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No. Desk-17/NC/RS-1/1493/16-17

Nagpur - 440 001, Date : 11/11/2016

To,

Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Central),  
Ministry of Environment, Forests, and Climate Change,  
Regional Office, Ground Floor, East wing, New Secretariat Building,  
Civil Lines, Nagpur-440001

Sub:- Diversion of 32.21 ha. Of Forest land in favour of Deputy General Manager, Power Grid Corporation of India Limite., for construction of 765 KV D/C Hyderabad-Wardha Transmission Line in Pandahrkawada Forest Division, Yavatmal District in the State of Maharashtra-regarding.

Ref:- 1.Regional Office, of MoEF & CC, Government of India, Nagpur's letter F.No. FC-II/MH-44/2016-NGP/984,dt.5/10/2016.  
2. This office letter No. Desk-17/NC/RS-1/ID-11238/1231,dt.06/10/2016.  
3. Chief Conservator of Forests (T), Yavatmal letter No. Desk-10/ FCA/ 1065,dt. 10/11/2016.

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Sir,

Regional Office of Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Government of India, Nagpur vide letter under reference No.1 has sought information as per the observation of the Regional Empowered Committee as indicated in its meeting held on 28/9/2016. Accordingly, the Chief Conservator of Forest (T), Yavatmal vide letter under reference No. 3 has submitted the compliance report of the Deputy Conservator of Forest, Pandharkawada letter No.DCF/Forest Proposal/WRD-HYD/CAland 1542/2016,dt.25/10/2016 (copy enclosed). The Deputy Conservator of Forest, Pandharkawada has informed that the alternate compensatory afforestation land is not required as encroachment over the actual proposed compensatory afforestation land has now been fully removed and the photographs and site inspection report of Deputy Conservator of Forests, Pandharkawada are enclosed herewith as Annexure- I & II. As regard the provision of fencing and watchmen the Deputy Conservator of Forest, Pandharkawada has mentioned in his compliance report that it is already included in compensatory scheme and estimate submitted alongwith the original proposal submitted to Government of India for prior approval under FCA,1980. He as further clarified that the Trench Cum Mount is proposed and if required, barbed wire fencing will be done. However, since no compensatory land is proposed to be changed, the Kml/shape files, DGPS maps also remain the same already submitted alongwith the original proposal.

In view of the above, it is requested that the Government of India may kindly be moved for approval under Section-2(ii) of the Forest (Conservation) Act-1980, at the earliest.

Encl:- As above

Your's faithfully,

Addl. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests  
& Nodal Officer,  
Maharashtra State, Nagpur.

10/11/2016

Copy with enclosure submitted to Secretary (Forests), Revenue & Forest Deptt., Mantralaya, Mumbai for information.

Copy to Chief Conservator of Forests (T), Yavatmal for information.