

Full Title of Project:- Construction of PMGSY Road from Hud to Saras by PMGSY Division Doda in Marmat Forest Range of Batote Forest Division, Union Territory of Jammu and Kashmir.

Proposal No.: -FP/JK/ROAD/44451/2020

SITE INSPECTION REPORT.

(Highlighting facts about proposal as required under column-11 of Part-II)

1. A proposal has been received by this office from PMGSY Division Doda for diversion of Forest land under Forest (Conservation) Act., 1980 for non-forestry purpose. The project envisages diversion of 3.122 Hectare of the forest land at Hud to Saras in the favour of PMGSY Division Doda for construction of Hud-SarasRoad from Hud to Saras in Marmat Forest Range of Batote Forest Division in Union Territory of Jammu and Kashmir. The site inspection of the land involved in the proposal has been done by the undersigned on **24-09-2020**
2. On inspection of the site, it is found that land required by the user agency is Forest Land measuring 3.122 Hectare.
3. The requirement of the land proposed by the user agency in Col-2 Part-I is unavoidable and bare minimum required for the project.
4. Rare / endangered/ unique species of flora and fauna found in the area, are (Leopard(PantheraPardus), Jungle Cat(Felischaus), Black Bear(UrsusAmericanus) & porcupine etc exists in the area. The said proposal may not effect their survival.
5. No protected / heritage site / defence establishment etc. is located in the area.
6. No violation of the Act has been carried out by the User Agency as the work for this proposal is yet to be started which shall be allowed only after clearance of the proposal by competent Authority.

Specific Recommendation:-

The proposal may be accepted as per guidelines of Govt. of India as the forest land proposed for diversion is essentially required for construction of PMGSY Road in Batote Forest Division for Road connectivity to the people of Marmat area.

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