

**Project Name :** Diversion of 1.276 ha of forest land in favour of HPPWD for the construction of link road from Upper Jamli to Baron Kathana (kms .0/0 to 6/700), within the jurisdiction of Nahan Forest Division Distt. Sirmour Himachal Pradesh

**Proposal No.** FP/HP/Road/15861/2015

### Joint Inspection Report

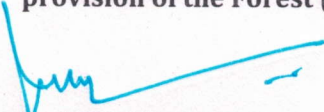
The revised site inspection of the land involved in this road was been done by me on dated 24.07.2023 with the PWD Official. The alternative has been explored during visit, which have not found suitable. Two numbers alternative alignments were explored by the PWD authority, but not found feasible. The grade of the alternative alignment is not adequate and involved a greater number of trees as compare to the proposed alignment. Therefore, road connectivity to both villages is adequately required.

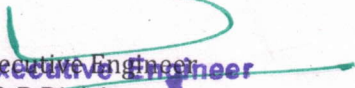
1) Further every effort has been made to reduce the number of trees involved in the proposed road alignment. The proposed road alignment passes through the Shamlat and Private land which is under possession of HPPWD. Previously 203 Nos. of trees involved in the road alignment & dumping site of Village Shamlat jungle jhari of village Jamli & Khatana. Again, RD wise enumeration of trees has been counted by the Forest field staff and PWD authority.

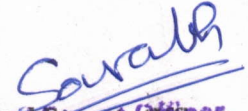
2) In this road alignment 1.276 Hectare Forest land have been involved for construction of road out of which 0.876 ha. area road alignment and 0.40 hectare for dumping site. The three dumping sites of the forest land is 0.40 ha. area involved.

3) The proposed road alignment to connect these villages, which is being provided by the PWD, is absolutely feasible and also shortest, construction of this road the minimum forest land as well as trees will be involved. The route is quite unavoidable. The proposal is specifically recommended in the interest of public, the land proposed for diversion in the proposal is minimum.

4) Further, during Joint inspection, it is seen that Geo-Coordinates from 30° 35' 38.84" N 77° 15' 16.35" E to 30° 36' 14.53" N 77° 16' 2.54" E is a Non-Forest land it is under the possession of HPPWD. This shows that **the user agency has not violated the provision of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980** and no work has been started".

  
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