

TAMILNADU FOREST DEPARTMENT

From
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District Forest Officer,
Nilgiris Forest Division,
Udhagamandalam – 1.

To
The Conservator of Forests and Field
Director,
Mudumalai Tiger Reserve,
Udhagamandalam.

Ref.No.5816 /2021/D dated 17.02.2022

Sir,

Sub : Forest (Conservation) Act – 1980 – Proposal for diversion of 0.33 ha of Forest land in Aramby Reserved Forests for formation of road to combined court complex at Udhagamandalam in Nilgiris District – Proposal forwarded – Report submission – Regarding.

Ref 1. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Department), Chennai Ref.No. TS3/49400/2020 dated. 03.12.2021.

I submit herewith the details called for in the reference cited is furnished below in respect of Nilgiris Forest Division.

- i) The hard copy of the Part-I of Form A is attached herewith.
- ii) The degraded forest land over an extent of 3.07 ha (not 3.10 ha as mentioned by Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Chennai letter) were identified in Wenlockdowns RF, Udhagamandalam North Range of Nilgiris Forest Division for planting of 690 saplings in lieu of felling of 69 trees the site suitability certificate has been uploaded and the same has been attached herewith.
- iii) In the identified forest diversion area 69 Pinus trees were planted by Research Range of Forest Genetics Division of Coimbatore Circle during the year 1968, however the above area is under the control of Nilgiris Forest Division. Hence No Objection certificate from Forest Genetic Division of Coimbatore is not required.
- iv) Providing chain-link fence around the plantation area (Degraded Forest land 3.07 ha) over an length of 760 meters with the height of 1.80 meters is highly essential to protect the saplings from wild animals like Indian

Guar, Wild boar, Sambar Deer, Barking Deer, etc., The chain link fence will be removed after the saplings grow more than 3 meters high.

- v) The S.No. 14 of Part II of Form-A is uploaded in the District Profile web portal and the same has been attached herewith.

This is for favour of Kind information

Encl: As stated above.

Yours faithfully,


11/02/22
District Forest Officer,
Nilgiris Forest Division,
Udhagamandalam.

Copy to the CAO, District Court, Udhagamandalam, the Nilgiris District - 643001.