

**Subject: Allotment of forest lands to the BSNL under the GOI USOF funded 4G Saturation project in Telangana State.**

**TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.**

The Assistant Inspector General of Forests (Central), Ministry Of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Sub Regional Office:6th Floor, Aranya Bhavan, Saifabad, Hyderabad – 500 004, Telangana, has granted the in-principle approval /Stage-I clearance of the Central Government for diversion of forest lands for Construction of 4G Mobile towers by BSNL to provide 4G mobile coverage to uncovered villages under 4G Saturation project funded by Govt. of India, Department of Telecommunications – Universal Service Obligation Fund (USOF) in the following locations of Telangana State.

S. No	District	Sub District	Village	Village Code	FCA Proposal No	Proposal Type	Diversion of land in Ha
1	NIRMAL	SARANGAPUR	Ravindra Nagar	281401	FP/TG/OTHERS/443306/2023	HYBRID	0.0221
2	KUMARAMBHEEM ASIFABAD	KERAMERI	Ananthapur	195315	FP/TG/OTHERS/443227/2023	TOWER	0.021
3	KUMARAMBHEEM ASIFABAD	KERAMERI	Isapur	569262		TOWER	0.021
4	KUMARAMBHEEM ASIFABAD	KERAMERI	Karanjiwada	195318		TOWER	0.021
5	KUMARAMBHEEM ASIFABAD	KERAMERI	Parandoli	195324		TOWER	0.021
6	KHAMMAM	SATHUPALLI	Dacharam	579563		FP/TG/OTHERS/443649/2023	TOWER
7	KHAMMAM	PENUBALLI	NEELADRI	579578	FP/TG/OTHERS/443169/2023	TOWER	0.0191
8	BHADRADRI KOTHAGUDEM	CHERLA	Tippapuram-I	578877	FP/TG/OTHERS/443199/2023	TOWER	0.02
9	BHADRADRI KOTHAGUDEM	CHARLA	Tippapuram (CRPF)	279679	FP/TG/OTHERS/443234/2023	TOWER	0.02
10	BHADRADRI KOTHAGUDEM	CHARLA	Puligundala	279674	FP/TG/OTHERS/443256/2023	TOWER	0.0184
11	BHADRADRI KOTHAGUDEM	GUNDALA	Rudrapaka	579420	FP/TG/OTHERS/443642/2023	TOWER	0.0201
12	MULUGU	VENKATAPUR	Bandlapahad	577852	FP/TG/OTHERS/443503/2023	TOWER	0.02
13	MULUGU	MANGAPET	Narsaigudem	278341	FP/TG/OTHERS/443509/2023	TOWER	0.02
14	MULUGU	MANGAPET	Kothurmotlagudem	278332	FP/TG/OTHERS/443510/2023	TOWER	0.02
15	JAYASHANKAR BHUPALAPALLY	PALIMELA	Kamanpalle	571886	FP/TG/OTHERS/443542/2023	TOWER	0.02
16	JAYASHANKAR BHUPALAPALLY	PALIMELA	Neelampalle	571893	FP/TG/OTHERS/443549/2023	TOWER	0.02
17	JAYASHANKAR BHUPALAPALLY	PALIMELA	Lenkalagadda	201542	FP/TG/OTHERS/443496/2023	TOWER	0.02

**\* Stage-1 Approvals received by the BSNL are attached for reference.**

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Regional Office, Chennai

Online Proposal No.: **FP/TG/OTHERS/443306/2023**

Dated: **04/12/2023**



To,

The Special Chief Secretary to the Government,  
Environment, Forest, Science & Technology Department,  
Telangana State Secretariat,  
Hyderabad, Telangana.

**Subject: Diversion of 0.0221 Ha of Forest Land for Construction of 4G Mobile Tower and laying of OFC under Government of India - Department of Telecommunications - Universal Service Obligation Fund (USOF) for Provision of 4G Mobile Services at Ravindra Nagar Village, Nirmal Division, falling in Nirmal District, Telangana State in favour of Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited, TS-Reg.**

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to refer to the State Government's proposal received through Parivesh 2.0 (Online Proposal No. **FP/TG/OTHERS/443306/2023**) on 06/09/2023 seeking prior approval of the Central Government under Section '2' of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for the above project.

After careful examination of the proposal of the State Government, **in-principle approval /Stage-I** clearance of the Central Government is hereby granted for **Diversion of 0.0221 Ha of Forest Land for Construction of 4G Mobile Tower and laying of OFC under Government of India - Department of Telecommunications - Universal Service Obligation Fund (USOF) for Provision of 4G Mobile Services at Ravindra Nagar Village, Nirmal Division, falling in Nirmal District, Telangana State** in favour of General Manager Telecom, BSNL, TS subject to the following conditions:-

**1. General Conditions**

S. No	Conditions
1.1	Legal status of the diverted forest land shall remain unchanged
1.2	The total forest area utilized for the project shall not exceed 0.0221 Ha
1.3	The forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the proposal
1.4	No labour camp shall be established on the forest land
1.5	The layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without the prior approval of the Central Government
1.6	The forest land proposed to be diverted shall under no circumstances be transferred to any other agency, department or person without prior approval of the Central Government
1.7	No damage to the flora and fauna of the adjoining area shall be caused
1.8	The concerned Divisional Forest Officer, will monitor and take necessary mitigative measures to ensure that there is no adverse impact on the forest in the surrounding area.
1.9	The User Agency shall submit the annual self-compliance report in respect of the above stated conditions to the State Government and Sub Regional Office, Hyderabad by the end of March every year.
1.10	The user agency shall comply with all the provisions of the all Acts, Rules, Regulations, Guidelines, Hon'ble Court Order (s) and NGT Order (s) pertaining to this project, if any, for the time being in force, as applicable to the project.
1.11	Any other condition that the concerned Regional Office of this Ministry may stipulate, from time to time, in the interest of conservation, protection and development of forests & wildlife
1.12	Violation of any of these conditions will amount to violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and action would be taken as prescribed in para 1.21 of Chapter 1 of the Handbook of comprehensive guidelines of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 as issued by this Ministry's letter No. 5-2/2017-FC dated 28.03.2019.
1.13	Additional amount of the Net Present Value (NPV) of the diverted forest land if any, becoming due after revision of the same by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in future, shall be charged by the State Government from the User Agency. The User Agency shall furnish an undertaking to this effect.
1.14	The State Government shall ensure to obtain all such necessary approval and must handed over the diverted forest area to the UA for execution of the project work only after ensuring all such clearances / approvals required for such project and RoFR certificate from the competent authority, as per the provision made under FC rules 2022.
1.15	Disturbance shall be kept minimal by creating labour camps outside the forest area as far as possible and it will be the responsibility of the User Agency to ensure that the machinery, labourers & staff engaged in execution of work shall not destruct nearby forest flora & fauna.

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1.16	Sufficient firewood, preferably the alternate fuel, shall be provided by the User Agency to the labourer after purchasing the same from the State Forest Department or the Forest Development Corporation or any other legal source of alternate fuel.
1.17	No display of advertisement / any such boards, no Arch or any such structure shall be erected or constructed in the forest area approved for diversion.
1.18	The User Agency shall ensure no plastic waste / any garbage dumped in the forest area.
1.19	The period of diversion under this approval shall be co-terminus with the period of lease to be granted in favour of the user agency or the project life, whichever is less.
1.20	No additional or new paths will be constructed inside the forest area for transportation of construction materials for execution of the project work.

## 2. Standard conditions

S. No	Conditions
2.1	N/A

## 3. Specific Conditions

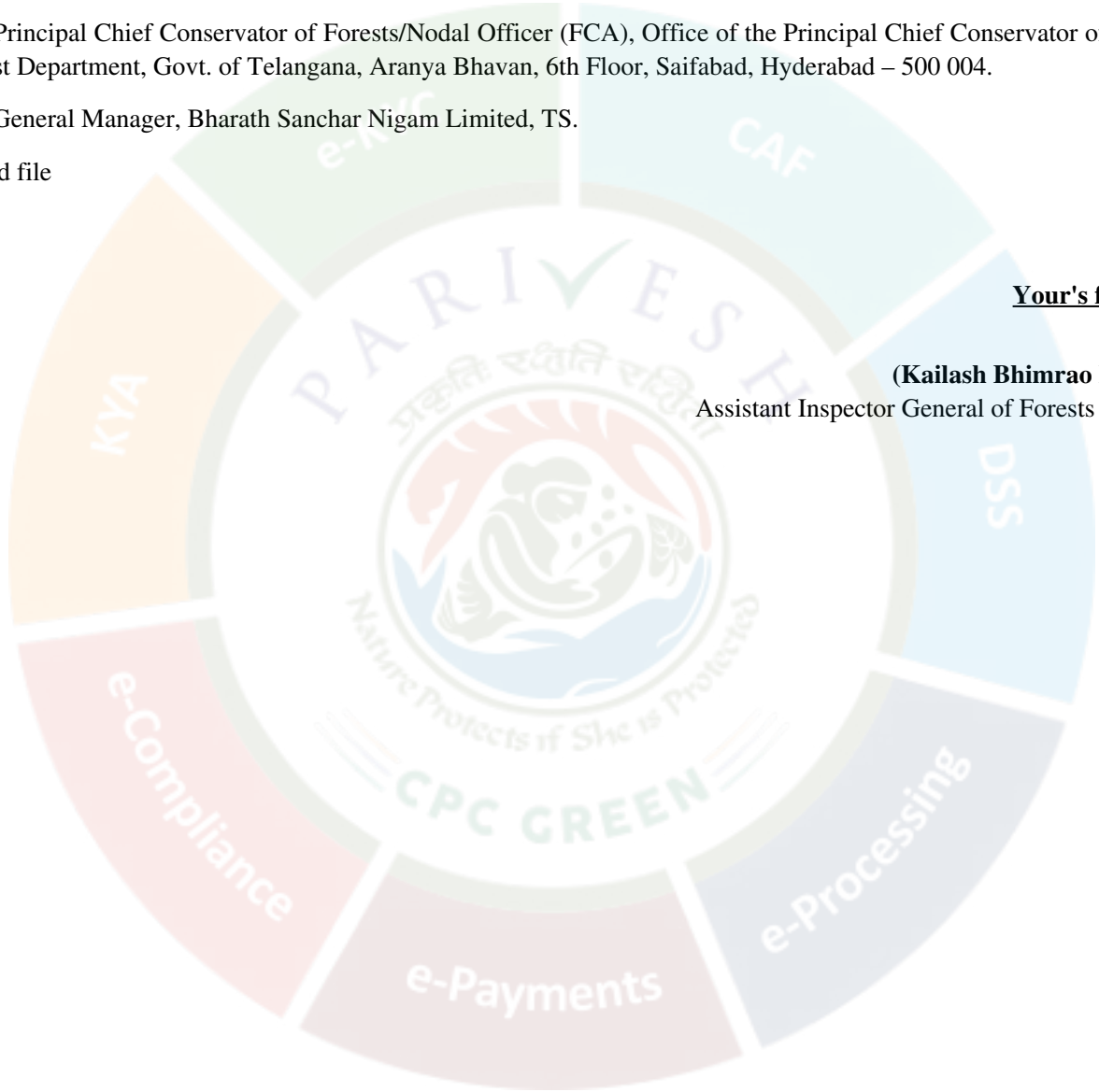
S. No	Conditions
3.1	The User Agency shall transfer online, the Net Present Value (NPV) of the forest land being diverted under this proposal, as per the guideline issued by Ministry vide letter No.5-3/2011-FC (Vol-I) dated 06/01/2022. The requisite funds shall be transferred through online portal into CAMPA account of the State Concerned.
3.2	The KML file of the forest area to be diverted and CA area shall be uploaded on the e-green watch portal with all requisite details and same shall be submitted along with GPS id.
3.3	The boundary of the diverted forest land shall be suitably demarcated on ground at the project cost as per the directions of concerned Divisional Forest Officer.

