SITE INSPECTION REPORT NOT BELOW THE RANK OF DCF (For the Forest Land to be diverted under FCA)

A Proposl has been recieved by this Office from National Highways Authority of India Project Implement unit Najababad for Construction of 4-lanning of Kotdwar bypass of NH-119 connecting Najibabad-Kotdwar to Kotdwar Pauri road in the state of Uttar Pradesh under Bharatmala Pariyojna Lot-4 Package-2 from Ch.0+000 to5+900 for diversion of 4.61 ha. Forest land for Non Forestry Purposes Under Section 2 of FCA-1980. The Projects envisages the use of forest land for Construction of 4-lanning of Kotdwar bypass of NH-119 connecting Najibabad-Kotdwar to Kotdwar Pauri road in the state of Uttar Pradesh under Bharatmala Pariyojna Lot-4 Package-2 from Ch.0+000 105+900. The Site Inspection of the land involved has been done by undersigned on date .26-09-2024

Whether any rare/endangered/unique species of flora and fauna found in the area, if, so the details there of-(No)

Whether any protected archeological/heritage site/defense establishment of any other important monuments is located in the area, if, so the details there of with NOC from competent authority, if required - (No)

- (a) The user agency has not violated the provisions of forest (Conversation), Act 1980 and No work has been started without proper sanction, (Yes).
- (b) It has been found that the user agency has violated the forest(Conservation, Act 1980 provisions.Detailed report as per para 1.9 of chapter 1, para C of Handbook of forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 is attached. (No)

Specific recommendation for acceptance or other wise of the proposal Recommended for benefit of Public.

Place: Najibabad

Date: 01-10-2024

Division Forest Officer, Bijnor Forest Division,

Najibabad

N.B. x- Stage the purpose for which the forest land is proposed to be diverted. xx out of (a) and (b) tick the option which is applicable and cross the option which is not applicable.

As per letter number 2-2/2000 FC dated 16-10-2000 from ministry of Environment & Forests, Government of India for proposal involving less than 40 hectares of forest land, the site inspection report from DCF is required and for proposal involving more than 40 hectares of forest land site inspection report from the conservator of forests is required.