

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
FOREST DEPARTMENT**

Rc.No.3667/2017/TO,
Dated: 2 -06-2019.

Office of the Conservator of Forests,
Guntur Circle, Guntur.

Sri P.S.Srinivasa Sastry, IFS.,
Conservator of Forests.

Sub: APFD – FC Act, 1980 – Proposals for Diversion of 4.72 Ha of Forest Land in Compt.No.450 of Yerrakonda RF, Tummagunta (v), Kanigiri (M), Prakasam District, Giddalur Division for extraction of quartz in favour of Sri.P.Babul Reddy - Identification of CA Land in Udayagiri Range of Nellore Division - Submission of CA Scheme for Approval- further report called for- Reg.

Ref: 1. PCCF, AP, Guntur Rc.No.12820/2017/FCA-2,Dt.03.10.2017.
2. PCCF, AP, Guntur Rc.No.EFS02-15029/94/ 2018/FCA.SEC. PCCF/FCA-2, dt.28.11.2018.
3. PCCF, AP, Guntur Rc.No.EFS02-15029/94/2018/ FCA.SEC. PCCF/FCA-2, dt.27.02.2019 & 06.03.2019.
4. Proposal FP/AP/QRY/38806/2019.
5. DFO Giddalur Rc.No.642/2013/TA., Dt.27.05.2019.
6. DFO Nellore Rc.No.2368/2018/F11., Dt.14.05.2019

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It is informed that in the reference 1st to 3rd cited, the Prl.Chief Conservator of Forests, AP, Guntur issued instructions to the Divisional Forest Officer, Nellore to inspect the non-forest land identified for CA and asses the suitability of the land for CA and to ensure the presence of field staff while conducting DGPS survey of the non-forest land so identified by the user agency pertains to the proposals for diversion of 4.72 Ha of Forest Land in Compt.No.450 of Yerrakonda RF, Tummagunta (V), Kanigiri (M), Prakasam District, Giddalur Division for extraction of Quartz in favour of Sri.P.Babul Reddy.

In lieu of the diversion of forest area of 4.72 Ha referred above the user agencyc has identified CA area in Sy.No.269 in Balayapalli village of Seetharamapuram Mandal, Nellore District. The CA said to be fallen under the jurisdiction of Udayagiri Range of Nellore Division and District. The Sy.No. wise details are as follows,

Sl.No.	Mandal	Village	Sy.No.	Extent in Ha.
1	Seetharamapuram	Balayapalli	269	2.44
			269/1	2.12
		Total area		4.56 Ha.

The area so identified for the purpose of CA has been authenticated by the Prl.Chief Conservator of Forests, A.P., Guntur, however the following objections are noticed duly scrutiny of the CA proposals which are detailed below.

1. As far as the general practice is concerned, all small areas must be contiguous any of the Reserve forests from the context of management of forest in future.

But in the instant issue the area proposed for CA is not adjoining to the RF the village map is very clear and reflects the same.


2. The shape of authenticated map quite differs from that of the original FMB sketch with reference to its orientation shape and direction.
3. It appears that there is a every need of reconciliation of the area proposed for CA from the above parameters.

Since the area is not adjoining to RFs it may not be possible to consider it for CA area as per the directions of the higher authorities from time to time.

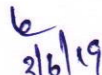
In view of the above the Divisional Forest Officer, Nellore is hereby directed to check the area once again and re ascertain the possibilities for consideration.

Keeping in view of the above parameters the request for formulation of CA scheme and its approval are hereby rejected with the above directions.


The receipt of the reference should be acknowledged

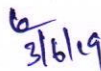

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Guntur Circle, Guntur.

To
The Divisional Forest Officer,
Nellore.


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Copy to the Divisional Forest Officer, Giddalur. He is directed to go through the essence of the reference issued by the Prl.Chief Conservator of Forests, A.P., Hyderabad vide Rc.No.45921/2001/FCA-4, dt.15.06.2015 duly focusing on para no.2 and submit his comprehensive report in the light of the said provisions. the Divisional Forest Officer, Giddalur also informed that wherein the Prl.Chief Conservator of Forests, (WL) & CWLW,AP, Guntur issued instructions that “ Earlier it was decided to not allow any metal quarry and mining proposals in Guntur & Prakasam District due to over exploitation” He is also directed to re-examine and the revise the proposals if necessary if the situation warren so. Further the information as required in the Check list for the proposals for the diversion of forest land for non-forestry use under F(C) Act, 1980 for “MINING” proposals vide item no. A (information from DMG) & B -Part-I (To be filled in by the user agency) is missing which may be supplemented immediately for further course of action. The proposals are hereby returned to the Divisional Forest Officer, Giddalur to supplement the omissions.


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