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Office of the District Public Relations Officer,  
Bilaspur District Bilaspur (H.P.)

From

The District Public Relations Officer,  
Bilaspur District Bilaspur (H.P.)

To

The Divisional Forest Officer  
Bilaspur, District Bilaspur (H.P.)

Dated:

Bilaspur,

17<sup>th</sup> November, 2023

Subject:-

Justification Regarding Non-Site Specification of the Project.

Sir,

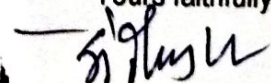
In the reference of online proposal No. FP/HP/Others/155916/2022 which is forwarded by you to this office vide endorse No. 7626 dated 27<sup>th</sup> October, 2023 on the subject mentioned above. In the response of quarry, that the piece of land 0.02885 hectare selected for the construction of Press Club Building at district headquarter is actually situated with in the Mini Secretariat premises. All the important government offices are surrounding the area. Being media is the fourth pillar of democracy; the selected land is a suitable place for all media fraternity of the district as well as State for quick respond and collection or dissemination of News in most desired manner. Hence it is necessary that a press club should be constructed at the appropriate place so that all government and non-government news and information can be available to the public at the right time. It would be in public interest to construct a press club at that site. It is also mentioned here that the Deputy Commissioner Bilaspur has already been issued the certificate of Non-Availability of Non-Forest land vide his office letter No. BLS-ADRA-2(12)/12-III-57147 dated 7<sup>th</sup> December, 2019. (Copy enclosed)

It is worth noting that as per Forest Department Notification 1952, all other lands except private land in Bilaspur city have been declared as forest land.

Construction of Press Club in the middle of Bilaspur city will facilitate collection and dissemination of news on AIIMS, Hydro Engineering College, and strategically important Bhanupalli to Leh Railway Project and Four Lane Project.

Hence, the reply in the above subject you will find in order and consider sympathetically as well compulsory requirement. Hopefully sensing the urgent requirement of the construction of the Press Club Building in the mentioned site the approval may be granted in positive subject.

Yours faithfully,



District Public Relations Officer,  
Bilaspur District Bilaspur (H.P.)  
Bilaspur, Dist. Bilaspur (H.P.)

Encl:- As above.

No.BLS-ADRA-2(12)/12-III-57/42


**Office of the Deputy Commissioner**  
District Bilaspur (Himachal Pradesh)

Bilaspur the 07-12-2019.

**Certificate of Non-Availability of Non-Forest land.**

Certified that no suitable alternative Non-Forest Land is available in the Up Muhal Changer for the Construction of Press Club Bhawan, Bilaspur and the use of forest land for the project is unavoidable. The detail of Forest Land is as under:

Sr.No.	Name of Tehsil	Name of Village	Khasra No.	Area in Meter
1.	Bilaspur (Sadar)	Up Muhal Changer	478/24/1	288.50 Sq. meter

  
(Rajeshwar Goel), I.A.S.  
Deputy Commissioner,  
Bilaspur, Distt. Bilaspur (H.P.)  
Dated 7/12/2019

Endst.No.A.A. 57/42

Copy forwarded to the District Public Relations Officer, Bilaspur, Distt, Bilaspur, H.P. w.r.t. his letter dated 16-11-2019 for information & necessary action.

  
Deputy Commissioner,  
Bilaspur, Distt. Bilaspur (H.P.)