After receipt of the compliance report on the fulfilment of the conditions mentioned above, the proposal shall be considered for final approval under section 2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980. Transfer of forest land shall not be effected till final approval is granted by the Government in this regard.

Further, it may also be noted that this in-principle approval shall be valid for a period of 2 years from the date of issue of this letter. In the event of non-compliance of the above conditions within 2 years, the in-principle approval shall be deemed to be null and void.

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4. The General Manager, Bharath Sanchar Nigam Limited, TS.
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**Your's faithfully**

**(Kailash Bhimrao Bhawar)**  
Assistant Inspector General of Forests (Central)

**Signature Not Verified**

Digitally Signed by: Kailash Bhimrao Bhawar  
Assistant Inspector General of Forest, IRO

Date: 04/12/2023

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Online Proposal No.: FP/TG/OTHERS/443227/2023

Dated: 12/12/2023



To,

The Special Chief Secretary to the Government,  
Environment, Forests, Science & Technology Department,  
Telangana State Secretariat, Hyderabad.

**Subject:** Diversion of 0.084 Ha of Forest Land for Construction of 4G Mobile Tower under Government of India - Department of Telecommunications - Universal Service Obligation Fund (USOF) for Provision of 4G Mobile Services at Parandoli Village (0.021Ha), Ananthapur (0.021Ha), Isapur (0.021Ha), Karanjwada (0.021Ha) in Asifabad Division, falling in Kumuram Bheem Asifabad District, in favour of the General Manager, Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited, Telangana State-reg.

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to refer to the State Government's proposal received through Parivesh 2.0 (Online Proposal No. FP/TG/OTHERS/443227/2023) on 06/09/2023 seeking prior approval of the Central Government under Section '2' of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for the above project.

After careful examination of the proposal of the State Government, **in-principle approval /Stage-I** clearance of the Central Government is hereby granted for diversion of 0.084 Ha of Forest Land for Construction of 4G Mobile Tower under Government of India - Department of Telecommunications - Universal Service Obligation Fund (USOF) for Provision of 4G Mobile Services at Parandoli Village (0.021Ha), Ananthapur (0.021Ha), Isapur (0.021Ha), Karanjwada (0.021Ha) in Asifabad Division, falling in Kumuram Bheem Asifabad District, in favour of General Manager, Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited, TS subject to the following conditions:-

**1. General Conditions**

S. No	Conditions
1.1	Legal status of the diverted forest land shall remain unchanged



S. No	Conditions
1.2	The total forest area utilized for the project shall not exceed 0.084 Ha
1.3	No labour camp shall be established on the forest land
1.4	The forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the proposal
1.5	The layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without the prior approval of the Central Government
1.6	The forest land proposed to be diverted shall under no circumstances be transferred to any other agency, department or person without prior approval of the Central Government
1.7	No damage to the flora and fauna of the adjoining area shall be caused
1.8	The concerned Divisional Forest Officer, will monitor and take necessary mitigative measures to ensure that there is no adverse impact on the forest in the surrounding area.
1.9	The User Agency shall submit the annual self-compliance report in respect of the above stated conditions to the State Government and Sub Regional Office, Hyderabad by the end of March every year.
1.10	The user agency shall comply with all the provisions of the all Acts, Rules, Regulations, Guidelines, Hon'ble Court Order (s) and NGT Order (s) pertaining to this project, if any, for the time being in force, as applicable to the project
1.11	Any other condition that the concerned Regional Office of this Ministry may stipulate, from time to time, in the interest of conservation, protection and development of forests & wildlife
1.12	Violation of any of these conditions will amount to violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and action would be taken as prescribed in para 1.21 of Chapter 1 of the Handbook of comprehensive guidelines of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 as issued by this Ministry's letter No. 5-2/2017-FC dated 28.03.2019
1.13	Additional amount of the Net Present Value (NPV) of the diverted forest land if any, becoming due after revision of the same by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in future, shall be charged by the State Government from the User Agency. The User Agency shall furnish an undertaking to this effect.
1.14	The State Government shall ensure to obtain all such necessary approval and must handed over the diverted forest area to the UA for execution of the project work only after ensuring all such clearances / approvals required for such project and RoFR certificate from the competent authority, as per the provision made under FC rules 2022.
1.15	Disturbance shall be kept minimal by creating labour camps outside the forest area as far as possible and it will be the responsibility of the User Agency to ensure that the machinery, labourers & staff engaged in execution of work shall not destruct nearby forest flora & fauna
1.16	Sufficient firewood, preferably the alternate fuel, shall be provided by the User Agency to the labourer after purchasing the same from the State Forest Department or the Forest Development

S. No	Conditions
	Corporation or any other legal source of alternate fuel.
1.17	No display of advertisement / any such boards, no Arch or any such structure shall be erected or constructed in the forest area approved for diversion
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1.19	No additional or new paths will be constructed inside the forest area for transportation of construction materials for execution of the project work.
1.20	The period of diversion under this approval shall be co-terminus with the period of lease to be granted in favour of the user agency or the project life, whichever is less

## 2. Standard conditions

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## 3. Specific Conditions

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3.2	The KML file of the forest area to be diverted and CA area shall be uploaded on the e-green watch portal with all requisite details and same shall be submitted along with GPS id.
3.3	The boundary of the diverted forest land shall be suitably demarcated on ground at the project cost as per the directions of concerned Divisional Forest Officer
3.4	The State Government shall raise 100 plants and maintain (for the specific period as per the provision of FC rules 2023) in the near by degraded forest land at the cost of the User Agency. The CA shall be carried out as per the time line provided in the FC Rules 2022
3.5	The location details of the area identified for CA plantation shall be furnished along with compliance report.

After receipt of the compliance report on the fulfilment of the conditions mentioned above, the proposal shall be considered for final approval under section 2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980. Transfer of forest land shall not be effected till final approval is granted by the Government in this regard.



Further, it may also be noted that this in-principle approval shall be valid for a period of 2 years from the date of issue of this letter. In the event of non-compliance of the above conditions within 2 years, the in-principle approval shall be deemed to be null and void.

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**Your's faithfully**  
**(Kailash Bhimrao Bhawar)**  
Assistant Inspector General of Forests (Central)

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Assistant Inspector General of Forest, IRO

Date: 12/12/2023

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Online Proposal No.: FP/TG/OTHERS/443649/2023

Dated: 12/12/2023



To,

The Special Chief Secretary to the Government,  
Environment, Forests, Science & Technology Department,  
Telangana State Secretariat, Hyderabad.

**Subject:** Diversion of 0.0204 Ha forest land for Construction of 4G Mobile tower under Govt. of India – Department of Telecommunications – Universal Service Obligation Fund (USOF) for provision of 4G Nobile service at Bacharam (Dacharam) village, Sathupalli Division, falling in Khammam District in favour of General Manager, BSNL Telangana State-reg.

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to refer to the State Government's proposal received through Parivesh 2.0 (Online Proposal No. FP/TG/OTHERS/443649/2023) on 08/09/2023 seeking prior approval of the Central Government under Section'2' of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for the above project.

After careful examination of the proposal of the State Government, **in-principle approval /Stage-I** clearance of the Central Government is hereby granted for Diversion of 0.0204 Ha forest land for Construction of 4G Mobile tower under Govt. of India, Department of Telecommunications – Universal Service Obligation Fund (USOF) for provision of 4G Nobile service at at Bacharam (Dacharam) village, Sathupalli Division, falling in Khammam District in favour of General Manager, Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited, TS subject to the following conditions:-

**1. General Conditions**

S. No	Conditions
1.1	Legal status of the diverted forest land shall remain unchanged
1.2	The total forest area utilized for the project shall not exceed 0.0204 Ha

S. No	Conditions
1.3	The forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the proposal
1.4	No labour camp shall be established on the forest land
1.5	The layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without the prior approval of the Central Government
1.6	The forest land proposed to be diverted shall under no circumstances be transferred to any other agency, department or person without prior approval of the Central Government
1.7	No damage to the flora and fauna of the adjoining area shall be caused
1.8	The concerned Divisional Forest Officer, will monitor and take necessary mitigative measures to ensure that there is no adverse impact on the forest in the surrounding area.
1.9	The User Agency shall submit the annual self-compliance report in respect of the above stated conditions to the State Government and Sub Regional Office, Hyderabad by the end of March every year.
1.10	The user agency shall comply with all the provisions of the all Acts, Rules, Regulations, Guidelines, Hon'ble Court Order (s) and NGT Order (s) pertaining to this project, if any, for the time being in force, as applicable to the project.
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3.2	The KML file of the forest area to be diverted and CA area shall be uploaded on the e-green watch portal with all requisite details and same shall be submitted along with GPS id.
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3.4	The State Government shall raise 100 plants and maintain (for the specific period as per the provision of FC rules 2023) in the near by degraded forest land at the cost of the User Agency. The CA shall be carried out as per the time line provided in the FC Rules 2022
3.5	The location details of the area identified for CA plantation shall be furnished along with compliance report.

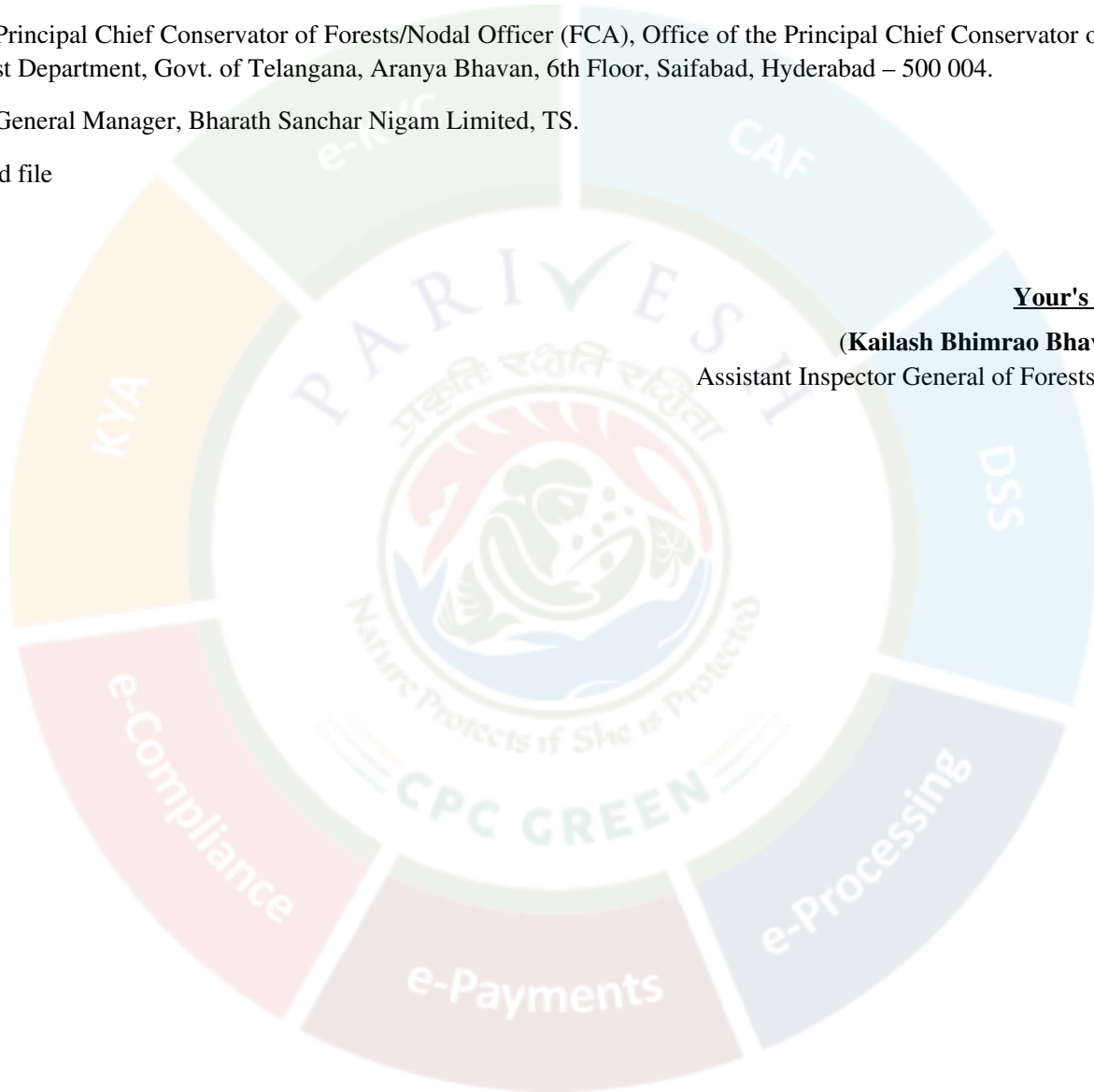
After receipt of the compliance report on the fulfilment of the conditions mentioned above, the proposal shall be considered for final approval under section 2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980. Transfer of forest land shall not be effected till final approval is granted by the Government in this regard.

