

PROPOSAL FOR DIVERSION
OF
1-56-48 HACTARE FOREST LAND
UNDER FCA, 1980
FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF
LINK ROAD MASROOR TO GHARIAR
TEHSIL DEHRA, DISTRICT KANGRA HP
UNDER
DEHRA FOREST DIVISION
DISTRICT KANGRA (H.P.)

SUBMITTED BY:

EXECUTIVE ENGINEER

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HPPWD DEHRA, KANGRA

CHECK LIST OF

DOCUMENTS / INFORMATION REQUIRED FOR PROPOSAL FOR DIVERSION OF FOREST LAND FOR NON-FORESTRY USE UNDER FOREST (CONSERVATION) ACT, 1980

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I. Documents / Information Required for All Proposals				
1.	Check list of project proposal	Yes		1-6
2.	Main application Form from Part-I to V as prescribed in the rules under the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 (FCA) with all its columns duly filled up and signed by the competent authority with date, place and their official seal. All the information in Part- I of Form A including Item-wise Breakup of the forest area required must be given in the Form itself by expanding the columns with complete address, email, date, place and seal (if available).	Yes		1-15
3.	Detail note on the project. It must include the information regarding the number of village and number of persons to be benefited from the project including employment generation.	Yes		16-17
4..	Map of the project site / forest area demanded clearly showing forest boundaries and adjoining areas with their land use in distinct colors in 1:50000 or any other suitable scale on original survey of India topo sheet. If the area is very small, in addition to above, an index map may be submitted showing forest boundaries and a location map on a larger scale with land use of the area required duly signed by DFO and CF concerned. Forest and non-forest areas to be shown in distinct colours.	Yes		18
5.	Lay-out plan of project site. In case of linear diversions of forest land, linear map or a diagrammatic map of the project site, should be enclosed	Yes		19-20
6.	Statement showing the details of forest area involved i.e. Survey No. /Coupe No. Compartment No., etc. and item -wise break up of the forest area proposed for diversion duly signed by DFO (in the prescribed format).	Yes		21
7.	Statement showing the details of non-forest area involved in the proposal (in the prescribed format).	Yes		22
8.	Certificate from the Collector/ Deputy Commissioner that no alternative suitable non-forest land is available for the project in question except in cases where the project is not proposed on the forest land and only right of way (ROW) is required.	Yes		23

9.	Justification for locating the project in forest area to be given by User agency and countersigned by DFO.	Yes		24
10.	Certificate for minimum use of forest land to be submitted by the User Agency giving details of the areas and trees involved in the alternatives examined and reasons for their rejection duly countersigned by DFO (in the prescribed format).	Yes		25-26
11.	Undertaking by the User Agency to bear the cost of compensatory afforestation duly countersigned by the DFO (in the prescribed format).	Yes		27
12.	Undertaking by User Agency to pay the Net Present Value (NPV) of the forest land involved duly countersigned by the DFO (in the prescribed format).	Yes		28-29(b)
13.	A certificate from the competent authority in the State, that all the forest rights under the Forest Rights Act, 2006 have been settled in respect of the forest area proposed for diversion, wherever applicable.	Yes		30-37
14.	Species-wise and Girth class wise enumeration list and abstract of trees (abstract to be given at the end of the list) standing on the forest area in question neatly typed or computerized and duly signed by DFO. Wherever possible, English and botanical names of the vegetation should be mentioned.	No	No felling of trees is involved	—
15.	Site inspection report of the forest area involved in the project proposed by DFO concerned or higher level Forest Officer (in prescribed format). However if the area involved is more than five hac. or number of trees marked for felling is 200 or more, it should be inspected by the CF.	Yes		38-39
16.	Details of non-forest land / degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation viz. Survey No. / Compartment No. / Khasra No. / Khatoni No. / Village, Tehsil, District etc., along with map in appropriate scale showing the boundaries of adjoining forest areas with their land use in distinct colours (in the prescribed format).	Yes		40-41
17.	Detailed scheme for compensatory afforestation on identified non-forest area/degraded forest area at present wage rates duly signed by DFO and counter signed by the CF concerned. The CA scheme must include all the technical details, details of work scheduled, total financial outlay and proposed monitoring mechanism (in the prescribed format).	Yes		42-45

18.	Certificate from the DFO that non-forest land / forest land selected for compensatory afforestation is in a compact block and contiguous to forest area or in close proximity of forest area and suitable for plantation and from the management and protection point of view and is free from all sorts of encumbrances and encroachments (in the prescribed format)	Yes		45
19.	In case of violation of the provisions of the FCA, 1980 or any other Forest Act, a detailed report on the violation to be submitted.	Yes		46
20.	Certificate from the Chief Secretary regarding non-availability of non-forest land in the State for raising compensatory afforestation, where applicable	Yes		47
21.	Approval of the proposal for which diversion of forest land is proposed by the competent authority of the concerned organizations.	No	The proposal is submitted to regularize the FCA violation.	
22.	In case of proposal which requires entry / exit through Protected Forest strips along roads / railway lines / canals, the following information / documents must be given : a) No Objection Certificate (NOC) of the land owning agency i.e. NHAI / PWD, Railways or Canal / Irrigation Department. b) No Objection Certificate (NOC) in principle approval for change of land use from the Town and Country Planning / local body or any other competent authority.	No	Not Applicable	
II.	Documents / Information Required for Proposals for Roads, Railway Lines, Canals and Transmission Lines.			
23.	The following information / documents must be given:- (a) Length and width of Road / railway line / canals / transmission line passing through forest and non-forest area. (b) In case of expansion of the already existing road / railway line / canal, linear plan clearly showing in distinct colours, the already existing width of the proposed road / railway line / canals to be expanded and the remaining width of the protected forest strip, which would be left after expansion. (c) In case of transmission line, the following details may also be given:- (1) Number of towers to be erected both in forests and non-forest area. (2) Width of the right of way for transmission line.	Yes		48-52

