



**STATE FOREST HEADQUARTERS
OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL CHIEF CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS, ODISHA,
BHUBANESWAR**

No. 590 /9F (Road) - 36/2017
Dated, Bhubaneswar the 11th January, 2021

To

The Additional Chief Secretary to Government,
Forest & Environment Department,
Government of Odisha, Bhubaneswar.

Sub:- Proposal for repair, maintenance and black topping of part of Sagadapata- Kanto Forest Road i.e. from Khadibahali Chowk to Palbani over a length of 9.5 km through Atei RF and Revenue Forest involving forest area of 4.746ha (Atei RF 2.419ha and Revenue Forest- 2.327ha) under Mukshya Mantri Sadak Yojana (MMSY) for 2015-16 in Keonjhar District(within jurisdiction of Keonjhar(WL) Division) by Executive Engineer, Rural Works Division, Anandapur, Dist-Keonjhar.

Ref:- Memo No. 4378/F&E dated 24.02.2018 of Special Secretary to Government, F&E Department.

Madam,

In inviting a reference to the aforementioned subject, the Government of Odisha, Forest & Environment Department have accorded permission in favour of the Executive Engineer, Rural Works Division, Anandapur, Dist- Keonjhar vide Memo No. 4378/F&E dated 24.02.2018 of Special Secretary to Government, F&E Department for upgradation of Forest Road of 9.5 km from Khadibahali Chowk to Palbani involving forest area of 4.746 ha of forest land comprising of 2.419 ha of Atei RF (Patch-I 1.036 ha, Patch-II 1.383 ha) and 2.327 ha of Revenue forest land (Sagadapata 1.372 ha and Palabanihanumantaduma 0.955 ha) under MMSY subject to fulfilment of Twenty (20) nos. of conditions stipulated therein. The user agency has complied all conditions imposed by the State Government which have been duly processed by the DFO, Keonjhar(WL) Division, Anandapur and FD, STR-cum-RCCF, Baripada Circle. The compliances in detail as received from the FD, STR-cum-RCCF, Baripada Circle are furnished below:

Condition No. (1): - The forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the proposal.

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the User Agency has furnished an undertaking that the forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the proposal which is enclosed as **Annexure – 1.**

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Condition No. (2): - No widening of road shall be undertaken without prior permission of GoI, MoEF&CC under the FC Act,1980.

Compliance-: In compliance to the above, the User Agency has furnished an undertaking that no widening of road shall be undertaken without prior permission of GoI, MoEF & CC under the FC Act,1980 which is enclosed as **Annexure – 2.**

Condition No. (3): - No tree felling in the area shall be allowed nor shall fresh breaking of forest area be permitted. Improvement of the road shall be restricted to the existing width of the forest road (5 mt.) to be upgraded under the project.

Compliance-: In compliance to the above, the User Agency has furnished an undertaking that no tree felling in the area shall be done nor shall fresh breaking of forest area be done and improvement of the road shall be restricted to the existing width of the forest road (5 mt.) to be upgraded which is enclosed as **Annexure – 3.**

Condition No. (4): - No crushing/ breaking of stones shall be allowed inside forest areas. Readymade materials shall be used for construction of the concrete structure.

Compliance-: In compliance to the above, the User Agency has furnished an undertaking that no crushing/ breaking of stones shall be allowed inside forest areas and readymade materials will be used for construction of the concrete structure which is enclosed as **Annexure – 4.**

Condition No. (5): - No labour camps shall be established on the forest land.

Compliance-: In compliance to the above, the User Agency has furnished an undertaking that no labour camps shall be established on the forest land which is enclosed as **Annexure – 5.**

Condition No. (6): - Fuel wood required to be provided to the labourers engaged for the purpose of improvement of the road, shall be procured in advance from the depots of Odisha Forest Development Corporation Ltd. or any authorized sources.

Compliance-: In compliance to the above, the User Agency has furnished an undertaking that fuel wood required to be provided to the labourers engaged for the purpose of improvement of the road, shall be procured in advance from the depots of Odisha Forest Development Corporation Ltd. or any authorized sources which is enclosed as **Annexure – 6.**

Condition No. (7): - No work shall be allowed after sunset.

Compliance-: In compliance to the above, the User Agency has furnished an undertaking that no construction work shall be done after sunset which is enclosed as **Annexure – 7.**

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Condition No. (8): - As suggested by PCCF, Odisha, Avenue Plantation activities by the DFO, Keonjhar Wildlife Division, shall be taken up along the road immediately at project cost.

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the FD, STR-cum-RCCF, Baripada Circle has reported that a Scheme for Avenue Plantation over 9.5 RKM amounting to Rs. 15,82,500/- prepared by DFO, Keonjhar(WL) division, Anandapur has been communicated to the User Agency vide his Letter No. 1366 dt.20.04.2018. The User Agency has furnished an undertaking to carry out Avenue Plantation at the project cost under the supervision of the Divisional Forest Officer, Keonjhar(WL) Division, Anandapur . which is enclosed as **Annexure – 8**.

