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ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ನಗರ ವಿಭಾಗ, ಅರಣ್ಯ ಭವನ ಸಂಕೀರ್ಣ, 18ನೇ ಅಡ್ಡರಸ್ತೆ, ಮಲ್ಲೇಶ್ವರಂ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು - 560 003

Office of the Deputy Conservator of Forests

Bangalore Urban Division, Aranya Bhavan Annexe. 18th cross, Malleshwaram, Bangalore-560003

No:A7/land/Lease/BWSSB/CR-41/2021-22

Dated: 31.05.2022

To

Sri.K.C.Rajashekhar, Executive Engineer, Kaveri-1 Division, BWSSB, Kapila Bhavan, 11th Main, Jayanagar 4^T Block, Bangalore - 560041.

Sir,

Sub | Work of construction of Kadugodi GLR (Ground Level Reservoir) in 2.4281 ha of forest land at Kadugodi Plantation Village, Sy.No.1, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore Urban Dist., under Contract Package-12 of Cauvery Water Supply Scheme (CWSS) Stage-V Project, JICA Funded in favour of Bangalore Water Supply and Sewerage Board- reg.

Forest Clearance No.FP/KA/WATER/48609/2020.

Ref

- 1) Your office letter No.BWSSB/EE(K-1)/AEE(K-1)-2/AE/CP-12/Kadugodi.GLR/597/2021-22 dated: 22.10.2021.
- This office letter No:A7/land/Lease/BWSSB/CR-41/2021-22 dated: 16.11.2021.
- 3) Letter No.ಸಅಸ(ದ).ಕಾಡುಗೋಡಿ.ಸಿಆರ್-454/2021-22 dated: 06.12.2021 of the Asst. Conservator of Forests, Bangalore South sub-division, Bangalore.
- This office letter of even No. dated: 10.01.2022.
- office letter No.BWSSB/EE(K-1)/AEE(K-1)-5) Your 2/AE/CP-12/Kadugodi.GLR/1041/2021-22 dated: 15.02.2022 & letter No. No.BWSSB/EE(K-1)/ AEE(K-1)-2/AE/CP-/Kadugodi.GLR/1116/2021-22 dated: 22.02.2022.
- 6) This office letter of even No. addressed to the Deputy Conservator of Forests. Mandya Division, Mandya dated: 29.03.2022, 29.04.2022 & 23.05.2022.
- 7) Letter No.ಸಿ1.ಭೂಮಿ.ಎಫ್ಸಿ/ಪರಿಹಾರತ್ಮಕ/ಜಿಎಲ್-7104/2022-23/188-1 dated: 25.05.2022 of the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Mandya Division, Mandya.

With reference to the above cited subject, the Executive Engineer, Bangalore Water Supply and Sewerage Board had submitted a proposal in Form-A(Part-1) under section-2 of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for diversion

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of 2.4281ha of forest land in Sy.No.1/P of Kadugodi Plantation Village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore Urban District for construction of Ground Level Reservoir(GLR) of 48ML capacity under JICA fund to provide water supply facilities to the newly added 110 villages coming under BBMP vide Contract Package-12 of Cauvery Water Supply Scheme(CWSS) Stage-V Project.

In ref(5), vide letter dated 22.02.2022. it was observed that 2.4281 ha of non-forest land in Sy.No.91, 125 & 134 of land in Thorekadanahalli Village, Malavalli Taluk, Mandya District has been identified by the User Agency for Compensatory Afforestation. The Topo sheet map with DGPS co-ordinates map has been submitted to the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Mandya Division, Mandya.

Further, the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Mandya Division, Mandya had been requested in ref(6) letters to send the suitability certificate for raising of CA plantation along with the financial outlay for CA scheme & relevant documents to this office. The same has to be uploaded in part-II, which is still pending in this division.

The Deputy Conservator of Forests, Mandya Division, Mandya had submitted his report stating that the CA land identified in Sy.No. 91, 125 and 134 of T.K.halli Village consists of 3meter wide underground water pipelines and also high voltage electrical transmission lines passing through the portion of identified CA land. As such, the land is not suitable for raising Compensatory Afforestation.(copy enclosed)

In view of the facts briefed above, I request your kindself to identify and provide an alternate land in Bangalore Urban District adjacent to the boundary of the reserve forests along with Topo sheet map & DGPS co-ordinates map at the earliest for further necessary action.

Yours sincerely,
Sd/Deputy Conservator of Forests,
Bangalore Urban Division, Bangalore

- Copy submitted the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Forest Conservation) and Nodal Officer(FCA), Bengaluru for kind information.
- Copy submitted the Chief Conservator of Forests (Territorial), Bangalore for kind information.
- Copy to the Chairman, Bangalore Water Supply and Sewerage Board, Cauvery Bhavan, K.G.Road, Bangalore for kind information.

 Copy to the Asst. Conservator of Forests, Bangalore South Sub Division, Bangalore for information.

Copy to the Range Forest Officer, K.R.Puram Range, Bangalore for information and further necessary action.

Deputy Conservator of Forests, Bangalore Urban Division, Bangalore