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Office of The Executive Engineer,  
R&B Division,  
Rajmahel Compound, Mehsana  
Date : 26/05/2020

No.: PB/Visnagar/2131/2020

To,  
The Deputy Conservator of Forests,  
Social Forestry Division,  
Mehsana.

Sub: Diversion of 12.25 ha Protected Forest land for widening of existing Visnagar-Vijapur road SH-130 in Ta-Visnagar & Vijapur in favour of Executive Engineer, R&B Division in Mehsana District.

Ref: 1) Regional Office (Western Region, Bhopal) 40<sup>th</sup> R.E.C Meeting Dt.14/11/2019 letter no. 6-GJC 047/2019-BHO/1142 Dt. 21/11/2019 and letter no. 6-GJC-047/ 2019/ BHO/BH/30 Dt. 24/04/20  
2) Your office letter no. PF/6/B/7175-76/19-20 Dt. 04/12/2019  
3) This office letter no. PB/Visnagar/ 228/2019-20 Dt. 21/12/2019

Sir,

The proposal for diversion of 12.25ha. of Protected Forest for Road Widening of Visnagar-Vijapur Road was submitted for the approval under Forest (Conservation) Act-1980.

As per letter reference no.1, the proposal was examined by REC in the 43<sup>rd</sup> meeting and raised certain queries regarding Topo Sheet Map, Correct Part-1 and 2, NOC from Railways, proper KML file, revised site specific CA land and CA Scheme. The compliance report for the queries raised by REC was submitted vide our office letter no.; reference 3.

As there is a railway crossing passing across the proposed road widening project, we have applied for NOC from Divisional Railway Manager, Ahmedabad Division (Western Railways). Due to the present COVID-19 Pandemic situation there is a delay in issuance of NOC. Further, we would like to bring to your notice that due to sufficient width of existing railway crossing, further widening activity will not be taken up.

The CA Scheme as per the guideline issued by the Office of Dy. Conservator of Forests-Sabarkantha Division is attached herewith for your necessary action.

In view of the above clarifications, it is kindly requested to approve the proposal.

Copy to :  
Addl.Principle Conservator of Forests (Land), Gandhinagar.

(Executive Engineer)  
R&B Division  
Mehsana