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ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರ

ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: ಎಫ್ಇಇ 10 ಎಫ್ಎಫ್ಎಂ 2022 (ಇ)

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರ ಸಚಿವಾಲಯ ಬಹುಮಹಡಿಗಳ ಕಟ್ಟಡ ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು, ದಿನಾಂಕ: 11-07-2025.

ಇವರಿಂದ:

ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಅಪರ ಮುಖ್ಯ ಕಾರ್ಯದರ್ಶಿ, ಅರಣ್ಯ, ಜೀವಿಪರಿಸ್ಥಿತಿ ಮತ್ತು ಪರಿಸರ ಇಲಾಖೆ, ಬಹುಮಹಡಿಗಳ ಕಟ್ಟಡ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು-560001.

ಇವರಿಗೆ:

ಪ್ರಧಾನ ಮುಖ್ಯ ಅರಣ್ಯ ಸಂರಕ್ಷಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿ (ಅರಣ್ಯ ಪಡೆ ಮುಖ್ಯಸ್ಥರು), ಅರಣ್ಯ ಭವನ, ಮಲ್ಲೇಶ್ವರಂ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು–560003.

ಮಾನ್ಯರೆ,

Proposal for seeking prior of the Central Govt. of the Central Government under Section 2 (1) (ii) of the Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980 for diversion of 8.803 ha. of forest land in F.Sy.No. 52A, Arga village, 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

- ಉಲ್ಲೇಖ: 1. ತಮ್ಮ ಕಛೇರಿಯ ಪತ್ರ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: KFD/HOFF/A5-2(GFL)/42/2020-FC, ದಿನಾಂಕ:024–03–2025.
 - 2. ಭಾರತ ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಪರಿಸರ, ಅರಣ್ಯಗಳ ಮತ್ತು ಹವಾಮಾನ ವೈಪರೀತ್ಯ ಮಂತ್ರಾಲಯದ ಪತ್ರ ದಿನಾಂಕ:27–06–2025.

ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ವಿಷಯಕ್ಕೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ, ಉಲೇಖಿತ (1)ರ ಪತ್ರದ ಕಡೆ ಗಮನ ಸೆಳೆಯುತ್ತಾ, ಉಲ್ಲೇಖಿತ (2)ರ ಪತ್ರವನ್ನು ಇದರೊಂದಿಗೆ ಲಗತ್ತಿಸಿದೆ. ಸದರಿ ಪ್ರಸ್ತಾವನೆಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ, ಕೇಂದ್ರ ಸರ್ಕಾರವು ದಿನಾಂಕ:27–06–2025ರ ಪತ್ರದಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಸ್ತಾಪಿಸಿರುವ ಅಂಶಗಳನ್ನು ಪರಿಶೀಲಿಸಿ, ಸ್ಪಷ್ಟ ಮಾಹಿತಿ/ವರದಿಯನ್ನು ಸರ್ಕಾರಕ್ಕೆ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುವಂತೆ ಕೋರಲು ನಿರ್ದೇಶಿಸಲ್ಪಟ್ಟಿದ್ದೇನೆ.

ತಮ್ಮ ನಂಬುಗೆಯ

(ಬಿ. ಶಿವಕುಮಾರ್)

ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಅಧೀನ ಕಾರ್ಯದರ್ಶಿ, ಅರಣ್ಯ, ಜೀವಿಪರಿಸ್ಥಿತಿ ಮತ್ತು ಪರಿಸರ ಇಲಾಖೆ (ಅಶಣ್ಯ–ಸಿ ಮತ್ತು ಸಮನ್ವಯ)

ಪ್ರತಿಯನ್ನು ಮಾಹಿತಿಗಾಗಿ:-

ಪ್ರಧಾನ ಮುಖ್ಯ ಅರಣ್ಯ ಸಂರಕ್ಷಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿ (ಅರಣ್ಯ ಸಂರಕ್ಷಣೆ), ಅರಣ್ಯ ಭವನ, ಮಲ್ಲೇಶ್ವರಂ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು-560003.

Government of India Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (Forest Conservation Division)

Indira Paryavaran Bhawan, Jor Bagh Road, Aliganj New Delhi: 1100 03, Dated:27-06-2025

To The Additional Chief Secretary (Forests) Forest, Ecology & Environment Department, Government of Karnataka, Bengaluru

Sub: Proposal for seeking prior of the Central Govt. of the Central Government under Section 2 (1) (ii) of the Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980 for diversion of 8.803 ha. of forest land in F.Sy.No.52A, Arga village, 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 (Online Proposal No FP/KA/QRY/31539/2018) –reg.

Madam/Sir,

I am directed to refer to the State Government of Karnataka's letter No. FEE 10 FFM 2022 (e) dated 16/04/2022 on above mentioned subject proposal, seeking prior approval of the Central Government under Section-2 of the Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980 and submitting the additional information vide letter dated 14.05.2025. After the examination of the reply of the State Government, the following additional information is required to be submitted by the State Govt. for further necessary action in the matter:

 Comments of the State Government on the matter that PCCF & Nodal Officer in his report has stated that only 2Ha out of the proposed area should be used for quarrying.

ii. The copy of the Government guidelines which state that no quarrying within 200m from NH shall be be submitted.

- iii. Since NFL is also involved in the proposal, the labour shed and dumping area has been proposed over forest land. The State Govt. shall explore the possibility to relocate these activities to NFL and modified proposal may be submitted.
- Justification for minimum use of forest land for approach road shall be provided.
- v. Other mining leases of stone quarrying granted in the vicinity of the project along with their KML may be submitted along with details sought in EDS no.1 of RO regarding points raised in Para 7.8 of the consolidated guidelines may be submitted by the State Government.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/-(S. Sundar) Assistant Inspector General of Forests

Copy to:

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- 1. PCCF (HoFF), Government of Karnataka, Bengaluru.
- 2. DDGF (C) Regional Office, MoEF&CC, Bengaluru-
- 3. APCCF cum Nodal Officer (FCA), 1980, Forest Department, Government of Karnataka, Bengaluru.
- 4. User Agency.
- 5. Monitoring Cell, FC Division, MoEF&CC, New Delhi.