Further, it may also be noted that this in-principle approval shall be valid for a period of 2 years from the date of issue of this letter. In the event of non-compliance of the above conditions within 2 years, the in-principle approval shall be

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Date: 12/12/2023



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Regional Office, Chennai

Online Proposal No.: **FP/TG/OTHERS/443169/2023**

Dated: **01/11/2023**

To,

The Special Chief Secretary to the Government,  
Environment, Forests, Science & Technology Department,  
Telangana State Secretariat, Hyderabad.

**Subject:**

Proposal for non-forestry use of 0.0191 ha of forest land under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 in favour of M/s BHARAT SANCHAR NIGAM LIMITED for KHAMMAM DIVISION in KHAMMAM Forest Division, District (TELANGANA) – reg.

**Sir/Madam,**

I am directed to refer to the online proposal no. FP/TG/OTHERS/443169/2023. dated 05/09/2023. on the above-mentioned subject seeking prior approval of the Central Government in accordance with section' 2' of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and to say that the proposal has been examined by the Central Government under Rule 6 of the Forest (Conservation) Rule, 2022 framed under Forest Conservation Act 1980.

After careful consideration , I am directed to convey the “In-Principle” approval of the Central Government under section 2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for the Proposal for non-forestry use of 0.0191 ha of forest land under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 in favour of M/s BHARAT SANCHAR NIGAM LIMITED for KHAMMAM DIVISION in Forest Division, District KHAMMAM (TELANGANA) subject to the fulfillment of the following conditions:

**1. General Conditions**

S. No	Conditions
1.1	Legal status of the diverted forest land shall remain unchanged
1.2	The land identified for the purpose of CA shall be clearly depicted on a Survey of India toposheet of 1:50,000 scale
1.3	The User Agency shall transfer the cost of raising and maintaining the compensatory afforestation, at the current wage rate, to the State Forest Department. The scheme may include appropriate provision for anticipated cost increase for works scheduled for subsequent years
1.4	The State Government shall charge the Net Present Value (NPV) of the forest land being diverted under this proposal from the User Agency as per the orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India dated 28.03.2008, 24.04.2008 and 09.05.2008 in Writ Petition (Civil) No. 202/1995 and the guidelines issued by this Ministry vide its letter No. 5-3/2007-FC dated 05.02.2009 in this regard
1.5	At the time of payment of the Net Present Value (NPV) at the then prevailing rate, the User Agency shall furnish an undertaking to pay the additional amount of NPV, if so determined, as per the final decision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India
1.6	All the funds received from the user agency under the project, except the funds realized for regeneration/ demarcation of safety zone, shall be transferred to Ad-hoc CAMPA in the Savings Bank Account pertaining to the State concerned
1.7	The User Agency shall obtain the Environment Clearance as per the provisions of the Environmental (Protection) Act, 1986, if required
1.8	The boundary of the diverted forest land, shall be demarcated on ground at the project cost, by erecting four feet high reinforced cement concrete pillars, each inscribed with its serial number, forward and back bearing and distance from pillar to pillar
1.9	The User agency, if required, will undertake comprehensive soil conservation measures in the area being diverted at the project cost in consultation with the State Forest Department. A scheme of the same may be submitted along with the compliance report
1.10	No labour camp shall be established on the forest land
1.11	The User Agency shall provide fuels preferably alternate fuels to the labourers and the staff working at the site so as to avoid any damage and pressure on the nearby forest areas
1.12	The forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the proposal
1.13	The layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without the prior approval of the Central Government
1.14	The forest land proposed to be diverted shall under no circumstances be transferred to any other agency, department or person without prior approval of the Central Government
1.15	No damage to the flora and fauna of the adjoining area shall be caused

S. No	Conditions
1.16	Any tree felling shall be done only when it is unavoidable and that too under strict supervision of the State Forest Department
1.17	The State Government shall complete settlement of rights, in terms of the Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006, if any, on the forest land to be diverted in accordance with the relevant guidelines issued by the MoEF
1.18	The State Government shall monitor compliance of conditions of Forest Clearance and shall submit in this regard yearly report as on 31st December of every year
1.19	Any other condition that the concerned Regional Office of this Ministry may stipulate, from time to time, in the interest of conservation, protection and development of forests & wildlife
1.20	The User Agency and the State Government shall ensure compliance to provisions of the all Acts, Rules, Regulations and Guidelines, for the time being in force, as applicable to the project
1.21	Grant of working permission to the extant proposal may be considered by the State Government in accordance with the provisions as contained in the MoEF&CC's Guidelines dated 28.08.2015

## 2. Standard conditions

## 3. Specific Conditions

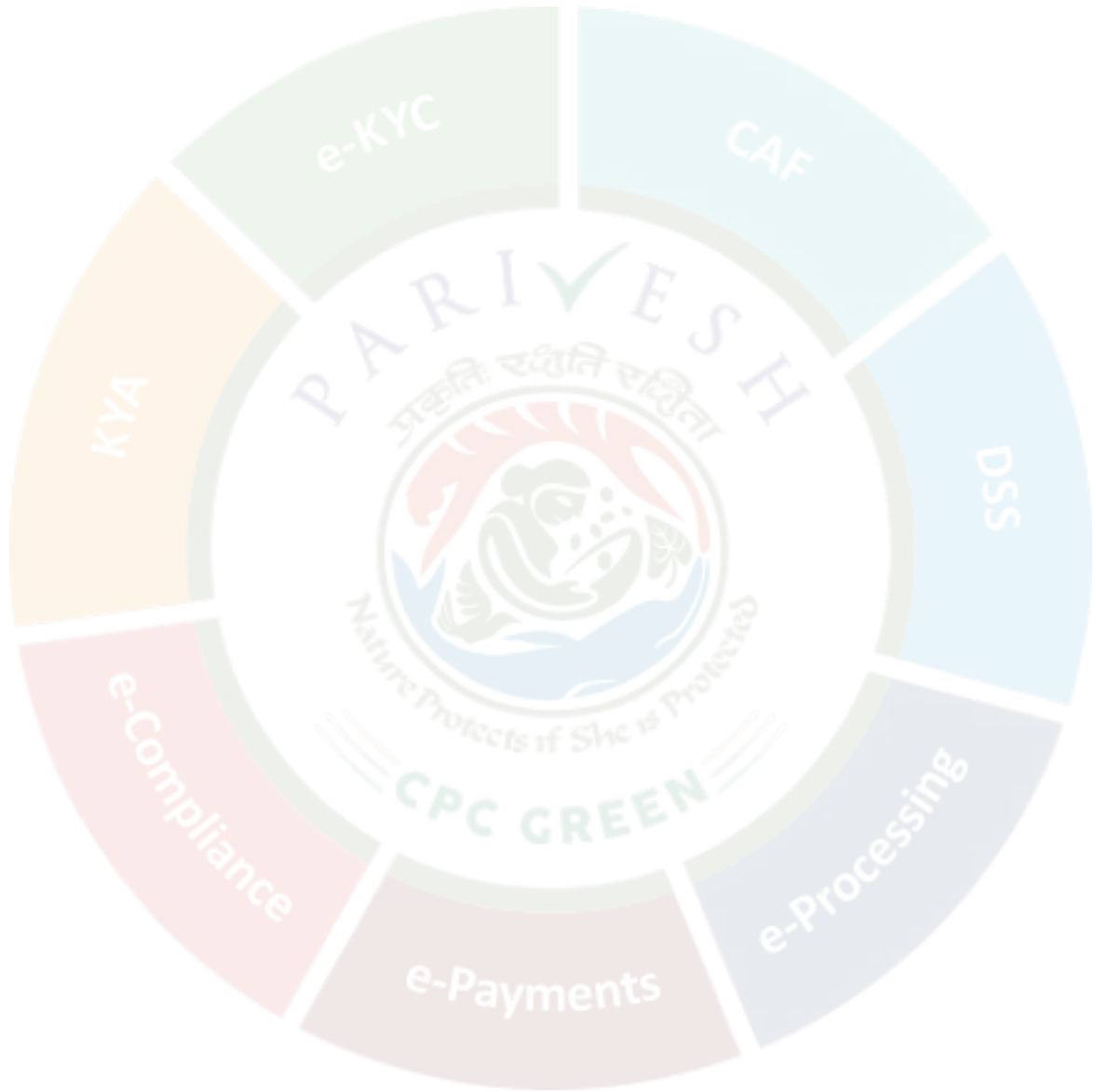
After receipt of the compliance report on the fulfillment of the conditions mentioned above, the proposal shall be considered for final approval under section 2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980. Transfer of forest land shall not be affected till final approval is granted by the Government in this regard.

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5. M/s BHARAT SANCHAR NIGAM LIMITED for KHAMMAM DIVISION in Forest Division, District KHAMMAM (TELANGANA)

**Your's faithfully**

Kailash Bhimrao Bhawar IFS  
Asst. Inspector General of Forests (Central)



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Regional Office, Chennai

Online Proposal No.: FP/TG/OTHERS/443199/2023

Dated: 02/11/2023



To,

The Special Chief Secretary to the Government,  
Environment, Forests, Science & Technology Department  
Telangana State Secretariat, Hyderabad.

**Subject:**

Diversion of 0.02 ha forest land for Construction of 4G BSNL Mobile Telecom Tower at Tippapuram-1 village of Charla Mandal, falling in Pedamidisileru RF block, Compt.No.72, Uyyalamadugu beat of Tippapuram Section of Charla Range of Bhadrachalam division of Bhadradri Kothagudem district in favour of M/s.Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited, Khammam

**Sir/Madam,**

I am directed to refer to the above-mentioned subject proposal and online proposal no. FP/TG/OTHERS/443199/2023, seeking prior approval of the Central Government in accordance with section' 2' of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for the above mentioned subject.

