



STATE FOREST HEADQUARTERS, ODISHA
OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL CHIEF CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS & HoFF
PLOT NO. GD-2/12, ARANYA BHAWAN, CHANDRASEKHARPUR
BHUBANESWAR-751023

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Memo No. 4145 /9F(Trans) - 369/2021

Dated, Bhubaneswar, the 19th February' 2024

From

Shri Susanta Nanda, IFS
Principal Chief Conservator of Forests
(Forest Diversion and Nodal Officer, FC Act)
O/o the PCCF & HoFF, Odisha, Bhubaneswar

To

The Deputy Director General of Forests (Central)
Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change
Regional Office, A/3, Chandrasekharapur
Bhubaneswar-751023

Sub: Diversion of 48.782 ha of forest land for construction of 220 KV LILO Transmission line from existing LoC No. 70 of 220 KV Malkangiri-Balimela Transmission line to existing 220/33 KV Grid Sub-station, Khairput, Govindpalli under Malkangiri Forest Division in Malkangiri District by OPTCL, EHT (Construction) Division, Jeypore, Odisha – Compliance to GoI observations regarding.

Ref:- Letter No.5-ORA487/2021-BHU dated 31.07.2023 of the Scientist 'D', GoI, MoEF & CC, Regional Office, Bhubaneswar.

Sir,

In inviting a kind reference to above memo on the captioned subject, it is to inform you that the RCCF, Koraput Circle has furnished the detail action taken report as sought for by the Govt. of India which is as under:-

1. The Tahasildar, Kudumulugumma has instituted encroachment cases against representatives of the User Agency i.e. Dy. General Manager (Elect.), EHT (Construction) Division, OPTCL, Jeypore under Section 4, 6 & 7 of the O.P.L.E. Act, 1972. Further, the Tahasildar, Kudumulugumma has demanded penalty amount of Rs 52,227/- towards encroachment of revenue forest land against the User Agency which has been deposited vide Cheque No.048136 dated 09.01.2024. The copy of the letter No.182 dated 11.01.2024 of Addl. District Magistrate, Malkangiri alongwith its enclosures are enclosed as **Annexure-A**.

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- Further, the Range Officer, Balimela has booked a case under OR Case No.79 of 2023-24 against the OPTCL for violation of the provision under Section 37 (C) of Odisha Forest Act, 1972 which is enclosed as **Annexure-B**.

In view of the above, the compliance to the observations dated 31.07.2023 of the Govt. of India, MoEF & CC, Regional Office, Bhubaneswar is sent herewith for favour of kind information and necessary action.

Encl: Compliance in one set


Yours faithfully


Principal Chief Conservator of Forests
Forest Diversion & Nodal Officer, FC Act

Memo No. 4146 /Dt. 19.02.2024

Copy alongwith its enclosures forwarded to the Addl. Chief Secretary to Government, FE&CC Department, Govt. of Odisha for favour of kind information and necessary action with reference to Letter No.5-ORA487/2021-BHU dated 31.07.2023 of the Scientist 'D', GoI, MoEF & CC, Regional Office, Bhubaneswar.

Encl-As above


Principal Chief Conservator of Forests
Forest Diversion & Nodal Officer, FC Act

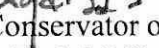
Memo No. 4147 /Dt. 19.02.2024

Copy forwarded to the Regional Chief Conservator of Forests, Koraput Circle for information and necessary action with reference to his Memo No. 421 dated 31.01.2024.


Principal Chief Conservator of Forests
Forest Diversion & Nodal Officer, FC Act


Memo No. 4148 /Dt. 19.02.2024

Copy forwarded to the Divisional Forest Officer, Malkangiri Division for information and necessary action with reference to Memo No. 422 dated 31.01.2024 of RCCF, Koraput Circle.


Principal Chief Conservator of Forests
Forest Diversion & Nodal Officer, FC Act

Memo No. 4149 /Dt. 19.02.2024

Copy forwarded to the Deputy General Manager (Elcct.), EHT (Construction) Division, OPTCL, Jeypore, Odisha, Pin-764001 for information and necessary action Letter No.5-ORA487/2021-BHU dated 31.07.2023 of the Scientist 'D', GoI, MoEF & CC, Regional Office, Bhubaneswar.


Principal Chief Conservator of Forests
Forest Diversion & Nodal Officer, FC Act

COLLECTORATE: MALKANGIRI
(Revenue Section)

Annexure - A

No. 182 /XXII-15/2024

Date: 11/01/2024

The Divisional Forest Officer,
Malkangiri Forest Division, Malkangiri.

Sub: Proposal for diversion of forest land(48.782 Ha.) for construction of 220/KV LILO Transmission line from existing Balimela-Malkangiri 220/KV line to Grid Sub-Station, Khairput, Govindapalli, Malkangiri district.

