GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS, SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (Sec.II) DEPARTMENT

Memo.No.397/Section. II/2022/(1660611)

Dated:05.05.2022

Sub: Diversion of 5.27 ha of forest land in compartment No.395 & 396 of Bolagonda RF and compartment No. 750 of Tadepalli PF in Kakinada Division for formation of road from Pandirimamidi to Chavitidibbalu road in favour of Executive Engineer, R&B Division, Rajamahendravaram - Additional information called for - Reg.

Ref: 1.From the PCCF & HoFF, A.P., Lr.Ref.No.EFS02-15034/19/2019-FCA-SEC PCCF/FCA-3, Dated.07.02.2022.

2.State Govt.Lr.No.397/Sec.II/2022, EFS&T(Sec.II) Dept., dt.08.04.2022.

3.From the IGF(Central), GoI, MoEF&CC, IRO, Vijayawada, Lr. F. No. 4-APC 160/2022-VIJ/320, dt. 03.05.2022.

The attention of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force, Andhra Pradesh, Guntur is invited to the reference 3rd cited (copy enclosed), wherein it has been informed that the subject proposal was considered by the Regional Empowered Committee (REC) in its 4th meeting held on 28.04.2022. After detailed deliberations, the committee decided that sub-committee of the REC will carry out inspection of both forest area proposed for diversion (to ascertain barest minimum requirement, SMC works to be adopted etc.) along with CA area (for examination of its suitability) and decided to consider the proposal along with the sub committee report. It has also been informed that in addition to site inspection, committee decided to seek the State Government to submit/ update the following;

- a. Correct kml file of the forest area proposed for diversion shall be uploaded;
- b. legal status of the existing road with supporting documents;
- 2. The IGF(Central), GoI, MoEF&CC, IRO, Vijayawada, has therefore requested that the same may be uploaded & required information furnished at the earliest for further consideration of the proposal.
- 3. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force, is therefore requested to take necessary action in the matter and furnish the additional information to Government immediately, so as to forward the same to GoI, MoEF&CC, IRO, Vijayawada for further consideration of the proposal.

P.PHALA CHANDRA RAO JOINT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force, Andhra Pradesh, Guntur. (W.E)

Copy to:

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