After careful consideration of the proposal submitted by the State Government, I am directed to convey the "***In Principle***" (Stage-I) approval of the Central Government under section 2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for Diversion of 0.02 ha forest land for Construction of 4G BSNL Mobile Telecom Tower at Tippapuram-1 village of Charla Mandal, falling in Pedamidisileru RF block, Compt.No.72, Uyyalamadugu beat of Tippapuram Section of Charla Range of Bhadrachalam division of Bhadradri Kothagudem district in favour of M/s.Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited, Khammam, subject to the following conditions;

**1. General Conditions**



S. No	Conditions
1.1	Legal status of the diverted forest land shall remain unchanged
1.2	The User Agency shall fence the diverted area and also erect demarcation pillars at appropriate distance, at the project cost;
1.3	The State Government shall raise 100 plants and maintain (for the specific period as per the provision of FC rules 2023) in the degraded forest land of 0.60 ha identified in Compt.No.71-B, Thippapuram (S) Beat, Thippapuram Section of Charla Range in Bhadradi-Kothagudem district at the cost of the User Agency. The CA shall be carried out as per the time line provided in the FC Rules 2022;
1.4	The State Government shall charge the Net Present Value of the diverted forest land measuring 0.02 ha from the User Agency as per the orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court dated 28.03.2008 and 09.05.2008 in IA Nos.826 in 566 with related IA's in Writ Petition (Civil) No.202/1995 and Ministry's guideline No. 5-3/2011-FC(Vol-I) dated 06.01.2022 and clarification issued vide letters dated 19.01.2022 and 22.03.2022;
1.5	Additional amount of the Net Present Value (NPV) of the diverted forest land if any, becoming due after revision of the same by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in future, shall be charged by the State Government from the User Agency. The User Agency shall furnish an undertaking to this effect;
1.6	All the funds received from the User Agency under the project shall be transferred/ deposited to designated CAMPA fund through e-portal ( <a href="https://parivesh.nic.in/">https://parivesh.nic.in/</a> );
1.7	No residential rooms etc shall be built in the diverted forest area;
1.8	The layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without the prior approval of the Central Government;
1.9	No additional or new path will be constructed inside the forest area for transportation of construction materials for execution of the project work.
1.10	Sufficient firewood, preferably the alternate fuel, shall be provided by the User Agency to the labourer after purchasing the same from the State Forest Department or the Forest Development Corporation or any other legal source of alternate fuel;
1.11	No tree felling shall be carried out in the forest area;
1.12	The forest land proposed for diversion shall under no circumstances be transferred or sublet to any other agency, department or person without prior approval of the Central Government;
1.13	User agency and the State Government shall ensure compliance to the provisions of the all Acts, Rules, Regulations and Guidelines, for the time being in force, as applicable to the project;
1.14	In the event of failure to comply with any of the above conditions the user agency is liable for penal action as per the provisions in Ministry's guidelines;
1.15	The total forest area utilized for the project shall not exceed 0.02 ha and the forest area diverted

S. No	Conditions
	shall not be used for any purpose other than those shown in the diversion proposal;
1.16	Disturbance shall be kept minimal by creating labour camps outside the forest area as far as possible and it will be the responsibility of the User Agency to ensure that the machinery, labourers & staff engaged in execution of work shall not destruct nearby forest flora & fauna;
1.17	The State Government shall ensure to obtain all such necessary approvals and must hand over the diverted forest area to the UA for execution of the project work only after ensuring all such clearances/approvals required for such project and RoFR certificate from the competent authority, as per the provision made under FC rules 2022;
1.18	Any other conditions that the Central Government or DDG(Central) of the Regional Office, Chennai may impose from time to time in the interest of afforestation, conservation and management of flora and fauna in the area, shall be complied by the User Agency;
1.19	The DFO/FDO concerned shall ensure that no violation of F(C) Act, 1980 takes place in the proposed forest area till the final approval is accorded by the Central Government.
1.20	No display of advertisement / any such boards, no Arch or any such structure shall be erected or constructed in the forest area approved for diversion.
1.21	The User Agency shall ensure no plastic waste / any garbage dumped in the forest area.

## 2. Standard conditions

## 3. Specific Conditions

S. No	Conditions
3.1	The KML file of the forest area diverted and CA area shall be uploaded on the e-green watch portal with all requisite details

After receipt of the compliance report on above mentioned conditions, the proposal will be considered for final approval. Where compliance of condition imposed in the 'In-principle' approval is awaited from the State Government, as the case may be, for more than two years, the 'In-Principle' approval shall be deemed to be null and void

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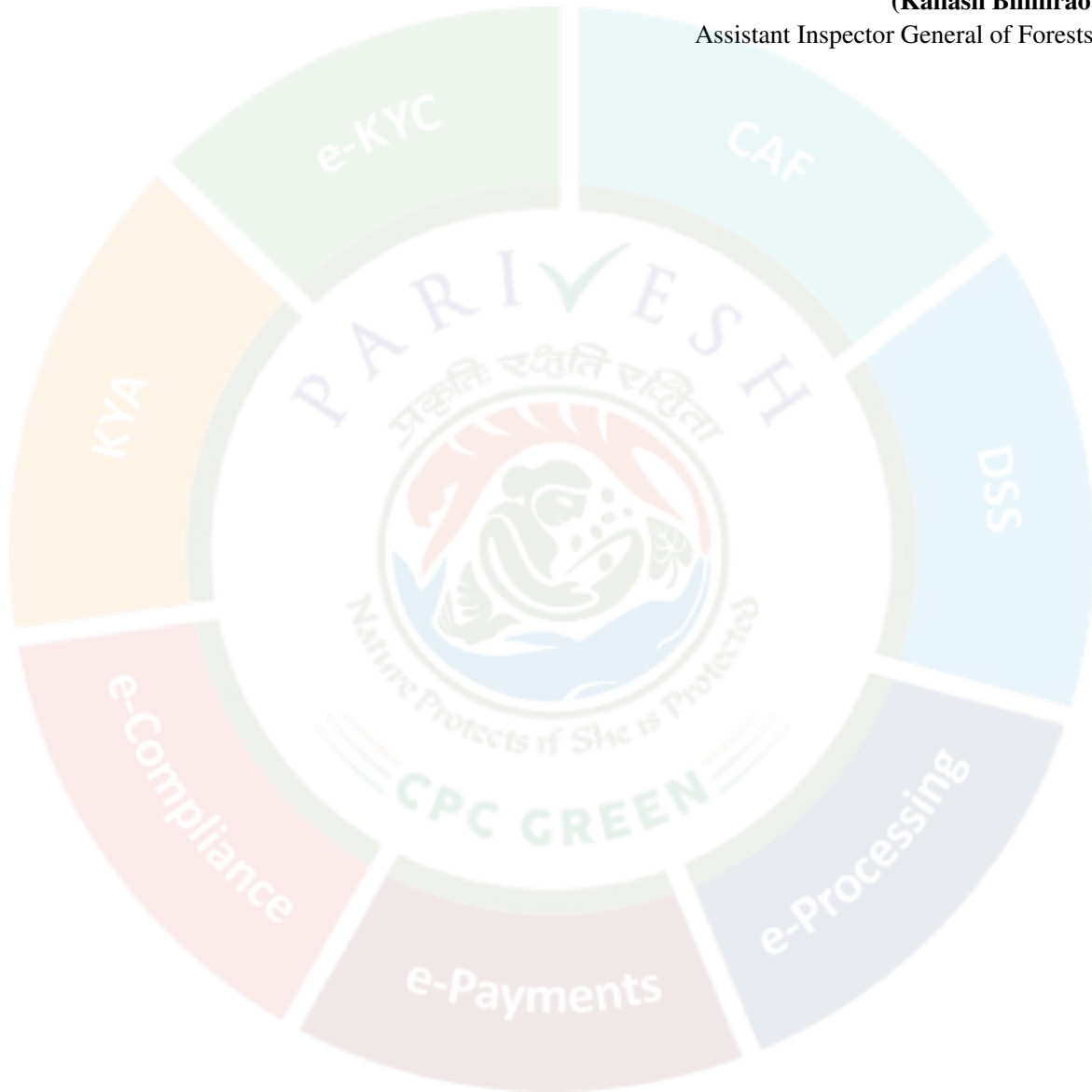
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**Your's faithfully**

**(Kailash Bhimrao Bhawar)**

Assistant Inspector General of Forests (Central)



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Online Proposal No.: **FP/TG/OTHERS/443234/2023**

Dated: **02/11/2023**



To,

The Special Chief Secretary to the Government,  
Environment, Forests, Science & Technology Department  
Telangana State Secretariat, Hyderabad

Subject:

Diversion of **0.02 ha** forest land for Construction of 4G BSNL Mobile Telecom Tower at Chalamala (Tippapuram-2) village of Charla Mandal, falling Pedamidisileru RF in Compt.No.72, Uyyalamadugu beat of Tippapuram Section, Charla Range of Bhadrachalam division in Bhadradri Kothagudem district in favour of Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited, Khammam

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to refer to the above-mentioned subject proposal and online proposal no. **FP/TG/OTHERS/443234/2023**, seeking prior approval of the Central Government in accordance with section' 2' of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.

After careful consideration of the proposal, I am directed to convey the "In Principle" Stage I approval of the Central Government under section 2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for diversion of **0.02 ha** forest land for Construction of 4G BSNL Mobile Telecom Tower at Chalamala (Tippapuram-2) village of Charla Mandal, falling Pedamidisileru RF in Compt.No.72, Uyyalamadugu beat of Tippapuram Section, Charla Range of Bhadrachalam division in Bhadradri Kothagudem district in favour of Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited, Khammam, subject to the following conditions;

**1. General Conditions**

S. No	Conditions
1.1	Legal status of the diverted forest land shall remain unchanged
1.2	The User Agency shall fence the diverted area and also erect demarcation pillars at appropriate distance, at the project cost;
1.3	The State Government shall raise 100 plants and maintain (for the specific period as per the provision of FC rules 2023) in the lakhs in the degraded forest land of <b>0.60 ha</b> identified in Compt.No.71B, Tippapuram (S) Beat, Tippapuram section of Charla Range in Bhadrachalam division of Bhadradri Kothagudem district at the cost of the User Agency. <b>The CA shall be carried out as per the time line provided in the FC Rules 2022;</b>
1.4	The State Government shall charge the Net Present Value of the diverted forest land measuring <b>0.02 ha</b> from the User Agency as per the orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court dated 28.03.2008 and 09.05.2008 in IA Nos.826 in 566 with related IA's in Writ Petition (Civil) No.202/1995 and Ministry's guideline No. 5-3/2011-FC(Vol-I) dated 06.01.2022 and clarification issued vide letters dated 19.01.2022 and 22.03.2022;
1.5	Additional amount of the Net Present Value (NPV) of the diverted forest land if any, becoming due after revision of the same by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in future, shall be charged by the State Government from the User Agency. The User Agency shall furnish an undertaking to this effect;
1.6	All the funds received from the User Agency under the project shall be transferred/ deposited to designated CAMPA fund through e-portal ( <a href="https://parivesh.nic.in/">https://parivesh.nic.in/</a> );
1.7	No residential rooms etc shall be built in the diverted forest area;
1.8	The layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without the prior approval of the Central Government;
1.9	The State Government shall ensure to obtain all such necessary approval and must handed over the diverted forest area to the UA for execution of the project work only after ensuring all such clearances / approvals required for such project and RoFR certificate from the competent authority, as per the provision made under FC rules 2022;
1.10	No additional or new path will be constructed inside the forest area for transportation of construction materials for execution of the project work.
1.11	Disturbance shall be kept minimal by creating labour camps outside the forest area as far as possible and it will be the responsibility of the User Agency to ensure that the machinery, labourers & staff engaged in execution of work shall not destruct nearby forest flora & fauna;
1.12	Sufficient firewood, preferably the alternate fuel, shall be provided by the User Agency to the labourer after purchasing the same from the State Forest Department or the Forest Development Corporation or any other legal source of alternate fuel;
1.13	Tree felling shall be carried out under the supervision of the DFO Concerned;
1.14	The forest land proposed for diversion shall under no circumstances be transferred or sublet to any other agency, department or person without prior approval of the Central Government;



S. No	Conditions
1.15	User agency and the State Government shall ensure compliance to the provisions of the all Acts, Rules, Regulations and Guidelines, for the time being in force, as applicable to the project;
1.16	Any other conditions that the Central Government or DDG(Central) of the Regional Office, Chennai may impose from time to time in the interest of afforestation, conservation and management of flora and fauna in the area, shall be complied by the User Agency;
1.17	The total forest area utilized for the project shall not exceed 0.02 ha and the forest area diverted shall not be used for any purpose other than those shown in the diversion proposal;
1.18	In the event of failure to comply with any of the above conditions the user agency is liable for penal action as per the provisions in Ministry's guidelines;

## 2. Standard conditions

## 3. Specific Conditions

S. No	Conditions
3.1	The KML file of the forest area diverted and CA area shall be uploaded on the e-green watch portal with all requisite details.

