Sub: Cutting/removing – 85 nos. trees & Transplantation – 249 nos. trees for widening of C.I.T Road (Phool Bagan to Ultadanga), Beliaghata Main Road, Narkeldanga Main Road and Maniktala Main Road.


Sir,

In reference to above the State Board has no objection for cutting/removing of 85 (Eighty five) no. of trees & Transplantation – 249 nos. trees on the Roads, details of which are given below:

(i) On C.I.T Road (Phool Bagan to Ultadanga), Beliaghata Main Road, Narkeldanga Main Road and Maniktala Main Road (for cutting) - 85 nos.
(ii) On C.I.T Road (Phool Bagan to Ultadanga), Beliaghata Main Road, Narkeldanga Main Road and Maniktala Main Road (for transplantation) - 249 nos.

Total - 334 nos.

This clearance is being accorded as per the recommendation of Tree Cutting Committee dated 30.03.2004 and your clarification dated 12.5.2004 and 27.5.2004 with the following conditions:

(i) This Board accords clearance only for cutting/removing of total 85 (Eighty five) no. of trees & transplantation of total 249 (Two hundred forty nine) no. of trees on the roads as mentioned above.

(ii) To plant at least 5 (Five) trees against cutting of each tree within the KMC area as given below. Planting to be done by the DCF / Urban & Recreational Forestry in consultation with KMC, under the guidance of CCF / Social Forestry.

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(iii) Entire plantation cost for replacement has got to be borne by the K.M.C and such fund would be made available to the Directorate of Forest in proper time so that the plantation can be taken up properly.

(iv) Transplanted trees in and around C.I.T Road should be placed at following places :-
a) Chaulpatty Road, b) C.I.T. Road – around VSNL, c) Bidhan Sishu Udyam and roads around it, d) Subhash Sarobar, f) Bagmari Park, g) Play ground at Sib Kr. Daw Lane, h) Vivekananda Sporting play ground on C.I.T. Road, i) East Calcutta Sports Ground, j) Ground opp. Sishu Udyam, k) Gurudas Park, i) C.I.T. Park, m) R.K. Samadhi Park, n) Prafulla Khudiram Udyam, o) Sarkar Math.

(v) For felling trees in and around C.I.T. Road saplings to be planted at the following roads :-
a) C.I.T. Road, b) Narkeldanga Main Road, c) Manicktola Main Road, d) Beliaghata Main Road, e) Chaulpatty Road, f) Roads abutting V.S.N.L, E.S.I. Hospital, g) No. of Roads running perpendicular to C.I.T. Road, h) Rajendra Lal Mitra Road, i) Different roads leading to Sishu Udyam.

(vi) To submit the details of the progress of transplantation/compensatory plantation programme time to time for monitoring.

(vii) K.M.C should submit the report for living trees in every year.

In case of any violation of the above mentioned conditions, State Board will take necessary action as deems fit and proper in accordance with law.

This is issued in terms of the report of the Divisional Forest Officer (Utilization Division), Govt. of West Bengal vide his letter No. 729/17T-1 dated 29.03.2004 and as per the recommendation of Tree Cutting Committee dated 30.03.2004 and your clarification dated 12.5.2004 and 27.5.2004.

Yours faithfully,

[Signature]

MEMBER SECRETARY
W.B. Pollution Control Board

C.C. DFO, Utilization Division