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Divisional Forest Officer,

Hapur Forest Division,

Hapur.

Sub: Construction of Mahadev Picnic Spot for Eco-Tourism purpose b/w CH. 88+650 to 88+750, Khasra No.2531 of NH-09 R.H.S. in Village Gar Banger, Tehsil-Garhmukteswar, District-Hapur. **EDS Reply dated 08/11/2023 reg.**

Date: 13.06.2024

Ref: 1. Forest Diversion Proposal No. - FP/UP/Approach/150358/2021

2. Online Parivesh portal MoEFCC EDS dated 13.10.2023

Sir,

Reference to above mentioned proposal for forest diversion proposal for approach access to Mahadev Picnic Spot for eco-tourism purpose uploaded on parivesh portal. Divisional Forest Office raised EDS on 08.11.2023 in this context point wise reply of EDS is given below:

S.No.	Observation	Compliance
1.	The proposed CA area falls under River Catchment area. This needs clarification from management point of view.	May DFO kindly reply. Proposed area is 174m from River ganga and 60m from its tributary. Proposed area is inside the reserve forest hence there is no meandering and soil erosion is found in this area. CA Area is also shifted toward RF area which is far from river meandering.
2.	Net suitable area for CA plantation as per DSS report is 0.090 ha. which is lower than the actual required CA land area. CA area needs to be provided in double the area proposed for diversion i.e., 0.048 ha. x 2 = 0.096 ha. and accordingly, CA scheme for plantation of minimum 100 trees in an area of 0.10 ha. needs to be provided at the rate of min. 1000 plants/ha instead of providing plantation for 154 trees. Thus, CA scheme	CA area revised and CA Scheme prepared as per new area i.e 0.096 ha. Tree plantation changed accordingly.

	and all related documents needs to be revised and uploaded on portal.	
3.	As per the Land Suitability Certificate, the proposed CA land area is 0.048 ha, which should be provided in 0.10 ha. as per the CA scheme for plantation of 100 trees. This needs rectification and uploaded on portal.	May DFO kindly reply.
4.	The visibility of the approved layout plan is poor. This needs to be re-uploaded on PARIVESH Portal with high DPI.	High resolution layout plan in high DPI is uploaded on Parivesh Portal.
5.	There is a filling station of IOCL on opposite side and a Yatri Dhaba alongside if the proposed area for diversion. Also, there are other dhabas as well in the vicinity. DFO needs to clarify if approval under FCA for approach access to all these establishments has been accorded/sought?	May DFO kindly reply.
6.	The proposal is for approach access and not for construction of site so title of proposal needs to be amended.	This has been to be requested that title of proposal is not changeable at this stage on parivesh portal.
7.	No objection certificates from Pollution Board and Fire dept. needs to be submitted.	No Objection Certificate from Pollution Board and Fire department is in progress. It will be submitted before final approval. Undertaking in this regard is uploaded on parivesh portal.

We request for your kind perusal, so that, proposal can be forwarded for next stage approval. Thanks and regards.

Yours Faithfully,

Encl.

1. As above.

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Date: 13/06/2024

Place : Hapur