

HIMACHAL PRADESH
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

No. PWD-Kgr- Forest Case/2025-26-
To

5575-76

Dated: 20/11/2025

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

Subject : Diversion of 0.4156 ha. of forest land in favour of HPPWD for the construction of link road to Village Gjurehra, Tehsil and District Kangra, H.P., within the jurisdiction of Dharamshala Forest Division, District Kangra Himachal Pradesh. (Online Proposal No. FP/HP/Road/144574/2021).


Sir,

Kindly refer to the Observations raised by Govt. of India, Sub-Office, Shimla (Regional Office, Chandigarh) MoEF&CC, CGO Complex, Shivalik Khand, Longwood, Shimla, H.P. – 171001 vide letter No FC/HPB/06/76/2021 dated 06.08.2025 on the subject cited above. In this regard point wise reply against the observations raised as under :

Sr. No.	Observation	Reply
1.	The State Government shall provide details of action taken against the violation as per provisions mentioned in consolidated guidelines and clarifications issued under Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980 and Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Rules, 2023.	The Point pertains to your Office.
2.	The State Government shall submit a detailed status report to the Regional Office in case of 2183 road projects for which directions have been passed by Hon'ble High Court of Himachal Pradesh including the detail of proposals already approved under Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980 and the balance cases that are yet to be processed. The decision in such type of cases shall be taken holistically by Regional Office and forward the same to the Ministry along with its comments/recommendations.	The detailed status report of 2183 road Projects for which directions have been passed by Hon'ble High Court of Himachal Pradesh including the detail of proposals already approved under Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980 and the balance cases that are yet to be processed, has been uploaded against Additional Information Detail In Part I.

You are therefore requested to reconsider proposal for diversion of 0.4156 Ha. forest land for the construction of the above cited road please.

Yours faithfully,


Executive Engineer
Kangra Division,
HP PWD Kangra