

HIMACHAL ROAD TRANSPORT CORPORATION RAMPUR BUSHAHR DISTT. SHIMLA HP.

NO: HRTC/RMP-3 (BSM&DA)/ 2025- 3139

DATED 20/08/2025

To

The Divisional Forest Officer,
Rampur Forest Division.

Sub:- Diversion of 0.3534 Ha. (Now 0.1820 Ha.) of forest land for construction of HRTC Bus Stand at Nankhari within the jurisdiction of Rampur Forest Division, Rampur Bsr.

Sir,

This is with reference to the subject cited above. In this context this is to inform you that the EDS raised by the Forest Department has been attended and para wise reply for the same is as under:-

Sr. No.	Observation	Reply
1.	The proposal is for diversion of 0.3534 ha protected forest land for construction of bus stand with enumeration of 72 Deodar Trees. In view of the guideline para 1.10, It is requested to kindly explore non forest land for the purpose.	The area of the proposal has been revised/reduced to 0.1820 Ha. from 0.3534 Ha. and hence the no. of trees involved has also been reduced. The revised documents as per revised area have been uploaded in online Part-I in PARIVESH Portal 1.0.
2.	In view of the guideline dated 24.09.2024, justification submitted by the State Govt. for construction of bus stand with enumeration of 72 Deodar trees and alternatives examined not found justified. It is therefore requested to kindly explore non forest land or an open forest area for the purpose.	The area of the proposal has been revised/reduced to 0.1820 Ha. from 0.3534 Ha. and hence the no. of trees involved has also been reduced. Further, there is no Non-Forest/Private Land available in the surrounding areas and local people are not willing to donate their landholdings for the said project. Hence, the identified site cannot be escaped in public interest.
3.	Provisions of budget for the construction of road is Uploaded, however administrative approval is not found uploaded. It is requested to kindly upload the same.	The administrative approval and expenditure sanction of the proposal has already been uploaded against additional information detail in online Part-I


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