

CHECK-LIST
OF
DOCUMENTS/INFORMATION REQUIRED FOR PROPOSAL FOR DI-
VERSION OF FOREST LAND FOR NON FORESTRY USE UNDER
FOREST (CONSERVATION) ACT, 1980
FOR STAGE-I APPROVALS

S.No.	Name of the Document (s)	Provided or Not	If not Provided Why?	Page Number
I	Documents/Information Required for All Proposals			
1	Check-list of the project proposal / <i>Demand letter</i>	Yes		1-8 9
2	Main application form from Part-I to V as prescribed in the Rules under the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 (FCA) with all its columns duly filled up and signed by the competent authority with date, place and official seal. All the information in part-I of form-A including item-wise breakup of the forest area required must be given in the form itself by expanding the columns with complete address, email date, Place and seal. <i>(if available)</i>	Yes		1-16
3	Detailed note on the project for which diversion proposed. It must include the information regarding the number of vil-lages and number of persons to be bene-fited from the project including em-ployment generation.	Yes		17
4	Map of the project site/forest area de-manded clearly showing forest bounda-ries and adjoining areas with their land use in district colours in 1:50000 or any suitable scale on original Survey of India topo sheet. It the area is very small, in addition in above, an index map may be submitted showing forest boundaries and a location map on a larger scale with land use of the area required duly signed by DFO/CF concerned. Forest and non-forest areas to be shown in distinct co-lours.	Yes		18
5	Layout plan of the project site. In case of linear diversions of forest land, linear map or a diagrammatic map of the project site should be enclosed.	Yes		19-20
6	Statement showing the details of forest	Yes		21

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	area involved i.e. Survey No./Coupe No./Compartment No., etc., and item-wise break up of forest area proposed for diversion duly signed by DFO (<i>in the prescribed format</i>).			
7	Statement showing the details of non-forest area involved in the proposal (<i>in the prescribed format</i>).			22
8	Certificate from the Collector/Deputy Commissioner that no alternative suitable non-forest land is available for the project in question except in cases where the project is not proposed on the forest land and only right of way (ROW) is required.			23
9	Justification for locating the project in forest area to be submitted by the User Agency and countersigned by DFO.			24
10	Certificate for minimum use of forest land to be submitted by the user agency, giving details of the area and trees involved in the alternatives examined, and reasons for their rejection duly countersigned by DFO (<i>in the prescribed format</i>).			25-26
11	Undertaking by the User Agency to bear the cost of compensatory afforestation duly countersigned by the DFO (<i>in the prescribed format</i>).			27
12	Undertaking by the User Agency to pay the Net Present Value (NPV) of the forest land involved duly countersigned by DFO (<i>in the prescribed format</i>).			28
13	A certificate from the competent authority in the State that all the forest rights under the Forest Rights Act, 2006 have been settled in respect of the forest area proposed for diversion, wherever applicable.			29-31
14	Species wise and girth class wise enumeration list and abstract of trees (<i>abstract to be given at the end of the list</i>) standing on the forest area in question neatly typed or computerized and duly signed by the DFO. Wherever possible, English and botanical names of the vegetation should be mentioned		N/A	32
15	Site inspection report of the forest area involved in the project proposal by the DEO concerned or higher level forest officer (<i>in the prescribed format</i>). However, if the area involved is more than five ha or number of			38-39

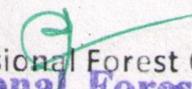
	trees marked for felling is 200 or more, it should be inspected by the CF.			
16	Details of non-forest land/degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation viz. Survey No./ Compartment No./Khasra No./Khatoni No., Village, Tehsil, District, etc., along with map in appropriate scale showing the boundaries of adjoining forest areas with their use in distinct colours (<i>in the prescribed format</i>).			40
17	Detailed scheme for compensatory afforestation on identified non-forest area/degraded forest area at prevalent wage rates duly signed by the DFO and counter signed by the CF concerned. The CA scheme must include all the technical details, details of work schedule, total financial outlay and proposed monitoring mechanism (<i>in the prescribed format</i>).			41-43
18	Certificate from the DFO, that non-forest land/forest land selected for compensatory afforestation is in a compact block and contiguous to forest area or is in closed proximity of forest area and suitable raising plantation and from the management and protection point of view, and is free from all sorts of encumbrances and encroachments (<i>in the prescribed format</i>).			44-45
19	In case of violation of the provisions of the FCA, 1980 or any other Forest Act, a detailed report on the violation to be submitted (<i>in the prescribed format</i>).			46
20	Certificate from the Chief Secretary regarding non-availability of non-forest land in the state for raising compensatory afforestation, wherever applicable			-
21	Approval of the proposal for which diversion of forest land is proposed by the competent authority of the concerned organizations.			47-48
22	In case of proposal which requires entry/exit through Protected Forest strips along roads/railway lines/canals, the following information/documents must be given :- a) No Objection Certificate (NOC) of the land owning agency i.e. NHAI/PWD, Railways or Canal/ Irrigation Department b) No Objection Certificate (NOC) in-			-

