

**MINUTES OF THE 11th MEETING OF THE REGIONAL EMPOWERED
COMMITTEE (REC) OF REGIONAL OFFICE, NORTH CENTRAL ZONE,
DEHRADUN HELD ON 22nd JULY, 2016**

The 11th meeting of the Regional Empowered Committee (REC) of the Regional Office, North Central Zone, Dehradun was held on 22nd July, 2016 at Regional Office, Dehradun under the Chairmanship of Shri Ajay Kumar, Addl. PCCF, Regional Office, Dehradun.

Following official/non-official members & the special invitees were present in the meeting.

S.No.	Name	Designation
1.	Shri Ajay Kumar, Addl. PCCF, R.O., Dehradun	Chairman
2.	Dr. G.S. Rawat, IFS (Retd.)	Member
3.	Shri Parveen Thaplyal, IFS (Retd.)	Member
4.	Dr. S. P. Singh	Member
5.	Ms. Kamal Preet, CF, R.O., Dehradun	Member
6.	Shri. M. S. Negi, CF, R.O., Dehradun	Member Secretary
Special Invitee		
7.	Shri S.T.S. Lepcha, PCCF & Nodal Officer, Uttarakhand	Special Invitee
8.	Shri S. D. Sharma Nodal Officer- cum-CCF (FCA), H.P.	Special Invitee
9.	Representatives of the User Agencies	

The following proposals seeking diversion of forest land for non-forest purposes pertaining to Himachal Pradesh and Uttarakhand were discussed in detail and the case wise decision taken by REC is as under:-

S.No.	Name of Proposal	Decision Taken By The REC
HIMACHAL PRADESH		
1.	Diversion of 5.67 ha of forest land for construction of Bhiuli to Tung road Kms. 0/00 to 12/00 in favour of HPPWD within the jurisdiction of Mandi Forest Division. District Mandi. Himachal Pradesh.	<p>Regional Empowered Committee discussed the proposal seeking diversion of 5.67 ha of forest land for the construction of Bhiuli to Tung road Kms. 0/00 to 12/00. The committee noticed that the proposal was earlier discussed in the State Advisory Group (SAG) meeting held on 17.09.2014 and the User Agency was asked to remove the shortcomings communicated vide letter dated 12.09.2014 as well as submit Cost Benefit Analysis. The committee was informed that 148 numbers of trees are proposed to be felled in the project. the forest land proposed for diversion is not a part of any Protected Area and no rare and endangered species of flora and fauna have been reported. The Member Secretary informed that as per DSS analysis the area of CA and Penal CA, shown in the KML file, comes to 3.29 ha and 8.50 ha instead of 11.34 ha and 10.2 ha respectively. Further, 6.00 ha area (3.00 ha in CA and 3.00 ha in Penal CA) appears to be Moderately Dense Forest (MDF) which may not be suitable for CA/PCA.</p> <p>After detailed discussion on various aspects of the proposal, the REC decided to accord in-principle approval to this proposal subject to removal of above shortcomings and submission of following documents:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Revised geo-referenced digital map for the areas selected for CA and PCA both in hard and soft copy showing correct extent of area and after deleting MDF area. Soft copy of the map is to be

		<p>submitted in Shape file (.shp file) showing geo-coordinates at all corner points.</p> <p>2. Map showing location of revised CA / PCA area in Survey of India Toposheet.</p> <p>3. Site suitability certificate for revised CA/PCA areas.</p>
2.	<p>Diversion of 4.3483 ha of forest land for construction of 5.00 MW Dera SHEP in favour of M/s Bharmani Hydro Power Private Ltd. within the jurisdiction of Bharmour Forest Division, District Chamba, Himachal Pradesh. (Online No.- FP/HP/HYD/8754/2014)</p>	<p>Regional Empowered Committee discussed the proposal seeking diversion of 4.3483 ha of forest land for construction of 5.00 MW Dera SHEP in favour of M/s Bharmani Hydro Power Private Ltd. The committee noted that the proposal was earlier discussed in the REC meeting held on 16.05.2016 wherein it was decided to defer the proposal to next meeting and ask the State Govt. to submit certain essential information/documents. After receipt of required information/documents, the proposal was considered in the present REC meeting. Reply to the 7 points raised in previous REC meeting, submitted vide letter dated 22.06.2016 of the State Govt., was discussed in detail in the meeting and found satisfactory except the fact that some revised documents, though provided in hard copy, had not been uploaded/ replaced online. The committee took on record that 42 numbers of trees are proposed to be felled in the project, the forest land proposed for diversion is not a part of any Protected Area and no rare and endangered species of flora and fauna have been reported. The committee was also informed that power is proposed to be evacuated partly through underground cable within the RoW of proposed road and partly through overhead bare conductor for which RoW of 15m (33KV) is as per guidelines. Member Secretary informed that Govt. of India, MoEF & CC, New Delhi has issued directions to the State to propose CA on</p>

