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GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Forest & Wildlife Department-Diversion of 0.070 ha of forest land under section 2 of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for electrification of Manayathadam area in Thodupuzha Range of Kothamangalam Division under total electrification scheme-Sanction accorded-Orders Issued.

FOREST & WILDLIFE (C) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.311/2018/F&WLD Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 28.06.2018

Read 1 Letter No. dated from the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests(Forest, Land & Resources) & Nodal Officer.

2 Letter No. F.No.11-9/98-FC dated 13.03.2014 from the Ministry of Environment and Forests(FC Division), Government of India.

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forest (F,L&R)& NO as per the letter 1st read above has recommended and forwarded the proposal for diversion of 0.070 ha of forest land under section 2 of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for electrification of Manayathadam area in Idukki District falls in Thodupuzha Range of Kothamangalam Forest Division under total electrification scheme. The Executive Engineer, Electrical Division, KSEBL, Kattappana is the user agency. The proposal is for laying 11 KV UG cable through existing coupe road in Reserve Forest over a distance of 2 Km length and 0.35 M width. The proposal is beneficial for 35 families of Manayathadam area.

2. Government have examined the matter in detail on the basis of the guidelines issued by the Government of India as per the letter 2nd read above and are pleased to accord sanction for the above proposal subject to the following conditions:-

- 1. Legal status of the forest shall remain unchanged.*
- 2. The User Agency shall give undertaking to pay Net Present Value as per guidelines issued by Government of India.*

3. *The User Agency shall give an undertaking to pay additional Net Present Value if required.*
4. *The User Agency shall make online payment of Net Present Value with ad-hoc CAMPA through e-payment module of forest clearance portal. (forestclearance.nic.in), if demanded.*
5. *The User Agency shall not fell any trees or cause damage to the surrounding forest and shall take all possible measures to conserve tree growth.*
6. *The User Agency shall not use the forest land for any purpose other than the purpose for which the forest land is diverted.*
7. *When the forest land is no longer required for the purpose, the land will be resumed back to the Forest Department.*
8. *The User Agency shall abide by any other condition imposed later on by Government of India/Government of Kerala/Forest Department in the interest of Forest Conservation.*
9. *The User Agency has to check the UG cable in definite frequent inspection with permission from Divisional Forest Officer to prevent any danger to wildlife.*
10. *The User Agency shall apply for renewal of approval after 10 years.*
11. *The User Agency has to sign an agreement with Divisional Forest Officer, Kothamangalam incorporating all the conditions imposed by Government of India/ Government of Kerala/ Kerala Forest Department in this regard and a nominal lease rent as decided by the Government of Kerala may be remitted.*

(By order of the Governor)
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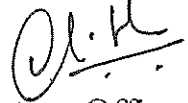
- The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force,
Thiruvananthapuram.
The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (F,L&R) & NO,
Thiruvananthapuram.
The Chief Conservator of Forests(High Range Circle) Kottayam.
The Divisional Forest Officer, Kothamangalam.

The Executive Engineer, Electrical Division, KSEBL, Kattappana.
The Principal Accountant General (A&E)/Audit,
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