After receipt of the compliance report on above mentioned conditions, the proposal will be considered for final approval. Where compliance of condition imposed in the 'In-principle' approval is awaited from the State Government, as the case may be, for more than two years, the 'In-Principle' approval shall be deemed to be null and void

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4. General Manager Telecom, BSNL Bhavan, Thiruvalla KHAMMAM, TELANGANA 689101
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Assistant Inspector General of Forests, IRO  
(Kailash Bhimrao Bhawar)

Date: 02/11/2023  
Assistant Inspector General of Forests (Central)

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Online Proposal No.: **FP/TG/OTHERS/443256/2023**

Dated: **02/12/2023**

To,

The Special Chief Secretary to the Government,  
Environment, Forests, Science & Technology Department,  
Telangana State Secretariat, Hyderabad.

Subject:

**Diversion of 0.0184 ha forest land for Construction of 4G BSNL Mobile Telecom Tower at Kondivai (Puligundala) village of Charla Mandal falling in Pedamidisileru RF in Compt.No.64-B of Dummugudem Range, Bhadrachalam division of Bhadradri Kothagudem district in favour of M/s.Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited, Khammam-reg.**

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to refer to the State Government's proposal received through Parivesh 2.0 (Online Proposal No. **FP/TG/OTHERS/443256/2023**) on 06/09/2023 seeking prior approval of the Central Government under Section '2' of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for the above project.

After careful examination of the proposal of the State Government, ***in-principle approval /Stage-I*** clearance of the Central Government is hereby granted for **Diversion of 0.0184 ha forest land for Construction of 4G BSNL Mobile Telecom Tower at Kondivai (Puligundala) village of Charla Mandal falling in Pedamidisileru RF in Compt.No.64-B of Dummugudem Range, Bhadrachalam division of Bhadradri Kothagudem district in favour of M/s.Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited, Khammam Telangana State** subject to the following conditions:-

## 1. General Conditions

S. No	Conditions
1.1	Legal status of the diverted forest land shall remain unchanged
1.2	The total forest area utilized for the project shall not exceed 0.0184 Ha
1.3	The forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the proposal
1.4	No labour camp shall be established on the forest land
1.5	The layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without the prior approval of the Central Government
1.6	The forest land proposed to be diverted shall under no circumstances be transferred to any other agency, department or person without prior approval of the Central Government
1.7	No damage to the flora and fauna of the adjoining area shall be caused
1.8	Any tree felling shall be done only when it is unavoidable and that too under strict supervision of the State Forest Department
1.9	The concerned Divisional Forest Officer, will monitor and take necessary mitigative measures to ensure that there is no adverse impact on the forest in the surrounding area.
1.10	The User Agency shall submit the annual self-compliance report in respect of the above stated conditions to the State Government and Sub Regional Office, Hyderabad by the end of March every year.
1.11	The user agency shall comply with all the provisions of the all Acts, Rules, Regulations, Guidelines, Hon'ble Court Order (s) and NGT Order (s) pertaining to this project, if any, for the time being in force, as applicable to the project.
1.12	Any other condition that the concerned Regional Office of this Ministry may stipulate, from time to time, in the interest of conservation, protection and development of forests & wildlife
1.13	Violation of any of these conditions will amount to violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and action would be taken as prescribed in para 1.21 of Chapter 1 of the Handbook of comprehensive guidelines of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 as issued by this Ministry's letter No. 5-2/2017-FC dated 28.03.2019.
1.14	Additional amount of the Net Present Value (NPV) of the diverted forest land if any, becoming due after revision of the same by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in future, shall be charged by the State Government from the User Agency. The User Agency shall furnish an undertaking to this effect.
1.15	The State Government shall ensure to obtain all such necessary approval and must handed over the diverted forest area to the UA for execution of the project work only after ensuring all such clearances / approvals required for such project and RoFR certificate from the competent authority, as per the provision made under FC rules 2022.

S. No	Conditions
1.16	Disturbance shall be kept minimal by creating labour camps outside the forest area as far as possible and it will be the responsibility of the User Agency to ensure that the machinery, labourers & staff engaged in execution of work shall not destruct nearby forest flora & fauna.
1.17	Sufficient firewood, preferably the alternate fuel, shall be provided by the User Agency to the labourer after purchasing the same from the State Forest Department or the Forest Development Corporation or any other legal source of alternate fuel.
1.18	No display of advertisement / any such boards, no Arch or any such structure shall be erected or constructed in the forest area approved for diversion.
1.19	The User Agency shall ensure no plastic waste / any garbage dumped in the forest area.
1.20	No additional or new paths will be constructed inside the forest area for transportation of construction materials for execution of the project work.
1.21	The period of diversion under this approval shall be co-terminus with the period of lease to be granted in favour of the user agency or the project life, whichever is less.

## 2. Standard conditions

S. No	Conditions
2.1	N/A

## 3. Specific Conditions

S. No	Conditions
3.1	The User Agency shall transfer online, the Net Present Value (NPV) of the forest land being diverted under this proposal, as per the guideline issued by Ministry vide letter No.5-3/2011-FC (Vol-I) dated 06/01/2022. The requisite funds shall be transferred through online portal into CAMPA account of the State Concerned.
3.2	Cost of raising ten times number of trees to be felled (including maintenance) shall be realized from user agency towards compensatory afforestation.
3.3	The KML file of the forest area to be diverted and CA area shall be uploaded on the e-green watch portal with all requisite details and same shall be submitted along with GPS id.
3.4	The boundary of the diverted forest land shall be suitably demarcated on ground at the project cost as per the directions of concerned Divisional Forest Officer
3.5	The location details of the area identified for CA plantation shall be furnished along with

S. No	Conditions
	compliance report

After receipt of the compliance report on the fulfilment of the conditions mentioned above, the proposal shall be Considered for final approval under section 2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980. Transfer of forest land shall not be effected till final approval is granted by the Government in this regard.

Further, it may also be noted that this in-principle approval shall be valid for a period of 2 years from the date of issue of this letter. In the event of non-compliance of the above conditions within 2 years, the in-principle approval shall be deemed to be null and void.

**Copy To**

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4. The General Manager,Bharath Sanchar Nigam Limited, TS
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**Your's faithfully**

**(Kailash Bhimrao Bhawar)**

Assistant Inspector General of Forests (Central)

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Date: 02/12/2023



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Online Proposal No.: FP/TG/OTHERS/443642/2023

Dated: 04/12/2023



To,

Principal Secretary (Forest)/Additional Chief Secretary  
(Forest)/Commissioner Secretary (Telangana)  
Hyderabad, Secretariat,  
Telangana,

**Subject: Diversion of 0.0201 Ha forest land for Construction of 4G Mobile tower under Govt. of India, Department of Telecommunications – Universal Service Obligation Fund (USOF) for provision of 4G Nobile service at Regulagudem (Rudrapaka) village, Yellandu Division, falling in Bhadradri Kothagudem District Telangana State, in favour of General Manager, Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited, TS-Reg.**

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to refer to the State Government's proposal received through Parivesh 2.0 (Online Proposal No. FP/TG/OTHERS/443642/2023) on 08/09/2023 seeking prior approval of the Central Government under Section'2' of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for the above project.

After careful examination of the proposal of the State Government, **in-principle approval /Stage-I** clearance of the Central Government is hereby granted for **Diversion of 0.0201 Ha forest land for Construction of 4G Mobile tower under Govt. of India, Department of Telecommunications – Universal Service Obligation Fund (USOF) for provision of 4G Nobile service at Regulagudem (Rudrapaka) village, Yellandu Division, falling in Bhadradri Kothagudem District Telangana State, in favour of General Manager, Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited, TS** subject to the following conditions:-

**1. General Conditions**

S. No	Conditions
1.1	Legal status of the diverted forest land shall remain unchanged
1.2	The total forest area utilized for the project shall not exceed 0.0201 Ha
1.3	The forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the proposal
1.4	No labour camp shall be established on the forest land
1.5	The layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without the prior approval of the Central Government
1.6	The forest land proposed to be diverted shall under no circumstances be transferred to any other agency, department or person without prior approval of the Central Government
1.7	No damage to the flora and fauna of the adjoining area shall be caused
1.8	Any tree felling shall be done only when it is unavoidable and that too under strict supervision of the State Forest Department
1.9	The concerned Divisional Forest Officer, will monitor and take necessary mitigative measures to ensure that there is no adverse impact on the forest in the surrounding area.
1.10	The user agency shall comply with all the provisions of the all Acts, Rules, Regulations, Guidelines, Hon'ble Court Order (s) and NGT Order (s) pertaining to this project, if any, for the time being in force, as applicable to the project.
1.11	Any other condition that the concerned Regional Office of this Ministry may stipulate, from time to time, in the interest of conservation, protection and development of forests & wildlife
1.12	Violation of any of these conditions will amount to violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and action would be taken as prescribed in para 1.21 of Chapter 1 of the Handbook of comprehensive guidelines of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 as issued by this Ministry's letter No. 5-2/2017-FC dated 28.03.2019.
1.13	Additional amount of the Net Present Value (NPV) of the diverted forest land if any, becoming due after revision of the same by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in future, shall be charged by the State Government from the User Agency. The User Agency shall furnish an undertaking to this effect.
1.14	The State Government shall ensure to obtain all such necessary approval and must handed over the diverted forest area to the UA for execution of the project work only after ensuring all such clearances / approvals required for such project and RoFR certificate from the competent authority, as per the provision made under FC rules 2022.
1.15	Disturbance shall be kept minimal by creating labour camps outside the forest area as far as possible and it will be the responsibility of the User Agency to ensure that the machinery, labourers & staff engaged in execution of work shall not destruct nearby forest flora & fauna.
1.16	Sufficient firewood, preferably the alternate fuel, shall be provided by the User Agency to the

S. No	Conditions
	labourer after purchasing the same from the State Forest Department or the Forest Development Corporation or any other legal source of alternate fuel.
1.17	No display of advertisement / any such boards, no Arch or any such structure shall be erected or constructed in the forest area approved for diversion.
1.18	The User Agency shall ensure no plastic waste / any garbage dumped in the forest area.
1.19	The period of diversion under this approval shall be co-terminus with the period of lease to be granted in favour of the user agency or the project life, whichever is less.
1.20	No additional or new paths will be constructed inside the forest area for transportation of construction materials for execution of the project work.
1.21	The User Agency shall submit the annual self-compliance report in respect of the above stated conditions to the State Government and Sub Regional Office, Hyderabad by the end of March every year

## 2. Standard conditions

S. No	Conditions
2.1	N/A

## 3. Specific Conditions

S. No	Conditions
3.1	The User Agency shall transfer online, the Net Present Value (NPV) of the forest land being diverted under this proposal, as per the guideline issued by Ministry vide letter No.5-3/2011-FC (Vol-I) dated 06/01/2022. The requisite funds shall be transferred through online portal into CAMPA account of the State Concerned.
3.2	Cost of raising ten times number of trees to be felled (including maintenance) shall be realized from user agency towards compensatory afforestation.
3.3	The KML file of the forest area to be diverted and CA area shall be uploaded on the e-green watch portal with all requisite details and same shall be submitted along with GPS id.
3.4	The boundary of the diverted forest land shall be suitably demarcated on ground at the project cost as per the directions of concerned Divisional Forest Officer.
3.5	The location details of the area identified for CA plantation shall be furnished along with compliance report.

After receipt of the compliance report on the fulfilment of the conditions mentioned above, the proposal shall be considered for final approval under section 2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980. Transfer of forest land shall not be effected till final approval is granted by the Government in this regard.

Further, it may also be noted that this in-principle approval shall be valid for a period of 2 years from the date of issue of this letter. In the event of non-compliance of the above conditions within 2 years, the in-principle approval shall be deemed to be null and void.

