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**JUSTIFICATION FOR LOCATING THE GOVT. DEGREE COLLEGE BUILDING  
IN FOREST AREA**

2.83hact. of forest land is required for the construction of Government Degree College Telka District Chamba Himachal Pradesh which constitutes the forest land. This Degree College will be constructed to provide the higher educational benefits facilities for the youth of approximate fifteen to twenty Panchayats of the area of Salooni Tehsil and other surrounding areas. This Degree College will cater to the needs of population of about 15000 to 20000 and will give a boost to the local economy and employment of area. For the construction of this Degree College building and for dumping muck at proper dumping sites which is included in construction area i.e. 2.83 hectare of forest land is required to be diverted.

All the beneficiary villagers are surrounded by forest hence; there are no other alternatives but to follow the proposed alignment to avoid breaking of more forest land, so as to give higher education to the youth of area. Hence there is no escape from using the forest land. As no other site alignment is feasible.

Principal  
GDC Telka,  
Distt. Chamba HP.

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