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Sub: Diversion of 0.4620 ha Reserved Forest Land for Construction of link road between two defence complexes in Sy No.102 Kothrud Pune (Proposal No. FP/MH/ROAD/144314/2021 dated 02/07/2021)

Ref: a) Your letter No.A/Kaksh-4.2/Jamin/1993/2023-24 Dated 25/08/2023, and No.A/Kaksh-4.2/Jamin/2441/2023-24 Dated 04/10/2023.

b) Our letter ARDE/32/1/(i)/63-Tech Dated 07/09/2023

2. The clarification of point (x) as referred in your letter above is as follows-Point No.(x): The site specificity of the proposal shall be re-examined and a detailed report along with KML files of alternatives examined with relevant maps shall be submitted:

The Armament R&D Establishment (A Unit of DRDO) is a <u>Defence Establishment</u> amidst Pune city. In view of its Defence related services and communication, it is utmost necessary for this establishment to have direct approach/link between its different complexes. The proposed Link Road is required not only to ensure the communication needs of this organisation, but also to help the general civilian population by avoiding the risk and inconvenience caused to them because of transportation activities of Arms, Ammunition and Explosives of ARDE.

All the present alternatives available with this establishment pass through the busy public places and the civilian route of transport of which distance involved is about 10 Km. These alternatives are not at all suitable and advisable from Defence & Civilian's safety point of view. There is no other feasible option available with ARDE. Hence Land proposed for diversion is, thus, unavoidable.

3. This is for your information and further necessary action please.

(Rakesh Kanjan)

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For DIRECTOR, ARD

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Nagpur 440001 For information and necessary action please. (W.r.t. your letter no. Desk-17/FCA-S1/PID-44314/Pune/1459 dtd 10/08/2023)

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