**Copy To**

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2. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & HoFF, Forest Department, Govt. of Telangana, Aranya Bhavan, 5th Floor, Saifabad, Hyderabad – 500 004.
3. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests/Nodal Officer (FCA), Office of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Forest Department, Govt. of Telangana, Aranya Bhavan, 6th Floor, Saifabad, Hyderabad – 500 004.
4. The General Manager, Bharath Sanchar Nigam Limited, TS.
5. Guard file.

**Your's faithfully**

**(Kailash Bhimrao Bhawar)**

Assistant Inspector General of Forests (Central)

**Signature Not Verified**

Digitally Signed by : Kailash Bhimrao Bhawar  
Assistant Inspector General of Forest, IRO

Date: 04/12/2023

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Sub Office of the Regional Office, Chennai Aranya Bhavan,  
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Regional Office, Chennai

Online Proposal No.: FP/TG/OTHERS/443503/2023



Dated: 03/11/2023

To,

The Special Chief Secretary to the Government,  
Environment, Forests, Science & Technology Department,  
Telangana State Secretariat, Hyderabad.

**Subject: Diversion of 0.020 Ha of Forest Land for Construction of 4G Mobile Tower under Government of India - Department of Telecommunications - Universal Service Obligation Fund (USOF) for Provision of 4G Mobile Services at Bandlapahad Village ,Venkatapur1 Division falling in Mulugu District, Telangana State.**

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to refer to the above-mentioned subject proposal and online proposal no. **FP/TG/OTHERS/443503/2023**, seeking prior approval of the Central Government in accordance with section' 2' of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for the above mentioned subject.

After careful consideration of the proposal submitted by the State Government, I am directed to convey the "***In Principle***" (Stage I) approval of the Central Government under section 2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 diversion of 0.020 Ha of Forest Land for Construction of 4G Mobile Tower under Government of India - Department of Telecommunications - Universal Service Obligation Fund (USOF) for Provision of 4G Mobile Services at Bandlapahad Village ,Venkatapur1 Division falling in Mulugu District, Telangana State., subject to the following conditions;

**1. General Conditions**



S. No	Conditions
1.1	Legal status of the diverted forest land shall remain unchanged
1.2	The User Agency shall fence the diverted area and also erect demarcation pillars at appropriate distance, at the project cost;
1.3	The State Government shall raise 100 plants and maintain (for the specific period as per the provision of FC rules 2023) in the near by degraded forest land at the cost of the User Agency. The CA shall be carried out as per the time line provided in the FC Rules 2022;
1.4	The State Government shall charge the Net Present Value of the diverted forest land measuring 0.02 ha from the User Agency as per the orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court dated 28.03.2008 and 09.05.2008 in IA Nos.826 in 566 with related IA's in Writ Petition (Civil) No.202/1995 and Ministry's guideline No. 5-3/2011-FC(Vol-I) dated 06.01.2022 and clarification issued vide letters dated 19.01.2022 and 22.03.2022;
1.5	Additional amount of the Net Present Value (NPV) of the diverted forest land if any, becoming due after revision of the same by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in future, shall be charged by the State Government from the User Agency. The User Agency shall furnish an undertaking to this effect;
1.6	All the funds received from the User Agency under the project shall be transferred/ deposited to designated CAMPA fund through e-portal ( <a href="https://parivesh.nic.in/">https://parivesh.nic.in/</a> );
1.7	The layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without the prior approval of the Central Government;
1.8	The State Government shall ensure to obtain all such necessary approval and must handed over the diverted forest area to the UA for execution of the project work only after ensuring all such clearances / approvals required for such project and RoFR certificate from the competent authority, as per the provision made under FC rules 2022;
1.9	No additional or new path will be constructed inside the forest area for transportation of construction materials for execution of the project work.
1.10	Disturbance shall be kept minimal by creating labour camps outside the forest area as far as possible and it will be the responsibility of the User Agency to ensure that the machinery, labourers & staff engaged in execution of work shall not destruct nearby forest flora & fauna;
1.11	Sufficient firewood, preferably the alternate fuel, shall be provided by the User Agency to the labourer after purchasing the same from the State Forest Department or the Forest Development Corporation or any other legal source of alternate fuel;
1.12	The forest land proposed for diversion shall under no circumstances be transferred or sublet to any other agency, department or person without prior approval of the Central Government;
1.13	No tree felling shall be carried out in the forest area;
1.14	Any other conditions that the Central Government or DDG(Central) of the Regional Office, Chennai may impose from time to time in the interest of afforestation, conservation and management of flora and fauna in the area, shall be complied by the User Agency;

S. No	Conditions
1.15	User agency and the State Government shall ensure compliance to the provisions of the all Acts, Rules, Regulations and Guidelines, for the time being in force, as applicable to the project;
1.16	The total forest area utilized for the project shall not exceed 0.02 ha and the forest area diverted shall not be used for any purpose other than those shown in the diversion proposal;
1.17	In the event of failure to comply with any of the above conditions the user agency is liable for penal action as per the provisions in Ministry's guidelines;
1.18	The DFO/FDO concerned shall ensure that no violation of F(C) Act, 1980 takes place in the proposed forest area till the final approval is accorded by the Central Government.
1.19	No display of advertisements / any such boards, no Arch or any such structure shall be erected or constructed in the forest area approved for diversion.
1.20	The User Agency shall ensure no plastic waste / any garbage dumped in the forest area.

## 2. Standard conditions

## 3. Specific Conditions

S. No	Conditions
3.1	The KML file of the forest area diverted and CA area shall be uploaded on the e-green watch portal with all requisite details.
3.2	Site specific wildlife mitigation plan duly approved by the CWLW may be implemented at the cost of the User Agency.

After receipt of the compliance report on above mentioned conditions, the proposal will be considered for final approval. Where compliance of condition imposed in the 'In-principle' approval is awaited from the State Government, as the case may be, for more than two years, the 'In-Principle' approval shall be deemed to be null and void

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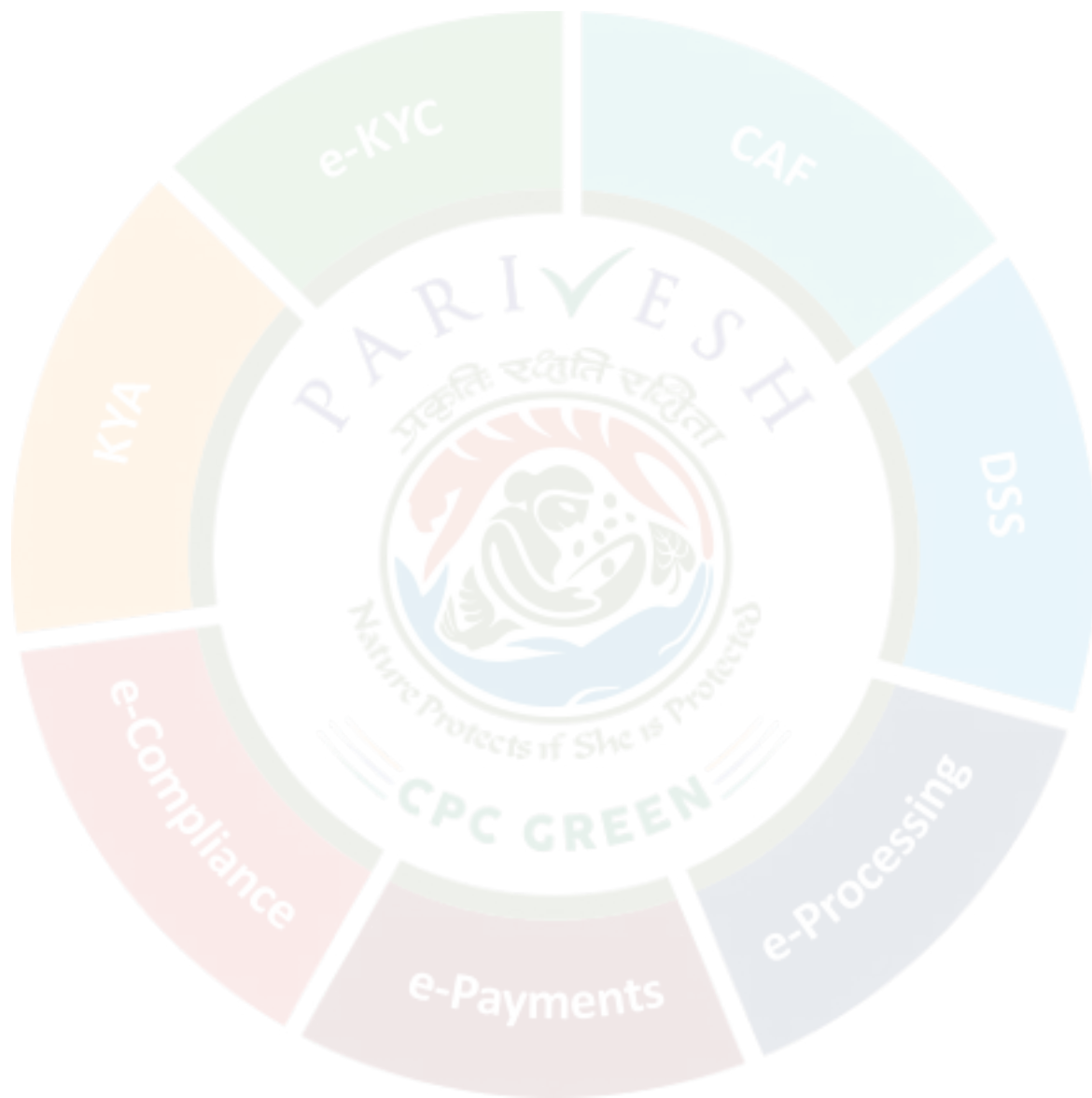
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**Your's faithfully**

**(Kailash Bhimrao Bhawar)**

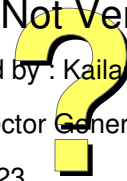
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Digitally Signed by : Kailash Bhimrao Bhawar  
Assistant Inspector General of Forest, IRO

Date: 03/11/2023





Government of India

Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change  
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Aranya Bhawan, 6th Floor, Saifabad, Hyderabad-500004,  
Telangana



Regional Office, Chennai

Online Proposal No.: **FP/TG/OTHERS/443509/2023**

Dated: **01/11/2023**



To,

The Special Chief Secretary to the Government,  
Environment, Forests, Science & Technology Department,  
Telangana State Secretariat, Hyderabad.

**Subject:** Proposal for non-forestry use of 0.02 ha of forest land under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 in favour of M/s BHARAT SANCHAR NIGAM LIMITED for MULUGU DIVISION in Mulugu Forest Division, District (TELANGANA) – reg.

**Sir/Madam,**

I am directed to refer to the online proposal no. FP/TG/OTHERS/443509/2023. dated 08/09/2023. on the above-mentioned subject seeking prior approval of the Central Government in accordance with section' 2' of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and to say that the proposal has been examined by the Central Government under Rule 6 of the Forest (Conservation) Rule, 2022 framed under Forest Conservation Act 1980.