III	Documents / Information Required for Proposals for Hydro Electric Projects			
24.	<p>The following information / documents must be given:-</p> <p>(a) Component-wise total area requirement.</p> <p>(b) Copy of Memorandum of Understanding / Consent letter</p> <p>(c) Copy of Techno Economic Clearance</p> <p>(d) Copy of Implementation Agreement</p> <p>(e) NOC from Irrigation and Public Health Department.</p> <p>(f) NOC from Fisheries Department</p> <p>(g) Authorisation to the application by the Project Authority.</p>	No	Not Applicable	—
IV	Documents / Information Required for Proposals for Mining			
25.	<p>The following information / documents must be given:-</p> <p>I. New Proposals</p> <p>(a) Certificate from the competent authority like District Mining Officer /Geologist, regarding non-availability of the same mineral/ore in the nearby non-forest area.</p> <p>(b) Complete details of existing or proposed leases in that particular forest area with their present status, indicated on Survey of India Topo sheet in appropriate scale.</p> <p>(c) Estimated reserve of each mineral/ore in the forest area and non-forest area.</p> <p>(d) Total area demanded and extent of forest area involved in the proposed mining lease shown in distinct colours on relevant maps.</p> <p>(e) Proposed period of mining lease.</p> <p>(f) Minimum distance of the proposed site from Wildlife Sanctuary or a National Park.</p> <p>(g) A copy of the mining plan duly approved by the State Mining Department be enclosed.</p> <p>(h) Phased reclamation plan of the project area.</p> <p>(i) Copy of lease deed/agreement entered into with the district authorities.</p> <p>(j) The details of Safety Zone Area for the mining as per para 4.7 of the guidelines.</p> <p>An undertaking from the project authority to bear the cost of fencing the safety zone area and afforestation over one and half times of degraded forest area. The details of safety zone to be ascertained by the competent authority viz Indian Bureau of Mines / Department of Geology and Mining of State Government.</p> <p>II. In case of Renewal of Mining Lease.</p> <p>(a) A brief profile of the lessee / company should be submitted giving details of their existing mining leases with their capacity of production, the present level of average annual production, location of these pits and the status</p>	No	Not Applicable	—

	<p>of reclamation of forest land that are exhausted of minerals.</p> <p>(b) Complete details of existing / proposed leases in that particular forest area with their present status, indicated on Survey of India Topo sheet in appropriate scale.</p> <p>(c) The State Government shall forward complete proposal to the MoEF at least six months prior to the expiry of the existing lease. In case of any delay, a detail report to elaborate the cause of delay shall be forwarded along with the proposal.</p> <p>(d) The resolution of Gram Panchayat / Local Body of the area endorsing the proposal that the project is in the interest of the people living in and around the proposed forest land.</p>			
V	Documents / Information Required for Proposals for Retail Outlets of Oil Companies			
26.	<p>The following information / documents must be given:-</p> <p>(a) Copy of letter of intent issued by the Oil Company.</p> <p>(b) Site selection certificate as per Government of India guidelines. The DFO should certify the distance between two retail outlets on either side of the outlet in question.</p> <p>(c) Lay-out plan showing dimensions of proposed approach road for entry and exit with clear area calculation.</p> <p>(d) The area calculation for the curves should invariably be given in the layout plan.</p> <p>(e) NOC from NHAI / PWD / Urban or local body.</p> <p>(f) NOC from Town and Country Planning / Local body.</p> <p>(g) Certificate by the user agency to the effect that no High Tension Line is passing above the proposed site duly countersigned by the DFO.</p> <p>(h) A Certificate by the User Agency to the effect that No LP Gas godown is located near the proposed site, duly countersigned by DFO.</p>	No	Not Applicable.	—
27.	Status of clearance under the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 wherever it is required, a copy of the same / an undertaking (along with a copy of the application) that the User Agency has applied for environment clearance.	No	Not Applicable	—
28.	NOC of the State Pollution Control Board for establishment of the Project, wherever required.	No	Not Applicable	—
29.	For the proposals involving diversion of forest land where construction of buildings is proposed, the built up area and raw materials to be used should be clearly mentioned.	No	Not Applicable	—
30.	Detail scheme for rehabilitation of the project affected persons, wherever required.	No	There is no displacement of	—

			any population.	
31.	Detail Catchments Area treatment Plan, wherever required. The CAT Plan should be prepared on the basis of actual survey of areas and its classification in various categories requiring different engineering / afforestation and other treatments in phased manner.	No	CAT pan is not applicable.	-
32.	Detail Reclamation Plan, wherever required. It should be realistic exhaustive and complete in all respects along with relevant maps in distinct colours. It should also include the details of back fillings, afforestation and execution of such works, wherever required.	No	The proposal is submitted to regularize the violation so no reclamation plan is required.	-
33.	Cost benefit analysis as per the guidelines issued under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 in prescribed format, wherever required.	No	Not required.	-
34.	Any other information / documents attached, please specify :- a) Copy of the Geo Reference Map. b) Joint Inspection Report. c) Dimension-wise list of components <i>Certificate Beneficiary.</i> d) Authority Letter <i>ELO - SQUAD RING ZONE</i> e) Revenue Record. (Parcha, Field Book & Tatima)	Yes		19 39 52 53 54(A) 58 56-57

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