09.03.1998.

Whereas, the Government of Karnataka in its order No. FEE 299 FWL 2007 dated 20-12-2007 has declared Bhadra Wildlife Sanctuary as a Tiger Reserve, as per the requirements of Section 38 V of Wildlife (Protection) Amendment Act 2006.

Whereas, the Government of Karnataka vide notification No: FEE 122 FWL 2009, Dated: 29-01-2011 has declared buffer area around the core area of the Bhadra Tiger Reserve as per powers conferred under Section 38 V (1) and (4) (ii) of Wildlife (Protection) Act 1972.

Whereas, the Standing Committee of National Board for Wildlife (NBWL) in its 73<sup>rd</sup> meeting held on 17.07.2023 proposed to notify the Chornadehalli SF and Kaithotlu MF as part of buffer area of Bhadra Tiger Reserve to ensure proper management administratively and to provide vital link between the Bhadra Tiger Reserve and Shettihalli Wildlife Sanctuary and the same was considered and approved by the State Board for Wildlife in its 18<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 07.10.2024.

Whereas, the Standing Committee of National Board for Wildlife (NBWL) in its 80<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 09.10.2024 has stipulated a condition while approving the proposal of re-notification of Shettihalli Wildlife Sanctuary that the areas of Chornadehalli State Forest and Kaithotlu Minor Forest be extended as buffer zone of Bhadra Tiger reserve to provide a vital link between the Bhadra Tiger Reserve and Shettihalli Wildlife Sanctuary.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 38 V (1) and (4) (ii) of Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972, (Central Act 53 of 1972) the Government of Karnataka hereby declares the notified forest areas given in **Schedule-I** with the boundary description given in **Schedule-II** and the map given in **Annexure-V** of Chornadehalli SF and Kaithotlu MF as the additional buffer area to the already notified buffer area of the Bhadra Tiger Reserve vide notification No: FEE 122 FWL 2009 Dated: 29-01-2011.

  
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## SCHEDULE-I

### Situation and limits of the additional buffer zone of Bhadra Tiger Reserve

State	Karnataka
District	Shivamogga
Taluk	Shivamogga (Part)
Name of the Tiger reserve	Bhadra Tiger Reserve
Additional Buffer Zone area of Bhadra Tiger Reserve	27.956 Sq Kms (Notified forest areas of <b>Chornadehalli SF</b> (2625.96 Ha) and <b>Kaithotlu MF</b> (169.67 Ha), excluding enclosures / revenue land parcels / areas released for rehabilitation purpose).

## SCHEDULE II

### Boundary Description

#### **North**

The line starts from North West corner of Chornadehalli SF boundary running along the Sy.No.75 of Chornadehalli village and runs along Northern boundary of Chornadehalli SF till it reaches the North East corner of Sy.No.22 of Lakkinakoppa village.

#### **East**

Then the line runs along Eastern boundary of Chornadehalli SF till it reaches the South West corner of Sy.no.18 of Huralihalli village.

#### **South**

Then the line runs along Southern boundary of Chornadehalli SF and Eastern boundary of Kaithotlu MF till it reaches the South corner of Sy.no.9 of Kaithotlu village.

#### **West**

Then the line runs along Western boundary of Kaithotlu MF and Chornadehalli SF to reach the starting point of Chornadehalli SF boundary.

## ANNEXURE-I

### Village- wise area included in the Buffer zone of Bhadra Tiger Reserve

Sl No	Name of the Village	Range	Total area of the Village (Ha)	Area with Bhadra Tiger Reserve	Other Notified Forest area in the village (excluding Chordana halli SF and Kaithotlu MF (Ha)	Other forest Area in the village (Ha)	Private & Other Revenue area	Area to be declared as Buffer (Ha) (Chordana halli SF and Kaithotlu MF areas) {(4)-(5+6+7+8)}
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
<b>SHIMOGA TALUK:</b>								
1	Hurulihalli	Umblebyle	1284.15	17.84	587.14	5.42	161.15	512.6
2	Kaithotlu		789.803	283.74	52.13		171.673	282.26

