

Government of Maharashtra

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Revenue and Forest Department,
Mantralaya, Mumbai- 400 032.
Dated:- 15.01.2025

To,
Deputy Director General of Forests (Central),
Regional Office, MoEF&CC,
Government of India,
Civil Lines, Nagpur.

Subject:- Forest Land-Pune

Diversion of 17.25 ha. forest land under of Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam 1980 in favour of MSETCL,Pune for construction of proposed 400 KV D/C line from 400 KV Jejuri Substation to proposed 400 KV Hinjewadi substation in Pune District in the State of Maharashtra.

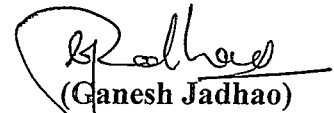
Ref:- Your Office Letter No. FC-II / MH-159 / 2021-NGP / 12877,
Dt.14.02.2024.

Regional Office, MoEF&CC, Government of India, Nagpur has informed to get the issue legally examined by the Government and furnish the legal opinion from the State law department and resubmit for further examination of the same, vide letter under reference.

2. Accordingly, State Law and Judiciary Department have given their legal opinion as follow:-

“Considering, the above observations of the Hon'ble Supreme Court the status-quo means the position as it was on the date of the order i.e. 28/01/2019, will have to be maintained until further orders, if any. Therefore, it is not advisable to grant the permission in the matter in respect of properties involved in Civil Appeal No. 5454 of 2019 and other connected matters, without permission of the Hon'ble Supreme Court, in the pending Civil Appeal or till vacation of the status-quo.”

3. The above legal opinion is submitted for further necessary action in the matter.


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