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No. C/FCA/T.7/ 189-97 /2020-21

Date: -01/10/2020

To,
JIO DIGITAL FIBRE PRIVATE LIMITED,
101-Saffon Nr. Center Point,
Panchavati 5 Rasta, Ambavadi
Ahmedabad-380006.

Subject: -Proposal for grant Permission for laying optical fiber cable Along the routes mentioned hereunder (PF)

- 1.From District limit of Amreli/Girsomnath Nr.village Timbi (MS 167.0 to Way Village Una (MS 183) on NHAI Village Samter and Simar (Km 16.00/Ha 0.72)
 - 2.From T Junction (Way to Una City MS 183.0 to Somnath Chokadi (MS.265) on NHAI via Village Shiloj, Kesariya, Simasi, Kodinar, Pedhavada, Moradia, Pransi,Sutrapada,Ajotha (Km 82.00/Ha. 3.69)
 - 3.From Village T Junction Nr. Gadu Village Antroli(MS 287) to District Limit of Junagadh/Porbandar Nr. Village Antroli (MS.329.0) on NHAI Via Village Chorwad,Kukavada,Arena,Mangrol,Makhtupur,Loej,Shill.(KM42.00/Ha1.89)
- Total Km 140.00/Ha.6.30**

(FP/GJ/OTHERS/48104/2020)

Reference: -

- 1.Government of Gujarat, Forest & Environment Department Letter No.- FCA/1015/101/15/SF-83F (1), Dt.04/02/2016.
- 2.(JIO DIGITAL FIBRE Pvt. Ltd.) Letter No JDFPT/Guj/Forest/Gir Somnath/Costal/01, Dt.28/08/2020.
3. Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forest Land, Gujarat State, Gandhinagar Letter No. JMN/29 A/B/ 1505-10 Dt.13/05/2016.

Sir,

I am directed to invite a reference to your letter no JDFPT/Guj/Forest/Gir Somnath/Costal/01,Dt.28/08/2020 On the above-mentioned subject seeking prior approval of Government under Section-2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 as per following:-

Sr. No	Particular	Length Width (Meter)		Area (Sq. Meter)/ Hq
1.	From District limit of Amreli/Girsomnath Nr.village Timbi (MS 167.0 to Way Village Una (MS 183) on NHAI Village Samter and Simar (Km 16.00/Ha 0.72)	16000	0.45	0.72
2.	From T Junction (Way to Una City MS 183.0 to Somnath Chokadi (MS.265) on NHAI via Village Shiloj, Kesariya, Simasi, Kodinar, Pedhavada, Moradia,Pransi,Sutrapada,Ajotha (Km 82.00/Ha. 3.69)	82000	0.45	3.69

3.	From Village T Junction Nr. Gadu Village Antroli (MS 287) to District Limit of Junagadh/ Porbandar Nr. Village Antroli (MS.329.0) on NHAI Via Villlage Chorwad, Kukasvada, Arena, Mangrol, Makhtupur, Loej, S hill. (KM42.00/Ha 1.89)	42000	0.45	1.89
Total Ha.				6.30

Government of Gujarat Forest & Environment Department Gandhinagar vide its circular mentioned under Reference has delegates power under " **General Approval**" to the concerned divisional forest officer to grant approval under forest (Conservation) act, 1980 for laying of underground Optical fiber cable, telephone lines, drinking water, electric line CNG/PNG pipeline and Wildlife sanctuaries , without felling of trees, where the maximum size of the trench is not more than 2.00 meter depth and 1.00 meter width subject to certain condition.

And whereas, the user agency, while applying and through the documents submitted, has confirmed that its FCA proposal, falls along the roads within existing right of way not falling in National Parks and Wildlife sanctuaries, without felling of trees, where the maximum size of the trench is not more than 2.00 meter depth and 1.00 meter width and hence fulfills all the above specified condition and eligible as laid down circular mentioned at ref (1) and falls under the category of proposal eligible for "general approval"

AND whereas having verified on the site that above facts are correct and fulfills the above specific condition of " general; approval". the following order is issued.

