

**CHANED SMALL HYDRO PROJECT 0.5684 HAC. (1MW)**

**PART-II**


(To be filled by concerned Deputy Conservator of Forests)

**Location of the Project/Scheme**

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i	State/ Union Territory	Himachal
ii	District	Chamba
iii	Forest Division	Dalhousie
iv	Area of the forest land proposed for Diversion (in Hact)	0.5684
v	Legal Status Forest	DPF
vi	Density of Vegetation:	0.1
vii	Species-wise(Scientific names) and diameter class-wise enumeration of trees (to be enclosed).In case of Irrigation/ hydro projects enumeration at FRL. FRL-2 meter & FRL-1 meter also be enclosed	39 trees
viii	Brief on Vulnerability of the forest area to erosion.	As it is Semi hilly area and less then 1000 mtr. However to mitigate the anticipated impacts around the projects construction site, some soil conservation work have been proposed by the user agency for checking soil erosion and providing the crate works and RCC retaining walls to save from future soil erosion.
ix	Approximate distance of proposed site for diversion from boundary of forest.	0.5 km
x	Whether any part of National Park/ WL Sanctuary. Biosphere reserve. tiger reserve. Elephant corridor etc. (if so. the detail of the area and comments of the chief wildlife warden to Annexure)	No
xi	Whether any rare/ endangered unique species of flora and fauna is an area? if so details there of	No
xii	Whether any protected archeological/ heritage site/defense establishment or any other important monument is located in the area? If so. the details thereof with NOC from competent authority, if required	No archeological/heritage site/defense establishment exists in this area.
8.	Whether the requirement of forestland as proposed by the user agency in col 2 of Para-1 is unavoidable and barest minimum for the project? If no, recommended area item wise with details of alternatives examined.	Yes, The proposed land required for the construction of road is unavoidable and barest minimum.
9.	Whether any work in violation of the act has been carried out if Yes details of the same including period of work done. Action taken on erring officials. Whether work invoilation is still in progress.	No
10.	Details of compensatory Afforestation scheme.	The compensatory afforestation will be carried out in one patch as per detailed CA Scheme is attached.
	i) Details of non forest area/ degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation, its distance from adjoining forest, number of patches and size of each	DPF Salig Tikar

	patch.	
	ii) Map showing non forest/ degraded forest area indentified for Compensatory afforestation and adjoining forest boundaries.	Attached
	iii) Detailed compensatory afforestation scheme including species to be planted implementing agency, time schedule, cost Structure.	Detailed CA Scheme attached
	iv) Total financial outlay for compensatory afforestation scheme.	The financial outlay for raising plantation and its maintenance under compensatory scheme comes out to be Rs.= 2,95,370/-.
	v)Certificates from competent authority regarding suitability of area indentified for compensatory afforestation and from Management point of view (to be signed by concerned Deputy Conservator of Forests)	Certificate attached.
11.	Site inspection report of the DCF (to be enclosed) especially highlighted facts asked in col. 7(ix, xii), 8 & 9 above	Inspection report attached
12.	<b>Division/ District Profile:</b>	
	i)Geographical area of the District	652200 Sq. Kms
	ii)Forest area of the District	243700 Sq Kms
	iii)Total forest area diverted since 1980 with number of cases.	79Nos cases 330.7914 Hact.
	iv)Total compensatory afforestation stipulated in the District/ Division since 1980	603.1898 Hact.
	a)Forest land including penal compensatory afforestation	603.1898 Hact..
	b)Non forest land	0
	c)Progress of compensatory afforestation as on date	31.03.2021
	d)Forest Land	555.2098 Ha
	e)Non Forest Land	Nil
13	Specific recommendations of the DCF for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal with reasons:	<p>The proposed project will be provide the earn income of the local village Bhanota and surrounding villages. The people of this area are generally poor and they would get the chance to be part of the project by getting employment during construction period and some persons shall get permanent employment for operation of the project. Therefore, the construction of <u>CHANED SMALL HYDRO PROJECT 0.5684 HAC. (IMW)</u> is justified in the interest of local people. As such, there is no other non forest land available for the proposed project, as all the Govt. waste land/degraded land has been classified as forest land. The forest area involved is unavoidable and barest minimum for the said project. Hence the proposal is recommended for approval please.</p>

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Place: Dalhousie

  
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