

ಕ್ರ.ಸಂ : B2/GFL/ Quarry/CR-17/2021-22

ಅರಣ್ಯ ಸಂರಕ್ಷಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳ ಕಚೇರಿ, ಕೆನರಾ ವೃತ್ತ, ಶಿರಸಿ. ದಿನಾಂಕ:02-06-2022.

ಉಪ ಅರಣ್ಯ ಸಂರಕ್ಷಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿ, ಕಾರವಾರ ವಿಭಾಗ, ಕಾರವಾರ.

ವಿಷಯ Diversion of 8.80388 ha. of forest land in Sy No:52A1A, of Arga village Baad Hobli, Karwar Taluk, Uttara Kannada District(Karwar Forest Division) for establishing stone quarry, dumping yards and its Approach Road in favour of M/s Ramashree Construction Company Kodibag Karwar strict.

Proposal No:FP/KA/QRY/31539/2018. ಉಲ್ಲೇಖ ಪ್ರಧಾನ ಮುಖ್ಯ ಅರಣ್ಯ ಸಂರಕ್ಷಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿ (ಅರಣ್ಯ ಸಂರಕ್ಷಣೆ) ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ರವರ ಪತ್ರಸಂಖ್ಯೆ:ಕೆಎಫ್ಡಿ/ಹೆಚ್ಓಎಫ್ಎಫ್/ಎ52 ಕೆ(ಜಿಎಫ್ಎಲ್)/42/2022 ಎಫ್.ಸಿ ದಿನಾಂಕ:01–06–2022.

ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ವಿಷಯಕ್ಕೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ ಪ್ರಧಾನ ಮುಖ್ಯ ಅರಣ್ಯ ಸಂರಕ್ಷಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿ (ಅರಣ್ಯ ಸಂರಕ್ಷಣೆ) ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ರವರು ಉಲ್ಲೇಖತ ಪತ್ರದಲ್ಲ 1 ರಿಂದ 7 ರವರೆಗಿನ ಅಂಶಗಳ ಮಾಹಿತಿಯನ್ನು ತುರ್ತಾಗಿ ಸಲ್ಲಸಲು ತಿಳಸಿದಂತೆ, ಸದರಿ ಪತ್ರ ಹಾಗೂ ಅಡಕವನ್ನು ಲಗತ್ತಿಸಿ ಮುಂದಿನ ಕ್ರಮಕ್ಕಾಗಿ ಕಳುಹಿಸಿದೆ.

ಅರಣ್ಯ ಸಂರಕ್ಷಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿ, ಕೆನರಾ ವೃತ್ತ, ಶಿರಸಿ. 1/264601/2022

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Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Forest Force)



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Old File No. A5(2).GFL.CR-35/2013-14 E-Office File No. KFD/HOFF/A5-2(GFL)/42/2020-FC E - 316958 Date 01-06-2022

To,

The Chief Conservator of Forests Kanara Circle, Sirsi.

Sub: Diversion of 8.803 hectare of forest land in Arga Village F.Sy No. 52A, Bada Hobli, Karwar Taluk, Uttara Kannada District (Karwar Forest Division) for establishing Stone Quarry and its Approach Road, Dumping yard in favour of M/s Ramshree Construction Company, Kodibag, Karwar, Uttara Kannada District.

Proposal No. FP/KA/QRY/31539/2018 [FORM A]

Ref: 1. This office letter of even number dated 31-01-2022 [seeking Stage-I approval]

 Government of Karnataka letter No. FEE 10 FFM 2022 (e) dated 18-04-2022 [seeking Stage-I approval] 13-05-2022[Communication of GOI EDS query]

3. Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, New Delhi letter F.No. 4-KRB1352/2022-BAN/166 dated 03-05-2022[EDS query]

With reference to the above subject, this office vide ref (1) had submitted the proposal to Government of Karnataka seeking 'in-principle' (Stage-I) approval under Section 2 of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980. The Government of Karnataka vide ref (2) letter dated 18-04-2022 had forwarded the proposal to Government of India.

In response, the Government of India vide ref (3) has sought certain information on Seven specific points. They are as follows (copy enclosed)

1. Justification for opening new quarry as per para 7.8 of the Handbook of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.

2. The Compensatory Afforestation Scheme uploaded on the Parivesh Web Portal is not visible. Therefore, proper Compensatory Afforestation scheme may be furnished and the same may be uploaded in the PARIVESH web portal.

3. Clear map depicting various components of Quarry for proposed diversion may be furnished.

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- 4. As per the component wise break up of land furnished in FORM A for the proposed Quarry, crushing unit & Road to an extent of 0.455 ha is mentioned as non forest land. However, as per the KML file/ google image, the said components appears to be inside the forest land. Therefore, legal status of land required for crushing unit may be furnished.
- 5. As per the KML file/ google image of Compensatory Afforestation land, the area proposed Compensatory Afforestation appears to have thick vegetation. It is, therefore, requested to clarify whether 1000 plants per ha can be planted in the identified non forest land for raising Compensatory Afforestation.
- Quarry Plan approved from the competent authority.
- 7. Status of Environment Clearance.

Accordingly, Government of Karnataka vide ref (2) letter dated 13-05-2022 had communicated the same to this office. Therefore, you are directed to submit clarification/information sought by Government of India after obtaining the same form the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Karwar Division and User agency. The online link is transferred to you for further transfer of the same to the user agency through Deputy Conservator of Forests Karwar Division.

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

Copy to the:

- Deputy Conservator of Forests, Karwar Division, Karwar for information and necessary action as stated above.
- 2. M/s Ramshree Construction Company, Engineers & Contractors, Shree Ram Complex, G. Floor, NH-17 Kodibag, Karwar -581 303 for information.