

HIMACHAL PRADESH  
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

No.PW/NBT-110-Forest Case/Khal Tibba/2025 - 10490  
To

Dated:- 24-01-2024

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

Subject:-

**Diversion of 3.9654 hectare (Instead of 5.5334 hectare) of forest land for construction of link road from Khal Tibba km. 0/0 to 7/0 within the jurisdiction of Bilaspur Forest Division, Distt. Bilaspur, HP. (Online Proposal No.FP/HP/ROAD/20681/2020)**

Please refer to the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change to the Government of India, New Delhi office letter No. Nil dated 01-01-2025 on subject cited above which has further been forwarded to this office vide your office Endst. No. 9433 dated 04-01-2025 whereby some observations were raised in subject cited forest case. Now, the same are attended as under:-

Point No.	Reply								
Point No.1	It pertains to forest department.								
Point No.2	<p>This road is part of 2183 roads constructed in violation of FCA, 1980 and depicting as Sr. No. 137 of the list pertaining to Forest Circle Bilaspur District Bilaspur (H.P.). This road was constructed by the local people as jeep able standard road to provide access to villagers for safety consideration as the area is hilly terrain. This road was not constructed by the HP.PWD., hence, the proposal for connecting the villagers of village Khal &amp; Makri initiated to regularize the already constructed jeep able road and further construction of the motor able road to provide bus/transport facility to the villagers.</p> <p>It is further submitted that out of 2183 road projects, only 59 road projects were concerned to this division. The status of these road projects is as under:-</p> <table><tr><th>Total No. of Road Projects</th><th>No. of Road Projects for which In Principle Approvals have been received</th><th>No. of Road Projects for which Final Approvals have been received</th><th>No. of Road Projects which are under process for obtaining In Principle Approval</th></tr><tr><td>59</td><td>5</td><td>4</td><td>50</td></tr></table>	Total No. of Road Projects	No. of Road Projects for which In Principle Approvals have been received	No. of Road Projects for which Final Approvals have been received	No. of Road Projects which are under process for obtaining In Principle Approval	59	5	4	50
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This is for your kind information and necessary action.

Executive Engineer,  
Bilaspur Division No-II,  
HP.PWD., Bilaspur.