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No. Desk-17/Nodal/Gadchiroli/ID-12776(26A)/1088/2021-2022
Nagpur - 440 001, Date : 27-09/21

To,

The Deputy Director General (Central),
Government of India, Ministry of Environment,
Forest & Climate Change, Integrated Regional Office (WCZ),
Ground Floor, East Wing, New Secretariat Building,
Civil Lines, Nagpur-440001.

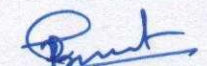
Sub:- Diversion of 2.0 ha. forest land under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 in favour of Superintendent of Police, Gadchiroli for construction of Administrative building and Residential Quarters of Arm Out Post at Village-Manerajaram, Dist. Gadchiroli in the State of Maharashtra-reg.

- Ref:- 1. Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change,
Regional Office, Nagpur letter No.F.No.FC-I/MH-218/2021-NGP/8014, dated
07/04/2021
2. The Conservator of Forests (T), Gadchiroli vide letter No.Desk-2(8)/land
/C.R.413/2021/546, dated 24/08/2021

Sir,

The Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Government of India, Regional Office, Nagpur vide letter under reference No.1 has sought compliance on 08 points. Accordingly, the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Bhamragad Division, Allapalli vide letter under reference No. 2 has submitted the compliance of shortcoming in this regard to this office. The compliance report as desired by Government of India vide letter dt.07/04/2021 is submitted as under:-

Sr.No.	Points	Compliance
i	Proposal has not yet been forwarded to Regional Office through online portal and is still pending at State Government level (Online Status as revealed on 06.04.2021 at 15.30 Hrs)	Proposal has now been forwarded to Regional Office through online portal
ii	Variation in KML file of area proposed for diversion uploaded in Parivesh portal and KML file submitted along with the proposal is observed. Soft copy of correct KML file along with Differential GPS in suitable scale of proposed area shall be submitted.	Correct KML file for proposed area is submitted herewith in C.D's as (Annexure No.I)
iii	Details on Progressive CA done till date in the Division is not mentioned by Deputy Conservator of Forests, Bhamragad Division, Allapalli, in his Part-II. Revised Part-II mentioning the same shall be submitted.	Deputy Conservator of Forests, Bhamragad Division, Allapalli, in his part II to be uploaded details of Progressive CA to be mentioned by shortly.


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iv	Part-V has not been uploaded on Parivesh Portal. The same shall be submitted and intimated to the Office.	Part-V shall be uploaded by the State Government
v	As per para 4.4.1 of the Handbook under FCA, 1980 activities mentioned in the proposal is not permissible in Forest Land. Justification for recommendation of instant proposal in Forest Land shall be submitted by State Government.	The User Agency has submitted compliance that "Justification of land proposed for setting up an Armed Out force at Mannerajaram has already been submitted along with the proposal submitted earlier." (Annexure No.II)
vi	Complete Enumeration list of trees proposed to be felled in the proposal has not been submitted. Girth wise list of trees along with species name shall be submitted.	Complete enumeration list of trees is enclosed herewith. (Annexure No.III)
vii	Since, General Approval was valid till 31.12.2020, land for Compensatory Afforestation has to be identified by the state Government and the same shall be submitted along with CA details viz., CA suitability certificate, site specific CA scheme KML file and Differential GPS map.	The Deputy Conservator of Forests, Pune Forest Division, Pune has proposed Compensatory Afforestation over 4.00 ha. degraded Forest land 4.00 ha. in Gut No.166, in Village Wadhane, Range Baramati, Dist. Pune. The Compensatory Afforestation KML file is submitted herewith and CA suitability certificate, site specific CA scheme, KML file and Differential GPS Map shall submitted shortly.
viii	Certificate Ensuring importance of Scheduled Tribes and other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006 is not submitted along with the proposal. Original FRA - 2006 Certificate along with documentary evidences in the form of copies of the resolutions of the concerned Forest Rights Committee(s), Gram Sabha(s), Sub-Division Level Committee(s), recording their consent for the proposal and bearing signatures of the participants shall be submitted. In addition to this, copies of record of proceedings of the Forest Rights Committee(s) may also be submitted.	<p>Government of India vide letter No.11-43/2013-FC, dt.3/12/2018 has issued guidelines regarding compliance of the Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forests Right) Act, 2006. As per these guidelines:-</p> <p><i>'Accordingly, it is clarified that within the time period stipulated for compliance of Stage I condition, Deputy Commissioner shall complete the process of compliance of FRA (including forwarding its findings to be concerned CF), hence for the purpose of the MoEF & CC, as per the provisions under the Forest (Conservation) amendment rules, 2016 the compliance under FRA is not required for consideration of in-principle approval. This has to be furnished by the State Government for consideration of the proposal by the Ministry for final approval'.</i></p> <p>Hence, the user agency has given an undertaking regarding the compliance under the Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006 has been applied and is under process and shall be submitted before in-principle approval. The copy of the same is enclosed herewith as (Annexure No.IV)</p>

In view of the above, it is requested that the Government of India may kindly be moved for approval under section-2 (ii) of the Forest (Conservation) Act-1980, at the earliest.

Encl:- As above

Yours sincerely,

25/9/21

(Naresh Zurmure)

**Addl. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests
& Nodal Officer**

Copy submitted to the Principal Secretary (Forests), Revenue & Forest Department., Mantralaya, Mumbai -32 for information.

Copy to the Conservator of Forests (T), Gadchiroli for information.

Copy to the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Bhamragad Divison, Allapalli for information

Copy to the Superintendent of Police, Gadchiroli for information