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**TAMILNADU FOREST DEPARMENT**

From  
Thiru. Deepak S. Bilgi, IFS.,  
Conservator of Forests and field  
Director, Srivilliputhur Megamalai  
Tiger Reserve, Madurai - 2.

To  
Principal Chief Conservator of Forests,  
(Head of Department)  
Chennai - 15.

**C.No.6361/2020/D1 Date:30.09.2021**

Sir,

Sub: Forests - Theni Forest Division - Diversion of Forest land of 0.02 Ha for laying underground Optical Fiber Cable along the road side across Paramasivankoil karadu RL(0.365Km) and Valkaradu RF(0.373Km) in Theni Taluk, Theni District to distance of 0.738 Km for providing 4G wireless Broadband - General permission requested - Copy of proposals sent - Acknowledgement requested - Reg.

- Ref: 1) Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Chennai. Ref.No.TS4/37431/2019, Dt.10.08.2021  
2) Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Madurai. Ref.No.6361/2020/D1, Dt.16.07.2021  
3) District Forest Officer, Theni. Ref.No.10649/2019/D, Dt.20.09.2021

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I submit that the additional details called for in the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests letter 1<sup>st</sup> cited has been received from the District Forest Officer, Theni vide reference 3<sup>rd</sup> cited. The report of District Forest Officer, Theni may be accepted and copy of the reference is also enclosed herewith for favour of kind perusal.

Encl:- As Stated above

Yours faithfully,

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

  
30/09/21

  
30/9/2021



**TAMILNADU FOREST DEPARTMENT**

From  
**Tmt. C. Vidhya, I.F.S.,**  
District Forest officer,  
Theni Forest Division,  
Theni.

To  
**The Principal**  
**Chief Conservator of Forests,**  
(Head of Department),  
Panagal Building, Saidapet,  
Chennai.  
  
(Through the Conservator of  
Forests and Field Director, Madurai.)

**C.No.10649/2019/D dated 20/09/2021**

Sir,

Sub:- Forests - Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 - Madurai Circle - For laying underground Optical Fiber cable along the road side across Paramasivankovilkaradu RL (0.365km) and Valkaradu RF (0.373 km) in Theni Taluk, Theni District to a distance of 0.738 km for providing 4G wireless Broadband - Additional Information submission - Regarding.

- Ref:- 1) Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Chennai, C.No.TS4/37431 /2019 dated 10.08.2021  
2) Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Madurai, Endt. No. 6361/2020/D1 dated 10.08.2021.

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With reference to the above subject, I submit herewith report as follows for the query raised vide above reference cited,

- 1) In section 7, the approximate distance of the proposed area of diversion from the boundary of the forest in KM is mentioned as '0' (Zero). The District Forest Officer is requested to state whether the proposed site for diversion is within or on the boundary of Reserved Forest / Reserved land may be furnished.

*Reply:- The minimum distance of the proposed underground Optical Fiber Cable along the road side of the Paramasivankovilkaradu Reserved Land and the Valkaradu Reserved Forest is around 0.30 m inside from the forest boundary. The distance in section-7 has been updated in the portal accordingly.*

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- 2) In section 13(i), total financial outlay for Compensatory Afforestation (in lacs) is furnished as '0' (Zero). But in patch wise details the District Forest Officer has uploaded the details of forest land proposed to be diverted in 2 stretches. This may be corrected.

*Reply :- The details pertinent to 2 stretches proposed for diversion was wrongly uploaded in the link under Compensation Afforestation chapter. This has been removed from the portal. This error is rectified and hence, this may be kindly accepted.*

- 3) The Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Madurai and the District Forest Officer, Theni have stated that the above proposal is for laying of underground OFC along the roadside across Paramasivankoil karadu RL (0.365km) and Valkaradu Reserved Forest (0.373 km) in Theni District. Hence the District Forest Officer is requested to send the copies of Reserved Forest and RL Notification along with the details of right of way/road admitted in the Notification.

*Reply :- With reference to the admitted right of way in Paramasivankoil karadu RL, the copy of Sec 10(A) order of Forest Settlement Officer, Andipatty "அனுமதிக்கப்பட்ட உரிமை: 2" in C.No. 57/91 dated 02.08.2019 is enclosed herewith for kind perusal.*

*Copy of Valkaradu Reserved Forest notification is enclosed herewith for kind perusal.*

Moreover the revised Part - II (3 sets) of the proposal is enclosed herewith for kind perusal.

