

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 2113
TO BE ANSWERED ON 04.08.2022

Stage II approval for road at Bodhamalai village, Tamil Nadu

2113. SHRI K.R.N. RAJESHKUMAR:

Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Ministry has received any proposal from the user agency- Department of Rural Development, State of Tamil Nadu seeking stage II approval to form new road at Bodhamalai village, Namakkal district, Tamil Nadu after getting clearance from supreme court; and
- (b) if so, by when proper approval will be given to pave the new road?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE
(SHRI ASHWINI KUMAR CHOUBEY)

- (a) &(b) No such proposal has been received in the Ministry seeking Stage-II approval to form new road at Bodhamalai village, Namakkal district, Tamil Nadu.

However, Ministry has accorded Stage-I approval in two proposals in Bodhamalai village, Namakkal district, Tamil Nadu under the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 as per the details given below:

| Sl. No. | Proposal No. | Name of the proposal | Date of Stage-I approval |
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| 1. | Proposal No. FP/TN/ROAD/ 19579/2016 | Diversion of 5.96 ha of forest land in Mallur RF for formation of road from Keelur to Vadugammelur km 0/0 to 23/625 through Mallur RF of Namakkal division in favour of DRDA, Namakkal, Namakkal District of Tamil Nadu. | 03.01.2019 |
| 2. | (Proposal No. FP/TN/ROAD/ 19576/2016) | Diversion of 2.71 ha of forest land in Pudhupatti RF for formation of road from Pudupatti to Kedamalai- KM 0/0 to 11/375 through Pudhupatti RF of Namakkal division in favour of DRDA, Namakkal, Namakkal District of Tamil Nadu. | 07.02.2019 |