After careful consideration , I am directed to convey the “In-Principle” approval of the Central Government under section 2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for the Proposal for non-forestry use of 0.02 ha of forest land under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 in favour of M/s BHARAT SANCHAR NIGAM LIMITED for MULUGU DIVISION in Forest Division, District Mulugu (TELANGANA) subject to the fulfillment of the following conditions:

**1. General Conditions**

S. No	Conditions
1.1	The land identified for the purpose of CA shall be clearly depicted on a Survey of India toposheet of 1:50,000 scale
1.2	The User Agency shall transfer the cost of raising and maintaining the compensatory afforestation, at the current wage rate, to the State Forest Department. The scheme may include appropriate provision for anticipated cost increase for works scheduled for subsequent years

S. No	Conditions
1.3	The State Government shall charge the Net Present Value (NPV) of the forest land being diverted under this proposal from the User Agency as per the orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India dated 28.03.2008, 24.04.2008 and 09.05.2008 in Writ Petition (Civil) No. 202/1995 and the guidelines issued by this Ministry vide its letter No. 5-3/2007-FC dated 05.02.2009 in this regard
1.4	At the time of payment of the Net Present Value (NPV) at the then prevailing rate, the User Agency shall furnish an undertaking to pay the additional amount of NPV, if so determined, as per the final decision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India
1.5	All the funds received from the user agency under the project, except the funds realized for regeneration/ demarcation of safety zone, shall be transferred to Ad-hoc CAMPA in the Savings Bank Account pertaining to the State concerned
1.6	The User Agency shall obtain the Environment Clearance as per the provisions of the Environmental (Protection) Act, 1986, if required
1.7	The boundary of the diverted forest land, shall be demarcated on ground at the project cost, by erecting four feet high reinforced cement concrete pillars, each inscribed with its serial number, forward and back bearing and distance from pillar to pillar
1.8	No labour camp shall be established on the forest land
1.9	The User Agency shall provide fuels preferably alternate fuels to the labourers and the staff working at the site so as to avoid any damage and pressure on the nearby forest areas
1.10	The forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the proposal
1.11	The layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without the prior approval of the Central Government
1.12	The forest land proposed to be diverted shall under no circumstances be transferred to any other agency, department or person without prior approval of the Central Government
1.13	No damage to the flora and fauna of the adjoining area shall be caused
1.14	Any tree felling shall be done only when it is unavoidable and that too under strict supervision of the State Forest Department
1.15	The State Government shall complete settlement of rights, in terms of the Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006, if any, on the forest land to be diverted in accordance with the relevant guidelines issued by the MoEF
1.16	The State Government shall monitor compliance of conditions of Forest Clearance and shall submit in this regard yearly report as on 31st December of every year
1.17	Any other condition that the concerned Regional Office of this Ministry may stipulate, from time to time, in the interest of conservation, protection and development of forests & wildlife
1.18	The User Agency and the State Government shall ensure compliance to provisions of the all Acts,



S. No	Conditions
	Rules, Regulations and Guidelines, for the time being in force, as applicable to the project
1.19	Legal status of the diverted forest land shall remain unchanged
1.20	Compensatory afforestation shall be raised by planting 100 nos of seedlings and maintained by the State Government at the cost of the User Agency

## 2. Standard conditions

S. No	Conditions
2.1	<b>This approval is subject to the approval of SC-NBWL.</b>
2.2	The user agency shall comply with all the terms and conditions as per the recommendations of CWLW / SC-NBWL.

## 3. Specific Conditions

After receipt of the compliance report on the fulfillment of the conditions mentioned above, the proposal shall be considered for final approval under section 2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980. Transfer of forest land shall not be affected till final approval is granted by the Government in this regard.

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5. M/s BHARAT SANCHAR NIGAM LIMITED for Mulugu DIVISION in Forest Division, District Mulugu (TELANGANA)

**Your's faithfully**

Kailash Bhimrao Bhawar IFS

Signature Not Verified (Central)

Digitally Signed by : Kailash Bhimrao Bhawar  
Assistant Inspector General of Forest, IRO

Date: 01/11/2023

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MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT,  
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Regional Office, Chennai

Online Proposal No.: FP/TG/OTHERS/443510/2023

Dated: 04/12/2023



To,

The Special Chief Secretary to the Government,  
Environment, Forests, Science & Technology Department,  
Telangana State Secretariat, Hyderabad.

**Subject:** Proposal for non-forestry use of 0.02 ha of forest land under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 in favour of M/s BHARAT SANCHAR NIGAM LIMITED for MULUGU DIVISION in Mulugu Forest Division, District (TELANGANA) – reg.

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to refer to the State Government's proposal received through Parivesh 2.0 (Online Proposal No. FP/TG/OTHERS/443510/2023 ) on 08/09/2023 seeking prior approval of the Central Government under Section '2' of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for the above project.

After careful examination of the proposal of the State Government, **in-principle approval /Stage-I clearance** of the Central Government is hereby granted for Diversion of 0.020 Ha of Forest Land for Construction of 4G Mobile Tower under Government of India - Department of Telecommunications - Universal Service Obligation Fund (USOF) for Provision of 4G Mobile Services at at Kothur Motlagudem Village ,Tadvai Division falling in Mulugu District, Telangana State in favour of General Manager Telecom, BSNL Bhavan, Thiruvalla, Warangal subject to the following conditions:-

1. General Conditions

S. No	Conditions
1.1	Legal status of the diverted forest land shall remain unchanged

S. No	Conditions
1.2	The period of diversion under this approval shall be co-terminus with the period of lease to be granted in favour of the user agency or the project life, whichever is less.
1.3	No additional or new paths will be constructed inside the forest area for transportation of construction materials for execution of the project work.
1.4	The total forest area utilized for the project shall not exceed 0.020 ha.
1.5	The forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the proposal
1.6	No labour camp shall be established on the forest land
1.7	The layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without the prior approval of the Central Government
1.8	The forestland proposed to be diverted shall under no circumstances be transferred to any other agency, department or person without prior approval of the Central Government
1.9	No damage to the flora and fauna of the adjoining area shall be caused
1.10	Any tree felling shall be done only when it is unavoidable and that too under strict supervision of the State Forest Department
1.11	The concerned Divisional Forest Officer, will monitor and take necessary mitigative measures to ensure that there is no adverse impact on the forest in the surrounding area.
1.12	The User Agency shall submit the annual self-compliance report in respect of the above stated conditions to the State Government and Sub Regional Office, Hyderabad by the end of March every year.
1.13	The user agency shall comply with all the provisions of the all Acts, Rules, Regulations, Guidelines, Hon'ble Court Order (s) and NGT Order (s) pertaining to this project, if any, for the time being in force, as applicable to the project.
1.14	Any other condition that the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change may stipulate from time to time in the interest of conservation, protection and development of Forest and Wildlife
1.15	Violation of any of these conditions will amount to violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and action would be taken as prescribed in para 1.21 of Chapter 1 of the Handbook of comprehensive guidelines of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 as issued by this Ministry's letter No. 5-2/2017-FC dated 28.03.2019.
1.16	Additional amount of the Net Present Value (NPV) of the diverted forest land if any, becoming due after revision of the same by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in future, shall be charged by the State Government from the User Agency. The User Agency shall furnish an undertaking to this effect.
1.17	The State Government shall ensure to obtain all such necessary approval and must handed over the diverted forest area to the UA for execution of the project work only after ensuring all such

S. No	Conditions
	clearances / approvals required for such project and RoFR certificate from the competent authority, as per the provision made under FC rules 2022.
1.18	Disturbance shall be kept minimal by creating labour camps outside the forest area as far as possible and it will be the responsibility of the User Agency to ensure that the machinery, labourers & staff engaged in execution of work shall not destruct nearby forest flora & fauna.
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1.20	No display of advertisement / any such boards, no Arch or any such structure shall be erected or constructed in the forest area approved for diversion.
1.21	The User Agency shall ensure no plastic waste / any garbage dumped in the forest area.

## 2. Standard conditions

S. No	Conditions
2.1	N/A

## 3. Specific Conditions

S. No	Conditions
3.1	The User Agency shall transfer online, the Net Present Value (NPV) of the forest land being diverted under this proposal, as per the guideline issued by Ministry vide letter No.5-3/2011-FC (Vol-I) dated 06/01/2022. The requisite funds shall be transferred through online portal into CAMPA account of the State Concerned.
3.2	Cost of raising ten times number of trees to be felled (including maintenance) shall be realized from user agency towards compensatory afforestation.
3.3	The KML file of the forest area to be diverted and CA area shall be uploaded on the e-green watch portal with all requisite details and same shall be submitted along with GPS id.
3.4	The boundary of the diverted forest land shall be suitably demarcated on ground at the project cost as per the directions of concerned Divisional Forest Officer.
3.5	The State Govt./User Agency shall obtain necessary approval under applicable law/rules/orders including procedural/regulatory requirements under Eco Sensitive Zone.
3.6	The location details of the area identified for CA plantation shall be furnished along with compliance report.

After receipt of the compliance report on the fulfilment of the conditions mentioned above, the proposal shall be considered for final approval under section 2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980. Transfer of forest land shall not be effected till final approval is granted by the Government in this regard.

Further, it may also be noted that this in principle approval shall be valid for a period of 2 years from the date of issue of this letter. In the event of non-compliance of the above conditions within 2 years, the in-principle approval shall be deemed to be null and void.

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**Your's faithfully**

(Kailash Bhimrao Bhawar)  
Assistant Inspector General of Forests (Central)

**Signature Not Verified**

Digitally Signed by : Kailash Bhimrao Bhawar  
Assistant Inspector General of Forest, IRO

Date: 04/12/2023





Government of India

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Telangana



Regional Office, Chennai

Online Proposal No.: **FP/TG/OTHERS/443542/2023**



Dated: **01/11/2023**

To,

The Special Chief Secretary to the Government,  
Environment, Forests, Science & Technology Department,  
Telangana State Secretariat, Hyderabad.

**Subject:**

Proposal for non-forestry use of 0.02 ha of forest land under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 in favour of M/s BHARAT SANCHAR NIGAM LIMITED for JAYASHANKER BHUPALAPALLY DIVISION in JAYASHANKAR BHUPALAPALLY Forest Division, District (TELANGANA) – reg.

**Sir/Madam,**

I am directed to refer to the online proposal no. FP/TG/OTHERS/443542/2023. dated 08/09/2023. on the above-mentioned subject seeking prior approval of the Central Government in accordance with section' 2' of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and to say that the proposal has been examined by the Central Government under Rule 6 of the Forest (Conservation) Rule, 2022 framed under Forest Conservation Act 1980.

After careful consideration, I am directed to convey the "In-Principle" approval of the Central Government under section 2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for the Proposal for non-forestry use of 0.02 ha of forest land under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 in favour of M/s BHARAT SANCHAR NIGAM LIMITED for JAYASHANKER BHUPALAPALLY DIVISION in Forest Division, District JAYASHANKAR BHUPALAPALLY (TELANGANA) subject to the fulfillment of the following conditions:

**1. General Conditions**

S. No	Conditions
1.1	Legal status of the diverted forest land shall remain unchanged
1.2	The land identified for the purpose of CA shall be clearly depicted on a Survey of India toposheet of 1:50,000 scale

S. No	Conditions
1.3	The User Agency shall transfer the cost of raising and maintaining the compensatory afforestation, at the current wage rate, to the State Forest Department. The scheme may include appropriate provision for anticipated cost increase for works scheduled for subsequent years
1.4	The State Government shall charge the Net Present Value (NPV) of the forest land being diverted under this proposal from the User Agency as per the orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India dated 28.03.2008, 24.04.2008 and 09.05.2008 in Writ Petition (Civil) No. 202/1995 and the guidelines issued by this Ministry vide its letter No. 5-3/2007-FC dated 05.02.2009 in this regard
1.5	At the time of payment of the Net Present Value (NPV) at the then prevailing rate, the User Agency shall furnish an undertaking to pay the additional amount of NPV, if so determined, as per the final decision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India
1.6	All the funds received from the user agency under the project, except the funds realized for regeneration/ demarcation of safety zone, shall be transferred to Ad-hoc CAMPA in the Savings Bank Account pertaining to the State concerned
1.7	The User Agency shall obtain the Environment Clearance as per the provisions of the Environmental (Protection) Act, 1986, if required
1.8	The boundary of the diverted forest land, shall be demarcated on ground at the project cost, by erecting four feet high reinforced cement concrete pillars, each inscribed with its serial number, forward and back bearing and distance from pillar to pillar
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1.10	The User Agency shall provide fuels preferably alternate fuels to the labourers and the staff working at the site so as to avoid any damage and pressure on the nearby forest areas
1.11	The forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the proposal
1.12	The layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without the prior approval of the Central Government
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1.14	No damage to the flora and fauna of the adjoining area shall be caused
1.15	Any tree felling shall be done only when it is unavoidable and that too under strict supervision of the State Forest Department
1.16	The State Government shall complete settlement of rights, in terms of the Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006, if any, on the forest land to be diverted in accordance with the relevant guidelines issued by the MoEF
1.17	The State Government shall monitor compliance of conditions of Forest Clearance and shall submit in this regard yearly report as on 31st December of every year

S. No	Conditions
1.18	Any other condition that the concerned Regional Office of this Ministry may stipulate, from time to time, in the interest of conservation, protection and development of forests & wildlife
1.19	The User Agency and the State Government shall ensure compliance to provisions of the all Acts, Rules, Regulations and Guidelines, for the time being in force, as applicable to the project
1.20	Compensatory afforestation by raising over 100 seedlings over the degraded forest land and maintained by the State Forest Department at the cost of the User Agency

## 2. Standard conditions

## 3. Specific Conditions

After receipt of the compliance report on the fulfillment of the conditions mentioned above, the proposal shall be considered for final approval under section 2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980. Transfer of forest land shall not be affected till final approval is granted by the Government in this regard.