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	principle approval for Change of Land Use from the Town and Country Planning/ local body any other competent authority.		
II	Documents/Information Required for Proposals for Roads, Ra Lines, Canals and Transmission Lines		
23	<p>The following information/documents must be given :-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Length and width of road/railway line/ canals/ transmission line passing through forest and non-forest area. b) In case of expansion of the already existing road/railway line/canal, linear plan clearly showing in distinct clours the already existing width of the proposed road/railway line/canal to be expanded and the remaining width of the protect forest strip which would be left after expansion. c) In case of transmission line, the following details may also be given :- <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i) Number of towers to be erected both in forest and non-forest area. ii) Width of the right of way for transmission line. 		N/A
III	Documents/Information Required for Proposals for Hydro E Projects		
24	<p>The following information/ document must be given :-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Component-wise Total Area Requirement b) Copy of Memorandum of Understanding c) Copy of Techno-economic Clearance d) Copy of Implementation Agreement e) NOC from Irrigation and Public Health Departments f) NOC from Fisheries Department g) Authorization to the applicant by Project the Authority 		N/A
IV	Documents/Information Required for Proposals for Mining		
25	The following information/documents must be given :-		

34	Any other information/documents attached Please specify.			
a)	Joint inspection report			51
b)	R.D.wise length & meter of muck debries muck management plan .Certificate Of trees/. Dumping site undertaking of muck debries			52-59
c)	Undertaking of digital map			60
d)	Resolutation of Gram Panchayat.			61
e)	D.G.P.S. Cordinator			62-63
f)	Bill of NPV			64
g)	Joint certificate regarding Non availability of non forest land raising compensatory plantation.			65
h)	Revenue papers.			66-68


 Divisional Forest Officer,
Divisional Forest Officer
 Rohru Forest Division, Rohru.
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Date: Rohru. 15-5-2015

Place: Rohru.

Countersigned by

Conservator of Forests.

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Full title of the project c/o Link Road from bhadhawli petrol pump to bishkalti nehar
Km 0/345.

File no
Date of proposal

PART II

(To be filled by the concerned Deputy Conservator of Forests)

State serial 12. Of proposal.....

7 Location of the project/scheme

(i)

(ii) District

(iii) Forest Division

Area of land proposed for diversion in

(iv)

Hectare.

(v) Legal status of forest

(vi) Density of vegetation

Species-wise (scientific names) and diameter
class-wise enumeration of trees (to be enclosed).

In case of irrigation/hydel projects enumeration at
FRL, FRL-2 meter & FRL-r meter also to be
enclosed.

(x)

Approximate distance of proposed site for
diversion from boundary of forest.

Whether forms part of National Park, Wildlife
Sanctuary, biosphere reserve, tiger reserve,
Elephant corridor, etc. (if so, the details of the
area and comments of the Chief Wildlife Warden
to be annexed.

(xi)

Whether any rare/endorsed/unique species of
flora and fauna found in the area ? If so, Details
thereof.

(xii)

Whether any projected archaeological/heritage
site/defense establishment or any other import-
ant monument is located in the area ? If so, the
details thereof with NOC from competent
authority, if required.

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whether the required of forest land as proposed by
the user agency in col.2 of Part-I is unavoidable and
barest minimum for the project? If no, recommended
area item wise with details of alternatives examined

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whether any work in violation of the Act has been
carried out? If yes, details of the same including period
of work done, action taken on erring officials

Whether work in violation is still in progress?

