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To,

The Principal Secretary-cum-PCCF,
Department of Forest, Environment & Wildlife Management,
Deorali, Gangtok,
Sikkim-737102

Sub: Proposal for diversion of 13.6755 ha of forest land for Rehabilitation and Upgradation to 2 lane with Paved shoulder of NH-510 (Singtam-Tarku-Rabongla-Legship-Gyalshing) Package - IV (Design Chainage from Km 33+600 to Km 58+840) in the state of Sikkim in -reg.

Sir,

Please refer to the Government of Sikkim letter No.1936/FCA/F&ED/335 dated 24.06.2021 and letter no. 1936/FCA/F&ED/565 dated 18.10.2021 on the above-mentioned subject, seeking prior approval of the Central Government under Section-2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980. The proposal has been examined by this office in accordance with Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, and the following information are required for further processing of the project.

1. Tree enumeration list in Part II shows 110 trees whereas in tree enumeration list submitted in additional information signed by DFO shows 892 trees. This needs clarification.
2. On perusal of .kml of proposed CA location it shows dense vegetation. Thus, cannot be accepted for CA. Further, the CA scheme may also be revised as per para 2.8 (II) of Handbook of F(C)A, 1980 & Rules 2003 updated by MoEF&CC in 2019.

In this regard, I am directed to request you to submit and upload the above information in PARIVESH portal for further consideration of proposal.


Yours sincerely,

(Dr. S. Hare Krishna Murti)

Assistant Inspector General of Forest

Copy to:-

1. The APCF cum Nodal Officer (FCA), Forest and Environment Department, Government of Sikkim, Gangtok.
2. The Divisional Forest Officer, South (T) Division. Sikkim.
3. The General Manager, MORTH (NHIDCL), 8th Mile New Gyalshing, West Sikkim.
4. Guard file



7/4/2022

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