No.Ft.48-3229/2015 (FCA) H.P.Forest Department.

From:

Pr. Secretary (Forests) to the

Govt. of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla.

To:

Pr. Chief Conservator of Forests,

Himachal Pradesh, Shimla 3 MAR 2016

Dated Shimla-1, the

Subject:

Diversion of 0.1680 ha of forest land in favour of District Panchyat Officer Kullu for the construction of Challah to Salatry Link road Kms 0/00 to 0/200 within the jurisdiction of Kullu Forest Division Distt Kullu, HP.

Sir.

Please refer to your subject cited proposal received on single file from you, seeking prior approval of the Government of HP for diversion of forest land for non forestry purpose under Forest (conservation) Act, 1980.

After careful consideration of the proposal, the State Govt. has decided to accord, "in-principle" approval of the above mentioned proposal subject to the compliance of the following:

> 1. Cost of compensatory afforestation as per proposed scheme may be realized from the user agency.

2. Net Present Value (NPV) of the forest land being diverted for non forestry purpose may be realized from the user agency as per Hon'ble Supreme Court of India's order dated 30.10.2002, 9.5.2008 and Ministry's directions issued vide letter Nos.5-3/2007-FC dated 5.2.2009.

3. The concerned DFO/CF shall get deposit CA,NPV and all other funds with adhoc Body of Compensatory Afforestation Fund Management and Planning Author(CAMPA) through RTGS in Union Bank of India, Sundar Nagar, New Delhi-110003 (RTGS/IFSC No.UBIN0534498 Account No.344902010105419) or Corporation Bank, Lodhi Complex Branch, New Delhi-110003 (RTGS/ IFSC No.CORP0000371 Account No.SB01025210). It will be accepted only through e-payment.

4. The use of forest land will not be allowed till final approval is accorded.

5. Overburden shall not be dumped outsite the width of road. The muck generated in the earth cuttings will be disposed off at the designate dumping sites and in no case the muck/debris will be allowed to roll down the hill slopes.

6. Additional diversion of forest land for extension/strengthening of the road shall not be permitted within next five years.

Yours faithfully

Pr. Secretary (Forests) to the Govt. of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla.