

## Site Inspection Report

### **(For the forest land to be diverted under FCA)**

5.1 A Proposal has been received by this office from Executive Engineer, PWD Construction Division, Tharali (under FCA 1980) of 2.61 ha of Forest Land (1.046 ha Reserve Forest Land including Muck Dumping land and 1.564 ha Civil Soyam Land including Muck Dumping land) for non-forestry purpose. The Project envisages transfer of forest land for Construction of Pharkot to Daduwagad motor road in District Chamoli. (Motor road Length 4.00 Km) under PWD Construction Division, Tharali. The Site Inspection done by Dfo Badrinath forest Division on dated 06/02/2024

5.2 On Inspection of the site, It is found that the land required by the user agency is a forest area measuring 2.61 ha (1.046 ha Reserve Forest Land including Muck Dumping land and 1.564 ha Civil Soyam Land including Muck Dumping land)

5.3 The requirement of forest land as proposed by the user agency in column no-2 of part-I is unavoidable and is barest minimum required for the project -Yes

5.4 Whether any rare/endangered/ unique Species of flora and fauna found in the area. if, so the details thereof - No

5.5 Whether any Protected Archaeological/heritage site/defence establishment or any other important Monument is located in the area, if so, the details thereof with NOC from competent authority, if required:- No.

- a) The user agency has not violated the provision of forest Conservation act, 1980 and no work has been started without proper sanction- yes.
- b) It has been found that the user agency has violated Conservation Act and 1980 provisions. A details report as per para 1.9 of chapter 1, Para C of Hand book of forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 attached.- No.

Specific recommendation for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal.

Recommendation for acceptance of proposal for diversion of 2.61 ha of Forest Land (1.046 ha Reserve Forest Land including Muck Dumping land and 1.564 ha Civil Soyam Land including Muck Dumping land) for non-forestry purpose. Construction of Pharkot to Daduwagad motor road in District Chamoli. (Motor road Length 4.00 Km) under PWD Construction Division, Tharali. Due to construction of above mentioned road the distance from villages Tuneda, Solta, Daduwagad, Rains and Chopta to block headquarters Narayanbagad will be reduced by 15 km and the distance to the district headquarters will be reduced by 29 km. which the villager of Tuneda, Solta, Daduwagad, Rains, and Chopta will be benefited.

Place- Gopeshwar

Date- 06/02/2024

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