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(ಅರಣ್ಯಪಡೆ ಮುಖ್ಯಸ್ಥರು) ರವರ ಕಛೇರಿ

Office of

Principal Chief Conservator of Forests
(Head of Forest Force)



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Date 28-03-2023

To,

The Chief Conservator of Forests
Belagavi Circle, Belagavi

Sub: Diversion of 553.96 ha of forest land for construction of Dam across Markandeya River and ancillary infrastructure in forest lands of Gokak, Godachinamalki, Konnur and Mavanur Villages in Gokak and Hukkeri Taluks, Belagavi District for storing 6 TMC of water under GhattiBasavanna Drinking Water Supply Project in favour of the Executive Engineer, Karnataka Neeravari Nigam Limited (KNNL), GRBCC Division 3, Gokak, Belagavi District

Proposal No.FP/KA/WATER/65437/2020

- Ref:**
1. This office letter of even number dated 08-02-2023 [seeking stage-I approval]
 2. Government of Karnataka letter No. FEE 23 FLL 2023 (e) dated 21-02-2023 [seeking stage-I approval] and 21-03-2023 [communication of GOI EDS query]
 3. Government of India, New Delhi letter No 8-07/2023-FC dated 15-03-2023 [EDS query]

With reference to the above subject, this office vide ref (1) has submitted the proposal to Government of Karnataka for seeking Stage-I approval under Section 2 of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980. Accordingly, Government of Karnataka vide Ref (2) letter dated 21-02-2023 has forwarded the proposal to Government of India

In response, Government of India vide ref (3) has raised the EDS query on 18 points and directed to submit the information (copy enclosed). Accordingly, Government of Karnataka vide Ref (2) letter dated 21-03-2023 has communicated the same to this office.

Therefore, **you are directed to submit clarification/information sought by Government of India after obtaining the same from the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Belagavi, Gataprabha Divisions and User Agency.** The online link is transferred to you for further transfer of the same to the User Agency through Deputy Conservator of Forests, Belagavi, Gataprabha Divisions.

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

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Copy along with the copy Government of India/Karnataka letter communicated for information and necessary action too:

1. Deputy Conservator of Forests, Belagavi/ Ghataprabha Divisions.
2. Executive Engineer, Karnataka Neeravari Nigam Limited (KNNL), GRBCC Division 3, Gokak, Belagavi District - 591 307