This is for favor of kind information.

Encl :- As above

Yours faithfully,  
Sd/- C.Vidhya,  
District Forest Officer,  
Theni Forest Division, Theni.

Copy submitted to the Conservator of Forests and Field Director, Madurai for kind information.

/t.c.b.o./

*G. Srinivasan*  
22/9/2021  
Superintendent  
*P*  
22/9/2021



போடிநாயக்கனூர் வன நிலவரிதிட்ட அலுவலர் அவர்களின் செயல்முறை ஆணைகள்  
முன்னிலை: திரு.S.சுமார்,

ந.க.எண்: 57/91

நாள்: 02.08.2019

பொருள்:

வனம் - தேனி மாவட்டம் - அல்லிநகரம் நகர நில அளவை புல  
எண்.4/1 -இல் 28.97.5 ஹெக்டேர் விஸ்தீரணம் பரமசிவன்  
கோவில் காடு வன்வட்டாரம் - தமிழ்நாடு வனச்சட்டம் 1882  
பிரிவு 16-இன் கீழ் பாதை உரிமம் வழங்க கருத்துரு பெற்று -  
தமிழ்நாடு சட்டம் 1882- பிரிவு 10(அ) - இன் கீழ் - ஆணைகள்  
பிறப்பித்தல் - தொடர்பாக.

பார்வை:

1. அரசாணை எண்- 127 (கற்றுச்சூழல் மற்றும் வனத் (வனம்-14)  
துறை நாள்: 26.03.1992
2. இவ்வலுவலக இதே எண்ணிட்ட கடிதம். நாள்.30.08.2018  
(ம)18.02.2019
3. தேனி மாவட்ட வன அலுவலர் அவர்களின் கடிதம்  
ந.க.எண்.3402/2013/வ நாள்.23.05.2019

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ஆணைகள்:

தேனி மாவட்டம், அல்லிநகரம் நகர புல எண்.4/1 -இல் பரமசிவன் கோவில் காடு  
மொத்த விஸ்தீரணம் 28.97.5 ஹெக்டேர் நிலம் ஒதுக்கப்பட்ட காடுகளாக பார்வை 1-இல்  
காணும் அரசாணையின்படி அறிவித்து ஆணையிடப்பட்டுள்ளது. பார்வை 2-இல் கண்ட  
கடிதத்தின்படி மேற்படி புலத்தினை நில அளவை செய்து பரமசிவன் கோவில் காடு அமைந்துள்ள  
கோவில் மற்றும் பாதைக்கு உரிமம் வழங்க தேனி மாவட்ட வன அலுவலர் அவர்களிடம்  
கருத்துரு கேட்கப்பட்டது. அதனை ஏற்று பார்வை 3-இல் காணும் கடிதத்தில் வன நிலவரித் திட்ட  
அலுவலரால் பரிந்துரைக்கப்பட்ட கோவில் மற்றும் பாதைக்கு உரிமம் வழங்க இசைவு தெரிவித்து  
கடிதம் அனுப்பியுள்ளார்கள். எனவே கீழ்க்கண்ட விபரங்களின்படி பரமசிவன் கோவில் காடு  
மொத்த விஸ்தீரணம் 28.97.5-இல் 0.04.00 ஏர்ஸ் நிலம் உட்பிரிவு செய்யப்படும் கீழ்க்கண்ட  
விபரங்களின்படி அனுமதிக்கப்படுகிறது.

அனுமதிக்கப்பட்ட உரிமை:

தேனி-அல்லிநகரம் பரமசிவன் கோவில் காடு வன்வட்டாரம் நகர நில அளவைப் புல  
எண்.4/1-இல் தென் மேற்கு எல்லை குத்தளவு எண்.(Offset No.)13 லிருந்து மேற்கு நோக்கி  
செல்லும் எல்லையின் மொத்த அளவு 251.4 மீட்டரில் அதன் குறுக்களவு புள்ளி 108.4  
மீட்டரிலிருந்து பரமசிவன் கோவிலுக்கு செல்லும் பாதை தெற்கிலிருந்து வடக்கு நோக்கி 12  
GPS நிலை கோண அளவு நிலையங்களில் மொத்தம் 265.4 மீட்டர் நீளமும் 3.00 மீட்டர்  
அகலமும் உள்ள பாதையாக பரமசிவன் கோவிலைச் சென்றடைகிறது.

