

**DIVERSION OF 2.9696 HA. OF FOREST LAND FOR CONSTRUCTION OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PLANT IN DHARAMSHALA, DISTRICT KANGRA, (H.P.)**

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DATE OF PROPOSAL :

**DETAIL NOTE ON THE PROJECT**

The forest land is required for the construction of Solid Waste Management Plant at Dharamshala in Up-Mohal Dharamshala, Tehsil Dharamshala, District Kangra (H.P.). The proposal involves construction of Construction of Solid Waste Management Plant and Dumping Site. The proposal requires 2.9696 hectare of forest land for construction of different components viz., Solid Waste Management Plant and Dumping Site. With the passing of time and increasing population of nearby areas and being a tourist attraction nearby, there is an immense need of a Solid Waste Management Plant for disposal of solid waste being generated from Household Waste, Industrial Waste and Biomedical Waste. At present the garbage of hotels and local area is stashed here and there making a mess resulting in spreading of various diseases in the area. Thus the area used as dumping site has been proposed for development of Solid Waste Management Plant. The total land involved for construction of the above project will be 2.9696 hectare, involving 164 number of trees.

The Project Comprises of the following civil works.

- Solid Waste Management Plant
- Dumping Area

With the construction of the above Solid Waste Management Plant, the surrounding area shall be made clean and reduce pollution. The garbage dump stashed here and there nearby shall be collected and dumped at the proposed area. It will put an end to the problem of garbage in the area and also help in reducing the diseases in the area. It will give a boost to the tourism sector. The economy of the locals would be protected from the ill effects of garbage and reduction in pollution levels.

The adverse impact of the construction on the environment shall be taken care of. Cut & fill method shall be used for disposal of muck/debris and the rest would be used in filling the embankments of different structures, retaining walls and low lying areas. Thus every care shall be taken to minimize the ill effect on the environment.

**LOCATION OF THE PROJECT:**

The construction of Solid Waste Management Plant at Dharamshala is proposed in Up-Mohal Dharamshala falling in Ward No. 6 of Municipal Corporation Area in Tehsil Dharamshala, District Kangra, Himachal Pradesh.



### JUSTIFICATION FOR LOCATION THE PROJECT IN FOREST AREA:

Location of all the civil components of the Solid Waste Management Plant is feasible in the forest land only. There is no other Private land / Govt. land available in the concerned area. Moreover this area is being used for disposal of solid waste for years. Now this area shall be developed for Solid Waste Management Plant.

No other viable alternative is available for the project so it has to be as such located in the forest land. Keeping in view of the technical requirements of the Project, this area has been proposed. The proposed area has 164 number of trees standing, which has been enumerated.

### Total Population Benefited:

The population of approx. 136536 persons (As per Census 2011) living in the surrounding area of Tehsil Dharamshala will be benefited with the construction of this Solid Waste Management Plant.

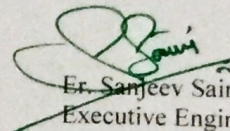
### Project objectives:

- Disposal of garbage and its processing.
- Create a pollution free environment.
- Reduce the various diseases thus boosting the tourism sector.

**The project would have lot of long term direct and indirect advantages. Hence the project is requested to be considered.**

Place : Dharamshala

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