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29 Sep 2020

General Manager  
Shongtong-Karchham HEP, (450 MW)  
HPPCL, Reckong Poo,  
Distt Kinnaur HP-172107

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**PERMISSION FOR PORTAL EXCAVATION TO START UNDERGROUND  
TUNNELING WITHIN 1200 YARDS OF AMMUNITION POINT POWARI  
IN DISTRICT KINNAUR OF HIMACHAL PRADESH**

1. Please refer :-

(a) Govt of India, Min of Defense, Center for Fire, Explosive & Environment Safety  
(CFEES) letter No CFGEES/ESG/800/1/2020 dt Jun 2020.

(b) HPPCL letter No HPPCL/GM-STKHEP/EPC Contract/2020-4559-63 dt 28 Sep  
2020.

2. As per directions received from Headquarters Western Command, the permission to  
carry out blasting for SFT cannot be granted as full CFEES clearance has not been provided.

3. This is for your information please.

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A.G.M.  
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Sr. Maj  
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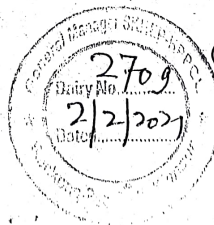
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Shongtong-Karchham Hydro Electric Project  
Reckong-Peo,  
Distt. Kinnaur (HP) -172107)

**Permission for portal excavation to start underground tunneling in the vicinity of  
Ammunition Point at Powari in District Kinnaur of Himachal Pradesh**

- Refer the following
  - Letter No. KNR-111-156-(DRA)/2014-1076394 dated 21 Dec 2020.
  - CFEES/ESG/400/1/2020 dated 18<sup>th</sup> Jun 2020 (Copy enclosed).
  - Letter No. C/142/ /AMN/ dated 12 Jun 2020
  - C/142/ 76/AMN/ dated 16 Mar 2020
  - HPPCL letter No. HPPCL/STKHEP/EPC Contract/ 2020-7241-45 dated 20-02-2020
- CFEES has already communicated about the risk due to excavation of SFT by blasting to the Ammunition Point and risk to SFT falling within OQD, due to any accidental explosion in ammunition storage buildings of Ammunition Point vide CFEES letter referred above as 1 (b).
- CFEES does not play any role in according permission for construction in the vicinity of Ammunition Point. It is prerogative of authorities of Ammunition Point to accord or deny permission for any construction within OQD of ammunition buildings.  
You are requested to approach authorities of Ammunition Point regarding construction of SFT falling within OQD of explosive buildings.

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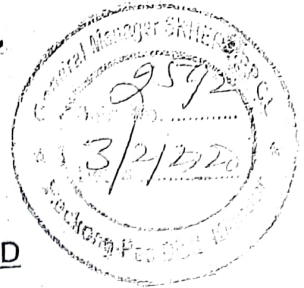
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20 Jan 2020

1123/Muck Dumping/37/QM

Himachal Pradesh  
Power Corporation Ltd  
Dist- Kinnaur (Reckong Peo)



**DUMPING OF EXCAVATION MUCK AT DESIGNATED  
DUMPING SITE NO 03**

1. Refer to HPPCL, Shimla letter No SWD-(A)4-5/2017-Loose-I dated 17 Sep 2019.
2. It is intimated that permission for dumping excavated earth at site No 3 has been accorded. The dumping will be carried out under supervision and restrictions as mandated as per provision of WoDA-1903. Following aspects have to be strictly adhered to:-
  - (a) Safety and Security of Ammunition point, persons & stores.
  - (b) No dumping will be allowed to take place above the ground level in the immediate vicinity/perimeter of Ammunition Point.
  - (c) No crowding/ unauthorised movement of vehs in the restricted zone.
  - (d) No construction/ obstruction of any kind (Temporary / Permanent) will be allowed.
  - (e) No blasting / hazardous activity in notified area in vicinity of Ammunition Point.
  - (f) Dumping will be carried out in a phased manner so as to prevent crowding of vehicles in the vicinity of Ammunition Point.
  - (g) The activity if found unsuitable would be stopped forthwith on requisition of Military authorities and subsequent attention is drawn to WoDA 1903.
3. In view of the above, you are requested to forward tentative plan covering dumping schedule prior to commencement of dumping.