Condition No. (9): Both sides of the upgraded roads shall be reinforced with brick/ stone works and vegetative measures to check soil erosion at project cost in consultation with the DFO.

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the User Agency has furnished an undertaking that both sides of the upgraded roads shall be reinforced with brick/ stone works and vegetative measures to check soil erosion at project cost in consultation with the Divisional Forest Officer, Keonjhar Wildlife Division, Anandapur which is enclosed as **Annexure – 9**.

Condition No. (10): - Any damage to forest area due to such up-gradation works shall be compensated by the User Agency at the project cost as per assessment of the DFO.

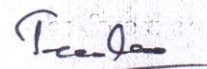
Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the User Agency has furnished an undertaking that any damage to forest area due to such upgradation works shall be compensated by the User Agency at the project cost as per assessment of the Divisional Forest Officer, Keonjhar Wildlife Division, Anandapur which is enclosed as **Annexure – 10**.

Condition No. (11): - For black-topping of the road, bitumen cold mix shall be prepared outside the forest or at a site approved by the DFO, Keonjhar Wildlife Division.

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the User Agency has furnished an undertaking that for black-topping of the road, bitumen cold mix shall be prepared outside the forest or at a site approved by the Divisional Forest Officer, Keonjhar Wildlife Division, Anandapur which is enclosed as **Annexure – 11**.

Condition No. (12): - The Project authority shall maintain curves of the road inside the forest, if any and will not straighten the same.

Compliance:- In compliance to the above, the User Agency has furnished an undertaking that they shall maintain curves of the road inside the forest, if any and will not straighten the same which is enclosed as **Annexure – 12**.



Condition No. (13): - The Project authority shall install speed breakers and speed control signage at regular intervals to avoid accident with wild animals.

Compliance-: In compliance to the above, the User Agency has furnished an undertaking to install speed breakers and speed control signage at regular intervals to avoid accident with wild animals which is enclosed as **Annexure – 13**.

Condition No. (14): - Forest Department will establish permanent check posts on the road, if considered necessary.

Compliance-: In compliance to the above, the FD, STR-cum-RCCF, Baripada Circle has reported that after completion of road, permanent check post will be established if considered necessary by the DFO, Keonjhar(WL) division.

Condition No. (15): - Since intention of allowing permission for up-gradation of the forest road is to provide all weather road to the commuters, the project authority shall try to maintain the road surface as rough as possible to act as regular speed governor, even if it means going below the standards prescribed for the particular class of roads.

Compliance-: In compliance to the above, the User Agency has furnished an undertaking to maintain the road surface as rough as possible to act as regular speed governor, even if it means going below the standards prescribed for the particular class of roads which is enclosed as **Annexure – 14**.

Condition No. (16): - The project authority shall provide proper drainage facility on both sides of the road to be upgraded at their cost.

Compliance-: In compliance to the above, the User Agency has furnished an undertaking to provide proper drainage facility on both sides of the road to be upgraded at the project cost which is enclosed as **Annexure – 15**.

Condition No. (17): - The Permission granted by the State Government shall be subject to the monitoring by the ERO, GoI, MoEF & CC.

Compliance-: In compliance to the above, the FD, STR-cum-RCCF, Baripada Circle has reported that regular monitoring will be carried out by field officials.

Condition No. (18): - Any other condition that, the DFO may impose from time to time for protection and improvement of flora and fauna in the forest area.

Compliance-: In compliance to the above, the User Agency has furnished an undertaking to comply any other condition that, the DFO may impose from time to time for protection and improvement of flora and fauna in the forest area which is enclosed as **Annexure –16**.

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Condition No. (19): - The User Agency will carry out the work under the supervision of the DFO.

Compliance-: In compliance to the above, the User Agency has furnished an undertaking to carry out the work under the supervision of the Divisional Forest Officer, Keonjhar Wildlife Division, Anandapur which is enclosed as **Annexure -17**.


Condition No. (20): - Any deviation to the conditions prescribed above while upgrading the forest road under MMSY by the project proponent, the same shall be taken note of and reported by the DFO, Keonjhar WL Division immediately to the State Govt./ PCCF, Odisha, RCCF, Baripada/ ERO, MoEF&CC along with action taken at his level against the project proponent, if any.

Compliance-: In compliance to the above, the DFO, Keonjhar(WL) division, Anandapur has reported that any deviation to the conditions prescribed above while upgrading the forest road under MMSY by the project proponent shall be taken note of and reported to the State Govt./ PCCF, Odisha/RCCF, Baripada/ERO, MoEF & CC along with action taken against the project proponent.

In view of the above, the compliance to the conditions imposed by the Government of Odisha, F&E Department is sent herewith for kind information and necessary action.

Encl - Compliance in one set

Yours faithfully,


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


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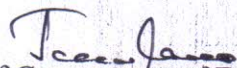
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