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Letter No. **2652/4F** (F.C. Act & Lease) – 58/2023

Dated, Bhubaneswar the **06th April, 2023**

To

The Director of Estates & Ex-Officio
Addl. Secretary to Government
GA & PG Department

Sub: Proposal for diversion of 0.151 ha. (0.372Ac.) Forest land allotted to Central Chinmaya Mission Trust over Plot No. 03(Part), Khata No. 186 in Mouza - Paikanagar in Bhubaneswar Tahasil under Khordha District.

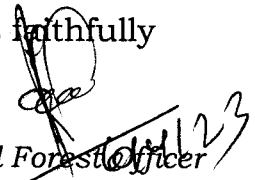
Ref: (i) This office letter No. 2118 dtd. 16.03.2023
(ii) Memo. No. 5760/FE&CC dtd. 28.03.2023 of the OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government

Sir,

Inviting a reference to the above cited letter on the captioned subject; you are requested to submit the compliance of point No. 1 & 2 as sought by the DIGF(C), Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, IRO, Bhubaneswar. Further, it is once again requested to submit action taken against the officials responsible for violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 & a factual report at an early date for onward transmission to higher quarters.

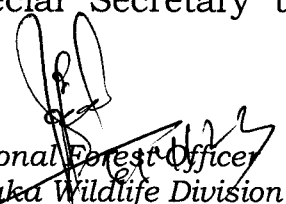
Encl: As above

Yours faithfully


Divisional Forest Officer
Chandaka Wildlife Division
Bhubaneswar

Memo. No. **2653**/dt. **06.04.2023**/

Copy forwarded to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Forest Diversion & Nodal Officer, Forest Conservation Act) for favour of information and necessary action with reference to memo. No. 5758/FE&CC dtd. 28.03.2023 of the OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government.


Divisional Forest Officer
Chandaka Wildlife Division
Bhubaneswar


Memo. No. **2654**/dt. **06.04.2023**/

Copy forwarded to the Regional Chief Conservator of Forests, Bhubaneswar Circle, Bhubaneswar for information and necessary action with reference to memo. No. 5759/FE&CC dtd. 28.03.2023 of the OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government


Divisional Forest Officer
Chandaka Wildlife Division
Bhubaneswar

Memo. No. **2655**/dt. **06.04.2023**/

Copy forwarded to the OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government, FE&CC Department, Government of Odisha, Bhubaneswar for information and necessary action with reference to his memo. No. 5759/FE&CC dtd. 28.03.2023.


Divisional Forest Officer
Chandaka Wildlife Division
Bhubaneswar

Memo. No. **2656**/dt. **06.04.2023**/

Copy forwarded to the Secretary, Central Chinmaya Mission Trust, Bhubaneswar for information and necessary action with reference to memo. No. 5761/FE&CC dtd. 28.03.2023 of the OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government.


Divisional Forest Officer
Chandaka Wildlife Division
Bhubaneswar

GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
FOREST, ENVIRONMENT & CLIMATE CHANGE DEPARTMENT

Memo No. 5757/FE&CC, Date 28.03.23
 (FE-DIV-FLD-0031-2022/10F-(Cons)-16/2022)

Copy of Government of India, MoEF&CC, IRO, Bhubaneswar vide Letter No.5-ORB513/2022-BHU dtd.09.03.2023 on the matter of diversion of 0.151 ha (0.372 Ac) of forest land allotted to Central Chinmaya Mission Trust over Revenue Plot No.03 (Part), Khata No.186 in Mouza Paikanagar in Bhubaneswar Tahasil under Khorda District forwarded to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & HoFF, Odisha for kind information and necessary action.

It is requested to kindly furnish the information as sought for in the aforementioned letter directly to the Ministry under intimation to this Department.

28/3/2023

OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government

Memo No. 5758 /FE&CC, Date 28.03.23

Copy along with copy of the enclosure forwarded to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Wildlife) & Chief Wildlife Warden, Odisha/ Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (FD&NO), FCA, O/o PCCF & HoFF, Odisha for information and necessary action.

28/3/2023

OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government

Memo No. 5759 /FE&CC, Date 28.03.23

Copy along with copy of the enclosure forwarded to the Regional Chief Conservator of Forests, Bhubaneswar Circle/ Divisional Forest Officer, Chandaka Wildlife Division for information and necessary action.

28/3/2023

OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government

Memo No. 5760 /FE&CC, Date 28.03.23

Copy along with the copy of the enclosure forwarded to GA&PG Department/ R&DM Department/ H&UD Department/ Collector, Khurda for information and necessary action.

28/3/2023

OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government

Memo No. 5761 /FE&CC, Date 28.03.23

Copy along with copy of the enclosure forwarded to the Secretary, Central Chinmaya Mission Trust, Bhubaneswar, Plot No.180, VIP Area, IRC Village, Bhubaneswar, Odisha, Pin-751015 for information and necessary action.

28/3/2023

OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government





No.5-ORB51372022-BHU

9th March, 2023

To

The Addl. Chief Secretary,
Forest, Environment & CC Deptt.,
Government of Odisha,
Bhubaneswar - 751 001.

Sub: Diversion of 0.151 ha (0.372 Ac.) of forest land allotted to Central Chinmaya Mission Trust over Revenue Plot No.03 (Part), Khata No.186 in Mouza Paikanagar in Bhubaneswar Tahasil under Khorda District.

Ref: This office letter of even number dated 23.09.2022 & 25.10.2022.

Madam,

With subject and reference cited above, I am directed to inform that the present proposal involves violation of FC Act, 1980 and State Govt. has submitted proposal for ex-post facto approval. The proposal was discussed in the REC meeting held on 15.09.2022 and as per Ministry's letter No.FC-7/43/2020-FC dated 22.03.2022, the proposal file was submitted to the Ministry on 08.02.2023 for consideration. The Ministry has returned the file with the following observation:

- 1) Whether the revenue records had any entries of 'forests' in 2001 or not?
- 2) Whether the structures on the land in question have been constructed before 2015 or after 2015?

Further, this office vide letter dated 23.09.2022 has requested the State Govt. to furnish the action against the erring officials responsible for allotting/assigning and giving permission for construction over forest land in violation of provisions under FC Act, 1980 along with name of officials of the State Govt. responsible for violation/responsible for allotment of the said forest land, which is still awaited.

Therefore, it is requested to furnish the information on the above observation of the Ministry along with information sought by this office vide letter dated 23.09.2022 to this office for further processing of the proposal.

Yours faithfully,

Padma Mahanti

(Padma Mahanti)

Dy. Inspector General of Forests (C)

Copy to:

1. The PCCF & Nodal Officer (FCA), Forest Department, Govt. of Odisha, Aranya Bhawany, Chandrasekharpur, Bhubaneswar - 751 023 for kind information and necessary action.
2. The Secretary, Central Chinmaya Mission Trust, Bhubaneswar, Plot No.180, VIP Area, IRC Village, Bhubaneswar - 751015, Odisha for information and necessary action.

Padma Mahanti

Dy. Inspector General of Forests (C)

Asst(Div.)
20/03/2023

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