



STATE FOREST HEADQUARTERS, ODISHA
OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL CHIEF CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS & HoFF
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Memo No. 5989 9F (IND)- 398 /2023
Dated, Bhubaneswar the 13th March' 2024

To

The Divisional Forest Officer
City Forest Division

Sub: Diversion of 32.717 ha Revenue forest land in Mouza Harapur, Harekrushnapur, Durgapur and Alkar under Jatani Tahasil of Khordha district for establishment of Infovalley Electronics Manufacturing Cluster. – GoI observations regarding.

Ref: (i) Memo No.4221/FE&CC dt.11.03.2024 of OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Govt, FE & CC Deptt
(ii) Letter No.5-ORC635/2024-BHU dated 29.02.2024 of Dy. Inspector General of Forests(C), GoI, MoEF & CC, Regional Office, Bhubaneswar.

Enclosed, please find herewith a copy of Memo No.4221/FE&CC dt.11.03.2024 of OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Govt, FE&CC Deptt alongwith copy of Letter No. 5-ORC635/2024-BHU dated 29.02.2024 of Dy. Inspector General of Forests, GoI, MoEF & CC, Regional Office, Bhubaneswar on the captioned subject which is self explanatory, for your information & necessary action.

In this context, I am directed to request you to comply the observations pointed out in respect of **Point (a to d)** of the above mentioned GoI letter and furnish the required compliance to this office through RCCF, Bhubaneswar Circle for onward transmission to the GoI, MoEF & CC, Regional Office, Bhubaneswar.

Encl: As above

Memo No. 5990 Dt. 13-03-2024
Copy forwarded to the RCCF, Bhubaneswar Circle for information & necessary action with reference to Memo No. 4221/FE&CC dt.11.03.2024 of OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Govt, FE & CC Deptt.

Memo No. 5991 Dt. 13-03-2024
Copy forwarded to the Chief General Manager(Environment), IDCO, IDCO Towers, Janpath, Bhubaneswar for information and necessary action with reference to Memo No. 4223/FE&CC dt.11.03.2024 of OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Govt, FE & CC Deptt.

Chief Conservator of Forests (Nodal)

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GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
FOREST, ENVIRONMENT & CLIMATE CHANGE DEPARTMENT

Memo No. 4219 /FE&CC, Date 11.03.24
FE-DIV-FLD-0011-2024/ 10F (Cons)-09/2024

Copy of Government of India, MoEF&CC, Regional Office, Bhubaneswar Letter No.5-ORC635/2024-BHU dtd.29.02.2024 on the matter of diversion of 32.717 ha Revenue forest land in Mouza Harapur, Harekrushnapur, Durgapur and Alkar under Jatani Tahasil of Khordha District for establishment of Infovalley Electronics Manufacturing cluster forwarded to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & HoFF, Odisha for information and necessary action.

He is requested to furnish the required information directly to the Ministry under intimation to this Department.

d. 11/3/2024

OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government

Memo No. 4220 /FE&CC, Date 11.03.24

Copy with copy of enclosure forwarded to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Wildlife) & Chief Wildlife Warden, Odisha/ Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (FD&NO) FC Act, O/o PCCF & HoFF, Odisha for information and necessary action.

d. 11/3/2024

OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government

Memo No. 4221 /FE&CC, Date 11.03.24

Copy with copy of enclosure forwarded to the Regional Chief Conservator of Forests, Bhubaneswar Circle/ Divisional Forest Officer, City Forest Division, Bhubaneswar for information and necessary action.

d. 11/3/2024

OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government

Memo No. 4222 /FE&CC, Date 11.03.24

Copy with copy of enclosure forwarded to GA & PG Department/ R&DM Department/ H&UD Department/ Collector, Khurda for information and necessary action.

d. 11/3/2024

OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government

Memo No. 4223 /FE&CC, Date 11.03.24

Copy with copy of enclosure forwarded to the Chief General Manager Environment, IDCO, IDCO Towers, Janpath, Bhubaneswar, Khordha, Odisha-751022 for information and necessary action.

d. 11/3/2024

OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government





No.5-ORC635/2024-BHU

29th February, 2024

To

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



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6-3-24

Sub: Diversion of 32.717 ha Revenue forest land in Mouza Harapur, Harekrushnapur, Durgapur and Alkar under Jatani Tahasil of Khordha district for establishment of Infovalley Electronics Manufacturing Cluster.

Ref: State Govt. letter No.FE-DIV-FLD-0011-2024-2643/FE&CC dated 17.02.2024

Sir,

With subject and reference cited above, I am directed to inform that the State Govt. vide letter under reference has submitted the above mentioned proposal to this office seeking prior approval of Central Government under Section-2 of Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980. On scrutiny of the proposal, the following has been observed.

- Since, the instant project is a non-site specific in nature, detail justification for locating the project in the forest area giving details of the alternative non-forest area examined and reasons for their rejection has not been furnished with the proposal.
- The State Govt. has not furnished the trees enumeration list in respect of non-forest land involve in the project.
- The concerned DFO has not uploaded the KML files, SoI Toposheet, DGPS map of proposed CA/Addl. CA areas and CA/Addl. Scheme in Parivesh web portal.
- The user agency has not submitted the KML/shape file of non-forest land/degraded forest land identified for CA/Addl. C.A. and entire project area with the proposal.

It is therefore requested to furnish the above 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:

- The PCCF & Nodal Officer (FCA), Forest Department, Govt. of Odisha, Aranya Bhawan, Chandrasekharpur, Bhubaneswar for information and necessary action.
- The Chief General Manager (Environment), IDCO, IDCO Towers, Janapath, Bhubaneswar-751022, Odisha.

Dy. Inspector General of Forests (C)

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