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To, Collector Raigad, Collector office Raigad, Alibag Dist. Raigad – 402201

SUB: - Requirement of NOC certificate under the Forest Right Act 2006, with resolution of Gram sabha/ gram panchayat as per GOI letter 03/08/2009 to be enclosed for the "Rehabilitation and Up-gradation of existing highway to 2 lane / 4 lane with paved shoulder under configuration from Pen-Khopoli (KM 00+000 to KM 33+328) section of NH-166 D (Pen-Khopoli) on Engineering, Procurement & Construction (EPC) Basis in the state of Maharashtra Contract"

REF:- MoRT&H New Delhi. Letter No. 12014/150/2017- MAH dated 20.03.2018. Job No. NH166D - MAH - 2017-18 -1211

The work of Upgradation existing Highway to 4 Lane / 2 Lane with paved shoulder under configuration from Pen-Khopoli (Km 00+000 to Km 33+328) section of NH-166D on EPC mode in the state of Maharashtra has been sanctioned by MoRT&H New Delhi vide letter under reference No. 1.

The existing project road predominantly has a carriage way width 7 meter wide with earthen shoulder 1.00 to 1.50 meter on the both sides with exception in few locations. The existing width incapable to cope up with the increasing traffic because the highway is declared as National Highway, the project road requires minimum two-lane with paved shoulder configuration.

The total length of the project stretch selected for up-gradation is 33.328 KM in the package from which road is passing through forest area in Alibag forest division. The proposed widening requires diversion 9.9249 Ha in Alibag forest division. Therefore the widening of this stretch requires forest clearance from Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate change (GOI).

Since the forest diversion proposal is under consideration for Stage-1 approval, FRA certificate is required for further course of action. Therefore, it is requested to kindly grant FRA certificate for the diversion of forest land for the above subjected project work.

Encl. Proposal with our Area statement proposed alignment on villages

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o The Sub Divisional Engineer, N.H. Sub division, Pen for information & further necessary