Project Name: - Mining Lease of Sh. Vinod Kumar, auctioned area for extraction of minor minerals like sand, stone and bajri from river bed of Son Khad at mauja Kalswai Village Trembla P.O. Longani Tehsil Dharampur in Distt. Mandi.

Proposal No.:- FP/HP/Min/129370/2021

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## JUSTIFICATION FOR LOCATING THE PROJECT IN FOREST AREA

It is certified that the 0.7984 hectares of forest land is required for Mining Lease of Sh. Vinod Kumar, auctioned area for extraction of minor minerals like sand, stone and bajri from river bed of Son Khad at mauja Kalswai Village Trembla P.O. Longani Tehsil Dharampur in Distt. Mandi. The proposed mining of extraction of sand, stone and bajri from river bed of Son Khad is to be carried out in forest land because there is no non-forest land available. The said forest land is suitable for mining of extraction of Sand, Stone and Bajri.

Since the mining activities as proposed are the backbone of all construction and infrastructure projects as the raw material for construction is made available only from such mining. The sand and bajri industry project will also provide employment to the local people.

Contiguous patches for sustainable mining are available in the river bed area under the ownership of HP Govt. and possession of the Forest Department. As such the letter of intent (No.Udyog-Bhu(Khani-4)Laghu-611/2018-6717) Dated 29.09.2022 regarding the auction of minor mineral quaries (sand, stone & Bajri) of District Mandi on Khasra No. 1333. The area was awarded to the same for the lease period of 15 years.

Place: 0/1/1922
Place:- Ohalmple

M/S. VINOD KUMAR uthorised Signatory

Divisional Forest Officer Joginder Nagar Forest Division Joginder Nagar (H.P.)