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17.04.2023

To

District Forest Officer,  
Karnal, Haryana.

District Forest Officer,  
Kurukshetra, Haryana.

District Forest Officer,  
Yamuna Nagar, Haryana.

District Forest Officer,  
Ambala, Haryana.

Sub:- Development of 6 lane access-controlled Highway from Shamli to Ambala in the State of Haryana and Uttar Pradesh: -Reg.(Online Proposal No.: FP/HR/ROAD/153630/2022): Clarification/ replies of EDS.

Ref:- Online EDS dated 28.03.2023 on Parivesh Portal.

Sir,

This is with reference to online EDS dated 06.04.2023 raised by IRO, MoEF&CC, Chandigarh regarding Forest Proposal for diversion of 3.7381 ha forest land in the project mentioned under subject above.

2. In this regard, point-wise clarifications/ replies are hereby submitted for your consideration and further necessary action at your end for early grant of Forest Clearance under section 2 of FCA, 1980:

S.N.	Observations/ EDS raised by Forest Department	Clarifications/ reply of User Agency i.e. NHAI
1.	In part-I, B.2.3 village wise breakup of non-forest land is not uploaded for all villages due to this non forest land calculated as 218.4091 instead of 354.4619 as uploaded under B-2.4 and it needs to be corrected.	Corrected village wise breakup of non-forest land has been uploaded in the portal for all villages i.e. 354.4619 Ha.
2.	In the area calculation sheet, uploaded in part-1 at Sn. 01 & 12, area calculation for Yamuna Nagar is given as 0.939 ha, instead of 1.0222 ha. and needs to be correctly uploaded.	Corrected area calculation sheet for 1.0222 Ha land in Yamuna Nagar district has been correctly and accordingly uploaded.
3.	NOC or Undertaking to submit NOC from Railway and Irrigation department.	NoC from Irrigation, Railway Department is under process. However, Undertaking regarding NoC from Irrigation, Railway Department has been uploaded under Additional Information on Parivesh Portal, and the same is enclosed for reference.

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dated 17.04.2023

4.	Approval of the Competent Authority for the instant project is not submitted.	Copy of Approval accorded by competent authority vide OM dated 17.05.2022 is enclosed herewith for ready reference please.
5.	Linear plan clearly showing the component-wise and dimension-wise forest as well as non-forest area required in distinct color has not been submitted.  Hence, same needs to be submitted duly counter signed by DFO concerned needs to be submitted.	Linear plan showing component-wise and dimension-wise forest as well as non-forest area in distinct color is submitted and enclosed for ready reference please.

3. Further, it has to be submitted that observation raised at para 2 (iv), (v) & (viii) by IRO, MoEF & CC, Chandigarh vide file no. 9-HRB039/2023-CHA dated 06.04.2023 pertains to Forest Department and same may be replied accordingly.

4. In view of above, it is requested to process the proposal at your end for early obtaining the forest clearance so that, the project can be implemented on time.

Encls: As above.

Yours faithfully,



Project Director  
NHAI, PIU-Ambala

Copy to:

(i) Nodal Officer, Panchkula, Haryana: for information and necessary action please.