3	Chornadehalli	1623.405	-	-	-	354.837	1268.56
4	Hallakkavalli	782.101	0	143.36	0	286.331	352.41
5	Kadikal	576.774	0	181.79	0	165.144	229.84
6	Kuskuru	636.355	0	370.54	0	224.615	41.2
7	Yeraganala	658.18	0	290.85	16.19	260.28	90.86
8	Lakkinakoppa	596.734	0	392.56	0	186.274	17.9
<b>Total</b>		<b>6947.502</b>	<b>301.58</b>	<b>2018.368</b>	<b>21.61</b>	<b>1810.304</b>	<b>2795.63</b>

**Note: The areas of the above villages mentioned in column 09 is only the areas which comes under the Chornadalli SF & Kaithotlu MF**

**Note: The newly added buffer areas of "Bhadra Tiger Reserve" shall not include any of the Revenue villages, Patta lands and Revenue lands on the date of publication of this notification. The rights or privileges as notified in the Reserved Forest notifications of the respective Forests will continue. The notification is issued in pursuance of the provisions of Wildlife Protection Act, 1972 and the rules made there under and will be subject to various rulings of different Courts of law in present and similar subject matter.**

#### ANNEXURE-II

**Gram Panchayaths wise- villages in the Buffer Zone of Bhadra Tiger Reserve**

Sl No	Name of the Gram Panchayath (GP)	Name of the Villages falling under the GP	Taluka	Territorial
				Div. & Range
1	Kadikal	1 Chornadehalli	Shivamogga	Bhadravati, Umblebylu
		2 Hallakkavalli		
		3 Kadikal		
		4 Kuskuru		
		5 Yeraganala		
2	Korlahalli	6 Lakkinakoppa	Shivamogga	Bhadravati, Umblebylu
3	Umblebylu	7 Hurulihalli		
		8 Kaithotlu		

#### ANNEXURE-III

**List of Villages falling within various forest areas viz., RF/SF/MF comprising Buffer Zone of Bhadra Tiger Reserve**

Sl No	Name of the State Forest/MF/SF	Notification No	Administrative Jurisdiction	Taluka	Total Extent	Village wise Forest area to be included in Buffer zone (Ha)
					Of SF/MF (Ha)	
1	<b>Chornadalli SF</b>	GL 23538.R 3437 Dt:19/06/1895	Bhadravati Division	Shivamogga	2625.96	2625.96
	(Hurulihalli, Kaithotlu, Chornadehalli, Hallakkavalli, Kadikal, Kuskuru, Yaraganahalu)		Umblebylu Range			

	Lakkinakoppa)					
2	<b>Kaithotlu MF</b>	G12673-82-FT-185-24-7 Dt:11-04-1929	Bhadravati Division  Umblebyle Range		169.67	169.67
	(Kaithotlu)					
				<b>Total</b>	<b>2795.63</b>	<b>2795.63</b>