		<p>equivalent area of non-forest land in such cases.</p> <p>After detailed discussion on various aspects of the proposal, the committee decided to recommend the proposal to Govt. of India for approval subject to fulfillment of following conditions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Uploading of component wise breakup of 4.3483 ha of forest land at para-B-2.4 of online Part-I, which has been furnished vide letter dated 22.06.2016. 2. Proposing CA on equivalent area of non-forest land as per directions of the Ministry communicated to State Govt. vide letter dated 10.05.2016 along with revised CA scheme, geo-referenced digital map, map in Survey of India Toposheet, suitability certificate and uploading of the documents pertaining to revised CA area at designated places in online Part-I & Part- II.
3.	<p>Diversion of 14.551 ha of forest land for construction of 132 KV Double Circuit Transmission Line from Tangnu-Romai HEP to 66/132/220 KV Pooling Station Sunda (Chirgaon) in favour of HPPTCL within the jurisdiction of Rohru Forest Division, District Shimla, Himachal Pradesh. (Online No.- FP/HP/TRANS/8960/2014)</p>	<p>Regional Empowered Committee discussed the proposal seeking diversion of 14.551 ha of forest for construction of 132 KV Double Circuit Transmission Line from Tangnu-Romai HEP to 66/132/220 KV Pooling Station Sunda (Chirgaon). The committee noticed that 20 trees are proposed to be felled in the project. The committee also noticed the forest land proposed for diversion is not a part of any Protected Area and no rare and endangered species of flora and fauna have been reported. In addition, committee was informed that the power is proposed to be evacuated through bare conductor and the RoW has been proposed at 27 m as per existing Govt. of India guidelines. The representative of the User Agency informed that this T/L will also be used for evacuating power to be produced by other upcoming HE Projects in the area. It was further noted that the CA is</p>

		<p>proposed on degraded forest land twice in extent to the area proposed for diversion which is in accordance with the provisions contained in para 3.2 vi (c) of the Govt. of India guidelines.</p> <p>After detailed discussion on various aspects of the proposal, the REC decided to recommend the proposal for according in-principle approval subject to the submission of following documents:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Since as per DSS Analysis, the actual CA area in the uploaded KML file comes to 18.73 ha instead of proposed 29.1020 ha, the State Govt. may submit revised CA scheme, geo-referenced digital map both in hard and soft copy (.shp file), map on Survey of India Toposheet and the suitability certificate in respect of revised area to be selected for CA and upload the same in online web portal at designated place. 2. Revised information in Annexure-VI (b) & Annexure-VI (c) of Cost-Benefit analysis wherein all parameters are quantified and expressed in monetary terms alongwith calculation of Cost Benefit Ratio.
4.	<p>Diversion of 1.3062 ha of forest land in favour of M/s Manorma Stone Crusher at Joginidhar (Chutti Bihal) for stone quarry for feeding of existing Stone Crusher established on private land at village Nalini, Post Office Hurla, Tehsil Bhunter, within the jurisdiction of Parvati Forest Division, District. Kullu, H.P.</p>	<p>Regional Empowered Committee discussed the proposal seeking diversion of 1.3062 ha of forest land in favour of M/s Manorma Stone Crusher at Joginidhar (Chutti Bihal) for stone quarry for feeding of existing Stone Crusher. The committee noted that the proposal was discussed in the REC meeting held on 30.10.2015 and 10.03.2016. The decision was deferred on 10.03.2016 and the State Govt. was requested to submit certain information/documents. After submission of the required information / documents, the proposal was placed for discussion in this meeting. Reply to the two</p>

