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NHAI/PIU/Gwl/Western Bypass/2024-25/15/13

Date: 13.02.2025

To,

The Divisional Forest Officer City Center, Gwalior (MP) Email: dfotgwa@mp.gov.in

- Preparation of Detailed Project Report for Construction of Bypass on Western Side Sub: of Gwalior city in the State of MP:- Compliances to the observations of 8th REC meeting held on 30.07.2024.
- Ref: i) APCCF, Bhopal letter no. F-5/1121/2022/10-11/4672 Dated 02.09.2024.
 - ii) 8th REC MoM Dated 30.07.2024.
 - iii) MoEF&CC letter dated 17.12.2024.
 - iv) This office letter no. 15099 dated 12.02.2025.
 - v) M/s Lion Engineering Consultant letter dated 13.02.2025.

Sir.

Please refer to APCCF, Bhopal letter cited under reference-(i) vide which the discussions held during the 8th REC meeting on 30.07.2024 was conveyed to this office with the direction to submit the compliance thereof through DFO Gwalior so as to issue Stage-I forest clearance for the captioned project.

In connection with above and based on the input received from the DPR consultant 2. M/s Lion Engineering Consultant vide letter cited under (v), the parawise compliances to the observations of 8th REC meeting held on 30.07.2024 is submitted herewith for onward submission of APCCF(LM) & Nodal Officer (FCA) , Bhopal:

S.N.	Observations	Reply
1.	The DFOs shall provide a certificate to the effect that the KML of proposed diversion area is prepared and demarcation has been done on the basis of actual forest boundaries established in the prevailing approved working plan.	KML of proposed diversion area is prepared and demarcation has been done on the basis of actual forest boundaries established in the prevailing approved working plan.
2.	In view of guideline dated 27.12.2023 compensatory afforestation shall be carried out on equivalent non forest land. Thus, KML file of non-forest land for CA along with the CA scheme, suitability certificate, certificate of non encumbrances, digital map shall be submitted	In this regard, a request has been made to APCCF (LM) & Nodal Officer (FCA), Bhopal to consider the proposal for diversion of 42.83 ha reserved forest land for construction of bypass on western side of Gwalior City in favor of Project Director NHAI, PIU-Gwalior with standard terms and conditions and issue Stage-I clearance for the captioned project considering of CA scheme on already proposed DFL land in lieu of NFL land as per clarification issued by MoEF&CC letter dated 17.12.2024.

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3.	The working permission shall not be issued by the State Govt in this project and suitability of the area proposed for CA will be reviewed by the REC prior to submission of compliance of In-principal approval.	Noted.
4.	The User Agency shall submit a site improvement plan for isolated patches affected by the construction of proposed road at coordinate (26" 14'55.82"N, 78) 4'6.54"E). The site improvement plan must include all necessary components like fencing watering facility, soil work etc.	A'Site"Improvement Plan will be prepared in consultation with the Forest Department for isolated patches affected by the construction of the proposed road at coordinates (26°14'55.82"N, 78°4'6.54"E). The improvement plan may include measures such as fencing of the area, soil moisture conservation works, and plantation activities. The cost of these improvements may be borne by the project proponent, i.e, NHAI in line with extant policies and guidelines of Forest Authorities.
5.	The User Agency shall submit an undertaking to the effect that all the conditions of Wildlife clearance shall be strictly complied.	Undertaking for Compliances of all the conditions of Wildlife clearance is attached herewith.

In view of the above, the above compliances of observations of 8th REC meeting held on 3. 30.07.2024 may be submitted to APCCF(LM) & Nodal Officer (FCA), Bhopal for issuance of Stage-1 clearance for diversion of 42.83 ha reserved forest land for construction of bypass on western side of Gwalior City in favor of Project Director NHAI, PIU-Gwalior.

Encl: As above.

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NHAI-PIU, Gwalior (M.P)

Copy to:

- i) APPCF(LM) & Nodal Officer (FCA) Bhopal for kind formation and necessary action in the matter please.
- ii) Regional Officer, Bhopal for kind information please.
- ii) Authorized Signatory, M/s Lion Engineering Consultant Bhopal for information please.

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UNDERTAKING

It is solemnly affirmed and undertakes that NHAI shall strictly comply with all the terms and conditions stipulated in Wildlife Clearance for Construction of Bypass on Western Side of Gwalior city in the State of Madhya Pradesh.

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