#### ANNEXURE-IV

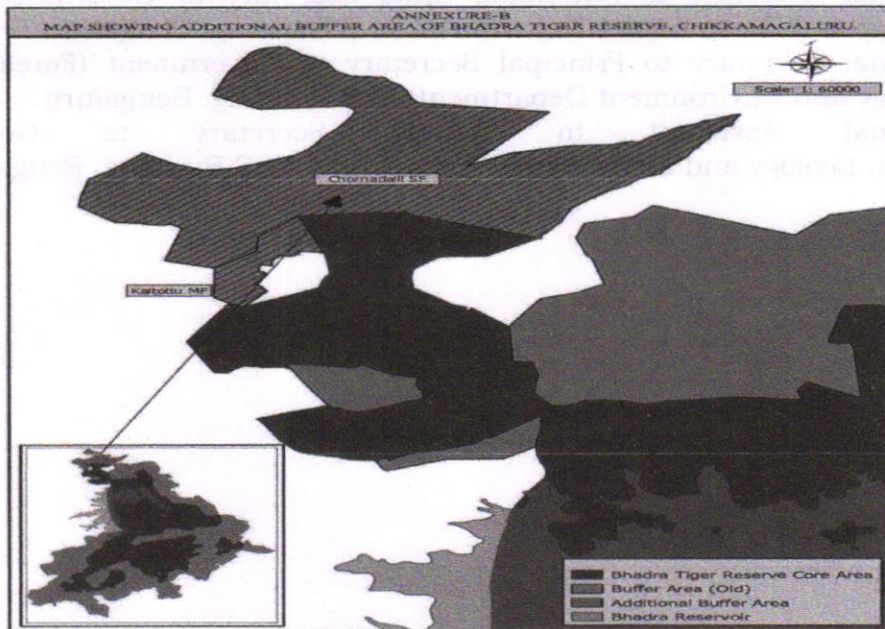
#### Range -wise Boundary Description of Villages within Buffer Zone of Bhadra Tiger Reserve

SL No	Name of Buffer Village	Range	Taluka	Boundaries of the Buffer Villages	
1	Hurulihalli	Umblebyle	Shivamogga	To the North	Kadikal, J.I Kuskuru, Yaraganahalu & Lakkinakoppa
				To the South	Ganidalu, Umblebylu & Hunasekatte
				To the East	Hagalamane
				To the West	Chornadehalli & Kaithotlu
2	Kaithotlu	Umblebyle	Shivamogga	To the North	Chornadehalli
				To the South	Kakanahosudi & Lingapura
				To the East	Huralihalli & Sarigere
				To the West	Siddammajihosuru & Chittamane
3	Chornadehalli	Umblebyle	Shivamogga	To the North	Hallakkavalli
				To the South	Kaithotlu & Chittamane
				To the East	Kadikal & Hurulihalli
				To the West	Bommanahalli village boundary & Sakkarebylu forest boundary
4	Hallakkavalli	Umblebyle	Shivamogga	To the North	Gajanuru Agrahara village boundary
				To the South	Chornadehalli village boundary
				To the East	Kadikal village boundary
				To the West	Thimlapura village boundary
5	Kadikal	Umblebyle	Shivamogga	To the North	Gajanuru village boundary
				To the South	Huralihalli village boundary
				To the East	Kuskuru village boundary
				To the West	Hallakkavalli & Chornadhahalli village boundary
6	Kuskuru	Umblebyle	Shivamogga	To the North	Gajanuru & Matthuru village boundary
				To the South	Huralihalli village boundary

				To the East	Yaraganahalu village boundary
				To the West	Kadekal village boundary
7	Yeraganahala	Umblebyle	Shivamogga	To the North	Kachinakatte & Matthuru village boundary
				To the South	Huralihalli, Matthuru
				To the East	Korlahalli & Lakkinakoppa village boundary
				To the West	Kuskuru village boundary
8	Lakkinakoppa	Umblebyle	Shivamogga	To the North	Korlahalli village boundary
				To the South	Huralihalli village boundary
				To the East	Kallihalu & Hagalamane village boundary
				To the West	Yaraganahalu village boundary

### **Annexure-V**

#### **Map of the additional Buffer Zone area of Bhadra Tiger reserve.**



By Order and in the name of  
Governor of Karnataka

(SHIVAPRAKHASH)

UNDER SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT  
FOREST, ECOLOGY AND ENVIRONMENT  
DEPARTMENT (FOREST-A)

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**Government of Karnataka  
Project Screening Committee  
Minutes of Meeting**



**MoM ID** FC/MOM/PSC/616672/2025  
**Agenda ID** FC/AGENDA/PSC/154917/2025  
**Title of Meeting** 55th PSC Meeting  
**Meeting Venue** 3rd Floor, FC Wing, Aranya Bhavan, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru  
**Meeting Link** <https://meet.google.com/pca-wpsb-xpa>  
**Meeting Mode** Hybrid  
**Meeting Dates & Time** Start Date : 29/04/2025  
End Date : 29/04/2025