மேற்படி பரமசிவன் கோவிலுக்கு சென்று முடிவடைந்த இடத்திலிருந்து வடக்குப் பக்கம்  
44.6 மீட்டர் நீளமும் கிழக்குப் பக்கமாக 9 மீட்டர் அகலமும் 0.04.00 ஏர்ஸ் பரப்பளவுள்ள  
பரமசிவன் கோவில் மக்கள் வழிபாட்டு எ்தலயாக அமைந்துள்ளது. இந்த இடத்தில் தீபீடம்,  
காவல்துறையின் காவல் பிரதிபலிப்பு கோபுரம் மற்றும் பராமசிப்பு அறையும் அமைந்துள்ளது.  
மேற்படி இடங்களில் பொதுமக்களின் பயன்பாட்டிற்காக 0.04.00 ஏர்ஸ் மட்டும் உட்பிரிவு  
செய்யப்பட்டுள்ளது.



அனுமதிக்கப்பட்ட உரிமை: 2

தேனி - அல்லிநகரம் பரமசிவன் கோவில் கரடு வளவட்டாரம் நகர நில அளவைப் புல எண்.4/1-இல் தெற்கு பக்கம் நடுவாக குத்தளவு எண். (Offset No.) 13 விருந்து வடக்குப் பக்கம் குத்தளவு 15-க்கு செல்லும் எல்லையில் அளவு 50.4 மீட்டரில் குறுக்களவுப் புள்ளி 16.00 மீட்டர் கிழக்கிலிருந்து மேற்கு நோக்கி 138.6 மீட்டர் நீளமும் 10.00 மீட்டர் அகலமும் உள்ள தார் சாலையாக சென்று, பின்பு அங்கிருந்து வடக்குப் பக்கமாக 48.6 மீட்டர் நீளமும் அதே 10.00 மீட்டர் அகலமுள்ள தார் சாலையாக சென்று பின்பு மேற்குப் பக்கமாக திரும்பி, 58.00 மீட்டர் நீளமும் 10.00 மீட்டர் அகலமுள்ள தார் சாலையாக வடக்கு பக்கமாக 603.00 மீட்டர் நீளமும் அதே 10.00 மீட்டர் அகலமுள்ள தார் சாலையாக சென்று, கிழக்குப் பக்கமாக உள்ள தேனி மாவட்டக் காவல் கண்காணிப்பாளர் முகாம் அலுவலகம் மற்றும் குடியிருப்பு அருகே மொத்தம் 11 GPS நிலை கோண அளவு நிலையங்களில் மொத்தம் 869.2 மீட்டர் நீளமும் 10.00 மீட்டர் அகலமும் உள்ளதாக சென்றடைகிறது.

எனவே ஏற்கனவே தமிழ்நாடு வனச்சட்டம் 1882 பிரிவு 4-இன்படி 29.36.00 ஹெக்டேர் வளவட்டாரமாக அறிவிக்கை செய்யப்பட்டுள்ளது. அறிவிக்கை செய்யப்பட்ட பிறகு தமிழ்நாடு வனச்சட்டம் 1882-ன்படியே அரசு பொதுப்பணித்துறை சுற்றுலா மாளிகைக்கு நகர நில அளவை எண். 4/1-ல் நகர நில அளவை எண். 4/4 - 0.38.0 ஏர்ஸ் என உட்பிரிவு செய்யப்பட்டு பதியப்பட்டுள்ளது. முதல் உரிமமானது மீதமுள்ள 28.97.50 ஹெக்டேர் பரப்பளவில் மேற்படி பரமசிவன் கோவில், தீப்பீடம், காவல் பிரதிபலிப்பு கோபுரம் மற்றும் பராமரிப்புக் கட்டிடம் ஆகியன சேர்த்து 0.04.00 ஏர்ஸ் உட்பிரிவு செய்தும், 2-வது பாதை உரிமமானது மாவட்ட ஆட்சியர் அலுவலகத்திலிருந்து குறிப்பாக புதிய பெருந்து நிலையத்திற்கு செல்வதற்கான சாலை, மாவட்டக் காவல் கண்காணிப்பாளர் முகாம் அலுவலகம் மற்றும் குடியிருப்பு, மாவட்ட வருவாய் அலுவலர் முகாம் அலுவலகம் மற்றும் குடியிருப்பு, மாவட்ட ஆட்சித்தலைவர் முகாம் அலுவலகம் மற்றும் குடியிருப்பு, மாவட்ட முதன்மைக் கல்வி அலுவலர் அலுவலகம், ஆயுதப்படை மைதானம், மாவட்ட விளையாட்டு மைதானம் ஆகிய பெருந்திட்ட வளாகங்களுக்கு செல்லும் பிரதான சாலையாக செல்கிறது.

