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13<sup>th</sup> May, 2024

To

The Addl. Chief Secretary,  
Forest & Environment Deptt.,  
Government of Odisha,  
Bhubaneswar.

Sub: Diversion of 23.983 ha of revenue forest land for construction of 220 KV LILO line from existing Bhanjanagar-Meramundali DC line to 220/33 KV Grid Sub-station at Daspalla from village Madhyakhanda to Gopalpur by M/s OPTCL under Nayagarh Forest Division of Nayagarh District, Odisha.

Ref: 1) This office letter of even number dated 19.09.2023.  
2) PCCF & HoFF, Odisha's letter No.8469/9F (TRANS)-416/2021 dated 22.04.2024

Sir,

With subject and reference cited above, I am directed to inform that the point wise reply furnished by the Nodal Officer (FCA), Odisha vide letter under reference was examined and it is observed that State govt. has not furnished detail action taken report on violation of FC Act, 1980 along with name and designation of erring officials responsible for violation causing diversion of forest land for non-forestry purpose.

It is therefore requested to furnish the above desired information for further processing of the proposal.

Yours faithfully,


*Padma Mahanti*

(Dr. Padma Mahanti)

Dy. Inspector General of Forests (C)

Copy to:

- 1) The PCCF & Nodal Officer (FCA), Forest Department, Govt. of Odisha, Aranya Bhawan, Chandrasekharpur, Bhubaneswar-751023 for kind information and necessary action.
- 2) The Dy. General Manager (Elect), EHT (C) Division, OPTCL, Sanakushathali, PO: Bada kushathali, Berhampur-760007, Odisha for information and necessary action.

  
Dy. Inspector General of Forests (C)