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**Your's faithfully**

Kailash Bhimrao Bhawar IFS  
Assistant Inspector General of Forests

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Regional Office, Chennai

Online Proposal No.: FP/TG/OTHERS/443549/2023

Dated: 02/11/2023



To,

The Special Chief Secretary to the Government,  
Environment, Forests, Science & Technology Department  
Telangana State Secretariat, Hyderabad.

Subject:

Diversion of 0.020 Ha of Forest Land for Construction of 4G Mobile Tower under Government of India – Department of Telecommunications – Universal Service Obligation Fund (USOF) for Provision of 4G Mobile Services at Neelampalle Village, Mahadevpur Division, falling in Jayashankar Bhupalapally District, Telangana State

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to refer to the above-mentioned subject proposal and online proposal no. FP/TG/OTHERS/443549/2023, seeking prior approval of the Central Government in accordance with section '2' of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for the above mentioned subject.

After careful consideration of the proposal submitted by the State Government, I am directed to convey the "***In Principle***" (Stage I) approval of the Central Government under section 2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for diversion of **0.020 Ha** of Forest Land for Construction of 4G Mobile Tower under Government of India – Department of Telecommunications – Universal Service Obligation Fund (USOF) for Provision of 4G Mobile Services at Neelampalle Village, Mahadevpur Division, falling in Jayashankar Bhupalapally District, Telangana State, subject to the following conditions;

**1. General Conditions**



S. No	Conditions
1.1	Legal status of the diverted forest land shall remain unchanged
1.2	The User Agency shall fence the diverted area and also erect demarcation pillars at appropriate distance, at the project cost;
1.3	The State Government shall raise 100 plants and maintain (for the specific period as per the provision of FC rules 2023) in the near by degraded forest land at the cost of the User Agency. The CA shall be carried out as per the time line provided in the FC Rules 2022;
1.4	The State Government shall charge the Net Present Value of the diverted forest land measuring 0.02 ha from the User Agency as per the orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court dated 28.03.2008 and 09.05.2008 in IA Nos.826 in 566 with related IA's in Writ Petition (Civil) No.202/1995 and Ministry's guideline No. 5-3/2011-FC(Vol-I) dated 06.01.2022 and clarification issued vide letters dated 19.01.2022 and 22.03.2022;
1.5	Additional amount of the Net Present Value (NPV) of the diverted forest land if any, becoming due after revision of the same by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in future, shall be charged by the State Government from the User Agency. The User Agency shall furnish an undertaking to this effect;
1.6	All the funds received from the User Agency under the project shall be transferred/ deposited to designated CAMPA fund through e-portal ( <a href="https://parivesh.nic.in/">https://parivesh.nic.in/</a> );
1.7	No residential rooms etc shall be built in the diverted forest area;
1.8	The layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without the prior approval of the Central Government;
1.9	The State Government shall ensure to obtain all such necessary approval and must handed over the diverted forest area to the UA for execution of the project work only after ensuring all such clearances / approvals required for such project and RoFR certificate from the competent authority, as per the provision made under FC rules 2022;
1.10	No additional or new path will be constructed inside the forest area for transportation of construction materials for execution of the project work.
1.11	Disturbance shall be kept minimal by creating labour camps outside the forest area as far as possible and it will be the responsibility of the User Agency to ensure that the machinery, labourers & staff engaged in execution of work shall not destruct nearby forest flora & fauna;
1.12	Sufficient firewood, preferably the alternate fuel, shall be provided by the User Agency to the labourer after purchasing the same from the State Forest Department or the Forest Development Corporation or any other legal source of alternate fuel;
1.13	No tree felling shall be carried out in the forest area;
1.14	The forest land proposed for diversion shall under no circumstances be transferred or sublet to any other agency, department or person without prior approval of the Central Government;



S. No	Conditions
1.15	User agency and the State Government shall ensure compliance to the provisions of the all Acts, Rules, Regulations and Guidelines, for the time being in force, as applicable to the project;
1.16	Any other conditions that the Central Government or DDG(Central) of the Regional Office, Chennai may impose from time to time in the interest of afforestation, conservation and management of flora and fauna in the area, shall be complied by the User Agency;
1.17	The total forest area utilized for the project shall not exceed 0.02 ha and the forest area diverted shall not be used for any purpose other than those shown in the diversion proposal;
1.18	In the event of failure to comply with any of the above conditions the user agency is liable for penal action as per the provisions in Ministry's guidelines;

## 2. Standard conditions

## 3. Specific Conditions

S. No	Conditions
3.1	The KML file of the forest area diverted and CA area shall be uploaded on the e-green watch portal with all requisite details.

After receipt of the compliance report on above mentioned conditions, the proposal will be considered for final approval. Where compliance of condition imposed in the 'In-principle' approval is awaited from the State Government, as the case may be, for more than two years, the 'In-Principle' approval shall be deemed to be null and void

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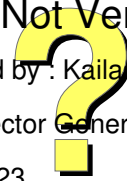
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Online Proposal No.: FP/TG/OTHERS/443496/2023



Dated: 03/11/2023

To,

The Special Chief Secretary to the Government,  
Environment, Forests, Science & Technology Department,  
Telangana State Secretariat, Hyderabad.

**Subject: Diversion of 0.020 Ha of Forest Land for Construction of 4G Mobile Tower under Government of India – Department of Telecommunications – Universal Service Obligation Fund (USOF) for Provision of 4G Mobile Services at Lenkalagadda Village, Mahadevpur Division, falling in Jayashankar Bhupalapally District, Telangana State**

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to refer to the above-mentioned subject proposal and online proposal no. **FP/TG/OTHERS/443496/2023**, seeking prior approval of the Central Government in accordance with section' 2' of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for the above mentioned subject.

After careful consideration of the proposal submitted by the State Government, I am directed to convey the **“In Principle” (Stage-I)** approval of the Central Government under section 2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for diversion of **0.02 Ha** of Forest Land for Construction of 4G Mobile Tower under Government of India – Department of Telecommunications – Universal Service Obligation Fund (USOF) for Provision of 4G Mobile Services at Lenkalagadda Village, Mahadevpur Division, falling in Jayashankar Bhupalapally District, Telangana State. subject to the following conditions;

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1.16	The total forest area utilized for the project shall not exceed 0.02 ha and the forest area diverted shall not be used for any purpose other than those shown in the diversion proposal;
1.17	In the event of failure to comply with any of the above conditions the user agency is liable for penal action as per the provisions in Ministry's guidelines;
1.18	The DFO/FDO concerned shall ensure that no violation of F(C) Act, 1980 takes place in the proposed forest area till the final approval is accorded by the Central Government.
1.19	No display of advertisement / any such boards, no Arch or any such structure shall be erected or constructed in the forest area approved for diversion.
1.20	The User Agency shall ensure no plastic waste / any garbage dumped in the forest area.

## 2. Standard conditions

## 3. Specific Conditions

S. No	Conditions
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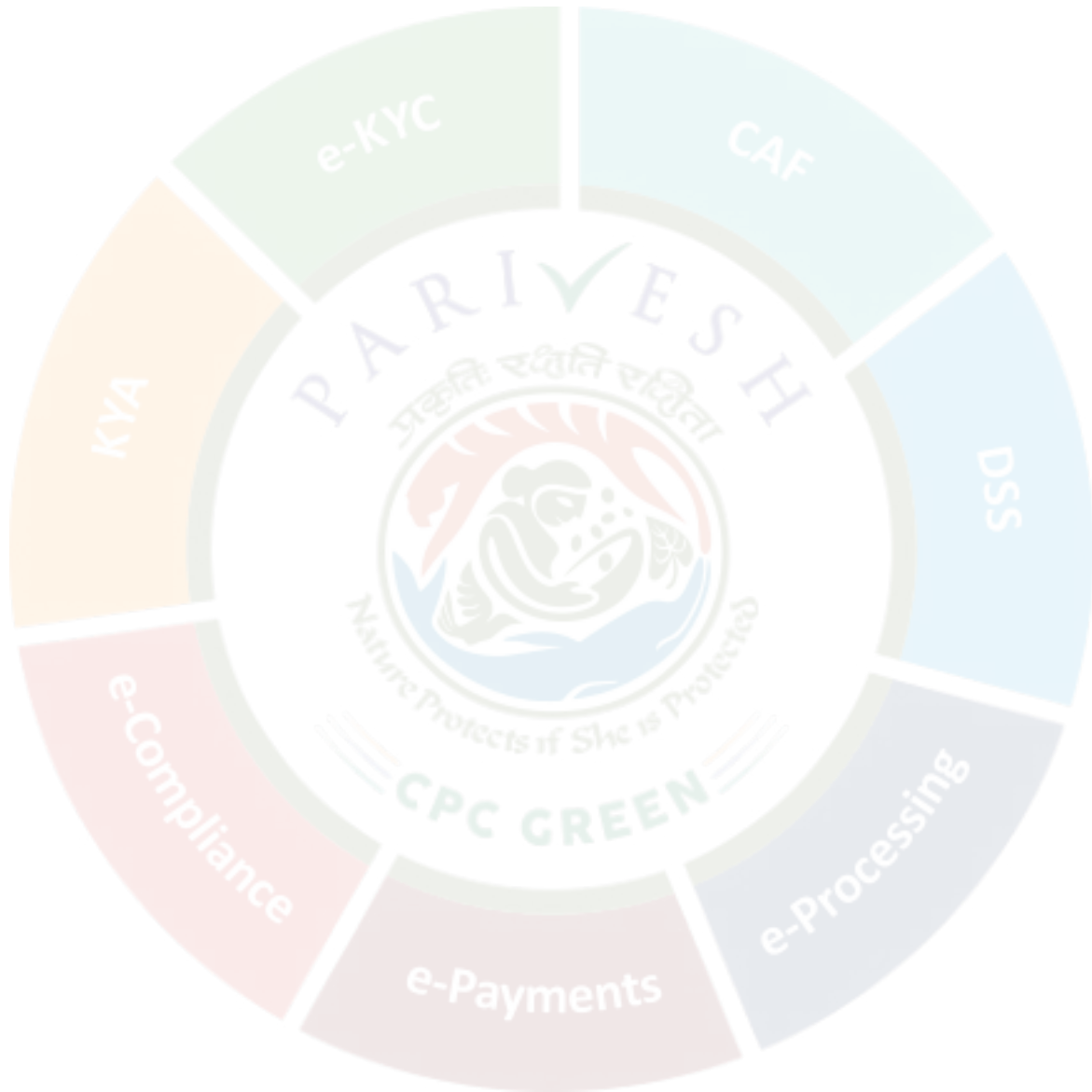
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