

State Serial No of Proposal: FP/JK/HYD/144277/2021

7. Location of the Project/Scheme:- Diversion of Underground Forest Land in respect of Uri- 1 Stage-II HE Project by NHPC		
i)	State /Union Territory	Jammu and Kashmir UT
ii)	District	Baramulla
iii)	Forest Division	J.V Forest Division Baramulla
iv)	Area of Forest land proposed for Diversion (in ha)	17 hac
v)	Legal status of Forest	Reserve Forest
vi)	Density of vegetation	Open Forest
vii)	Species-wise (scientific names) and diameter class-wise enumeration of trees (to be enclosed in case of irrigation/ hydel projects enumeration at FRI, FRL-2 meter and FRL-4 meter also to be enclosed).	Nil
viii)	Brief note on vulnerability of the Forest area to erosion	
ix)	Approximate distance of proposed site for diversion from boundary of Forest	-
x)	Whether forms part of National park, Wildlife Sanctuary, bioshphere reserve, tiger reserve, elephant corridor etc (if so, the details of the area and comments of the Chief Wild Life Warden to be annexed	No
xi)	Whether any rare/endangered/unique species of flora and fauna found in the area if so, details thereof.	Nii
xii)	Whether any protected archaeological/heritage site/defense establishment or any other important monument is located in the area. If so, the details thereof with NOC from competent authority, if required	Nil
8.	Whether the requirement of Forest land as proposed by the User Agency in Col.2 of Part-I in unavoidable and barest minimum for the Project. If no, recommended area item – wise with details of alternatives examined	Yes
9	Whether any work in violation of the act has been carried out (Yes/No). If yes, details of the same including period of work done, action taken on erring officials. Whether work in Violation is still in progress	No

10.	Details of compensatory afforestation scheme:	
1)	Details of non-forest area/degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation, its distance from adjoining forest, number of patches, size of each patch.	Comptts. 58/BNR,59/BNR,60/BNR,61/BNR & 63/BNR,70/Uri & 71/Uri
ii)	Map showing non-forest/degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation and adjoining forest boundaries	Yes
iii)	Details compensatory afforestation scheme including species to be planted implementing agency, time schedule cost, cost structure etc	Enclosed
iv)	Total financial outlay for compensatory afforestation scheme	Rs: 71,19,383.55
v).	Certificates from competent authority regarding suitability of area identified for compensatory afforestation and from management point of view. (To be signed by the concerned Deputy Conservator of Forests).	Enclosed
11.	Site inspection report of the DCF (to be enclosed) especially highlighting facts asked in col 7(xi,xii), 8,9 above	Enclosed
12.	Division /District Profile	
i)	Geographical area of the district	419000 Hac
ii)	Forest area of the district	118800 Ha
iii)	Total Forest area diverted since 1980 with number of cases	109,914 hac (41 Cases)
iv)	Total compensatory afforestation stipulated in the district/Division since 1980 on	
(a)	Forest land including penal compensatory afforestation	198.56 hac
(b)	Non forest Land	0
(v)	Progress of compensatory afforestation as on (date)	30 - 04 - 2023
a).	Forest Land	17 Hac
b)	Non Forest Land	0
13.	Specific recommendations of the DCF for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal with reasons	The project is of National interest, besides does not involved cutting of trees. As such is recommended for diversion.

Date: 09-05-2023 Place:Baramulla

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