



GOVERNMENT OF GOA
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Dated:- 30/07/2024
08 Sravana, Saka, 1946

To,
The Executive Engineer,
WD, VII (NH), PWD,
Mapusa Goa.

Sub:- Four Lanning of NH-17 from existing km 502.500 to km 514.830 and km 517.880 to km 522.790 of NH-17 (Karaswada-Porvorim-Panaji-Bambolim Section) in the State of Goa on EPC Mode under NHDP-III (Job No. 17) (New NH No. 66)-GOA-NHDPIC-2016-17-20).

Sir,


With reference to your letter dtd. 20/06/2024 on the cited above subject permission of Forest Department is hereby conveyed for felling of 612 Nos. of trees and 04 Nos. of trees permitted for translocation for Four Lanning of NH-17 from existing km 502.500 to km 514.830 and km 517.880 to km 522.790 of NH-17 (Karaswada-Porvorim-Panaji-Bambolim Section) in the State of Goa on EPC Mode under NHDP-III (Job No. 17) (New NH No. 66)-GOA-NHDPIC-2016-17-20), subject to following Terms and Conditions:-

1. **In case of any claim/litigation about the ownership of the trees/land in question the user agency will be solely responsible.**
2. The cutting of tree shall be carried out after receipt of all other statutory permissions from competent authority, as applicable.
3. Date of beginning for felling of tree is to be intimated to Range Forest Officer, Panaji well in advance.
4. **A separate register showing details of felling (like tree No, number of logs made out of each tree etc.) needs to be maintained by the user agency. The same shall be produced to the officer inspecting the site.**
5. **Felling of tree shall be completed before 31st December, 2024. Incase tree felling not completed within given period of time, application shall be forwarded to this office through concerned Range Forest officer for Extension of time limit for felling of tree.**
6. To compensate the loss User Agency/Applicant is hereby advised to plant tall saplings with good endurance with minimum 8-10 feet height and 10cm diameter at 1 mtr. Height from ground level.
7. **User Agency has to replant 1850 Nos. of saplings and maintain thereafter for 5 years at their cost and report compliance to this office.**

User Agency has paid Rs. 98,62,000/- towards Security Deposit and tree felling fee vide UTR No. HDFCR5202407279076120 dated 29/07/2024 in Favor of "Tree Protection Fund-Goa" and the amount of Security Deposit is refundable on compliance of replantation of 1850 Nos. of trees.



Yours faithfully,


Dy. Conservator of Forests,
North Goa Division,
Ponda -Goa.

Encl.:- List of trees.

Copy to :-

1. The Conservator of Forests (Conservation), Member Secretary, State Tree Authority for information please.
2. The Sub Divisional Forest Officer, Mapusa for information.
3. The Range Forest Officer, Panaji for information and necessary action.

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"Towards Greener & Cleaner Goa".**