



HIMACHAL ROAD TRANSPORT CORPORATION RAMPUR

NO:-HRTC/RMP/3- (B.S Luhri)/2025

To

**The Divisional Forest Officer,
Anni Forest Division,
Luhri.Distt.Kullu H.P
Dated**

Subject: - **Diversion of 0.405 ha of Forest land in favour of HRTC for the construction of Bus Stand at Luhri,within the jurisdiction of Ani at Luhri Forest Division Distt.KulluH.P.(Online No.FP/HP/Others/42175/2019).**

Sir,

This is with reference to the subject cited above. In this context this is to inform you that the online EDS raised by your good office on dated 19.06.2025 have been attended parawise reply for the same is as under:- .

Sr. No.	Observations	Reply
1.	The undertaking regarding felling, retaining of trees & replanting of retained trees not found attached.	Undertaking for the tree felling and re-planting of the trees has been uploaded against additional information detail in online Part-I
2.	User agency in his reply has intimated that out of 40 Nos of trees 16 trees will be felled and 24 Nos will be retained, while also mentioned retained trees 34 Nos. Pleas attend the observations	Revised justification with alternatives explored and reason for their rejection has been uploaded against additional information detail in online Part-I. Further, so far as the trees involved in the proposal is concerned are 40 trees and out of 40 trees 24 No. of saplings are involved and same will be replanted in adjoining to the proposed DA and 16 No. of Trees will be felled. It is further submitted that all possible efforts will be made to avoid the tree felling. Undertaking for tree felling has been uploaded against additional information detail in online Part-I. The number of tree mentioned as 34 was due to clerical mistake.

This is for favour of kind information & further necessary action at your end please.

Yours faithfully,

Regional Manager
Himachal Road Transport Corporation,
Rampur Bsr.

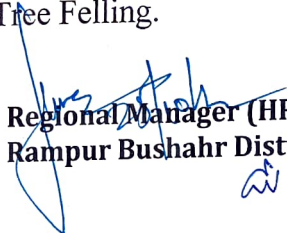
JUSTIFICATION FOR ALTERNATIVE EXAMINED

It is certified that the **0.405 ha.** of forest land proposed to be diverted is inescapable and other alternatives for the proposed project have been explored and the forest land proposed to be diverted is barest minimum. It is further certified that no suitable non-forest land is available for the diversion of proposed **C/o Bus Stand at Luhri Distt. Kullu H.P.**

During the course of finalization of project land to be diverted, three alternatives were examined and there is no scope of any land available in any alternative except forest land **0.405 Ha.**

Sr. No.	Alternate Examined	Area in Ha.	No. of Trees	Reason for Selection/Rejection
1.	Alternate-I	0.4050	24 saplings & 16 Trees Total 40	Selected , due to most feasible and suitable site as per the requirement of the project.
2.	Alternate-II	0.4072	52	Rejected, due to more area involved and more number of trees coming in the alignment of the project.
3.	Alternate-III	0.5102	45	Rejected, due to sloppy site and vulnerable to soil erosion and land slide and not as per the specification of the project.

There is no non-forest/private land available for the construction of above mentioned Bus Stand and this site cannot be escaped. Further, it is submitted that every effort will be made to reduce the Tree Felling.


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Rampur Bushahr Distt. Shimla

UNDERTAKING FOR TREE INVOLVED

It is submitted that there are Total 40 Number of Trees (i.e. 24 Saplings & 16 Trees) involved in the alignment of the proposed **C/o Bus Stand at Luhri Distt. Kullu H.P.** It is further stated that out of 40 trees 24 saplings will be replanted on the area adjacent to the diversion area and 16 no. of Trees will be felled. However, every effort will be made to reduce the tree felling during construction of the bus stand.


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