

No. **5138**
H.P. Forest Department.

Dated Rampur, the **23-12-24**

From: - DCF Rampur.

To: - CCF (T) Rampur.

Subject: - Diversion of 1.9683 hac. of forest land in favour of HPPWD for construction of link road to Gadasu Lauhti Punan within the jurisdiction of Rampur Forest Division. Distt. Shimla H.P.

Memo:

Kindly refer to your office endst. No. 3053 dated 14/11/2024 on the subject cited above.

2. In this context, it is submitted that the point wise reply to the observation raised vide your office letter under reference is furnished as under:-

S. No.	EDS/Observation	Reply of observation
1.	Observation No. 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.	instant concern No action has been taken against the violator in proposal. As per provisions mentioned in consolidated guidelines and clarifications issued under Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980 and Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Rules, 2023.
2.	Observation No. 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.	No action in this regard has been taken against the violator in concern proposal. However, this road is appearing in the list of CWP No. 5600/2012, a/w CWP No. 9797/2012 and COPC No. 56/2009 (detail attached) as per orders of the Hon'ble High Court of H.P. This road is to be regularized by seeking approval under FCA, 1980. The necessary documents attached as additional information at Sr. No. 15 have been uploaded in online Part-II. However, under the jurisdiction of Rampur Forest Division there are 26 No. of FCA cases from which 8 No. of FCA cases have been approved and 2 No. of FCA cases In-Principle approval has been accorded and 4 No. of FCA cases are pending at different level & in 12 no of FCA cases no proposal has been received as yet in this Division.

It is, therefore, requested that the proposal may kindly be sent to GoI for according stage-I approval under Section 2 of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.

Encl: AS above.

Divisional Forest Officer,
Rampur Forest Division, *g/c*