

Letter of Recommendation Not Below the rank of DCF

(For the forest land to be diverted under FCA)

A proposal has been received by this office from National Highway Authority of India for diversion (under FCA-1980) of 12.4681 ha. of forest land for non-forestry purpose and permission of felling of 1044 trees and 11170 plants in Left Side and 915 trees and 10718 plants in Right Side. The Project envisage the use of forest land for Improvement and upgradation of National Highway 530B from Mathura (NH- 44) to Bareilly (NH-30) Road from km 99.890 to 104.120 (L.H.S), from Km 107.050 to 110.235 (L.H.S), from Km 114.233 to 114.279 (L.H.S), from Km 115.500 to 115.600 (L.H.S), from Km 122.223 to 123.100 (L.H.S), from Km 99.890 to 102.000 (R.H.S) from Km 103.700 to 104.130 (R.H.S), from Km 107.050 to 113.982 (R.H.S), from Km 115.500 to 115.600 (R.H.S) & from Km 122.223 to 123.100 (R.H.S) and felling of trees 1 to 1031, A to M Left Side and 11170 plants & 1 to 914 , A To A Right Side trees and 10718 plants falling within the jurisdiction of Distt- Kasganj.

The site inspection of the land involved in the proposal has been done by me on dated 12.09.2023

On inspection of the site, it is found that the land required by the user agency is a Protected Forest measuring 12.4681 ha.

The requirement of forest land as proposed by the User Agency on Col. 2 of part-II is unavoidable and is barest minimum required for the project.

No rare/endangered/unique species of flora and fauna in the area. There is no protected archaeological/heritage site/defence establishment or any other important monument is located in the area. Moreover, the User Agencies has not violated the provision of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and no work has been started till now and no work will be started without proper sanction. The User Agency has given the undertaking to comply with all the conditions that would be put by the state or/and Central Government during the process of getting sanction.

Specific recommendation for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal. **-Recommended in public Interest for approval.**

Place- Kasganj

Dated 14.09.2023


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