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### Proposals considered during Meeting:

**1. Project Name** NAVULATTI IRON ORE MINE OF R. PRAVEEN CHANDRA  
**Proposal Number** FP/KA/MIN/QRY/473609/2024  
**User Agency** RAMAMURTHY PRAVEEN CHANDRA  
**Forest Land Area(Ha)** 8.04  
**Division** Bellary Division  
**Recommendation** Raise EDS

### Brief Description of Project:

NAVULATTI IRON ORE MINE OF R. PRAVEEN CHANDRA

### Previous Deliberation Details:

N/A

### Current Deliberation Details:

1. The Nodal Officer (FCA) Karnataka, Member Secretary PSC, DCF Bellary, DCF Belgaum and the Officials of the User Agency attended the Meeting.
2. Project Screening Committee went through the project details and certain shortcomings were observed.
  - DCF Belgaum has to issue revised CA suitability certificate.
  - DCF Bellary has to submit History of Mining Lease.
  - DCF Bellary has directed to submit the present status of FC transfer proposal of extent 34.00 h a, which is the part of the said amalgamated block.
  - User Agency needs to submit Undertaking for submission of CA Charges, FRA Certificate, Wildlife Mitigation Management Plan & Soil, Moisture Conservation Plan.
  - User Agency needs to pay Statutory Levies. Hence, it was decided to intimate the User Agency and DCF, Bellary to rectify the shortcomings and to resubmit the proposal

### Recommendation Remark:

Certain shortcomings were observed. Hence EDS raised to UA/DCF, Bellary.

**2. Project Name** Diversion of forest land in Somalapura Reserve Forest in respect of M/s MSPL Limited  
**ame** for Transmission line and Laying of Underground Tailing Slurry Pipe line

**Proposal Number** FP/KA/OTHERS/455542/2023

**User Agency** MADHUSUDHANA KANNAMANENI

**Forest Land** 7.9066

**Area(Ha)**

**Division** Bellary Division

**Recommendation** Raise EDS

**Brief Description of Project:**

Diversion of forest land in Somalapura Reserve Forest in respect of M/s MSPL Limited for Transmission line and Laying of Underground Tailing Slurry Pipe line

**Previous Deliberation Details:**

N/A

**Current Deliberation Details:**

1. The Nodal Officer (FCA) Karnataka, Member Secretary PSC, DCF Bellary, DCF Belgaum and the Officials of the User Agency attended the Meeting.
2. Project Screening Committee went through the project details, along with technical scrutiny done by the ICT cell.
3. It was noticed that there is a discrepancy in CA suitability Certificate and also some shortcomings were observed. Hence, it was decided to intimate the User Agency to rectify the shortcomings and to resubmit the proposal

**Recommendation Remark:**

Certain shortcomings were observed. Hence EDS raised to UA.

**3. Project Name** Drinking Water Supply Scheme to Mulubagilu and other 1616 habitations in Thirthahalli Taluk, Shivamogga District under Jal Jeevan Mission

**Proposal Number** FP/KA/WATER/443982/2023

**User Agency** G E RAJENDRA PRASAD

**Forest Land Area(Ha)** 6.2169

**Division** Shimoga Division

**Recommendation** Raise EDS

**Brief Description of Project:**

Drinking Water Supply Scheme to Mulubagilu and other 1616 habitations in Thirthahalli Taluk, Shivamogga District under Jal Jeevan Mission

**Previous Deliberation Details:**

N/A

**Current Deliberation Details:**

1. The Nodal Officer (FCA) Karnataka, Member Secretary PSC, DCF Shivamogga and the Officials of the User Agency attended the Meeting.

2. Project Screening Committee went through the project details, it is found that the User Agency has submitted another **Proposal No. FP/KA/WATER/514934/2024** for the same purpose Which is in process. Hence, it was decided to intimate the User Agency to upload Withdrawal request for this Proposal.