எனவே, பரமசிவன் கோவில் கரடிந் நகர நில அளவைப் புல எண். 4/1-இல் 28.97.50 ஹெக்டேர் பரப்பளவில் 0.04.00 ஏர்ஸ் மட்டும் உட்பிரிவு செய்யப்பட்டது போக மீதமுள்ள 28.93.50 ஹெக்டேர் பரப்புள்ள இடத்தில் பாதை உரிமைகள் வழங்கி வளவட்டாரமாக தமிழ்நாடு வனச்சட்டம் 1882 பிரிவு 10(அ) -இன் கீழ் விலக்களிப்பு செய்து பாதை உரிமை வழங்கி ஆணையிடப்படுகிறது.



தங்கள் நம்பிக்கையுள்ள,

வன நிலவரித் திட்ட அலுவலர்,  
போடிநாயக்கனூர்.

பெறுநர்:

மாவட்ட வன அலுவலர்,  
தேனி.

நகல்: கூடுதல் முதன்மை தலைமை வனப் பாதுகாவலர்,  
மதுரை மண்டலம், மதுரை அவர்களின் மேலான தகவலுக்காக பணிநிறுப்பப்படுகிறது.

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FORM OF TAPPING LICENSE AND PERMIT.

License No.  
For quarter ending  
Name of licensee  
Name of father (or uncle)  
Village to which license is to  
extend  
Amount paid, Rs.  
Date  
Licensor's signature  
Patel's signature

No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Tobacco-grower's license for the quarter ending  
Under the provisions of section 12 of the Madras  
Forest Act, 1882, \_\_\_\_\_, son (or nephew) of  
\_\_\_\_\_ is hereby licensed to draw toddy in the villages  
\_\_\_\_\_ and to sell the toddy produced in any  
licensed manufactory of toddy to licensed vendors of  
toddies in the area covered by these rules. The licensee  
may also convey and deliver his toddy to the measure-  
of toddy from which it is drawn, but not for sale.  
1. The licensee may tap and draw toddy from any  
number of trees in the villages above mentioned.  
2. The licensee, if he taps the trees, shall draw  
the toddy himself, or, if he delegates the work to a  
relative or servant, such relative or servant shall, at  
the time of tapping the trees or drawing the toddy,  
invariably carry the license on his person and shall  
produce it forthwith on the demand of any Abkari  
officer or of any other officer empowered to make  
such demand.  
3. As soon as the toddy drawn under the license is  
removed from the trees, it shall be conveyed without  
delay direct to a distillery or shop or booth.  
4. No toddy shall be sold by the licensee to private  
consumers except at a regularly licensed shop or  
booth. Free-sale sales or sales in the open are  
wholly prohibited.  
5. Between sunset and sunrise no licensee-holder  
shall keep any toddy in the garden or other place in  
which the trees from which he has drawn it stand,  
except the freshly drawn toddy contained in the pots  
attached to the spathes of the trees, provided that the  
Commissioner of Salt, Abkari and Revenue Revenue  
may, on sufficient cause shown, relax the restriction.  
6. The conditions of this license do not apply to  
toddies drawn in pots or other receptacles freshly  
coated internally with lime for the purpose of the  
manufacture of jaggery.  
7. The licensee must point out the trees tapped  
by him to any Abkari or Revenue officer who may  
ask to have them shown to him.  
8. Breach of any of the conditions of license will  
render it liable to forfeiture.  
(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_  
Patel of \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Tobacco-grower's permit for  
the quarter ending  
Permit the licensee named  
to convey the toddy drawn  
under license No. \_\_\_\_\_ to the  
unlicensed distillery in the  
village or place or locality in  
the district of South Canara.  
(Signed)  
Patel of \_\_\_\_\_

Order made, August 16, 1893.

