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F. No.4-KRC1343/2022-BAN 567
Dated the 3rd April, 2024

To

The Additional Chief Secretary to Government of Karnataka, Forest, Ecology & Environment Department, M.S. Building, Dr. Ambedkar Veedhi, Bangalore – 560 001.

Sub:Diversion of 11.00 hectare of forest land in Thattekere Village Sy.91 and 100 (Madeshwara State Forest), Maralawadi Hobli, Kanakapura Taluk, Ramanagara District (Bannerghatta National Park) for development of Bangalore Ring Road (STRR Phase -II NH-948 A) for a length- of 57.8 km from Ramanagara in Ramanagara of Karnataka State to Peddamadhagondapalli in Krishnagiri District to Tamil Nadu State (KM 82.200 to KM 140.000). in favour of the Project Director, National Highways Authority of India, Project Implementing Unit, Bengaluru-reg.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to State Government letter No.FEE12FLL2022(e) 21.03.2024 on the subject mentioned above. In this regard, it is informed that Ministry of Enviornment, Forest and Climate Change has notified the Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Rule, 2023. The said rule is applicable w.e.f. 1st December, 2023. Therefore, the the above mentioned proposal is required to be processed as per rule 16(8)(ii) of the Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Rule, 2023. Therefore, it is requested that the following information may kindly be furnished for further consideration of the proposal:-

1. Recommendation of Project Steering Committee as per sub rule 16 of Rule 9 of Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Rule, 2023.

2. The user agency has to provide equal extent of non forest land for the purpose of raising of Compensatory Afforestation as per rule 13 of Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Rule, 2023.

Yours faithfully,

(Praneetha Paul)

Dy. Inspector General of Forests (Central)

Copy to:

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 The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (FC) /Nodal Officer (FCA), Office of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Forests Department, Govt. of Karnataka, Aranya Bhavan, 18th Cross, Malleswaram, Bangalore – 560 003.

3. The Project Director, NHAI, Project Implementation Unit, Sy. No.13, 14th Km,

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