**Recommendation Remark:**

Duplicate Proposal. Hence, it is directed to upload Withdrawal request.

**4. Project Name** Establishment of Beena Vaidya Super Speciality Hospital, Medical college and allied Institutes in Bailur Village, Bhatkal Taluk

**Proposal Number** FP/KA/OTHERS/531662/2025

**User Agency** PUSHPALATHA MANKALA VAIDYA

**Forest Land Area(Ha)** 11.8373

**Division** Honavar Division

**Recommendation** Raise EDS

**Brief Description of Project:**

Establishment of Beena Vaidya Super Speciality Hospital, Medical college and allied Institutes in Bailur Village, Bhatkal Taluk

**Previous Deliberation Details:**

N/A

**Current Deliberation Details:**

1. The Nodal Officer (FCA) Karnataka, Member Secretary PSC & DCF Honnavara attended the Meeting.

2. Project Screening Committee went through the project details, along with technical scrutiny done by the ICT cell and certain shortcomings were observed. Hence, it was decided to intimate the User Agency to rectify the shortcomings and to resubmit the proposal

**Recommendation Remark:**

Certain shortcomings were observed. Hence EDS raised to UA.

**5. Project Name** Drinking Water Supply Scheme to Mulubagilu and other 1616 habitations in Thirthahalli Taluk, Shivamogga District under Jal Jeevan Mission

**Proposal Number** FP/KA/WATER/514934/2024

**User Agency** G E RAJENDRA PRASAD

**Forest Land Area(Ha)** 6.5359  
**Division** Shimoga Division  
**Recommendation** Raise EDS

**Brief Description of Project:**

Drinking Water Supply Scheme to Mulubagilu and other 1616 habitations in Thirthahalli Taluk, Shivamogga District under Jal Jeevan Mission

**Previous Deliberation Details:**

N/A

**Current Deliberation Details:**

1. The Nodal Officer (FCA) Karnataka, Member Secretary PSC, DCF Shivamogga and the Officials of the User Agency attended the Meeting.
2. DCF Shivamogga has stated that as per renotification proposal, the proposed forest area falls under Shettihally Wildlife Sanctuary ESZ. Hence, the UA needs to select 'YES' option in Sl.No. 10.1 of Form-A(Part-I).
2. Project Screening Committee went through the project details along with the technical scrutiny done by ICT Cell and certain shortcomings were observed.
  - Village and Survey Number Wise breakup needs to be provide by the User Agency.
  - Further, the Proposal No. **FP/KA/WATER/443982/2023** submitted by the User Agency for the same purpose needs to withdraw. Hence, the UA needs to upload Withdrawal request simultaneously.

Hence, it was decided to intimate the User Agency to rectify the shortcoming to resubmit the proposal.

**Recommendation Remark:**

Certain shortcomings were observed. Hence EDS raised to UA.

**6. Project Name** Widening/Re-Construction to Four Lane from Km. 0+000 to Km 15+870 starts near Miriyana Telangana/Karnataka border and ends at Chincholi section of NH-167N in Kalburgi District in the state of Karnataka under Annual Plan 2023-24

**Proposal Number** FP/KA/ROAD/517059/2025

**User Agency** Executive Engineer NH Division Kalaburgi

**Forest Land and Area(Ha)** 7.106

**Division** Gulbarga Division

**Recommendation** Raise EDS

**Brief Description of Project:**

Widening/Re-Construction to Four Lane from Km. 0+000 to Km 15+870 starts near Miriyan Telangana/Karnataka border and ends at Chincholi section of NH-167N in Kalburgi District in the state of Karnataka under Annual Plan 2023-24

**Previous Deliberation Details:**

N/A

**Current Deliberation Details:**

1. The Nodal Officer (FCA) Karnataka, Member Secretary PSC & the CCF Gulbarga attended the Meeting.
2. Project Screening Committee went through the EDS reply submitted by the User Agency. It was noticed that,
  - The CA Land needs to be identified by the User Agency and also some technical observations need to be rectified.
3. Hence, it was decided to intimate the User Agency to rectify the shortcomings and to resubmit the proposal

**Recommendation Remark:**

Certain shortcomings were observed. Hence EDS raised to UA.