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(Mani Singh)  
Lt Col  
Officer Commanding

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09 Feb 2023

Sh. Surendra Singh Rathore, IAS  
Deputy Commissioner  
Kinnaur (Reckong Peo)  
Himachal Pradesh-172102



**DIVERSION OF 48.6711 HA OF FOREST LAND IN FAVOUR OF 136 (I) INF BDE GP OMC  
FOR THE RELOCATION OF AMMUNITION POINT FROM POWARI TO LIPPA OF  
KINNAUR IN MOORANG RANGE WITHIN THE JURISDICTION OF  
FOREST DIVISION DISTT KINNAUR HP**

1. Pl ref the fwg:-

(a) Orders of Hon'ble High Court Shimla dated 02 Nov 2020 on CWP 1667/2013 dated 28 May 2015.

(b) O/o Deputy Commissioner, Kinnaur letter No KNR.111.156 (DRA)/2014/1087838 dated 27 Jan 2023.

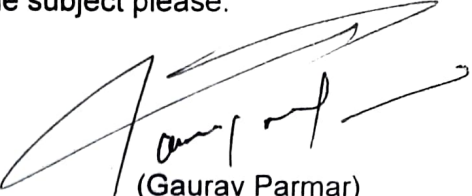
2. It is submitted that as per para 1 (b) above, Gram Sabha rejected the ibid proposal unanimously due to which District Collector, Kinnaur was unable to issue compulsory FRA certificate because there is no provision to override the decision of Gram Sabha under the act. Since, the matter was already discussed in the Hon'ble High Court and accordingly a status report/affidavit on execution petition No 106/2016 in CWP 1667/2013 dated 05 Sep 2018 by the Deputy Commissioner (On behalf of respondent of 1 to 4) was presented before the Hon'ble High Court to expedite the matter on priority. However, till date no significant progress has been made in this regard for handing over the aforesaid land. The non fructification of long

outstanding case is a matter of deep concern as it is critically hampering Operational preparedness of Indian Army amid growing tensions along Line of Actual Control with China. It is also reiterated that the placement of critical Ammunition and Infra development in this sector is held up due to delay in handing over of ibid land. The same has been viewed seriously by Higher Army authorities as delay has severe repercussions on national security.

3. In addition, it is also intimated that a case of violation of Works Of Defence Act 1903 in the form of illegal construction activities and dumping of excavated muck at Dumping site No 3 has been observed on the left and right bank of the river Satluj site which is lying within the notified area upto 1200 yards from the Ammunition point as well as Depot area of 136 (Independent) Infantry Brigade Group Ordnance Maintenance Company at Poari. The direction on the ibid matter has already been passed by the Hon'ble Court wrt CWP/1667 dated 02 Nov 2020. Therefore, it is requested to issue necessary directions to all stake holders to refrain from any kind of activities within the notified area of 1200 yards till the time necessary directions received from higher Headquarters.

4. This is for your information and prompt action on the subject please.



  
(Gaurav Parmar)  
Major  
Administrative Officer  
for Officer Commanding

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Dr Ajay Kumar, IAS  
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General Manager  
HPPCL, Reckong Peo  
District-Kinnaur

- For information and necessary action please.

- This is for your information and issue of necessary directions please.

- This is for your information wrt to issue early clarification on the subject as asked vide DC, Kinnaur letter No KNR-111-156 (DRA) /2014/1087888 dated 27 Jan 2023 please.

- It has been observed that at dumping site No 3 movement of men, material, earth moving machineries and vehicles has been increased significantly which is matter of deep security concerns as it is in close proximity of Ammunition point. Therefore, you are requested to issue necessary directions to all concerned to stop all the activities within the notified area as per Orders of Hon'ble High Court dated 02 Nov 2020. This is for your information and issue of necessary direction to all concerned please.