Himachal Pradesh

Shimla

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0.19.72 hac forest land is required to be diverted
For road construction and 0.00.99 hac dumping
Total 0.20.71 hac

UPF Raika

less then 10%

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Slightly vulnerable to erosion

0.500 meters abuts the boundary of
Forest

NO

NO

NO

Yes

No
detail of page no

NO

(i)	Details of non forest area/ degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation ,its distance from adjoining forest ,number of patches, size of each patch	The compensatory afforestation over double the land being diverted will be raised over 0-41-42 ha in degraded forest land in UPF-Mural . The detailed compensatory afforestation scheme is attached.P-
ii)	Map showing non forest/degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation and adjoining forest boundaries	Attached at page No. 40
(iii)	Detailed Compensatory Afforestation scheme including species to be planted implementing Agency ,time schedule cast structure etc.	Attached at page No: 41-43
(iv)	Total financial outlay for compensatory afforestation scheme.	Rs. 74190/-
(v)	Certificate from competent authority regarding suitability of area identified for compensatory afforestation and from management point of view (to be signed by the concerned Deputy Conservator of Forests)	Attached at page No. 44
11	Site inspection report of the DCF(to be enclosed especially high lighting facts asked in Col.7(ix-xii)8&9 above.	Attached at page No. 38-39
12	Division/District profile	
	i)Geographical area of the District	170705 ha of this division
	ii)Forest area of the District	DPF=24503.97 ha UPF=57260.02 ha 81763.99
	iii)Total forest area diverted since 1980 with number of cases	Cases 57 Area= 189-79-21 hac.
	iv)Total compensatory afforestation stipulated in the districts /division since 1980 as on 31-3.2015	459-73-00 Ha
	a) Forest Land	459-73-00 Ha
	b) Non forest Land	Nil
	V) Progress of compensatory afforestation as on dated 31-3-2015	284-03-87
	a) Forest Land	---Nil-
	b) Non Forest Land	
13	Specific recommendations of the DCF for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal with reasons.	The proposal recommended for approval please.

Place:

Rohru

Date

05/05/15

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 Divisional Forest Officer
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Narrative of the violation under FCA.

The proposal Link road from Bhadhawli Patrol Pump to Bishkulti Nehar km 0/00 to 0/345. The user agency in respect of this road is H.P.P.W.D. B & R division Jubbal. As per the proposal folder the joint inspection of the said road was conducted on 28-03-2014 wherein there is no mention of the violation of the provision of FAC, 1980.

Divisional forest officer
Rohru forest division
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Nehar Km 0/345.

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BILL FOR NPV
CALCULATION OF NET PRESENT VALUE OF FOREST LAND TO BE DIVERTED
UNDER FCA FOR CONSTRUCTION FROM Bhadhwali Pump to bishkalti Nehar.

	Area being diverted	0-20-71
2.	Density per ha.	Less then 10%
3.	Rate applicable for forest having density less then 10%	6,99,000
4.	NPV chargeable per ha.	6,99,000
5.	NPV chargeable for 0-20-71 x6,99,000= 144763	144763
6.	Amount of NPV	144763/=

Date.....13/15/15

Place.....Rohru

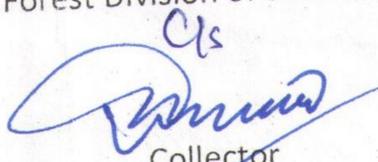
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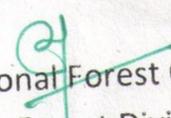
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JOINT CERTIFICATE REGARDING NON AVAILABILITY OF NON FOREST LAND FOR RAISING COMPENSATORY PLANATION.

This is to certify that all the government waste lands in this district are considered as forest land in view of the 1952 Notification of Govt. of H.P. which has declared all Govt. land to forest land Hence there is no availability of suitable non forest land within the jurisdiction of Rohru Forest Division Shimla District for rising of compensatory plantation in lieu of diversion of forest land for the construction of link road Badhawli Petrol Pump to Bishkatli Nahar Km o/o to 0/345 to be constructed in Rohru Forest Division of Shimla District H.P.

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Collector
District Shimla.HP.

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