In view of the above, the undersigned is pleased to convey its "in principal " approval for diversion of 6.30 ha. of Protected Forest subject to the following conditions:-

1. This permission is granted only for use of the forest land for the purpose specified in the proposal. The legal status of the forest land shall remain unchanged.
2. The cost of Registration fees, Processing fees from user agency paid by Challan No. 0037 in the account of Deputy Conservator of Forests Social Forestry Division-Gir Somnath "Forest work Remittance-8782". (Already Paid Dt.03/09/2020)
3. The User Agencies shall generate challan through OSSMFWC portal before making payment for stage-II Clearance process. All the fund shall be deposited through OSSMFWC portal by the User Agencies.
4. In future if any amount regarding Net Present Value (NPV) or Compensatory Afforestation (CA) is required the user agency is bounded to pay in favour of Deputy Conservator of Forest.
5. The forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the FCA proposal.
6. The user agency will have to obtain permission from the undersigned for carrying out any maintenance works in future.
7. The user agency will have to make good the forest land after use/maintenance work.
No tree shall be cut.
8. The user agency will be liable to make good any loss to Forest/Environment caused due to the use of the said land by the user agency.
9. The user agency will seek permission from the Road & Building Department/Science & technology Dept. Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar, if required so.
10. The line will be laid underground in a trench of depth of 1.65 meters and width of 0.45, in between rows of road side plantation.
11. The user agency will have obtain NOC from the related forest Division for wild life area and other before commencing the work. **if, applicable.**

12. The User Agency shall submit the details regarding compliance of MoEF's guideline dated 03.08.2009 and 05.02.2013 with regard to the Scheduled Tribe & Other Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Right) Act, 2006.
13. The additional conditions under chapter-5 of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 shall be applicable to this proposal as the Government of Gujarat's Resolution No. FCA-1013/11-10/11/SF-24/F, Dated 12.06.2015. The user agency shall comply additional condition as per the aforementioned resolution.
14. Any other condition, which the Nodal officer (FCA)/the state Government may stipulate from time to time.

After receipt of the compliance report on the fulfillment of condition no. (5), (12) & (13) mentioned above, from your formal approval will be issued by this Department.

Your Faithfully

(Dr. Shobhita Agarwal)
Deputy Conservator of Forests
Social Forestry Division
Gir Somnath

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Copy Submitted to: -

- (1) The Principal Secretary, Forest & Environment Department, Gujarat State, Gandhinagar.
- (2) Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forest Land, Gujarat State, Gandhinagar.
- (3) Chief Conservator of Forests/ Conservator of Forest, Circle Rajkot.

Copy forward to: -


- (4) Range forest officer, Social Forestry Range, Una, Kodinar, Prabhaspatan, Maliya Hatn and Mangrol for Information & Necessary Action.

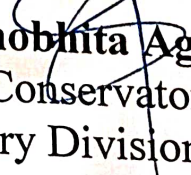
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1.	Name of Regional Office	:	Bhopal
2.	State/District/Forest Division to which the proposal relates	:	Gujarat/Gir- Somnath/ S.F.Division. Gir-Somanath)
3.	Name of User Agency, nature of proposal	:	Jio Digital Fibre Pvt.Ahmedabad.
4.	Extend of forest area involved	:	6.3 Ha.
5.	Whether original, or extension	:	Original
6.	If extension of lease, please clarify if proposal involves additional forest area, and if so, specify	:	-
7.	Date of 1st stage clearance	:	01/10/2020
8.	Extend of CAMPA charges, head wise via	:	-
	(a) Compensatory Afforestation	:	0/-
	(b) Additional CA	:	-
	(c) Penal CA	:	-
	(d) Catchment Area Treatment	:	-
	(e) Wildlife Management Plan	:	-
	(f) Additional charges for diversion of area falling under notified/protected areas	:	-
	(g) Net Present Value	:	0/-
	(h) Any other charges/Levies (pl.specify)	:	-
Total for Government of India		:	0/-

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(Dr. Shobhita Agarwal)
 Deputy Conservator of Forest
 Social Forestry Division, Girsomanath