

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS, SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (Sec.II) DEPARTMENT

Letter No.550/Section.II/2021(1368020)

Dated:17.03.2022

From:

The Special Chief Secretary to Government,  
Environment, Forests, Science & Technology Department,  
A.P. Secretariat,  
Velagapudi.

To

~~The~~ Inspector General of Forests (Central)  
Government of India,  
Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change  
Integrated Regional Office, Vijayawada,  
Green House Complex, Gopal Reddy Road,  
Vijayawada-520010 (w.e)

Sir,

Sub:EFS&T Dept. - Diversion of 1.10 ha. of forest land in Compartment No.391, Butchimpadu RF, Vizianagaram for providing BT to the road from Kuntam to Thummiguddi via mettaguddi Pachipenta (M), Salur Range in favour of Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj (PIU) Division, Vizianagaram - Clearance under Section-2 of Forest(C)Act, 1980- Additional information submitted - Reg.

- Ref: 1)From the PCCF & HoFF, A.P., Lr. Rc.No.EFS02-15034/61/2020/FCA SEC-PCCF/ FCA-3, dated:05.03.2021.  
2)State Govt.Letter No.550/Sec.II/2021, EFS&T(Sec.II) Department dated.06.04.2021.  
3) From GoI, MoEF&CC, IRO, Vijayawada, Lr.F.No.4-APB107/2021-VIJ/32, dated.16.04.2021.  
4)From the PCCF letter Ref.No.EFS02-15034/61/2020-FCA-SEC-PCCF/ FCA-3, dt.12.02.2022.

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With reference to your letter 3<sup>rd</sup> cited, I am to inform that in the reference 4<sup>th</sup> cited, the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force has stated that the User Agency has identified non-forest land over an extent of 1.16 ha in Sy.No.279 of Gottivalasa (V), Garugubilli (M), Vizianagaram District for CA purpose to enable the Forest Department to effectively manage the newly planted area. The DFO, Vizianagaram has inspected the non-forest land identified for CA purpose on 02.11.2021 and submitted CA scheme details. The Chief Conservator of Forests, Visakhapatnam Circle, Visakhapatnam has submitted CA scheme to an extent of 1.16 ha with a financial amount of Rs.4.990 lakh for a period of 12 years commencement from 2022-23 to 2033-34 with 10 years maintenance in the non-forest land identified by the User Agency in Sy.No.279 of Gottivalasa (V), Garugubilli (M), Vizianagaram for Compensatory Afforestation. The CA scheme, map and other related certificates were uploaded online. The revised NPV rates communicated in GoI, MoEF&CC (FC-Division) File No.5-3/2011-FC(Vol-I), dt.06.01.2022 have to be applied for NPV for the subject proposal.

2. I request you to consider above additional information and obtain and communicate the approval of Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, under Section- 2 of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, for diversion of 1.10 ha. of forest land in Compartment No.391, Butchimpadu RF, Vizianagaram for providing BT to the road from Kuntam to Thummiguddi via mettaguddi Pachipenta (M), Salur Range in favour of Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj (PIU) Division, Vizianagaram, at an early date.

Yours faithfully,

N. Jagadeeswarar  
for Special Chief Secretary to Government

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**Copy to:**

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force,  
Andhra Pradesh, Guntur.

The Executive Engineer, PR(PIU), Vizianagaram.