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Office of
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(Head of Forest Force)



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To,
The Chief Conservator of Forests
Mangaluru Circle, Mangaluru

Sub: Diversion of 17.49 ha (*revised from 16.246 ha*) of forest land in Haladi-76, Avarshe and Heggunte and other villages in Udupi and Brahmavara Taluk of Udupi District for construction of Irrigation Main and Branch Canals under Varahi Lift Irrigation Scheme in favour of the Executive Engineer, Karnataka Neeravari Nigam Limited, No.2, Varahi Reservoir Project Division, Udupi.

Proposal No.FP/KA/IRRIG/41736/2019 [FORM A]

- Ref:** 1. This office letter of even No dated 14-12-2022 [*communication of GOI EDS query*]
2. Your office letter No A3/CR-27/Varahi Lift Irrigation Scheme/FC/2019-20 dated 31-12-2022 [*reply to GOI EDS query*]

With reference to the above subject, this office vide Ref (1) has communicated the GOI Eds query dated 25-11-2022 and directed to submit the clarification/information sought by Government of India.

In response, your office vide Ref (2) has submitted the information/documents to this office. The same has been verified by this office and found to be in complete. In the following aspect.

- a. The values of Eco system goods and services of the forest area selected for the proposed alignment needs to be compared with the implementation cost in non-forest area to arrive at a specific conclusion of discarding or selecting Forest / non forest area. The User Agency has not submitted the information in this regard. Hence, needs to submitted the information.

Therefore, **you are directed to submit clarification/information on above mentioned point from User Agency.** The online link is transferred to you for further transfer of the same to the User Agency through Deputy Conservator of Forests Kundapura Division.

o/c

Principal Chief Conservator of Forests
(Forest Conservation) and Nodal Officer (FCA)

Copy to the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Kundapura Division for information and necessary action as stated above.

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Copy to the Executive Engineer, Karnataka Neeravari Nigam Limited (KNNL), No.2, Varahi Reservoir Project Division, Siddapura, Kundapura, Udupi District for information and necessary action.

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Joint Forest Officer (Conservation) and Social Officer (FCO)
Karnataka Forest Department

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