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FOREST DIVISION DODA

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Full Title of the Project:- Construction of link road from Panditgram to Chanseri.

File No.:- FP/JK/ROAD/45122/2020.

Date of Proposal:- 26-06-2020.


Site Inspection Report by an Officer not below the rank of DCF/DFO
(For the Forest Land to be diverted under FCA)

A proposal has been received by this office from 26/06/2020 for diversion (under FCA, 1980) of **0.4178** Ha of forest land for non-forestry purpose. The subject envisages the use of forest land for construction of road from Panditgram to Chanseri.

1. The site inspection of the forest land involved in the proposal has been done by me on **19-02-2021**. On inspection of the site, it is found that the land required by the User Agency is forest land measuring **0.4178** Ha. The requirement of forest land as proposed by the UA in Col. 2 of Part-I is unavoidable and is barest minimum required for the project.
2. Whether any rare/endangered/unique species of flora and fauna found in the area? If so, the details thereof: No
3. Whether any protected archaeological/heritage site/defense establishment or any other important monument is located in the area? If so, the details thereof with NOC from competent authority, if required. No
4. (a) **The UA has not violated the provisions of the FCA, 1980 and no work has been started without proper sanction.**
Or
(b) It has been found that the UA has violated the provisions of FCA, 1980; a detailed report on violation is attached.
(Note: Whichever of the above is applicable should be shown in bold letters)
5. Specific recommendation for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal: Project is recommended for diversion under Forest Conservation Act, 1980.

Place: Doda

Date: 19-02-2021


Navneet Singh, IFS
Divisional Forest Officer
Forest Division Doda

SITE INSPECTION REPORT

S.No	Items	Observations and Remarks			
1	Name of the Project and location (Range, Round, Beat)	Construction of link road from Panditgram to Chanseri road. Beat: Chanseri Block: Horna Range:-Thakrai Range Division :Doda Forest Division			
2	Name of user Agency	PWD (R&B) Division Chatroo.			
3	Date of Site Inspection	19/02/2021			
4	Extent (ha) and legal status of Forest land proposed for diversion	0.4178 Ha Forest Land			
5	a) Details of Forest Land proposed for diversion and activity wise breakup of Forest land	Name of the village	Item of work/purpose	Forest land required	
				Length & width (in mtrs)	Area (in Hac)
		Panditgram & Chanseri	Construction of link road from Panditgram to Chanseri	(RD 0/437 to 0/1000) = 563 x 6	0.3378
			01 Dumping sites	40 x 20	0.08
	b) Density and Eco Value Class	Total forest land			0.4178
		Density 0.5 and Eco value Class-V			
6.	Whether the requirement of Forest land as proposed by the User Agency in Col 2 and part -1 is unavoidable and barest minimum for the project. If no, recommended area item – wise details of alternative examined	Yes			
7.	Whether the proposal involves any construction of building (including residential) or not? If yes details thereof	No			
8.	a) Whether forest area proposed for diversion is important from wildlife point of view or not b) Details of any rare and endangered or unique species of Flora and Fauna in proposed forest land. If So, the details thereof. c) Remarks about sensitivity of the forest area likely to be effected due to project d) whether wildlife mitigation plans is required? if yes, reason thereof	No			
		No			
		Proposed area is not sensitive			
		No			

9	Details of Vegetation a) Total no. of trees to be felled b) No. of trees to be felled of girth below 60 cm c) No. of trees to be felled of girth above 60 cm	33 04 29
10	Background note on the proposals(Short summary)	The proposed project passes through comp. No. 07/Sbl, Horna Block of Thakrai Range through patch of Deodar Kail Conversion Working Circle. The proposed road is being built by PWD(R&B) Division Chatroo user agency to provide connectivity to villages Harni, Gwarin and Chanseri panditgram thereby directly benefitting total population of 1500 souls. Along the proposed road alignment of the road which has been selected keeping the view the fact that maximum benefits such as health care, education etc reaches the habitants of these villages.
11	Whether the proposal involves any violation of FCA, 1980? If yes, a detailed report of violation including action taken against the concerned officials to be attached.	No
12	Whether the proposal involves the rehabilitation of displaced persons if yes, whether rehabilitation plans being approved by State Govt.	No
13	Details of Catchment and cultivated command area under the project (if applicable) Status of catchment area treatment plan to prevent siltation of reservoir.	N.A N.A
14	Utility of the project	The proposed road is being built by PWD (R&B) Division Chatroo user agency to provide connectivity to villages Harni, Gwarin and Chanseri panditgram thereby directly benefitting total population of 1500 souls. Along the proposed road alignment of the road which has been selected keeping the view the fact that maximum benefits such as health care, education etc reaches the habitants of these villages
15	Whether land being diverted has any socio – cultural, religious values? Whether any very old growth trees, forests exist in the area proposed for diversion	No
16	Any other important information related to project (separate note may be attached, if required)	Area is highly prone to landslide, Thus, it is imperative that user agency builds retaining wall along the full length of road that passes through forest area.
17	Details of documents and photographs enclosed	Enclosed
18	Recommendation of the inspecting officer (DCF)	Recommended


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