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पर्यावरण ,वन एवं जलवायु परिवर्तन मंत्रालय MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS & CLIMATE CHANGE, INTEGRATED REGIONAL OFFICE Kendriya Sadan, IVth Floor, E& F Wings, 17th Main Road,IInd Block, Koramangala, Bangalore – 560 034, Tel.No.080-25635901, E-Mail:

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F. No. 4-KRB1249/2020-BAN Dated the 1st May,, 2023

To

The Additional Chief Secretary to Government of Karnataka, Forest Ecology and Environment Department, M.S. Building, Dr. Ambedkar Veedhi, Bengaluru-56001

Re-diversion of 2.469 ha in Hattikere Village F.Sy.No.10A1A1A, Belekeri Hobli, Ankola Taluk, Uttar Kannada District (Karwar Forest Division) for establishing Toll Plaza with amenities (Shifting from existing location at CH.117+900 to CH.131+200) in Goa - Karnataka Border-Kundapur Section of NH-66 from project Sea Bird (Primary User Agency) in favour of Project Director, NHAI, PIU, Mangalore (Secondary User Agency)

Sir,

I am directed to refer to State Government letter No. FEE41FLL2020 (e) dated 26th April, 2023 on the subject mentioned above. In this regard, it is informed that information furnished by the State Government on violation is incomplete. It is, therefore, requested that the detailed report on violation, including names of the erring officials of Department/ NHAI, who have ordered to carry out the work in violation to F(C)Act, 1980 may be furnished to this office expeditiously, **preferably by 31st May, 2023** for further examination of the proposal.

Yours faithfully,



(M.K.Shambhu) Dy. Inspector General of Forests (C)

Copy to:

1. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & HoFF, Forests Department, Govt. of Karnataka, Aranya Bhavan, 18th Cross, Malleswaram, Bangalore – 560 003.

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

3. The Project Director, National Highways Authority of India (NHAI), Project Implementation Unit (PIU), Door No.3-29,Bethel, Tharethoat, Near Pump Well, NH-66, Mangalore

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