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RAMNAGAR FOREST DIVISION  
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The Executive Engineer  
PWD (R&B) Division  
Ramnagar.

No. DFO/Rgr/FCA/ 3863-66 dated 01/02/2022.

Sub: Diversion of 1.9820 ha of forest land in Ramnagar Forest Division in favour of Executive Engineer PWD (R&B) Division Udhampur for construction of road from Ramnagar to Basantgarh Phase-II, District Udhampur, UT of Jammu and Kashmir (Online proposal No. FP/JK/Road/143554/2021)

Sir,

In the context of subject cited above, it is submitted that the IRO Jammu vide File No. 9-JKB-094/2021-Jammu dated 20.01.2022 accorded In-Principle approval for diversion of 1.9820 ha of forest land for construction of road from Ramnagar to Basantgarh phase-II (copy enclosed) subject to the following conditions:

(A) Conditions which need to be complied prior to handing over of forest land by the UT Forest Department to the Executive Engineer PWD (R&B) Division Udhampur (User Agency).

- i) Cost of Compensatory Afforestation as per CA scheme may be realized from the user agency.
- ii) Net Present Value (NPV) of the forest land being diverted for non-forestry purpose may be realized from the user agency, as per Ministry's directions issued vide letters No. 5-3/2011-FC (vol-I) dated 6<sup>th</sup> January 2022 and Hon'ble Supreme Court of India's Order dated 30<sup>th</sup> October 2002, 28<sup>th</sup> March, 2008, 24 April, 2008 and 9<sup>th</sup> May 2008;
- iii) As per the orders of the Government of India vide letter No. 5-2/2010-CAMPA 24.06.2011, the Net Present Value (NPV) of the forest land and all other CA levies shall be deposited through web portal of Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change [www.parivesh.nic.in](http://www.parivesh.nic.in).
- iv) User Agency should ensure that the compensatory levies (CA Cost, NPV, etc.) are deposited through challan generated online on web portal and deposited in

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appropriate bank only. Amount deposited through other mode will not be accepted as compliance of the Stage-I clearance.

- v) Revised NPV calculation sheet to be submitted as per the new NPV rates issued by the MoEF&CC on 06.01.2022;
- vi) Permanent and temporary employment generation of the proposal is given 0/20. This needs to be clarify;
- vii) The complete compliance of the FRA, 2006 shall be ensured by way of prescribed certificate from the concerned District Collector.

**(B) Conditions which need to be strictly complied on field after handing over of forest land to the User Agency by the UT Forest Department but the compliance in form of undertaking shall be submitted prior to State-II approval:**


- i) Legal status of the forest land will remain unchanged;
- ii) Efforts should be made to fell minimum number of trees and in any case, not more than 172 trees & 498 u/s Poles and plants shall be felled. Any felling shall only be done under strictly vigilance of Forest Department after issuance of felling permission from concerned DFO.
- iii) Compensatory Afforestation will be carried out over degraded forest land (DFL) upon 3.9640 ha of land in compartment No. 72a/Bgh at Bhadra, Tehsil Ramnagar District Udhampur as per proposed CA scheme, at a cost of Rs. 7,47,597.00 provided by the User Agency;
- iv) Compensatory Afforestation will be done within one year from the date of issue of final approval over the extant of land as approved, out of funds provided by the User Agency;
- v) The UT Government shall upload the KML files of the degraded forest area accepted for raising compensatory Afforestation as well as the forest area proposed for diversion in the extant proposal in the e-green Watch Portal;
- vi) The forest land being diverted shall be properly demarcated using RCC boundary pillars with forward/backward bearing and the GPS Coordinates inscribed on them at the project cost.
- vii) The acquired 05 dumping sites should be prepared appropriately as per approved muck disposal plan given in the proposal before start of dumping to prevent downhill slide of muck;
- viii) The CEO State CAMPA authority shall ensure release of funds under CAMPA to the DFO for raising CA plantation as per CA scheme approved by this office;
- ix) The DFO Shall ensure taking up plantation at approved CA sites and shall not after the approved sites without obtaining the permission of the competent authority;
- x) The forest land will not be used for any other purpose than that mentioned in the proposal;

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- xi) The forest land proposed to be diverted shall under no circumstances be transferred to any other agency, department, or person without approval of the Ministry of Environment Forests and Climate Change;
- xii) The layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without the prior approval of the Ministry of Environment Forests and Climate Change;
- xiii) The User Agency shall raise strip plantation on both sides and central verge of the road at the project cost as per IRC specification and maintain the same;
- xiv) Speed regulating signage will be erected along the road at regular intervals in the forest areas;
- xv) No damage will be done to the adjoining forest land including flora and fauna during the project implementation/operation;
- xvi) No labour camp shall be established on the forest land;
- xvii) The User Agency shall pay additional amount of NPV as & when increased on the order of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India;
- xviii) The User Agency shall provide firewood preferably alternate fuels to the labourers and the staff working at the site so as to avoid any damage and pressure on the nearby forests areas;
- xix) The Ministry of Environment Forests & Climate Change may revoke/suspend the clearance, if implementation of any of the above conditions is not satisfactory. State Government will ensure compliance of these conditions through Forest Department.