Ref: 1)Your letter No.4692, dated:15.11.2023.
2)This office Memo No.3296, dated:18.11.2023.

Sir,

With reference to the letter on the subject cited above, I am directed to submit herewith the action taken report for erection of tower in Revenue Forest land under Kudumuluguma Tahasil.

In response to the above letter, the Tahasildar, Kudumulugumma was instructed to submit the action taken report to the undersigned vide this office letter No.3294, dated:18.11.2023 with a copy to you in the memo NO.3296, dated:18.11.2023.

The Tahasildar, Kudumulugumma has submitted the action taken report vide his letter No.46, dated:10.01.2024 (copy enclosed).

The details of the Action Taken Report is as follows.

1).The Tahasildar, Kudumulugumma has instituted Encroachment cases against OPTCL represented by DGM(Elect.)EHT Construction Division, Jeypore under section 4,6&7 of the O.P.L.E.Act,1972.

2)Notice was issued on dated:03.01.2024 to attend the court on 08.012024 for hearing the case.

3)The encroacher .i.e OPTCL represented by the DGM(Elect.), EHT Construction Division, Jeypore has admitted about the construction of an electric towers on Revenue Forest Land without any prior permission from competent authority or statutory clearance from the concerned department.

4)Accordingly the notice in Form-A & B has been issued to the encroacher .i.e OPTCL/DGM(Elec.),EHT Construction Division, Jeypore.

5)Assessment was made under section 4 of OPLE Act,1972 and penalty imposed under section 6 of the said Act for unauthorized occupation on the above mentioned government land on the encrocher .i.e DGM(Elect.), EHT Construction Division, Jeypore.

6)The encroacher .i.e OPTCL/DGM(Elect.), EHT Construction Division, Jeypore has deposited the same accordingly.

7)The encroacher.i.e OPTCL/DGM(Elect.), EHT Construction Division, Jeypore was summarily instructed to stop further construction activity in the encroached Govt. land u/s 7 of the said Act till issuance of statutory clearances from the competent authority.

This is for favour of kind information and necessary action.

Yours faithfully,

Addl. Dist. Magistrate,
Malkangiri.

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To his copy attached

Asst. Conservator of Forest
Malkangiri Forest Division
MALKANGIRI

Memo No. 183 /2024

Dated: 11 /01/2024

Copy to the Tahsildar, Kudumulugumma for information and necessary action.

✓ *[Signature]*
Addl. District Magistrate,
Malkangiri 24

Memo No. 184 /2024

Dated: 11 /01/2024

Copy to the Sub-Collector, Malkangiri for information and necessary action.

✓ *[Signature]*
Addl. District Magistrate,
Malkangiri 24

Memo No. 185 /2024

Dated: 11 /01/2024

Copy to the Dy.General Manager (Elect), EHT (Construction) Division, OPTCL, Jeypore for information and necessary action.

✓ *[Signature]*
Addl. District Magistrate,
Malkangiri 24

OFFICE OF THE TAHASILDAR, KUDUMULUGUMMA

Letter No: 46 /2024

Dtd. 10 /01/2024

To

The Additional District Magistrate,
Malkangiri

Sub: Action taken by undersigned on unauthorised construction of towers on govt. land (revenue forest land) for construction of 220 KV LILO Transmission line from 220 KV Balimela – Malkangiri line to 220/33 KV GSS Govindpali.

Ref: Your office letter No. 3294/XXII-15/2023 Dated 18.11.23.

Sir,

In inviting a reference to the letter on the subject cited above I am to intimate that on receipt of the intimation of encroachment of Government land encroachment cases was initiated against OPTCL, represented by **DGM (Elect), EHT Construction Division, Jeypore** u/s 4, 6, & 7 of the O.P.L.E. Act, 1972 and show cause was issued on dated **03.01.2024**.

The encroacher represented by **DGM (Elect), EHT Construction Division, Jeypore**, remained present on the date of hearing on **08.01.2024** and admitted about the construction of an electric towers on Revenue Forest Land without any prior permission or Statutory Clearance from concerned departments. Accordingly, "the KA & KHA" form has been issued to the encroacher. The encroacher was assessed under section 4 of OPLE Act 1972 and penalty was imposed under section 6 of the said Act for unauthorised occupation on the above mentioned government land. The encroacher has deposited the same accordingly.

Further after due procedure u/s 7 of the act the encroacher was summarily instructed to stop further construction activity till issuance of statutory clearances from competent authority

This is for your information and necessary action.

