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No:- 7045/CP2

Dt:07-01-2021

FULL TITLE OF THE PROJECT:-

Construction of link road from Padri to Bhal Padri.

PROPOSAL NO:-

FP/JK/ROAD/46659/2020.

SITE INSPECTION REPORT

1). A proposal of PWD (R&B) B.C Road Division Bhaderwah is recommended by Divisional Forest Bhaderwah in Parivesh Portal for diversion of Forest land under Forest Conservation Act 1980 for non forestry purpose. The project envisages diversion of 6.48 Hactare of Forest Land at Padri of Bhaderwah Forest Division in District Doda in favour of PWD (R&B) B.C Road Division Bhaderwah for Construction of link road from Padri to Bhal Padri Road in Bhaderwah Forest Division. On dated **04-07-2020**, undersigned along with Divisional Forest Officer Bhaderwah visited the site. During the visit, it was found that:-

2). No protected/heritage site/defence establishment etc. is located in the area.

3). Project may not effect the survival of wild animals as the project is near the human Habitation.

4). No violation of the Act has been carried out by the user agency as the work for this proposal is yet to be started which shall be allowed only after clearance of the proposal by competent Authority.

Specific Recommendation:-

The proposal may be accepted as per guidelines of Govt. of India, As the forest land proposed for diversion is essentially required for construction of link road from Padri to Bhal Padri of Bhaderwah Forest Division to provide road connectivity which is a key component for tourism purpose & social services. Submitted by Divisional Forest Officer Bhaderwah is recommended to be accepted.

Yours faithfully

Conservator of Forests **Chenab** Circle