		<p>points raised in previous REC meeting was discussed in detail and though reply to observation regarding purpose wise break up was found satisfactory, it was noticed that the MoEF & CC has not agreed to the request of the State Govt. to allow CA on double the area on degraded forest land in such cases and the same is required to be carried out on equivalent area on non-forest land. The committee noticed that 71 trees are proposed to be felled in the project. It was also noticed that the forest land proposed for diversion is not a part of any Protected Area and no rare and endangered species of flora and fauna have been reported. On the query relating to the validity of Permanent Registration no. of the Stone Crusher, the Mining Officer of the State Govt. informed that the Permanent Registration Certificate of the stone crusher is issued at the time of initial registration and it's validity is renewed from time to time whenever the User Agency gives proof of availability of valid mining lease or any other valid source of minerals. He further explained that in the instant case also the validity of the Permanent Registration Number will be extended after the forest clearance and environmental clearance is accorded for the quarry and lease document is signed.</p> <p>After detailed discussion on various aspects of the proposal, the REC decided to recommend the proposal to MoEF & CC, Govt. of India for approval subject to the fulfillment of following conditions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Selection of land for CA in equivalent area of non-forest land as per directions of the Ministry communicated to the State Govt. vide letter dated 10.05.2016.2. Submission of undertaking by the User Agency regarding take suitable measuring to address the
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		concerns of the Mining Officer given at page-79 of the proposal.
5.	Diversion of 1.634 ha of forest land for the construction of approach road. Transmission Line and Drift to 3.5 MW Shakti HEP in favour of M/s Shakti Hydro Electric Company Pvt. Ltd. within the jurisdiction of Nachan Forest Division, District Mandi, Himachal Pradesh. (Online No.- FP/HP/HYD/9212/2015)	<p>Regional Empowered Committee discussed the proposal seeking diversion of 1.634 ha of forest land for the construction of approach road. Transmission Line and Drift to 3.5 MW Shakti HEP. The committee noticed that 66 numbers of trees are proposed to be felled in the project. It was also noticed that the forest land proposed for diversion is not a part of any Protected Area and no rare and endangered species of flora and fauna have been reported. Committee was informed that an area of 1.2228 ha already stand diverted (dated 26.05.2016) for this project and now the State Govt. has submitted the current proposal for additional land to accommodate changes required to account for changes in ground situation in the intervening period between processing of earlier proposal and it's final approval. The committee noted that certain essential information/documents are lacking in the proposal which are required to be obtained from the State Govt. After detailed discussion on various aspects of the proposal, the REC decided to defer the proposal. REC desired that the State Govt. may be requested to submit the following documents/ information / clarifications:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Provide revised evacuation plan, which is stated to have been submitted, but not received in Regional Office. 2. Selection of land for CA in equivalent area of non-forest land as per directions of the Ministry communicated to State Govt. vide letter dated 10.05.2016 and uploading/ submission of all relevant documents in respect of revised CA area.

		<p>3. There is contradiction in the information about requirement of drifts or tunnels given in the letter of the State Govt. and the facts told in the meeting by the representative of the User Agency. Therefore, the State Govt. may review the same and intimate whether the drift or the tunnel is the actually required.</p> <p>4. Geo-coordinates of all tower locations on forest land may be submitted.</p>
6	<p>Diversion of 1.0446 ha of forest land for the construction of 1.20 MW Rana Small Hydro Electric Project in favour of M/S Manak Power System within the jurisdiction of Joginder Nagar Forest Division, District Mandi, Himachal Pradesh. (Online No.-FP/HP/HYD/13551/2015)</p>	<p>Regional Empowered Committee discussed the proposal seeking diversion of 1.0446 ha forest land for the construction of 1.20 MW Rana Small Hydro Electric Project. The committee noticed that 13 numbers of trees are proposed to be felled in the project. It was also noticed that the forest land proposed for diversion is not a part of any Protected Area and no rare and endangered species of flora and fauna have been reported. It was also informed to the committee that the power is proposed to be evacuated through 11 KV T/L for which 7m width of RoW is proposed as per guidelines. It was also noted by the committee that as per recent directions of MoEF & CC, CA is to be proposed on equivalent area on non-forest land.</p> <p>After detailed discussion on various aspects of the proposal, the REC decided to recommend the proposal to MoEF & CC, Govt. of India for approval subject to the fulfillment of following conditions:</p> <p>1. In reply to this office EDS dated 26.05.2016 the State Govt. has submitted clarifications / documents vide letter dated 05.07.2016 but, the documents against EDS point No.-6 & 7 have not been found uploaded at designated places in online Part-II. The State Govt. may upload these</p>