No. 422.—His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to declare, under the provisions of section 16 of the Madras Forest Act (V of 1882), that, from the 15th December 1893, the area, the boundaries of which are set forth in the schedule appended to this notification, shall be constituted a "reserved forest."

SCHEDULE.

District.	Taluk.	Number of block.	Name of block.	Boundaries.
Madras	Purjayakulam.	Block No. III of No. 3, All-nagarin reserved forest.	Valkarai.	North.—Starting from the north-east corner of survey No. 717 of All-nagarin village, the line runs eastwards along the southern boundary of the Unjapur village to a point where it turns south. East.—Thence the above boundary to the junction of Unjapur, Vadavirankampatti and All-nagarin; thence along the western boundary of Vadavirankampatti village to the north-west corner of survey No. 140 of All-nagarin; thence along the south and west limits of the 6th khanda to the south-west corner of survey No. 717. South.—Thence along the north limit of the 9th khanda to the south-east corner of survey No. 140. West.—Thence along the west limit of the 17th and 14th khanda, the south and east limits of the 15th khanda and the east limit of the 16th khanda to the starting point.

Remarks.—The following patta holdings have been excluded from reservation and left as enclosures within the block:—

Survey No.	Patta No.	Extent in acres.
245	12	0.11
244	11	0.12
243	10	1.02
242	9	0.30
241	8	0.29
Total		2.24

As they all lie on the edge of the block, they may be approached from outside and no separate paths to them are necessary.





PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE  
(LAND REVENUE).

READ—the following letter from E. TURNER, Esq., Collector of Madura, to the Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenue, dated Madura, 25th May 1893, No. 516-Forests:—

I have the honour to submit herewith, for the approval of the Board and submission to Government for publication, a draft notification under section 16 of the Forest Act V of 1882 for declaring the Valkaradu block in Periyakulam taluk as a reserved forest.

2. The final report of the Forest Settlement-officer, B register of claims, the sketch and the statement of area and condition are enclosed.

ENCLOSURE No. 1

From M R Ry. C. RAJU SASTRIAR, Avargal, Forest Settlement-officer, Trichangopoly, &c., Districts, to the Collector of Madura, dated Kuttupatte, 22nd March 1893, Ref. on No. 309.

I have the honour to report the conclusion of the settlement of the proposed Valkaradu block No. III in Alliangaran village in the Periyakulam taluk. Its area is 1-12 square miles.

2. The notification under section 4 proposing the constitution of this block into a reserved forest appeared in the *Providence Gazette*, dated 17th May 1892. The proclamation under section 6 was issued on 15th May 1892, fixing 1st October 1892 as the time within which claims should be preferred in respect thereof. The settlement of the block was completed on 5th December 1892, and the appeal time expired on 31st January 1893 without any appeal being preferred.

3. Six claims to lands were preferred and they were all admitted. Of the lands concerned, area 0-27 was surrendered to Government unconditionally and acres 3-06 were excluded from reservation and left as enclosures within the block. Information regarding the sub-numbers forming the enclosures was called for and the Tahsildar's reply was received on the 10th instant. With the exception of the said enclosures, the forest is free of rights.

4. I beg that three months' time may be allowed for promulgation of the notification under section 16.

Excerpt No. 2.  
 T. RIGHTS OF CLAIMS TO LANDS, RIGHTS TO FORED PRODUCE OR EASEMENTS IN THE PROPOSED VAIVARADU RESERVED FOREST, BLOCK No. III, PERINKULAM TALUK,  
 Madam district.

