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To

The Special Chief Secretary to the Government of Andhra Pradesh,  
Environment, Forests, Science & Technology Department,  
Government of Andhra Pradesh, Room No.268, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, 4<sup>th</sup> Block,  
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**Subject:** Diversion of 4.54 ha of forest land in Compartment No.297, Pulikundram RF / Pulikundram Beat, Puttur Range of Chittoor East (WL) Division for construction of six-lane highway-road from Chittoor to Thatchur (NH-716B) from km 0.000 (Bangalore Chennai Expressway) to km.126.550 (Chennai Peripheral Road) in Chittoor District in Andhra Pradesh and Tiruvallur District in Tamil Nadu in favour of the Project Director, NHAI, PIU, Chittoor-Reg.

**Reference:** The State Government letter No 1487/Section.II/2022/(1767199) Dated: 13.07.2022

Sir,

With reference to the subject and reference cited above, it is requested that the following documents may please be furnished for further consideration of the proposal;

- (i) Map clearly depicting the alternative routes examined along with the note on each such alternative examined (**includes actual forest area involved, number of trees to be felled, cost, displacement of people, if any, etc**)
- (ii) Authenticated beat map clearly depicting the RF boundary and the road alignment proposed for diversion.

Yours faithfully

(N.S.Murali)

Inspector General of Forests (Central)

Copy to:-

1. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & HoFF, Forests Department, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh, Aranya Bhavan, K.M. Munshi Road, Nagarampalem Guntur-522004.
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