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Tamil Nadu Forest Department

From:
Tmt. R.Padmawathe, I.F.S.,
Chief Conservator of Forests
& Field Director,
Srivilliputhur Megamalai Tiger
Reserve Madurai-2

To
The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests
(Head of Forest Force),
Chennai - 32.

C.No.10490/2021/D1, Dated: 24.07.2023

Sir,

Sub: Forest - Forest(Conservation) Act, 1980 - Madurai Circle,
Theni Forest Division - Proposal for diversion of 0.193 Ha of
forest land for laying of underground OFC along Cumbum -
Kumuli NH road from lower camp to Kumuli through
Suranganar RF- online proposal submission by the User
Agency ie. Jio Digital Fibre private Ltd Chennai- Additional
details called for report submission of - Regarding

- Ref:
1. User Agency (JIO Digital Fibre private Ltd Chennai)
Online Proposal Ref: FP/TN/OFC/116522/2020
 2. Conservator of Forest and Field Director
Srivilliputhur Megamalai Tiger Reserve, Madurai
C.No :10490/2021/D1,Dated:-22.09.2022.
 3. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Chennai,
Ref.No.TS4/48485/2020, Dated.06.01.2023
 4. District Forest Officer, Theni. Ref.No. D/7782/2018,
Dt.10.03.2023.
 5. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Chennai,
Ref.No.TS4/48485/2020, Dated.12.05.2023
 6. District Forest Officer, Theni. Ref.No. D/7782/2018,
Dt.12.07.2023.

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I Submit that, With reference to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests
letter 6th cited the District Forest Officer, Theni has submitted the proposal for detailos
of Compensatory Afforestation scheme over an extent of 0.193 Ha of Degraded Forest
Land identified in the degraded forest area of Suranganar Reserved Forests Theni

division and was uploaded in the portal. The total outlay for the Compensatory Afforestation scheme is Rs. 6.21 Lakhs. Including maintenance for ten years. The copy of the District Forest Officer, Theni report is submitted herewith for necessary further action.

This is for kind submission.

Encl : As above

Yours sincerely,
Sd/- R.Padmawathe,
Chief Conservator of Forests & Field Director,
Srivilliputhur Megamalai Tiger Reserve,
Madurai.

/t.c.b.o//

S. Govind Sankar
Senior Draughting Officer
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TAMILNADU FOREST DEPARTMENT
THENI FOREST DIVISION

From
Thiru.J.R.Samartha, IFS.,
District Forest Officer,
Theni Forest Division,
Theni.

To
The Conservator of Forests and Field
Director,
Srivilliputhur Megamalai Tiger
Reserve,
Madurai.

C.No.7782/2018/D, Dated:12.07.2023

Madam,

Sub: Forests – Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 – Madurai Circle / Theni Forest Division – Proposal for diversion of 0.193 Ha. of forest land for laying of underground OFC along Cumbum-Kumuli NH Road from Lower Camp to Kumuli through Suranganar RF by M/s.Jio Digital fibre ltd, Mylapore, Chennai – Additional details submission Reg.



Ref:

1. Online application submitted by M/s.Jio Digital fibre ltd, Mylapore, Chennai. (Proposal No: FP/TN/OFC/116522/2020.)
2. District Forest Officer, Theni. C.No:7782/2018/D, Dated:07.03.2022.
3. The Conservator of Forests and Field Director, SMTR, Madurai C.No:10490/2021/D1, Dated:29.03.2022.
4. District Forest Officer, Theni. C.No:7782/2018/D, Dated:20.08.2022 and 02.09.2022.
5. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Department) Chennai. C.No:TS4/48485/2020, Dated:06.01.2023.
6. District Collector, Theni. RoC.No:3794/2021/G7, Dated:27.08.2021.
7. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Department) Chennai. C.No:TS4/48485/2020, Dated:12.05.2023.

I Submit that the details as called in the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests Chennai reference 7th cited is furnished as follows:-

As per the provisions of chapter 2.5 under Part-B of Forest Conservation Act, 1980 guidelines, Compensatory afforestation shall be raised and maintained at the cost of user agency on degraded forest land twice the extent of forest area diverted for laying of telephone / optical fiber cable.

An extent of 0.193 Hectares of Forest land was proposed for this project. Total degraded forest land identified for compensatory afforestation for this project is an area of 1.00 hectares. An effective area

of 0.40 hectares will be selected in the Suranganar Reserve Forest of Cumbum west Range for Compensatory afforestation. A copy of the location marked in the toposheet, Site suitability certificate along with Compensatory Afforestation proposed estimates in triplicate copies are enclosed herewith.

This is for favour of kind information.

Encl: As stated above

Copy to
M/s.Jio Digital fibre ltd,
#88, Radhakrishnan Salai,
Mylapore,
Chennai.

//True Copy – By Order//

Yours Sincerely,
Sd/-J.R. Samartha,
District Forest Officer,
Theni Forest Division,
Theni.


Draughting Officer.