

NHPC Limited

(A Government of India Enterprise)

Uri Power Station, Gingle, P.O. Mohura

Distt.-Baramulla (J&K) PIN-193122

(Gingle) : 01956-253211/ 253213 (Tel/fax)

(An ISO-9001:2008; ISO 14001:2004 and
OHSAS18001:2007 Certified Power Station)

No. NH/UPS/GM/2021/98

Dated: 15.11.2021

The Deputy Commissioner/District Collector,
Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
District Baramulla – (J&K)

Sub: Diversion of Underground Forest land in respect of Uri – 1 Stage – II H E Project – FRA thereof.

Sir,

The proposed project Uri 1 stage II HE Project will utilise the already completed structures of existing Uri – 1 stage – I including Barrage, Cut and cover culvert, desilting basin, Open power channel, Adits. A parallel separate HRT is proposed to be constructed for Uri –I, Stage-II HE Project along with surge shaft, pressure shafts and a separate underground power house (near the existing underground power house of Uri-I Power Station).

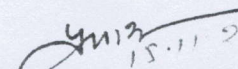
In this regard, an indent for proposed diversion of Forest land required for the project components viz HRT, surge shaft, pressure shafts and underground power house TRT and other allied structure, shall fall underground and as such there will be no diversion of surface forest land, as well as the diversion of forest land will not involve any tree cutting. The application for diversion of underground Forest land for the project has been initiated online through PARIVESH portal. It is expected that 17 hectare of underground forest land shall be required for diversion purposes.

It is to mention that the forest land to be diverted will be underground area and as such there is no habitation coming in the proposed underground forest land and the population will not be affected the construction activities in the underground forest land. As per the requirement of Forest Act, it is requested that the inhabitant of the area falling under the proposed 17 hectare of underground forest land, if any, may be rehabilitated under recognition and vesting of forest rights in accordance with the provisions for Scheduled tribes and other traditional forests dwellers under FRA 2007.

Yours Sincerely,

Encl: As above

Copy to the:
DFO Baramulla, for information please


General Manager –I/c
Uri Power Station

o/c

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BARAMULLA.

(Email: sqsectionbaramulla@gmail.com)

**The District Panchayat Officer,
Baramulla.**

No. DCB/SQ/ 1652-53

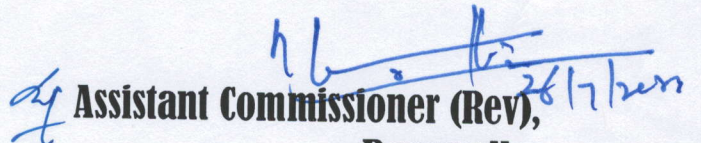
Dated: 26/07/2022

**Subject: Diversion of underground Forest Land in respect of Uri-I
Stage II HE Project-FRA thereof.**

Sir,

Regarding the subject cited above, enclosed find herewith a copy of letter No. NH/UPS/GM/2022/Camp-1 Dated 26.07.2022 received from the Senior Manager (Env) NHPC Limited. In this connection, you are requested to get the proposal cleared from concerned Gram Sabhas to be conducted in the villages indicated as Annexure "A" under rules, so that further necessary action is initiated accordingly.

Yours faithfully,


**Assistant Commissioner (Rev),
Baramulla.**

Copy to the:-

1. Sr. Manager (Env) NHPC Limited for information. This is in reference to your office letter No. NH/UPS/GM/2022/Camp-1 Dated 26.07.2022.



Govt. Of Jammu and Kashmir
OFFICE OF THE BLOCK DEVELOPMENT OFFICER URI

Secretary Panchayat/GRS/PAA
Mohura/Manchikrand
Block Uri,

NO:UB/WS/FRA/ 516-22

Dated: 27/07/2022

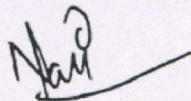
Sub: - Diversion of underground Forest Land in respect of Uri-I Stage II HE Project –
FRA Thereof.

Reference: - DCB/SQ/1652-53

Dated:- 27/07/2022

You are directed to conduct the Special Gram Sabha in your respective Panchayat Halqa's regarding diversion of underground Forest Land in respect of Uri-I stage II HE project on 5th of August 2022 .

The special Gram Sabha shall be convened under Forest Rights Act and Provisions of J&K Panchayati Raj Act 1989 and J&K Panchayati Raj Rules 1996 .The PRI's be conversant well on time and due promotion and publicity be made for conducting of special Gram Sabha regarding the above mentioned subject in panchayat Halqa Mohura and Manchikrand.


Block Development Officer
Uri

Copy to the:-

1. Sub Divisional Magistrate Uri for favour of information.
2. District Panchayat Officer Baramulla favour of information.
3. General Manager NHPC Uri for favour of information.
4. Panchayat Inspector for favour of information and with a request to attend and monitor.
5. Sarpanchs/ FRA chairpersons with a request to convene and attend the meeting.



Government of Jammu & Kashmir
Department of Rural Development & Panchayati Raj
Office of the Block Development Officer Boniyar

Secretary Panchayats/GRS,
Panchayat Halqa Boniyar/Uranbowa,
Block Boniyar.

No:-BB/Pyt/ 466-74

Dated:- 02 -08-2022

Subject: -Diversion of underground Forest Land in respect of Uri-I stage II HE Project-
FRA and conducting of Maha Gram Sabha thereof.

Reference:-Deputy Commissioner Baramulla's No:- DCB/SQ/1652-53

Dated:- 26-07-2022

Assistant Commissioner Panchayat Baramulla's No:- ACP/Bla/Pyt/3039-42

Dated:- 29-07-2022

With reference to the above cited subject and references, you are hereby directed to inform your PRIs regarding conducting of Maha Gram Sabha to be held at Block HQ Chandanwari at 11:30 AM on 06-08-2022 in connection with Diversion of underground Forest Land in respect of Uri-I stage II HE project. The Maha Gram Sabha shall be conducted under Forest Rights Act and all the concerned shall be informed well in time by way of wide publicity in the respective Panchayat halqas. Matter be treated as most urgent.

Block Development Officer
Boniyar

Copy to :-

01. Deputy Commissioner Baramulla for favour of information.
02. Sub Divisional Magistrate Uri for favour of information.
03. Assistant Commissioner Development Baramulla for favour of information.
04. Assistant Commissioner Panchayats Baramulla for favour of information.
05. Range Officer Boniyar for favour of information with the request to depute your concerned officer in the said Gram sabha on the scheduled date and time.
06. General Manager NHPC Uri for favour of information with the request to kindly depute your representative in the said Gram Sabha on the scheduled date & time.
07. Sarpanch Halqa Boniyar & Uranbowa for information & n/a.