

Project Title : Banderlima Harkhola Motor Road  
File No. : FP/UK/ROAD/16041/2015

**Certificate for Applicability of Wildlife Clearance**

It is certified that construction of proposed Banderlima-Harkhola Motor Road in Kanalichhina Block of District Pithoragarh is an approved activity to provide connectivity to four villages of this area. The proposed area for construction of motor road lies in the Civil soyam land, which lies within 10 km. aerial distance of Askote Wildlife Sanctuary, has got administrative approval from Govt. of Uttarakhand. As the proposed construction of motor road has been accorded administrative approval by the Uttarakhand State Govt., it does qualify to be an ecologically sustainable activity under Sections 38(1)(O)(b) and 38(1)(O)(g) of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 as amended in 2006 and neither it is a scheduled activity requiring Environmental Clearance (EC) under EIA Notification 2006. So, the Proposal does not require any prior clearance from the Standing Committee of the National Board of Wildlife as per the Guidelines dated 16<sup>th</sup> July 2020 issued by Wildlife Division, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Government of India.

Date: 28<sup>th</sup> August 2020

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