		<p>documents online.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. Selection of land for CA in equivalent area of non-forest land as per directions of the Ministry communicated to State Govt. vide letter dated 10.05.2016 and uploading/ submission of all relevant documents in respect of revised CA area. 3. Correction of scientific names of the species mentioned in Part-II .
7	<p>Diversion of 2.40 ha of forest land for construction of Murari Mata Stone Crusher in favour of Sh. Abhishek Thakur Prop. near Larji (Bunga-III) within the jurisdiction of Seraj Forest Division, District. Kullu. H.P.</p>	<p>Regional Empowered Committee discussed the proposal seeking diversion of 2.40 ha forest land in favour of Sh. Abhishek Thakur for the construction of Murari Mata Stone Crusher near Larji (Bunga-III). The committee noticed that 43 numbers of trees are proposed to be felled in the project. It was also noticed that the forest land proposed for diversion is not a part of any Protected Area and no rare and endangered species of flora and fauna have been reported. Regarding status of registration of stone crusher, the committee noted that the registration was valid for 2 years only i.e. upto 23.07.2011. Thus, the registration of stone crusher is not valid as on date. The District Mining Officer of the State Govt. informed that the Permanent Registration Certificate of the Stone Crusher is issued at the time of initial registration and it's validity is renewed from time to time whenever the User Agency gives proof of availability of valid mining lease or any other valid source of minerals. He further explained that in the instant case also the validity Permanent Registration Number will be extended. Once the forest clearance and environmental clearance is accorded and lease document is signed. It was also informed to the committee that the MoEF & CC has not agreed to the request of the State</p>

