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Abstract

Forest & Wildlife Department - Diversion of 0.0385 ha of forest land under section '2' of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for providing electric connection under total electrification scheme to Mokka ST Colony in Anchal Range of Punalur Division - Sanction accorded - Orders issued - reg.

FOREST & WILD LIFE(C) DEPARTMENT

GO(Rt) No. 253/2018/F&WLD Thiruvananthapuram, Dated 29/05/2018.

Read: 1 Letter No. FC2-15827/2017 dated 29.03.2017 from the then Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forest (Special Afforestation) and Nodal Officer.

2 Letter No. F.No.11-9/98-FC dated 13.02.2014 from the Ministry of Environment and Forests (FC Division), Government of India.

3. Letter No. FC2-15827/2017 dated 07.04.2018 from the Principal Chief Conservator of Forest (F,L&R) & NO.

ORDER

The then Additional Chief Conservator of Forest (Special Afforestation) & Nodal Officer as per his letter 1st read above has recommended and forwarded the proposal for diversion of 0.0385 ha of forest land for laying 1100 M LT Under Ground cable, under section (2) Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for electrification and to provide service connection to Mokka ST colony in Anchal Range of Punalur Division, under total electrification scheme. The Executive Engineer, Electrical Division, Punalur is the User Agency. The proposal is for laying 1100 M LT UG cable with a width of 0.35 M through forest area for electrification and to provide service connection to Mokka ST Colony.

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 diversion of 0.0385 ha of forest land for laying 1100 M LT Under Ground cable, under section (2) of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for electrification and to provide service connection to Mokka ST colony in Anchal Range of Punalur Division, under total electrification scheme subject to following conditions:

- 1. Legal status of the forest shall remain unchanged.*
- 2. The User Agency shall 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 not fell any trees or cause damage to the surrounding forest and shall take all possible measures to conserve tree growth.

5. The permission granted by the State Government shall be subject to the monitoring by the concerned Regional Office of the Ministry of Environment and Forests.

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 Kerala/Forest Department in the interest of Forest Conservation.

9. The User Agency shall apply for renewal of approval after 10 years.

(By Order of the Governor)
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PRINCIPAL SECRETARY

To

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force,
Thiruvananthapuram.

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Forest, Land & Resources)
& Nodal Officer, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Punalur.

The Chief Conservator of Forests (Southern Circle) Kollam.

The Executive Engineer, Electrical Division, Punalur.

The Principal Accountant General (A&E)/Audit, Kerala,
Thiruvananthapuram.

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