

**TAMIL NADU FOREST DEPARTMENT**

From.

Thiru. K.Rajangam, IFS.,  
District Forest Officer,  
Dharmapuri Forest Division,  
Dharmapuri – 636 705.

To.

The Deputy General Manager (Const),  
GAIL (INDIA) LIMITED,  
No.4, 5<sup>th</sup> floor Kuppu Arcade,  
Venkat Narayana road,  
T.Nagar,  
Chennai – 17  
Tamil Nadu.

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**C. No. 148 / 2023 / D, dated. 09.09.2024**

Sir,

Sub : Forests – Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam,  
1980 – Online forest clearance proposal for diversion of  
5.5831Ha of forest area 5.5181Ha (Two segments) in Thoppur  
RF of Dharmapuri Range and 0.065Ha (Two segments) in  
Gummanur RF of Palacode Range in Dharmapuri Forest  
Division for laying pipeline under KKB MPL Tamil Nadu  
Section – Dharmapuri District – Raising EDS to upload the  
KML file of the Compensatory Afforestation land identified  
with relevant documents - Regarding.

- Ref
- 1) The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Chennai.  
Ref.No. TS3/29849/2021 dated.18.01.2024.
  - 2) The Conservator of Forests, Dharmapuri Circle.  
C.No.9398/2021/D dated.21.07.2023.
  - 3) This Office C.No. 148 / 2023 / D dated.03.02.2024.
  - 4) Online proposal submitted vide Proposal No.  
FP/TN/Pipeline/50403/2020. Dated.06.05.2024.
  - 5) The Conservator of Forests, Dharmapuri Circle.  
C.No.9398/2021/D dated.31.05.2024
  - 6) The District Collector, Dharmapuri. Ref.No.4904/2023/T2  
dated.22.02.2024.
  - 7) Query replied by the User Agency at Online proposal vide  
Proposal No. FP/TN/Pipeline/50403/2020. Dated.02.09.2024.

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I wish to invite your kind attention to the references cited above. In the  
reference 1<sup>st</sup> cited above, the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF),  
Chennai has raised few queries based on the recent Van (Sanrakshan Evam  
Samvardhan) Adhiniyam Rules 2023.

- (i) As per the Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam Rules 2023, the Compensatory Afforestation land has to be identified as per the criteria mentioned in Schedule I of the Rule 2023.
- (ii) In the reference 6<sup>th</sup> cited above, the District Collector, Dharmapuri has identified the Compensatory Afforestation land in SF.No.692/1 of Kammampatty Village in Nallampalli Taluk of Dharmapuri District and requested the **User Agency to pay the cost of Compensatory Afforestation land for transferring it to Forest Department.**
- (iii) The User Agency has returned the online proposal in the reference 7<sup>th</sup> cited above is scrutinized in this office and found with incompleteness as per the instructions given by the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Chennai in the reference 1<sup>st</sup> cited above.

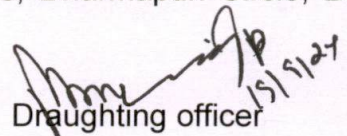
Hence, the User agency is requested to upload the KML file of the Compensatory Afforestation land identified in SF.No.692/1 of Kammampatty Village in Nallampalli Taluk of Dharmapuri District in PART I of form-A in the option provided in the Parivesh Web portal with relevant documents at the earliest.


Yours Sincerely,

Sd/- K.Rajangam,  
District Forest Officer,  
Dharmapuri Forest Division.  
Dharmapuri.

Copy submitted to the Conservator of Forests, Dharmapuri Circle, Dharmapuri for kind information.

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Draughting officer

  
19/9/2024