

URGENT

C.No.TS4/25987/2018

Office of the Principal Chief Conservator
of Forests (Head of Forest Force),
Forest Head Quarters Building, Guindy-
Velachery Main Road, Guindy,
Chennai-32
Dated: 26.02.2024.

Sub: Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 – Srivilliputhur Megamalai Tiger Reserve, Madurai Circle / Madurai Division – Proposal (FP/TN/Road/34073/2018) for diversion of 0.1275 ha of forest land in Mannadimangalam RF for formation of new black top road from Vikkiramangalam Kadupatti village in favour of Block Development Officer, Vadipatti Panchayat Union, Vadipatti - Regarding.

- Ref: 1 Online forest clearance proposal uploaded by the Block Development Officer, Vadipatti - proposal No. FP/TN/Road/34073/2018.
2 Government letter No. 17883/FR.10/2022-4, dated 02.11.2023.
3 Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Chennai, C. No. TS4/25987/2018, dated 19.02.2024.
4 District Forest Officer, Madurai, C. No. D1/4289/2023, dt: 20.02.2024.
5 Chief Conservator of Forests & Field Director, SMTR, Madurai, C. No. 12025/2021/D1, dt: 23.02.2024.

Attention of the Chief Conservator of Forests & Field Director, SMTR, Madurai and the District Forest Officer, Madurai is invited to the references cited. As informed in the Government letter cited, for the proposals involving area up to 1 ha subject to minimum of 100 trees is to be undertaken in degraded forest land. Hence, they were instructed to propose compensatory afforestation in degraded forest area and details of CA scheme (kml file, Geo-reference map, location of CA area in Survey of India topo sheet, Site suitability certificate and CA scheme estimate). The details uploaded in the Part-II has been scrutinized and found that the kml file for the degraded forest land proposed for Compensatory Afforestation has not uploaded by the District Forest Officer.

Hence, the Chief Conservator of Forests & Field Director, SMTR, Madurai and the District Forest Officer, Madurai are instructed to send the full-fledged report today itself.

S. Alayasu 26/2/24
for Principal Chief Conservator of Forests
(Head of Forest Force)

To

The Chief Conservator of Forests, Srivilliputhur-Megamalai Tiger Reserve, Madurai.

The District Forest Officer, Madurai Division, Madurai.

Copy to the Block Development Officer, Vadipatti Panchayat Union, Vadipatti, Madurai.