No.	Name of claimant.	Date of presentation of claims.	Nature and extent of claims preferred.	Best summary of the evidence adduced in support of claims.	Best summary of the evidence for Government's arguments and conclusions concluded by law.	Best abstract of reasons and final disposal of the claims by the Forest Department officer.
1	Srinia Mothao, son of Kappian, pattadar No. 575 of Allingaram.	11th Aug. 1891.	Surrenders the portion of his patha land, area 0-27, in survey No. 246-F, in allingaram village included within the proposed reserved forest, and begs that the assessment may be remitted.	.....	.....	The surveyor by the receipt of his patha land lying within the Vaivaram block is occupied and entry will be made by the collector to show the necessary corrections in the title and village accounts. C. RAJU SASTRI, Forest Settlement Officer, 22nd August 1892.
2	Arumugam Amal, pattadar No. 543 of Allingaram.	Do.	Claims his patha land, area 0-10, in survey No. 245-H in Allingaram village included in the proposed reserved forest.	.....	.....	The claims are admitted under section 10 of the Forest Act, and the lands will be excluded from reservation and set as enclosures. As they all lie on the edge of the block, no separate paths to them are necessary. C. RAJU SASTRI, Forest Settlement Officer, 9th December 1892.
3	Kurasan, pattadar No. 498 of Allingaram.	Do.	Claims his patha land, area 0-79, in survey No. 245-I in Allingaram village included in the proposed reserved forest.	.....	.....	The claims are admitted under section 10 of the Forest Act, and the lands will be excluded from reservation and set as enclosures. As they all lie on the edge of the block, no separate paths to them are necessary. C. RAJU SASTRI, Forest Settlement Officer, 9th December 1892.
4	Subbiah, pattadar No. 535 of Allingaram.	Do.	Claims his patha land, area 1-53, in survey No. 245-K in Allingaram village included in the proposed reserved forest.	.....	.....	The claims are admitted under section 10 of the Forest Act, and the lands will be excluded from reservation and set as enclosures. As they all lie on the edge of the block, no separate paths to them are necessary. C. RAJU SASTRI, Forest Settlement Officer, 9th December 1892.
5	Sivanan, pattadar No. 578 of Allingaram.	Do.	Claims his patha land, area 0-23, in survey No. 245-L in Allingaram village included in the proposed reserved forest.	.....	.....	The claims are admitted under section 10 of the Forest Act, and the lands will be excluded from reservation and set as enclosures. As they all lie on the edge of the block, no separate paths to them are necessary. C. RAJU SASTRI, Forest Settlement Officer, 9th December 1892.
6	Amayappa, Towns, pattadar No. 565 of Allingaram.	Do.	Claims his patha land, area 0-21, in survey No. 245-M in Allingaram village included in the proposed reserved forest.	.....	.....	The claims are admitted under section 10 of the Forest Act, and the lands will be excluded from reservation and set as enclosures. As they all lie on the edge of the block, no separate paths to them are necessary. C. RAJU SASTRI, Forest Settlement Officer, 9th December 1892.

ENCLOSURE No. 3.

STATEMENT OF AREA AND CONDITION.

Extent of Forest Reserve	Extent of Government land in the tract		Area of tenements already notified under sections 16 and 25.	Area of tenements under notification.	Area of reserved land notified under section 18.	Character of land proposed for reservation.		Sketch-map.
	Occupied.	Unoccupied.				How much forest.	How much grass land.	
21,115 acres.	25,000 acres.	158,361 acres.	91,444 acres.	19,874 acres.	Valamada block, 141 sq. miles or 7108 acres.	Covered more or less with a scrubby growth which will improve with reservation.	There are small parts covered with grass here and there, but there are a good many parts where the ground is rocky and bare.	A sketch-map drawn to scale is enclosed herewith.

ENCLOSURE No. 4.—Draft notification.

ENCLOSURE No. 5.—Sketch-map.

Endorsement by J. W. CHERRY, Esq., Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, dated Coimbatore, 7th June 1893, No. 1224.

Forwarded.

RESOLUTION—dated 28th July 1893, Forest No. 557.

The draft notification received with the letter read above will, as slightly altered by the Board, be submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fert St. George Gazette*.

2. The block lies in the Periyakulam taluk and covers an area of 1.12 square miles. It may be declared reserved from the 10th December next.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) W. S. MEYER,  
Acting Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department,  
with a draft notification and sketch-map (to be returned.)

- a. Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.
- b. Collector of Madurai.



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Proceedings, dated 25th July 1893,  
Entry No. 557.

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**PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE  
(LAND REVENUE).**

**Read**—the following Government Order, dated 10th August 1893, Nos 717, 717 A, Revenue:

**Read**—Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue), dated 28th July 1893, Forest No. 557.

**Abstract**.—Submitting to Government, for approval and publication, the draft notification under section 10 of the Forest Act for the constitution of the Valkaradu block in the Periyakulam taluk, Madura district, as a reserved forest.

**Order**—dated 10th August 1893, No. 717, Revenue.

Forest No. 281.

The draft notification, as amended by the Board of Revenue, will be published in the part III Gazette

and Madura District Gazette, the 15th December 1893 being entered as the date from which the reservation shall take effect.

