## VIMLA HYDRO POWER PVT. LTD.

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Ref. No. VHPPL/FCA/Reply-3

To

Divisional Forest Officer, Rampur Forest Division Rampur Bushahr, H.P.

Sub:

Diversion of 7.4268 ha. of Forest land in favour of M/S Vimla Hydro Power Pvt. Ltd. VPO Sarahan Tehsil Rampur Distt. Shimla H.P. for the construction of Upper Kurmi 8 MW within the jurisdiction of Rampur Forest Division Distt. Shimla, H.P.

Sir,

With reference to online query dated 27.05.2025 on the subject cited above detailed reply is as under :-

1. It is submitted that the said project was allotted to M/S Vimla Hydro Power Pvt. Ltd. in the year 2009 for a capacity of 5 MW (Project allotment letter is uploaded on online portal Part-1 against additional information at Sr. No. 34). Capacity of the said project was enhanced from 5MW to 8 MW in the year 2015 (Capacity enhancement letter is uploaded on online portal Part-1 against additional information at Sr. No. 1). It was only after capacity was enhanced from 5MW to 8MW that the project components and the area required for diversion i.e. 7.4268 ha. was finalized for which a Joint Inspection was conducted in the year 2017 (Joint Inspection is uploaded on online portal Part-1 against additional information at Sr. No. 4). Therefore, there is no change in the size of the project components and the area diverted is already for the enhanced capacity.

You are therefore requested to submit the case for further transmission to the quarter concerned.

Yours sincerely,

Upper Kurmi SHEP (8 MW)