

TAMILNADU FOREST DEPARTMENT

From

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To

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests
(Head of the Department),
No.1 Jeenis Road, Saidapet,
Panagal Maligai
Chennai-600015

C.No. D/ 5348/2018, Dated: 30.03.2019.

Sir,

Sub : Forests – Forest (Conservation) Act 1980 – Tirunelveli Circle / Thoothukudi Forest Division / Thoothukudi Forest Range – Proposal for diversion of 0.4626ha Forest land for Improvement of Existing Korampallam surplus course bridge – VOC Port Trust – additional details submission – regarding.

- Ref: 1. Online application uploaded by the User Agency – Mr. Sudalai, Executive Engineer, VOC Port Trust Thoothukudi dt 27.09.2018 (FP/TN/Road /35317/2018)
2. Principal Chief Conservator of Forest, (HoD), Chennai Lr. No. TS4/42075/2018 dt: 03.10.2018
3. The Chief Conservator of Forest, Tirunelveli Lr No. 10392/2018 D dated 20.12.2018

In continuation of this office even no dated 04.12.2018. I submit that, I have inspected the proposed site of VOC Port trust, Thoothukudi on 28.03.2019. In the area, no felling of Mangroves is required during the execution of the project.

Hence, the proposal may be consider for further necessary action. This is for kind information.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/ K.Thirumal(a/c)
District Forest Officer.
Thoothukudi.

/True copy/by Order/


For Superintendent.

Site inspection Report of the District Forest Officer, Thoothukudi

I have inspected the proposed project site on 28.02.2019 along with User Agency for Widening of the bridge over Korampallam Surplus Course drainage at Mullakadu RF in Thoothukudi Forest Range. The proposed project area for diversion is around 0.4626 ha of in Mullakadu RF. The over bridge was already constructed by the Port Trust now improvement of Northern side for a length of 183.39 mts and to a width of 14.87mts i.e., 2727.009 sq.m and along the Southern side for a length of 265.38mt to a width of 7.10mts i.e 1884.19^{sq.m}sq.m. The total area comes for about 0.4611ha at Mullakadu RF. The Korampallam Surplus Couse Bridge is ^{the} only Connectivity to V.O.Chidambanar Port Trust to NH-45B(Madurai) and NH-7A (Tirunelveli) to cater all measures of import and export of cargos. There is flora like Mangrove of spontaneous growth found in the proposed site. No protected Archeological site is situated nearby. The land required also is only a barest minimum. No felling of Mangroves is required to carry out the project. Undertaking obtained from the user agency for carrying out work without felling of existing mangroves. *is enclosed.*

[Signature]
28/02/19

District Forest Officer
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