GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA

FOREST, ENVIRONMENT & CLIMATE CHANGE DEPARTMENT

Memo No. 16017 /FE&CC, Date 08.09.22

FE-DIV-FLD-0066-2022

No.10F (Cons) 33/2022

Copy of Government of India, MoEF&CC, IRO, Bhubaneswar vide Letter No.5-ORC527/2022-BHU dtd.02.09.2022 on the matter of diversion of 7.043 ha of forest land (Reserved Forest-4.00 ha, Revenue Forest-3.043 ha) for widening and strengthening of Raruan-Fagu-via-Ghagarbeda Road from 0/000 Km to 25/000 Km under the jurisdiction of Karanjia Forest Division in the District of Mayurbhanj by the Executive Engineer, Rairangpur R&B Division forwarded to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & HoFF, Odisha for kind information and necessary action.

It is requested to kindly furnish the required information as sought for in the aforementioned letter directly to the Ministry under intimation to this Department.

OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government

Memo No. 16018 /FE&CC, Date 08.09.22

Copy along with copy of the enclosure forwarded to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Wildlife) & Chief Wildlife Warden, Odisha/ Chief Conservator of Forests (FD&NO), FC Act, O/o PCCF & HoFF, Odisha for information and necessary action.

OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government

Memo No. 16019 /FE&CC, Date 08.09.22

Copy along with copy of the enclosure forwarded to the Field Director, STR-cum-RCCF, Baripada Circle/ Divisional Forest Officer, Karanjia Forest Division for information and necessary action.

OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government

Memo No. 16020 /FE&CC, Date 08.09.22

Copy along with the copy of the enclosure forwarded to Works Department/Revenue & Disaster Management Department/Rural Development Department/Collector, Mayurbhanj for information and necessary action.

OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government



Memo No. 16021 /FE&CC, Date 08.09.22

Copy along with copy of the enclosure forwarded to the Executive Engineer, Rairanpur R&B Division, Rairangpur, Dist-Mayurbhanj, Odisha, Pin-757043 for information and necessary action.

OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government

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To

The Addl. Chief Secretary, Forest, Environment & CC Deptt, Government of Odisha,

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31st August, 2022

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Sub: Diversion of 7.043 Ha of forest land (Reserved Forest – 4.00 Ha, Revenue Forest – 3.043 Ha) for widening and strengthening of Raruan-Fagu-via-Ghagarbeda Road from 0/000 Km to 25/000 Km under the jurisdiction of Karanjia Forest Division in the District of Mayurbhanj by the Executive Engineer, Rairangpur R&B Division.

Ref: State Govt. letter No.10F(Cons)33/2022-14431/FE&CC dated 17.08.2022.

Madam,

With subject and reference cited above, I am directed to inform that the State Govt. vide letter under reference has submitted the above mentioned proposal to this office seeking prior approval of Central Government under Section-2 of Forests (Conservation) Act, 1980. On scrutiny of the proposal, the following has been observed.

1. The user agency has not furnished the shape/KML files of entire stretch of road alignment proposed for widening with proposal.

2. State Govt. has reported that elephants and other wildlife are noticed in the area. However, to mitigate the impact on elephant and other wildlife habitat, measures have not been recommended.

3. As per DSS, the proposed C.A. area is 2.17 km away from nearest the Gambharia RF. How far the management of this C.A. area of 7.043 Ha will be feasible may be furnished.

It is therefore requested to kindly furnish the above information to this office for further necessary action.

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Dy. Inspector General of Forests (C)

1. The CCF & Nodal Officer (FCA), Forest Department, Govt. of Odisha, Aranya Bhawan, Chandrasekharpur, Bhubaneswar – 751 023 for kind information and necessary action.

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2. The Executive Engineer, Rairangpur R&B Division, Rairangpur, Dist: Mayurbhanj-757043, Odisha for information and necessary action.

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