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TAMIL NADU FOREST DEPARTMENT

From

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The Conservator of Forests, Dharmapuri Circle, Dharmapuri

C. No. 908 / 2020 / D, dated 21-07-2022

Sir,

Sub

Forest (Conservation) Act 1980 – Dharmapuri Circle / Dharmapuri Forest Division - Proposal for diversion of 5.00 ha of Forest land in Pallipatti, Thombakkal and Thombakkal Extension Reserved Forests of Harur Range in Dharmapuri Forest Division for approach road from Vachathi to Kalasapadi via Arasanatham and Poigundanvalasu Tribal habitations in Sitheri Panchayat in Pappireddipatty Taluk, Dharmapuri District – Online submission of proposal by the User Agency – The Block Development Officer, Pappireddipatty – Submission of Rectified proposal - Regarding.

To

- 1) The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Forest Force), Chennai C.No. TS3 / 37648 / 2021 dated 06-07-2022.
- 2) The Conservator of Forests, Dharmapuri Circle, Dharmapuri. Endt. No. 441 / 2020 / D dated 07-07-2022. (Parivesh Web Portal)
- 3) This office Ref.No.908/2020/D Dt.07.07.2022 and 15.07.2022
- 4) The Conservator of Forests, Dharmapuri Circle, Dharmapuri.Ref.No.441/2020/D Dt.18.07.2022

I submit to state that the short comings pointed out and the justifications called for by the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests in reference 1st cited above are furnished as follows:

Justification:

(i) Protection from both biotic & abiotic factors is very much needed in the initial years of plantation for good growth and establishment of trees. Thus engagement of one protection mazdoor for 3 years period has been proposed for protection from anthropogenic activities, grazing and fire in addition to chain link fence which gives protection against cattle and wildlife browsing only.

(ii) From the 3rd year maintenance to 10th year maintenance period, cost

estimate arrived for the amount proposed in the abstract of CA scheme is furnished.

(iii) The work cost estimate for chain link fencing work based on 2021-2022

years rate is prepared and furnished.

The Compensatory Afforestation cost has again reviewed with reference to the instructions issued by the Conservator of Forests, Dharmapuri Circle in the reference 4th cited above. Accordingly the Compensatory Afforestation in Non Forest land Over an extent of 10.00Ha comes to Rs.1,10,80,500.00 and the Compensatory

Afforestation cost in degraded Forest land Over an extent of 5.00Ha comes to

Rs.47,59.500.00

As regards to Chain link fencing the PWD SSR of 2018-2019 was previously

adopted , now it has been estimated with reference to 2021-2022 PWD SSR and the

total estimate cost works out Rs.6,570,000 (For Both Non Forest land and Degraded

Forest Land)

Since the Degraded Forest land is manage by this Forest Division through the

Front line staffs, Hence the Engagement of protection mazdoor has been

discontinued from previous original proposal.

Under the Circumstances I request that revised Compensatory Afforestation

proposal for 10.00Ha in Non Forest land and 5.00Ha in Degraded Forest land may

kindly be considered and Accepted.

Yours faithfully

Sd/-K.V. Appala Naidu District Forest Officer.

Dharmapuri Forest Division.

Dharmapuri.

Enclosure: As stated above. (In quadruplicate)

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