(True Extract)

(Signed) C. A. GALTON,  
Secretary to Government.

To the Commissioners of Land Revenue, with map.  
" Superintendent, Government Press, with notification.

No. 717-A.

Copy to the Government of India, Revenue and Agricultural Department.

(Signed) C. A. GALTON,  
Secretary to Government.

**NOTIFICATION.**

His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to declare, under the provisions of section 10 of the Madras Forest Act (V of 1892), that, from the 15th December 1893, the area, the boundaries of which are set forth in the schedule appended to this notification, shall be constituted a "reserved forest."

**SCHEDULE.**

District.	Taluk.	Number of block	Name of block.	Boundaries
Madura	Periyakulam.	Block No III of No. 2, All-nagarum reserved forest.	Valkaradu	<p>N. S.—Starting from the northeast corner of survey No 717 of All-nagarum village, the line is eastwards along the northern boundary of the Ujainpatti logs to a point where it turns south.</p> <p>And—Thence the above bears on the junction of Ujainpatti, Valavaruchampatti and All-nagarum, thence along the northern boundary of the north-west corner survey No. 100 of Adanapattinam village to the north-west corner of survey No. 100.</p> <p>And—Thence the above bears on the junction of Ujainpatti, Valavaruchampatti and All-nagarum, thence along the northern boundary of the north-west corner survey No. 100 of Adanapattinam village to the north-west corner of survey No. 100.</p> <p>And—Thence the above bears on the junction of Ujainpatti, Valavaruchampatti and All-nagarum, thence along the northern boundary of the north-west corner survey No. 100 of Adanapattinam village to the north-west corner of survey No. 100.</p>

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... and all an enclosure within the

Directions.—The following paths  
Block —

Survey No.	Letter
245	D
246	E
247	G
248	H
249	I

... edge of the block, they may be approached  
... separate paths to them are necessary

RESOLUTION—dated 29th ...  
Communicated to the ... the Conservator of Forests,  
Southern Circle.

W. S. MEYER,  
Acting Secretary

*S. No 245G of ...  
village has been ...  
residue ... 23.10.18*

To the Collector of Madura,  
Conservator of Forests

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**PART-II**

(To be filled by the concerned Deputy Conservator of Forest)

State Serial No. of proposal : TN-055/2019

## 1. Location of the project/Scheme : Tamil Nadu

- (i) State / Union Territory : Tamil Nadu  
 (ii) District : Theni  
 (iii) Forest Division : Theni  
 (iv) Area of forest land proposed for diversion (in ha.) : 0.022  
 (v) Category of the Proposal: Others

## 2. Legal status of forest land proposed for diversion :

S. No.	Division	Forest Land(ha.)	Legal Status
1	Theni	0.011	Reserved Forest
2	Theni	0.011	Section 4
<b>Total</b>		<b>0.022</b>	

Division 1. : Theni

## 3. District wise area to be diverted in the division :

S. No.	District	Area(ha.)
1	Theni	0.022
<b>Total</b>		<b>0.022</b>

## 4. Details of Vegetation available in the forest land proposed for diversion :

## (i) Density of vegetation

S. No.	Area(in ha.)	Density	Eco-Class
1	0.022	0	Eco 3
<b>Total.</b>		<b>0.022</b>	

## (ii) Species-wise local/scientific names and girth-wise enumeration of trees at FRL :

S. No.	Scientific Name	Local Name	(0-30)cm.	(31-60)cm.	(61-90)cm.	(91-120)cm.	(121-150)cm.	(>150)cm.
NIL								

## 5. Working plan prescription for the forest land proposed for diversion : Nil

## 6. Brief note on vulnerability of the forest area to erosion : Nil

## 7. Approximate distance of the proposed site for diversion from boundary of forest(in km.) : 0.0003

## 8. Significance of the forest land proposed for diversion from wildlife point of view :

- (i). Details of wildlife present in and around the forest land proposed for diversion : Nil  
 (ii). Whether forms part of national park, wildlife sanctuary, biosphere reserve, tiger reserve, elephant corridor, wildlife migration corridor etc. : No  
 (iii). Whether the forest land proposed for diversion is located within eco-sensitive zone(ESZ) of the Protected Area notified under Wildlife(Protection) Act, 1972

(Note: In case, ESZ of a Protected Area is not notified, then, 10kms distance from boundary of the Protected Area should be treated as ESZ): No

- (iv). Whether any national park, wildlife sanctuary, biosphere reserve, tiger reserve, elephant corridor, wildlife migration corridor etc., is located within 1 Km. from boundary of the forest land proposed for diversion : No
- (v). Whether any rare/endangered/unique species of flora and fauna found in the area : No

9.