**7. Project Name** Widening of existing 2 lane to 4 lane with paved shoulder from Designed km 25.15 to km 56.70 (Except Km 52.70 to 53.50) of NH-169 ( Nellisara Camp to Thirthahalli ) of NH 169 on Shimoga-Mangalore section in the state of Karnataka on EPC mode

**Proposal Number** FP/KA/ROAD/463890/2024

**User Agency** Narendra Sharma

**Forest Land Area (Ha)** 29.9367

**Division** Shimoga Division

**Recommendation** Accepted

**Brief Description of Project:**

Widening of existing 2 lane to 4 lane with paved shoulder from Designed km 25.15 to km 56.70 (Except Km 52.70 to 53.50) of NH-169 ( Nellisara Camp to Thirthahalli ) of NH 169 on Shimoga-Mangalore section in the state of Karnataka on EPC mode

**Previous Deliberation Details:**

N/A

**Current Deliberation Details:**

1. The Nodal Officer (FCA) Karnataka, Member Secretary PSC, DCF Shivamogga and the Officials of the User Agency attended the Meeting.

2. DCF Shivamogga has stated that as per renotification proposal, the proposed forest area falls under Shettihally Wildlife Sanctuary ESZ. Hence, the UA needs to select 'YES' option in Sl.No. 10.1 of Form-A(Part-I).

2. Project Screening Committee went through the project details along with the technical scrutiny done by ICT Cell and found it to be in order. Hence, it was decided to accept the proposal and forward to field for further processing.

**Recommendation Remark:**

Proposal is in order. Hence, it was accepted and forward to DCF Shivamogga for further processing.

**8. Project Name** Widening of NH-69 to Four lane from Km 111.500 to Km 148.089

**Proposal Number** FP/KA/ROAD/421233/2023

**User Agency** Peer Pasha

**Forest Land Area(Ha)** 37.97

**Division** Shimoga Division

**Recommendation** Raise EDS

**Brief Description of Project:**

Widening of NH-69 to Four lane from Km 111.500 to Km 148.089

**Previous Deliberation Details:**

N/A

**Current Deliberation Details:**

1. The Nodal Officer (FCA) Karnataka, Member Secretary PSC, DCF Shivamogga and the Officials of the User Agency attended the Meeting.

2. User Agency has stated that the identified CA land has been changed hence, needs to be updated.

3. Project Screening Committee went through the project details and decided to intimate the User Agency to rectify the shortcomings and to resubmit the proposal

**Recommendation Remark:**

Certain shortcomings were observed. Hence EDS raised to UA.

**Other Item Details:**

S.No.	Remarks	Document
1	Re-diversion and change of land use in 7.53 hectare of forest land in Kanagalakoppa Vil	25-0

S.No.	Remarks	Document
	lage Sy No. 20, 55, 56, 58, 59, 60 & 69, Mandagadde Hobli, Thirthalli Taluk, Shivamogga District (Shivamogga Forest Division) and K.Kanaburu Village Sy No. 82, 83, 97, 98, 99 and Muttinakoppa Village Sy No. 73, Kasaba Hobli, Narsimharajapura Taluk, Chikkamagaluru District (Koppa Forest Divoision) for laying of 220 KV Transmission Line under Upper Bhadra Project Package-1 from Karnataka Neeravari Nigama Limited [PRIMARY USER AGENCY] to Executive Engineer, Visvesvaraya Jala Nigama Limited (VJNL), Upper Bhadra Project Division No.2, Shivamogga [SECONDARY USER AGENCY] Proposal No. FP/KA/TRANS/42309/2019	1-2024 guidelines.pdf
2	Vesting of Forest Clearance Over an area of 34 ha (including 2 ha towards approach road) in respect of Block No 4 Iron Ore Block (H.R Gaviappa M L 2483) at Donimalai Reserve Forest, Navulatti (Vitalanagara) Village Sandur Taluk Ballari Dist., in favour of R Praveen Chandra Proposal No: FP/KA/MIN/QRY/478743/2024 (FORM-F)	cf letter transfer of fc 8.04ha.pdf

