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Office of
Principal Chief Conservator of Forests
(Head of Forest Force)



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Date 08-05-2023

To

The Conservator of Forests
Kalburgi Circle, Kalburgi

Sub: Diversion of 0.84527 ha (revised from 0.76253 ha) of forest land in Karakanahalli Village and other 12 Villages of Chincholi Taluk, Kalburgi District and Chitaguppa Taluk of Bidar District for laying of Jio Optical Fiber Cable along the road from Chincholi-Chimmanchodi Village in Chincholi Taluk of Kalburgi District and Kalluru-Lingapura Village in Chitaguppa Taluk of Bidar District in favour of Deputy General Manager (DGM), Senior Executive Officer (SEO), Jio Digital Fiber Private Limited, Vasanth Nagara, Bengaluru-560 052

Proposal No: FP/KA/OFC/143839/2021 [Form-A]

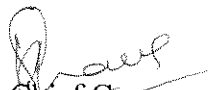
- Ref:
1. Government of India letter F.No.4-KRB 1446/2023-BAN/143 dated 06-04-2023 [EDS Query]
 2. Government of Karnataka letter No FEE 135 FLL 2023 (e) dated 25-04-2023 [communication of EDS query sought by the Government of India]

With regard to the proposal vide ref (1) Government of India has raised the EDS Query. Government of Karnataka the same was forwarded vide Ref (2) letter dated 25-04-2023 to this office. Government of India has raised the EDS Query in which it stated that.

1. *Since the proposed area in Bidar Forest Division has been revised from 0.227598 ha to 0.310339 ha corresponding changes may be effected in part-I and Part-II of the proposal along with revised KML files.*
2. *As per part- II of the proposal, the proposed forest area in Kalburgi Division contains 55 trees. In case the proposal involves felling of trees, then the recommendation of Standing Committee on National Board for Wildlife may kindly be obtained and furnished as the proposed area falls in Chincholi Wildlife Sanctuary.*

Hence, you are directed to communicate the same to the concerned DCF's (*Bidar and Gulbarga Division*) and direct to submit the clarification/information/documents sought by Government of India (*as mentioned above*) and same to this office through you at earliest for further processing for seeking final approval (Stage-I) under Forest (Conservation) Act 1980.

(enclosed: ref (1) and (2) letters)


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

Copy to the:

1. Deputy Conservator of Forests, Kalburgi and Bidar Divisions for information.
2. Deputy General Manager (DGM), Senior Executive Officer, Jio Fiber Private Limited, Vasanthanagar, Bengaluru for information.