Details of any protected archaeological/heritage site/defence establishment or any other important monument located in the area, if any :

- (i). Whether any protected archaeological/heritage site/defence establishment or any other important monument is located in the area : No

10. Comment as to the reasonability of the extent of the forest land proposed for diversion :

- (i). Whether the requirement of forest land as proposed by the user agency is unavoidable and bare minimum for the project : Yes

11. Details of violation(s), if any ,committed :

- (i). Whether any work in violation of the Act or guidelines issued under the Act has been carried out : No


12. Whether work in violation is still in progres(Yes/No) : No Data

13. Details of compensatory afforestation scheme :

(i). Patch wise details for Degraded Area (To be earmarked by DFO)

(i). Total Financial Outlay for C.A(lacs): 0

Patch Wise Details						
S.no	Patch No.	Area(ha.)	Name of PF/RF	Range	Compartment No	Uploaded KML file of patch
NO Data						

(ii). Copy of CA scheme details: 

(iii). Scanned copy of the Geo-referenced map of the forest land proposed for C.A. prepared by using DGPS or Total Station:



(iv). Copy of Survey of India Toposheet indicating boundary of forest land proposed for C.A.: 

(V). Copy of NOC from Competent Authority : 



Additional Information Details :

S. No.	Documents	Remarks
NIL		

14. District Profile :


S.no	District Name	Geographical area of the district (in ha.)	Forest area of the district (in ha.)	Total forest area diverted since 1980 (in ha.)	No. of Approved Cases	Forest Land including penal C.A. (in ha.)	Progress of compensatory afforestation as on(date)	A) Forest land (in ha.)	B) Non-forest land (in ha.)
1	Theni	324230.205	106068.571	94.675	22	61.15	31/03/2021	24.541	27.65

15. Site inspection report of the DFO/CCF/Nodal Officer highlighting Important facts pertaining to the forest land :

Division Name	Circle	Site inspected By	Whether site inspected	No. of times site visited	Site inspection report	Date of visit
Theni	Madurai	DFO	Yes	One		16/03/2021
	Madurai	CF	Yes	One		24/06/2021

(Specific recommendation of the DFO/CCF/Nodal Officer with (Part II, III & Part IV))

16. Specific recommendation of the DFO/CCF/Nodal Officer for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal with reason :

Division	Circle	Recommendation By	Recommendation	Reason	Letter	Whether CF agreed
Theni	Madurai	DFO	Recommended	The project for diversion of 0.022Ha forest land is Valkaradu Reserved Forest and Paramasivan Kovil Reserved Land of Theni Range and it doesn't fall in Eco Sensitive Zone ESZ of Megamalai and Kodaikanal Wildlife Sanctuaries and also does not falls under Ecologically Sensitive Area ESA . Proposed site doesn't have any important monuments / heritage site and is devoid of vegetation as it is 0.373 km along the existing road side from Bus Stand to Sivaaji Nagar across Valkaradu RF and 0.365 km along existing road side from Bus Stand to District Collector Office, Theni. The District Collector has certified there is no alternate non forest		



				land, the User Agency has not carried out any work in violation of provisions of Forest Conservation Act, 1980. Since the project aims to provide improvement of Communication infrastructure and Hon'ble Prime Ministers vision of Digital India, the diversion of 0.022Ha. of forest land may be permitted.	
	Madurai	CF	Recommended	The underground OFC has proposed to be laid 0.373 km along the right side of the existing road from Theni new bus stand to Shivaji Nagar across Valkaradu RF and 0.365 km Theni new bus stand to District Collector s office across Paramasivan Koilkaradu RL. the proposed width of the trench is 0.30 m and depth of the trench is 1.20 m. There is no felling of trees involved in this proposal hence the diversion of forest land to an extent of 0.022 ha. may be considered.	Yes

*V. S. S. S.*  
**DISTRICT FOREST OFFICER  
 THENI DIVISION, THENI**

*21/09/21*

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