

Diversion of 0.017624 hec. (instead of 0.008912 hec.) forest land in favour of M/s Saint Baba Fateh Singh Trust VPO Maur Mandi (Bathinda) for construction of approach road to College on Bhawanigarh-Kotshamir Road SH-12A between KM Stone No. 87-88 (RHS) at vill. Maur Mandi District & Forest Division Bathinda, Punjab (Online Proposal No. FP/PB/Approach/35063/2018)

SITE INSPECTION REPORT NOT BELOW THE RANK OF DCF/DFO

(For the Forest land to be diverted under FCA)

A proposal has been received by this office from M/s Saint Baba Fateh Singh Trust VPO Maur Mandi (Bathinda) for diversion (under FCA-1980) of 0.017624 ha. (instead of 0.008912 ha.) of forest land for non-forestry purpose. The subject envisages the use of forest land for construction of approach road to College on Bhawanigarh-Kotshamir Road SH-12A between KM Stone No. 87-88 (RHS) at vill. Maur Mandi District & Forest Division Bathinda, Punjab (Online Proposal No. FP/PB/Approach/35063/2018)

The site inspection of the land involved in the proposal has been done by me on date 11/03/22

On inspection of the site, it is found that the land required by the user agency is a forest area measuring 0.017624 ha. (instead of 0.008912 ha.)

The requirement of forest land as proposed by the user agency in Col. 2 of Part-I is unavoidable and is barest minimum required for the project. Yes

Whether any rare/endangered/unique species of flora and fauna found in the area. If so, the details thereof. No

Whether any protected archaeological/heritage site/defense establishment or any other important monument is located in the area. If so, the details thereof with N.O.C from competent authority, No

(a) The user agency has not violated the provisions of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and no work has been started without proper sanction.

(b) It has been found that the user agency has violated the forests (Conservation) Act, 1980 provisions. A detailed report as per para 1.9 of Chapter 1, Part C of Handbook of the (Conservation) Act, 1980 is attached.

(Note : Whichever of the above is applicable should be shown in bold letters)

Specific recommendation for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal

Proposal is recommended for approval.

Date 9/11/2023
Place Bathinda

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Certificate

It is certified that minimum 0.017624 ha. (instead of 0.008912 ha.) area for access to college and nil trees & 04 Plants are affected after inspection the site.

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