

## FORM – 'A'

Form seeking prior approval under section 2 of the proposals by

The State Government and other authorities

Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980

## PART-I

(to be filled by the user agency)

## 1. Project Details:

- (i) Short narratives of the proposal and project/scheme for which the Forest land is required.

The Rural connectivity road connecting the habitation of NSH Via Tadong to Upper Phodong has been a long pending demand of the local residents and public of the concerned area. Based on the demand, the project was placed and subsequently sanctioned during the financial year 2016-17 under the PMGSY Phase XI. The proposed road has a sanctioned length of 2.480 KM and the total cost of the project is Rs 198.41 Lakhs. The proposed alignment mostly passes through private land, while a stretch of approximately 202 mtr falls within Forest Khasmal.

- (ii) Map showing the required forest land, boundary of the adjoining forest

- (iii) Cost of the project:

The Total Cost of the Project is Rs 198.41 Lakhs

- (iv) Justification for locating the project in the forest area:

There were obligatory points like the public crematorium along the alignment which were required to be connected on priority. The Forest Khasmal land is located just below the Crematorium shed, hence the alignment had to be proposed. The alignment passes through the plot no 398,397/986,393,121 which is forest khasmal as per land revenue suvery record 1977-78. The joint inspection and enumeration list has been enclosed.

- (v) Cost benefit analysis :

The project is for providing rural connectivity to the people of Upper Tadong & Rongong and it is hoped that once there is road connectivity the rural population of this village would be greatly benefitted economically and socially.

- (vi) Employment likely to be generated:

The scheme will generate employments for the local public in a large scale both in terms of skilled and unskilled laborers.



2. Purpose wise break-up of the total land required

Name of Work	Forest Land	Private Land
RCR from NSH via Tadong to Upper Phodong	0.376 Hectares	2.74 Hec

3. Details of the displacement of people by the project, if any:

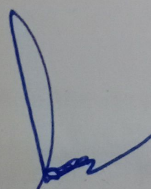
- (i) Number of Families: Nil
- (ii) Number of Scheduled Tribe/Scheduled Caste families: Nil
- (iii) Rehabilitation plan(to be enclosed):NA

4. Whether clearance under the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 requires?(Yes/No):  
Not applicable. The scheme is within Rural Area.

5. Undertaking to bear the cost of raising and maintenance of compensatory Afforestation and/or penal compensatory afforestation as well as cost for protection And regeneration of safety zone etc. As per the scheme prepared by the State Government (undertaking to be enclosed)  
Undertaking for the same is enclosed.

6. Details of Certificates/ documents enclosed as required under the instructions.

- i) Brief Project report: Enclosed
- ii) Map on scale (Colored Toposheet): Enclosed
- iii) Joint Inspection Report: Enclosed
- iv) Muck dumping certificate and NOC from land owners : Enclosed
- v) Enumeration list of trees/poles: Enclosed



Signature,

(Name in Block Letters):

Designation:

(Address of User Agency)

Date.....

Place.....

**Pr Secretary**  
**Rural Development Deptt.**  
**Govt. of Sikkim**