		<p>Govt. to allow CA on double the area on degraded forest land in such cases and the same is requested to be carried out on equivalent area on non-forest land. The committee also noted that certain essential documents / information is lacking in the project and are required to be considered before final decision is taken by the REC.</p> <p>After detailed discussion on various aspects of the proposal, the REC decided to defer the proposal and request the State Govt. to submit the following documents/ information / clarifications:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Provision for maintenance of CA plantation and the plantation over 1.5 times the area of safety zone is made for 5 years only but it is required to be provided for 7-10 years. Hence, revised schemes may be submitted accordingly.2. Selection of land for CA in equivalent area of non-forest land as per directions of the Ministry communicated to State Govt. vide letter dated 10.05.2016 and uploading/ submission of all relevant documents in respect of revised CA area.3. Component wise breakup of forest land proposed for diversion.4. It is seen from the DSS analysis of the forest land proposed for diversion that the actual area shown in digital map comes to 0.64 ha instead of 2.40 ha. Therefore, State Govt. may submit revised geo-referenced digital map showing correct extent of area proposed for diversion both in hard and soft copy. The soft copy of the map (KML file) may be submitted in Shape file (.shp file) with geo-coordinates marked at corner points.
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8.	Diversion of 63.422 ha of forest land for construction of 126.00 KM long broad gauge new rail link from Km 2.00 to Km 6.00 between Rishikesh & Karnprayag (Part-I) by Rail Vikas Nigam Ltd. (RVNL) in the state of Uttarakhand within the jurisdiction of Dehradun Forest Division District Dehradun. Uttarakhand (Online No.- FP/UK/RAIL/14375/2015).	Regional Empowered Committee discussed the proposal seeking diversion of 63.422 ha of forest land for construction of 126.00 KM long broad gauge new rail link between Rishikesh & Karnprayag (Part-I) from Km 2.00 to Km 6.00 by Rail Vikas Nigam Ltd. The committee noted that the proposal was also discussed in the REC meeting held on 30.11.2015 and 16.05.2016. In the first meeting held on 30.11.2015, the User Agency was asked to submit the Part-II of the proposal also so that further decision is taken on the complete proposal (Part-I & Part-II both together). In the next REC meeting held on 16.05.2016, the User Agency also submitted 2nd part of the proposal and both the proposals were discussed together. However, the proposal could not be approved as it was found that there are still shortcomings in certain essential documents like Cost-Benefit Analysis and the muck management plan also needs to be improved. After receipt of required documents/clarifications from the State Govt. /User Agency, the proposal was considered in the present REC meeting. Reply to the observations raised in previous REC meetings was discussed in detail and found satisfactory. Committee took on record that phase-II of the proposal has been thoroughly scrutinized now and though some of the issues raised by the committee on phase-II still remain to be resolved, none of the issues is found to be such which may lead to rejection of the proposal altogether. It was further noted that the issues remaining to be resolved in respect of phase-II are independent of implementation of Phase-I. The Chairman pointed out that out of 63.422 ha area proposed for diversion, 45.691 ha is for Rishikesh
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		<p>Station, which appears on higher side. To this the User Agency clarified that Rishikesh is the start point of this 126 Km long Rail Line and necessary yard lines for maintenance, washing, parking etc. of coaches are required to be provided, which accounts for 31.209 ha area. In addition, sufficient circulation area for safe railway operations is also needed. It was also clarified by the Executive Director, Rail Vikas Nigam Ltd. that the requirement of area for railway station is as per Railway Norms and standards. The committee also noticed that felling of 11.656 numbers of trees is involved in this project, the forest land proposed for diversion is not a part of any Protected Area and no rare and endangered species of flora and fauna have been reported.</p> <p>After detailed discussion on various aspects of the proposal, the committee decided to accord in-principle approval subject to the submission of the following documents/ information / clarifications:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. It is seen from the DSS Analysis of the revised CA areas that 4.00 ha and 9.00 ha area proposed for CA now in Jakhan-1 (16.00 ha plot) and Jakhan-1 (79.50 ha plot) respectively fall in Moderately Dense Forest (MDF). State Govt. may change the CA area falling in MDF and submit revised documents for the CA areas accordingly.2. On the basis of data given in the revised district profile, CA stipulated should be 9720.03 ha instead of 6478.43 ha given in the letter dated 16.05.2016. State Govt. may submit clarification on the discrepancy and revise the data, if required. State Govt. may also submit an
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		<p>undertaking to this effect that the shortfall in the progress of CA will be completed within next 1 year.</p> <p>3. Confirmation about shape of the project whether linear or non-linear or hybrid from MoEF & CC, Govt. of India, New Delhi.</p> <p>4. Submission of undertaking by the User Agency that they will not claim any right for diversion of forest land for Phase-II of the project on the grounds that the forest clearance for Phase-I has been accorded by the competent authority.</p>
9.	<p>Diversion of 510.1691 ha (Surface forest land =182.6008 ha & Underground forest land =327.5683 ha) of forest land for construction of 126.00 KM long broad gauge new rail link from Km 6.00 to Km 126.00 (Part-II) between Rishikesh & Karnprayag by Rail Vikas Nigam Ltd. (RVNL) within the jurisdiction of Narendranagar FD, Garhwal FD, Rudraprayag FD, Kedarnath Wildlife FD and Badrinath Forest Division in Uttarakhand (Online No.-FP/UK/RAIL/16947/2015).</p>	<p>Regional Empowered Committee discussed the proposal seeking diversion of 510.1691 ha of forest land (Surface forest land =182.6008 ha & Underground forest land =327.5683 ha) for construction of 126.00 KM long broad gauge new rail link between Rishikesh & Karnprayag (Part-II) from Km 6.00 to Km 126.00 by Rail Vikas Nigam Ltd. (RVNL). The committee noted that felling of 19.312 number of trees is involved in the project. It was also noticed that the forest land proposed for diversion is not a part of any Protected Area and no rare and endangered species of flora and fauna have been reported. The committee also noted that the proposal was discussed in the 10th REC meeting held on 16.05.2016 and the decision was deferred to next meeting due to certain essential information / documents lacking in the proposal. Accordingly, information / documents on 8 points was sought from the State Govt. After receipt of the required documents / information, the proposal was considered in this REC meeting. The reply received from the State Govt. was discussed in detail in the meeting. The committee noted that the earlier proposal of Rs. 1,367.91 lacs submitted by the</p>

