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To

The Addl. Chief Secretary,
Forest, Environment & CC Department,
Government of Odisha,
Bhubaneswar- 751 001.

Sub: Diversion of 0.890 ha (map area 0.894 ha) Revenue forest land for establishment of Mayurbhanj College of Accountancy and Management, Baripada in Baripada Forest Division in the District of Mayurbhanj.

Ref: Addl. PCCF (Nodal), Odisha's letter No.2392/9F (School)-392/2022 dated 31.01.2025

Sir,

With subject and reference cited above, I am directed to inform that the point wise reply submitted by State Govt. vide under reference was examined in this office and observed the following:

- a) The State Govt. has not furnished the detailed action taken report against the erring official responsible for causing diversion of forest land for non-forestry use without prior approval under Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980.
- b) The State Govt. has not intimated the name of person/designation who has allotted the instant forest land to the user agency.

It is therefore requested to kindly furnish the above desired information to this office for further processing of the proposal.

Yours faithfully,

Padma Mahanti

(Dr. Padma Mahanti)

Dy. Inspector General of Forests (C)

Copy to:

1. The Addl. PCCF & Nodal Officer (FCA), Forest Department, Govt. of Odisha, Aranya Bhawan, Chandrasekharpur, Bhubaneswar – 751023 for kind information and necessary action.
2. The Secretary, Mayurbhanj College of Accountancy & Management, At: Maharajpur, PO: Takatpur, Dist: Mayurbhanj-757003, Odisha for information and necessary action.

Dy. Inspector General of Forests (C)