

Full Title Of The Project:

Diversion of 2.4957 ha. of Forest land in favour of Bholenath Power Construction Company Pvt. Ltd. for construction of Pakhnoj -II SHEP (5.00 MW) within the jurisdiction under Naggar Range, Kullu Forest Division Kullu District Kullu, Himachal Pradesh.

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Date Of Proposal:

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PART- II

(To be filled by the concerned Deputy Conservator of Forest)

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7	Location of the project/scheme	Diversion of 2.4957 ha. of Forest land in favour of Bholenath Power Construction Company Pvt. Ltd. for construction of Pakhnoj -II SHEP (5.00 MW) within the jurisdiction under Naggar Range, Kullu Forest Division Kullu District Kullu, Himachal Pradesh
I.	State/ Union Territory	H.P
II.	District	Kullu
III.	Forest Division	Kullu
IV.	Area of forest land proposed for diversion (in ha)	2.4957 ha.
V.	Legal status of forest	UPF (Barsai-III)
VI.	Density of vegetation	0.0055
VII.	Species- wise (Scientific names) and diameter class-wise enumeration of trees. (Detailed enumeration list enclosed at page no.)	Attached at page (45-47)
VIII.	Brief on vulnerability of the forest area to be erosion	There is no possibility of erosion of forest land by the construction of the proposed project.
IX.	Approximate distance of proposed site for diversion from boundary of forest.	Proposed site falls within the jurisdiction of UPF Barsai-III.
X.	Whether forms part of a national park, wild life sanctuary, biosphere reserve, tiger reserve, elephant corridor, etc. (if so, the details of the area, and comments of the chief wildlife warden to be annexed)	No, the area doesn't forms part of a national park, wild life sanctuary, biosphere reserve, tiger reserve, elephant corridor, etc.
XI.	Whether any rare / endangered / unique species of flora and fauna found in the area? if so details thereof.	No, rare / endangered / unique species of flora and fauna found in the area.
XII.	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	There is no protected archaeological / heritage site /defense establishment or any other important monument is located in the area.

	from competent authority.	
8	Whether the requirement of forest land as proposed by the user agency in col. 2 of part-I is unavoidable and barest minimum for the project, if no, recommended area item- wise with details of alternatives examined.	Yes, the forest area proposed as 2.4957 ha is barest minimum. There is no other alternate suitable for the project.
9	Whether any work in violation of various Forest Acts has been carried out (Yes/No). if Yes, details of the same including period of work done, action taken against the erring officials. Whether work done in violation is still in progress?	No work started yet.
10	Details of Compensatory afforestation schemes	
I.	Details of non- forest area / degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation, its distance from adjoining forest, number of patches, size of each patch.	Attached at page 50-58
II.	Map showing non-Forest/degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation and adjoining forest boundaries.	Attached at page No. 51-52
III.	Detailed compensatory afforestation scheme including species to be planted, implementing agency, time schedule, cost structure, etc.	Attached page No. 53-58
IV.	Total financial outlay for compensatory afforestation scheme	Rs. 1484890/-
V	NPV	Attached at page No. 91
VI.	Certificate 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.	Attached at page No. 59
11	Site inspection report of the DCF (to be enclosed) especially highlighting facts asked in col. 7 (xi, xii), 8 and 9 above	Attached at page No. 49
12.	Division/ district profile	
i)	Geographical area of the district	550300 ha (5503sq km)
ii)	Forest area of the district	495200 Ha (As per HP Forest statistic 2005)
iii)	Total forest area diverted since 1980 with number of cases.	No. of cases = 172 Area diverted = 489-0332 ha
iv)	Total compensatory afforestation stipulated in the district/ division since 1980 onwards.	1048-9881 ha
(a)	Forest land including penal compensatory	1048-9881 (CA 1002-2087 ha + Penal CA

	Afforestation	=46.7794 ha)
(b)	Non forest land	Nil
v)	Progress of compensatory afforestation as on dated 31-03-2022	954-1988 ha
(a)	Forest Land	954-1988 ha
b)	(Non forest land	Nil.
13.	Specific recommendations of the DCF for acceptance of otherwise of the proposal with reason.	Recommended for approval.

Place : Kullu

Date: 16/06/2022

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**Divisional Forest Officer,
 Kullu Forest Division, Kullu**