Yours faithfully,

Tous Copy attached

[Signature]
29.01.24
Asst. Conservator of Forest
Malkangiri Forest Division
MALKANGIRI

Tahasidar Kudumulugumma
[Signature]
10.1.24

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ODISHA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED

(A Govt. of Odisha Undertaking)

Regd. Office: Janpath, Bhubaneswar-751022

OFFICE OF THE Dy. GENERAL MANAGER (ELECTRICAL)

E.H.T. (CONSTRUCTION) DIVISION, JEYPORE.

E mail: ehtc.div.jpr@optcl.co.in, Tel: 06854-232682

CIN: U40102OR2004SGC007553



Letter No. 23⁽⁴⁾

Date: 12.01.2024

To,

The Divisional Forest Officer,
Malkangiri, Odisha

Sub:- Proposal for Diversion of forest land (48.782 Ha) for construction of 220 KV L.L.O Transmission line from existing Balimela-Malkangiri 220KV Line to Grid Sub-station, Khairput, Govindpalli, Malkangiri District.
(Proposal No. FP/OR/TRANS/50828/2020)

Ref: 1. This office Letter No. 07(2), Dtd. 09.01.2024
2. Letter No. 03/2024, Dtd. 08.01.2024 of Revenue Inspector, Kudumuluguma
Sir,

In inviting a kind reference to the above captioned subject, it is to intimate you that Revenue Inspector, Kudumuluguma had instructed to deposit a penalty of an amount Rs. 52,227/- (Rupees Fifty Two Thousand Two Hundred Twenty Seven) only towards encroachment under O.P.L.E Act 1972 as per letter under reference (2) towards unauthorized construction of Tower Line on reference forest Land.

In this regard, the same was deposited to Revenue Department in the shape of cheque No. 048136, Dtd. 09.01.2024, (Bank Name-UBI) towards the penalty assessment.

This is for favour of kind information and necessary action

Enc: As above

[Signature]
29.01.24
Asst. Conservator of Forest
Malkangiri Forest Division

[Signature]
29/1/24
MALKANGIRI

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1. Executive Director, Southern Zone, Berhampur for favour of kind information
2. GM(Ele.), EHT(C) Circle, Rayagada for favour of kind information.
3. SDO(Ele.), EHT(C) Sub-division, Malkangiri for information and necessary action

Yours faithfully,

[Signature] 13/1/24
Deputy General Manager (Ele.),
EHT(C) Division, Jeypore.
Dy. General Manager (Elect)
EHT (Const) Division
OPTCL, Jeypore

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ODISHA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED
(A Govt. of Odisha Undertaking)

Regd. Office: Jaipath, Bhubaneswar-751022

OFFICE OF THE DY. GENERAL MANAGER (ELECTRICAL)
E.H.T. (CONSTRUCTION) DIVISION, KEVPUR(KORAPUT)

AT OPICE BUILDING (1ST FLOOR), POWER HOUSE CHOWK, KEVPUR-764001
E-mail: ehct.div.opmpt@opcl.com, Call: 06746208200/0674620753



Letter No. 01 (2)

Date: 09/01/2024

To: The Revenue Inspector,
Kudumulgumma.

Sub: Regarding deposit of assessment and penalty.

Ref: Your letter No.03/2024, Dtd. 08/01/2024

With reference to the subject cited above, and as per the order of the Tahasildar Kudumulgumma through "J" Form vide Encroachment case no- 606/2023 to 626/2023, please find enclosed herewith the cheque no.- 048136 dtd. 09.01.2024 amounting to Rs. 52,227.00 (Rupees Fifty Two Thousand Two Hundred Twenty Seven) only towards deposit of assessment and penalty for 220 kV Govindpali LIL0 Line.

This is for your information and necessary action.

Yours faithfully,

Encl: As above

Dy. General Manager (Elect.)

CC to:-

1. The Tahasildar, Kudumulgumma for information and necessary action.

Received cheque no- 048136
dated 09.01.2024 of amount
52,227/-

10/1/24
Revenue Inspector
Kudumulgumma

True copy attached

29.01.24
Asst. Conservator of Forest
Malkangiri Forest Division
MALKANGIRI

जयपुर शाखा, कोरपुट - 764001
JAYPORE BRANCH
KORAPUT-764001
IFS Code - UBIN002603

DATE 04.01.2024

Tahasildar, Kudumuluqumam

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Signature OR BEARER

RUPEES fifty two thousand two hundred and twenty seven only

₹ 52,227/-

A/c No. 026011011000505

Cheque No. 02048136

For EHT (ELECT) EHT CONST DIVISION

Manoj Kumar Samay

Dy. General Manager (Elect)

EHT (Const) Division

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True copy attached

Dy. General Manager (Elect)
EHT (Const) Division
OPTCL, Jeypore

Samay 29.01.24
Asst. Conservator of Forest
Malkangiri Forest Division
MALKANGIRI
29/1/24

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE INSPECTOR, KUDUMULUGUMMA

Letter No- 03/2024

Dated- 08/01/24

To

The Dy.General Manager(Electrical)
E.H.T.(C) Division, Jeypore OPTCL.