### Other Item Deliberation:

#### 1. Recommendation

Accepted

#### Brief Description:

Re-diversion and change of land use in 7.53 hectare of forest land in Kanagalakoppa Village Sy No. 20, 55, 56, 58, 59, 60 & 69, Mandagadde Hobli, Thirthalli Taluk, Shivamogga District (Shivamogga Forest Division) and K.Kanaburu Village Sy No. 82, 83, 97, 98, 99 and Muttinakoppa Village Sy No. 73, Kasaba Hobli, Narsimharajapura Taluk, Chikkamagaluru District (Koppa Forest Divoision) for laying of 220 KV Transmission Line under Upper Bhadra Project Package-1 from Karnataka Neeravari Nigama Limited [PRIMARY USER AGENCY] to Executive Engineer, Visvesvaraya Jala Nigama Limited (VJNL), Upper Bhadra Project Division No.2, Shivamogga [SECONDARY USER AGENCY] Proposal No. FP/KA/TRANS/42309/2019

#### Current Deliberation Details:

1. The Nodal Officer (FCA) Karnataka, Member Secretary PSC, DCF Shivamogga attended the Meeting.
2. Project Screening Committee went through the project details and found to be in order. Hence, it was decided to recommend the proposal to Government of Karnataka for further processing.

#### Recommendation Remark:

Proposal has been recommended to Government of Karnataka for further processing.

#### 2. Recommendation

Raise EDS

#### Brief Description:

Transfer of FC approval from erstwhile lessee H.R. Gaviappa and Company (ML No. 2483 and old ML No. 2247: Category-B) to new lessee Sri. R. Praveen Chandra (Successful Bidder in e-auction cond

ucted by Department of Mines & Geology in respect of auctioned Iron ore block over an extent of 40.04 ha) to an extent of 34.00 Ha of Forest land (earlier FC obtained area, i.e., 32.00 ha for mining + 2.00 for approach road) in Block No. 4 Iron Ore Block, Donimalai RF, Navulatti (Vitalanagara) Village, Sandur Taluk, Ballari District and Ballari Forest Division under Para No. 5.5 of Chapter-5 & Para No. 7.4 (iv) of Chapter-7 of Consolidated Guidelines and Clarification issued under Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980 for a period co-terminus with the lease granted under MMDR Act, 1957 and amendment 2015 Online Proposal No. FP/KA/MIN/ORY/478743/2024 [Form-F]

#### **Current Deliberation Details:**

1. The Nodal Officer (FCA) Karnataka, Member Secretary PSC, DCF Bellary, DCF Belgaum and the Officials of the User Agency attended the Meeting.
2. Project Screening Committee went through the project details and certain shortcomings were observed.
  - DCF Belgaum has to issue revised CA suitability certificate with correct crop improvement programme.
  - DCF Bellary has to submit CEC Sketch depicting the encroachment made by erstwhile lessee and also History of Mining Lease.
  - DCF Bellary has directed to submit the present status of additional area of extent 8.04 ha, which is the part of the said amalgamated block.
  - User Agency needs to submit Undertaking for submission of FRA Certificate, Wildlife Mitigation Management Plan & Soil, Moisture Conservation Plan.
  - User Agency needs to pay Statutory Levies. Hence, it was decided to intimate the User Agency and DCF, Bellary to rectify the shortcomings and to resubmit the proposal

#### **Recommendation Remark:**

Certain shortcomings were observed. Hence EDS raised to UA/DCF, Bellary.