		<p>State Govt. to take measures to minimize man animal conflict has now been revised to Rs. 935.01 lacs but. the same has still not been approved by the Chief Wildlife Warden of the State and reply to the observation at sr. no.-17 of this office EDS dated 26.02.2016 and sr. no.-7 of this office letter dated 05.05.2016 is also not provided. Thereafter. the issue of muck dumping was discussed in detail. The committee was still not convinced about the suitability of certain muck dumping sites and their carrying capacity. Committee found that the State Govt./ User Agency has not submitted any plan or design of muck dumping sites including details of the structures proposed along with the quantity of muck which could be safely disposed at individual dumping sites. It was felt that separate designs are required for various representative terrains on which dumping is proposed viz. flat land, slopy land etc. duly certified by an institute of repute in this field. Further. in order to have a first hand information on the muck dumping sites. the committee decided to conduct site inspection. It was also brought to the notice of REC that the User Agency has not submitted FRA certificate in respect of 327.5683 ha area proposed for tunnels.</p> <p>After detailed discussion on various aspects of the proposal. the committee decided to defer the decision in the proposal pending receipt of following documents/ information / clarifications:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Revised CA scheme for 366.00 ha.2. Clarification about payment of NPV against U/G area of 327.5683 ha from the MoEF & CC. Govt. of India.3. FRA certificate in respect of U/G area of 327.5683 ha.
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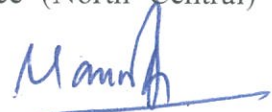
		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4. It is seen from DSS Analysis of CA area that 11.00 ha area out of 254.00 ha in Narendranagar. Forest Division and 1.00 ha out of 45.00 ha in Rudraprayag Forest Division falls in Moderately Dense Forest (MDF). State Govt. may change this area and submit revised CA documents. 5. User Agency will submit complete plans and designs of muck dumping sites including details of various kinds of structures to be constructed for representative muck dumping sites situated in flat land and sloping land separately and will also provide details of quantity of muck which could be safely disposed at individual muck dumping sites as per design. duly certified by an institute of repute. State Govt. / User Agency may also explore feasibility of deleting less/least suitable sites. 6. State Govt. and the User Agency will facilitate site visit of the REC members to the site. 7. Approval of Chief Wildlife Warden to the revised proposal of Rs. 1367.91 Lakh to minimize man-animal conflict and specific reply to the observation at sr. no.-17 of this office EDS dated 26.02.2016 and sr. no.-7 of this office letter dated 05.05.2016. Activity wise detailed comments of CWLW may be submitted by the State Govt.
10.	Diversion of 64.748 ha of forest land for construction of Haridwar-Nagina Section of NH-74 from KM 0.000 to KM 30.000 in the state of UP & Uttarakhand under NHDP-IV within the jurisdiction	Regional Empowered Committee discussed the proposal seeking diversion of 64.748 ha of forest land for construction of Haridwar-Nagina Section of NH-74 from KM 0.000 to KM 30.000 in the state of UP & Uttarakhand under NHDP-IV. The committee noted that the proposal was also discussed in the 10 th REC meeting

	<p>of Haridwar Forest Division. District Haridwar. Uttarakhand. (Online No.-FP/UK/ROAD/7876/2014).</p>	<p>held on 16.05.2016 and the decision was deferred because certain essential information / documents were lacking in the proposal. The information / documents have since been submitted by the State Govt. vide letter dated 15.07.2016. Reply of the State Govt. to the observations raised in previous REC meeting was discussed in detail and found satisfactory. The committee also noted that felling of 14.691 trees is involved in the project. It was noticed by the committee that the forest land proposed for diversion is not a part of any Protected Area and no rare and endangered species of flora and fauna have been reported. CWLW vide letter dated 24.06.2016 has informed that rumble strips / sign boards are required to be put in place to control the speed of vehicles at certain locations along the NH where animal movement is more. But, the representative of the User Agency informed the REC that two underpasses are proposed to be constructed for unhindered movement of wild animals in consultation with the State Forest Department which will cover the locations identified for 5 rumble strips. Thereafter, only 10 rumble strips will be constructed in rest of the area in consultation with the Forest Department of the State Govt.</p> <p>After detailed discussion on various aspects of the proposal, the committee decided to accord in-principle approval for diversion of forest land with the following additional conditions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The geo-referenced digital map of forest land proposed for CA is given in google earth image. May provide GIS software generated digital map of CA showing geo-coordinates at all corner points.
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		2. The Progress of CA is 32% only. State Govt. will submit an undertaking to complete the shortfall within next 1-2 years.
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The meeting ended with thanks to the Chair.

This issues with the approval of Addl.PCCF, Regional Office (North Central) Dehradun-Cum-Chairman REC.



(M. S. Negi)

CF-cum-Member Secretary

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Dated: 2nd Aug, 2016

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3. Dr. S.P. Singh, 09, Waldorf Compound, Mallital, Nainital-263001, Uttarakhand.
4. The APCCF & Nodal Officer, Forest Conservation, Uttarakhand, Indira Nagar, Forest Colony, Dehradun for information. He is requested to take action on the decisions taken in the REC meeting (Project wise) & ensure submission of compliance to this office for further necessary action.
5. The Nodal Officer-cum-CCF (FCA), Forest Department, Govt. of Himachal Pradesh, Talland, Shimla, H.P. for information. He is requested to take action on the decisions taken in the REC meeting (Project wise) & ensure submission of compliance to this office for further necessary action.



(M. S. Negi)

CF-cum-Member Secretary