Sub- Regarding deposit of assessment and penalty.

Sir,

In inviting the above reference and as per the order of the Tahasildar, Kudumulugumma through "J" Form vide Encroachment case no- 606/2023 to 626/2023, you are hereby requested to deposit the amount of rupees Rs- 52227/- (Rupees fifty two thousand two hundred twenty seven rupees only) in shape of cheque/ cash within 7 days.

This is for favor of your kind information and necessary action.

Yours faithfully


Revenue Inspector
Kudumulugumma
Revenue Inspector
Kudumulugumma

Dated-08/01/2024

Memo No _____/2024

Copy submitted to Tahasildar, Kudumulugumma for favor of kind information and necessary action.

Two copy attached


29.01.24
Asst. Conservator of Forest
Malkangiri Forest Division
MALKANGIRI
29/1/24

-Sd-

Revenue Inspector
Kudumulugumma

OR No.-79 of 2023-24
Forest Department, Orissa

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Note -This report is to be submitted within 24 hours of this detection

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Offence Report No. 2/2023/24

Date 13.11.2023

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ତାରିଖ.....

1 Place of occurrence-- Tadakota PRF . 1) N18. 288093 E 82.102352
2) N18. 286562 E 82.100186
ଘଟଣା ସ୍ଥଳ-- 3) N18. 285387 E 82. 097144

2. Date and hour of detection-- Date - 13.11.2023 at 09.00 AM

ଅପରାଧ ଯାହା ସମୟ ଓ ତାରିଖ--

3 Name (s), parentage and residence of offer ders-- Saikat Maity, S/O - Sambhu nath Maity, Address - Mirzapur, Alafi, Hooghly, West Bengal
ଅପରାଧୀ ଓ ତାଙ୍କ ପିତାଙ୍କ ନାମ, ବାସସ୍ଥାନ, ଜନ୍ମସ୍ଥାନ-- West Bengal
Tous Copy attached

4. Property seized, if any-- Brushwood - 3 Kld

ଅପରାଧୀ ଯାହା ଯାହା, ତାହାର ବିବରଣୀ--

29.01.24
Asst. Conservator of Forest
Malkangiri Forest Division
MALKANGIRI

5. Custody of seized property-- Sadasiba chinara, Forester Sonmathpur

ଅପରାଧୀ ଯାହା ଯାହା ଜିମାଦାର--

6. Name of parentage and residence of witness(es), if any-- Mangla Suabi S/O - Dinu Suabi Vill / PO - Sonmathpur, P.O - Orkel, DIST -

ସାକ୍ଷୀ କେହି ଥିଲେ, ତାଙ୍କ ପିତାଙ୍କ ନାମ, ବାସସ୍ଥାନ, ଜନ୍ମସ୍ଥାନ-- Malkangiri.

7. Nature of offence and facts of the case-- From field visit along with forest guard, Tadakota Beat I came to know that 3 nos. of OPCL power transmission towers had already been installed inside Tadakota PRF. The towers erected borders to boundary line in an unauthorised manner, with the direction framed mentioned in column no. - 3 since long time as stated by the FIC concern & local persons which violates the provisions of Odisha forest Act 1972 s/33(c). So I draw a FIR after perm of Cezure lat at the spot for further course of legal action.



ବନାଞ୍ଚଳ ଅଧିକାରୀଙ୍କ କାର୍ଯ୍ୟାଳୟ, ବାଲିମେଳା ବନାଞ୍ଚଳ , ବାଲିମେଳା ।
 OFFICE OF THE FOREST RANGE OFFICER, BALIMELA RANGE, BALIMELA.
 Tele/ Fax No. 06861- 291206 e-mail- balimelaforestrangeoffice@gmail.com



Memo No. 29 /
 Dated, Malkangiri, the 18th January, 2024.

To
 Mr. Soumya Sucharit Senapati
 S.D.O. (Elect.), EHT (C) Division, Malkangiri
 At- Daniguda.
 Po- Panchabati
 Dist-Malkangiri

Sub:- Summon to personal appearance and record your statement under 41 (c) Cr.P.C.

Sir,
 You have been summoned to appear before the authorized officer and record your statement under section 41 (c) of Cr.Pc related to case no./OR no.- 79 of 2023-24 on Dated- 03.02.2024.

This may be treated as urgent.

True copy attached

Amund
 29.01.2024
 Asst. Conservator of Forest
 Malkangiri Forest Division
 MALKANGIRI

18/1/24
 Forest Range Officer
 Balimela Range