OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL CHIEF CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS & HOFF ODISHA, ARANYA BHAWAN, CHANDRASEKHARPUR, BHUBANESWAR

Memo No.

Dated, Bhubaneswar, the

January, 2022

To

The Regional Chief Conservator of Forests Sambalpur Circle

Sub: Proposal for diversion of 2.323 ha of forest land for Construction of 4 lane carriage way road with service road of SH-10 lectures Colony to Balijore Chowk from 0/00 Km to 3/581 Km in the District of Jharsuguda.

Ref: Your Memo No. 2292 dated 06.11.2021 & Memo No.2795 dated 31.12.2021

On scrutiny of the above diversion proposal submitted vide your memo in reference the following shortcomings are noticed.

- 1. Justification for locating the project in forest area submitted by the UA enclosed as Annexure-VII (Page-77 to 78/DP) is incomplete and not as per format prescribed. Hence, to be submitted as per the checklist.
- 2. Undertaking for payments of Additional NPV if any submitted by the UA as Annexure-XI (Page-85-86/DP) is not as per the required format, which needs rectification.
- 3. FRA certificate required for this proposal the UA has submitted an undertaking to that effect as Annexure-XII (Page-87-88/DP). The status of FRA of application by the Project Proponent for obtaining such certificate from the District Collector, Jharsuguda may be indicated.
- 4. In Part-II (Page-18-20/DP) and Site Inspection Report of DFO, Jharsuguda Division (Page-124-127/DP) the type of forest and density of vegetation of the forest land proposed to be diverted has been shown to be under Eco-Value Class-II (Litoral & Swamp Forest) (crop density is 0.6). On the other hand it has also been narrated by the DFO that the vegetation of the nearby forest block is tropical dry deciduous forest under Eco-Value-Class-III. So, both report shows to be contradictory from NPV realization point of view. However, the DSS study of the forest land proposed for diversion (Report enclosed) has been found to be Open Forest.
- 5. CA scheme prepared and submitted by the DFO, Jharsuguda Division enclosed to the DP as Annexure-D (Page-136 to 158/DP) at the wage rate of Rs.311/- per MD needs to be recasted at One Time Cost Norm approved by this office communicated vide this office Memo No.20565 dated 01.12.2021 and be re-submitted.



- Certificate of the land schedule as on 25.10.1980 both for Forest and Non-forest land has
 not been furnished by the UA duly authenticated by both the DFO & Tahasildar,
 Jharsuguda.
- 7. In brief note Executive Engineer reported that the project is taken up under Deposit Scheme (MCL) whereas in justification of location/ no alternative study shown in DMF fund, needs clarification/rectification accordingly. Also attached copy of sanctioned order.
- 8. Proper layout plan of the project is not enclosed.
- 9. Non-forest area- word "Forest" to be deleted in heading. Authentication of Tahasildar in Forest & Non-forest land schedule is wanting.

In view of the above, the diversion proposal is returned herewith for re-submission with necessary compliance at the earliest.

Encl: DP in triplicate

Principal Chief Conservator of Forests Forest Diversion & Nodal Officer, F.C. Act

Memo No. / Dt. /Dt. Copy forwarded to Divisional Forest Officer, Jarsuguda Forest Division for information and necessary action with reference to Memo No.2293 dated 06.11.2021 of RCCF, Sambalpur Circle to him.

Principal Chief Conservator of Forests Forest Diversion & Nodal Officer, F.C. Act

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Principal Chief Conservator of Forests Forest Diversion & Nodal Officer, F.C. Act