The necessary bill/demand number amounting to Rs. 3827686.00 (Thirty Eight lacs Twenty Seven Thousand Six Hundred Eighty Six only) is enclosed herewith for information with the request to deposit the payment as per condition No. (A) iii and iv.

Yours faithfully

  
(Kuldeep Kumar) SFS  
Divisional Forest Officer  
Ramnagar Forest Division  
Ramnagar.

Copy for favour of information submitted to:

1. The Chief Conservator of Forests, Nodal Officer (FCA) in the office of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF) J&K Jammu please.
2. The Conservator of Forests, East Circle, Jammu please.
3. Copy to the Range Forest Officer, Basantgarh for information with the remarks that he will conduct marking of the trees involved in the road.

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DEMAND NOTE NO. 1

[Rule 8(b) of Forest (Conservation) Amendment Rules 2014]

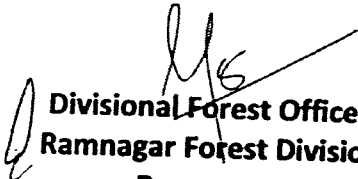
Name of User Agency : Executive Engineer, PWD (R&B) Division Udhampur.

Name of Proposal : Construction of road from Ramnagar to Basantgarh Phase-II.

As per Stage-I (In-Principle) approval conveyed by the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Integrated Regional Office, Jammu vide File No. 9-JKB-094/2021-Jammu dated 20.01.2022 duly endorsed by the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests(HoFF) J&K vide No. PCCF/FCA/3351/5535-37 dated 27.01.2022, the Demand Note for Compensatory Afforestation, Net Present Value and Additional Compensatory Afforestation is hereby issued as under:

S. No.	Charges of compensatory levies	Stage-I condition No.	Amount (Rs.)
1	Cost of Compensatory Afforestation	i)	747597.00
2	Cost of Additional Compensatory Afforestation (Biological measures for Stabilization of Muck Dumping Sites)		517660.00
3	Net Present Value (NPV) of the forest land as per Ministry's directions issued vide letters No. 5-3/2011-FC (vol-I) dated 6 <sup>th</sup> January 2022 and Hon'ble Supreme Court of India's Order dated 30 <sup>th</sup> October 2002, 28 <sup>th</sup> March, 2008, 24 April, 2008 and 9 <sup>th</sup> May 2008;	ii)	2562429.00
Total			3827686.00

(Rs. Thirty Eight Lacs Twenty Seven Thousand Six Hundred Eighty Six only)

  
Divisional Forest Officer  
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MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE  
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File No: 9-JKB-094/2021-Jammu

Dated: 20/01/2022

To

The Commissioner Secretary,  
Department of Forest, Ecology & Environment,  
UT of Jammu & Kashmir,  
Civil Secretariat  
Jammu & Kashmir  
([esforestjkt@gmail.com](mailto:esforestjkt@gmail.com))

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Sub: **Diversion of 1.982 ha of forest land in Ramnagar forest division in favour of Executive Engineer PWD (R&B) Division Udhampur for construction of road from Ramnagar to Basanthgarh Phase-II, District Udhampur, UT of Jammu and Kashmir (Online proposal no. FP/JK/ROAD/143554/2021)**

Ref: i) UT Admin of J&K online proposal received on dated 21.12.2021

Sir,

Please refer to the above cited subject and letters seeking prior approval of the Central government for the diversion of **1.982 ha** of Forest land for non-forestry purpose in accordance with section 2 of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.

2. After careful examination of the proposal of the UT Administration of J&K, *in-principle* approval is hereby being conveyed for the diversion **1.982 ha** of Forest land in **Ramnagar forest division** in favour of **Executive Engineer PWD (R&B) Division Udhampur** for construction of road from **Ramnagar to Basanthgarh Phase-II, District Udhampur, UT of Jammu and Kashmir** (Online proposal no. FP/JK/ROAD/143554/2021) UT of Jammu and Kashmir, subject to the following conditions:

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Yours faithfully,

Sd/-  
(C D Singh)  
RO and Dy. DGF (Central)  
i/c IRO Jammu

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**Government of Jammu and Kashmir**  
**Office of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, HoFF, J&K, Jammu.**

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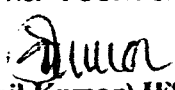
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Dated: 27-01-2022

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1. Conservator of Forests, East Circle, Jammu.
2. Chief Engineer, PWD(R&B), Jammu.
3. Divisional Forest Officer, Ramnagar Forest Division. Bill for revised NPV (in terms of MoEF communications dated: 06-01-2022 & 19-01-2022 circulated vide No: PCCF/FCA/3444/5222-5322)/CA and Biological Measures should be raised immediately.

  
(S. Senthil Kumar) IFS  
Chief Conservator of Forests,  
Nodal Officer (FCA)

  
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