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National Compensatory Afforestation Fund Management & Planning Authority
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Dated the 9th December, 2022

To,

The Principal Secretary
Department of Environment and Forest
Government of Assam
Dispur, Guwahati

Sub: Additional Annual Plan of Operation for the financial year 2022-23 of Assam State CAMPA – regarding.

Sir,

Please refer to the letter No. FG.27/CAMPA/SLSC/ 2022 dated 17.10.2022 on the above-mentioned subject and to convey the approval of the Executive Committee of the National Authority under Section 15 (1) (i) of the Compensatory Afforestation Fund (CAF) Act, 2016 for the additional Annual Plan of Operation- Assam (2022-23) at a total cost of **Rs. 53.16 crore [Rupees Fifty-three crore and sixteen lakhs only]**. The activity is permitted in the Rule - 5(2)(h), Voluntary relocation of villages from protected areas (CAF Rules 2018).

(Amount in crore)

Project Name	LA Case No.	Area	Value of land in Rs.	Value of Assets in Rs	Solatium in Rs.	Additional Compensation @12% in crore	Total Amount
2 nd Addition of KNP	4/1989-90	190B,2K,14L	0.61	0.74	6.81	0.36	13.25
3 rd and 5 th Addition of KNP	2/1991-92	11 B,1K,11L	0.38	0.0044	0.34	0.0023	0.79
	1/1991-92	321B, O.K,19L	10.80,	0.03	10.83	0.065	22.32
	3/88-89	305 B,3K,17L	09.74	0.21	9.95	0.058	20.49

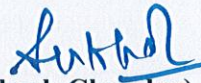
2 The approval is subject to the following conditions:

- i. The activity is permitted in the Rule- 5(2)(h), Voluntary relocation of villages from protected areas (CAF Rules 2018).
- ii. The proposal considering that the relocation of villages from Kaziranga National Park will immensely benefit wildlife habitat and ecosystem of the Protected Area by significantly enhancing ecological services and reducing man-animal conflicts.

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- iii. The relocation process should be voluntary and strictly as per guidelines of National Tiger Conservation Authority (NTCA) and the policies of the State Government. Further it should ensure that the relocation is permanent and complete. The relocated families should be brought to the mainstream of development process. The State Government should confirm the completion of the work of village relocation of the people from the protected area.
- iv. The approved activities shall be carried out as per Rule- 4 of the Compensatory Afforestation Fund (CAF) Rules, 2018 i.e. as per the provisions of the State Financial Rules or any such rules applicable from time to time in the State.
- v. Utilization of State Compensatory Afforestation Fund (CAF) shall be done in such a manner that at least 80% is used for afforestation, forest development and wildlife habitat improvement and up to a maximum 20% amount is to be used for infrastructure/capacity building related items.
- vi. IRO should inspect the area and give a report before & after relocation.
- vii. The validity of APO (2022-23) shall expire on 31.03.2023. Further continuation of the incomplete activities shall be permissible only if they are included in the APO (2023-24) and are approved.

Yours faithfully,


(Subhash Chandra)
Chief Executive Officer
National Authority

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1. Additional Chief Secretary (ACS), Forests, Government of Assam, Guwahati
2. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & HoFF, Aranya Bhawan, Guwahati-
3. Additional Chief Secretary, Department of Finance, Government of Assam, Dispur, Guwahati-6.
4. Chief Executive Officer, Office of PCCF (CAMPA) Aranya Bhawan, Guwahati
5. Secretary, Department of Planning, Government of Assam, Dispur, Guwahati-6.
6. Accountant General, Guwahati.

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1. PPS to DGF&SS MoEF&CC, New Delhi for kind information
2. Additional Secretary & Financial Advisor, MOEF&CC, New Delhi
3. Mission Director, National Mission for Green India, MOEF&CC, New Delhi
4. Deputy Director General of Forests (Central), Regional Office, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Guwahati, 4th Floor, HOUSEFED Building, G.S. Road Rukminigaon, Guwahati – 781022;
5. IFD/Sanction Folder/ Guard File;
6. NIC Cell with a request to upload the sanction order on the official website of MoEF&CC.